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April 9, 1976

Candidacy

To the Pointer.

We, Joan Shafer and Susan Moore, are announcing our candidacy for President and Vice-President of Student Government.

It is essential for Student Government, as the representative body for students, to aid students in becoming aware of issues that directly affect them. Through our involvement on campus we have seen many issues addressed by Student Government but with little input due to lack of awareness in the student body.

Elections will be held on Registration Day in the Quandt Gym; ID's will be required. Your support will be voiced through your vote.

Joan Shafer
Susan Moore

Good job

To the Pointer.

I would like to congratulate George Guenther on his article of the April 2nd "Pointer entitled "Sick of Alcohol?" Occasional drinking can be a pleasant social activity, but on this campus alcoholism is the accepted and lauded convention. As a non-drinker I have often been pressured and condemned by peers for my abstinence and I have discovered that drinkers hold little respect for the rights of non-drinkers. Your article said what I would have liked to say so many times but found impossible. Have you ever tried to make a drunk person listen to something that he or she would rather not hear?

Connie Villec

No thanx

To the Pointer.

Many thanks for the fine review of Barry Lyndon—we are all waiting for one of Cuckoo's Nest.

John Abb

Waste not-want not

To The Pointer

I wrote a letter to the Pointer describing the waste paper in the gridiron, which led to destruction of trees.

A brainwashed CNR "forester" rebutted saying that trees are a forever renewable resource. I see no justification for cutting trees for the sake of creating jobs for the tree cutters, or for the purpose of making landfill bound paper products.

This "forester" said he would not have responded to my conservative plea had I proposed a plan for recycling the paper waste. There is no need for a recycling procedure when society learns, in this case, to use glasses and plates washed with a biodegradeable detergent.

Gordon Edelstein

Secrets

To the Pointer.

You goofed! Last week under the column "Ask Sam Landers" you told everyone about the girl on 2nd floor Thomson. She had been a well kept secret and should not have been publicized. Is there any doubt why "she should know"—2nd floor being guys (and non-"wobbly").

Dick Johnson
2N Thomson Hall

Naughty words

To The Pointer

I don't understand why it's necessary to put such articles as "How does that rub you?", "Ask Sam Landers?", and "New Courses offered" etc. (April 2) in the Pointer. Why so many articles about sex? Any Playboy magazine carries those type of stories. What happened to more news articles or funny stories not always centered around sex? Is this what has replaced last year's "Word's" column? If you're trying to conserve on paper and publication of the Pointer, you're heading in the right direction.

Betty Kehl
Mary Husakker
Sue Brogaard
Jane Stodola
Julie Klein
Karen Brown

Nuts to you

To the Pointer.

Careful analysis of Terry Testolin's editorial concerning Jimmy Carter's visit to Stevens Point revealed that it was composed of three things: misquotations, speculation, and unprovable libel.

Testolin began by insinuating that Carter's plan for a general pardon of those individuals who chose not to participate in the Vietnamese war meant that Carter was implying that these people were guilty of some crime. This is simply not the case. No matter how much the amnesty question is debated, there will still be a certain

element of the American people who believe that resisting the draft was wrong, and another element that believes what they did was right. Carter simply argues that right or wrong, let's forget the whole thing so these guys can come home.

In regard to integration of schools, Testolin misquotes Carter when he says that "Carter opposes busing." In actuality, Carter opposes forced busing. His own daughter Amy attends a fully integrated school in Georgia.

Testolin concluded by calling Carter "a double-talking racist, opportunist..." The entire concluding paragraph is nothing but unprovable libel. In fact, few, if any of the statements Testolin makes in the entire article can be documented.

Mark D. Waltman
341 Hansen Hall

To Your health

To the Pointer.

In response to Dan Spethman's letter to the Pointer in the March 5, 1976 issue, we the Student Advisory Board to the Health Center would like to offer some information.

Fourteen dollars of your semester student fees is paid toward the services offered by the Health Center. The health center fee supports a staff of three physicians, one full-time RN in the pharmacy, one full-time and two part-time nurse practitioners, one full-time and one part-time lab technician, one physician's assistant, and the clerical staff.

As defined by the American College Health Association, health is "considered to be the realization of optimum physical, emotional, intellectual, and social well-being—not simply the absence of overt or covert disease."

Therefore, the services offered to the student at no additional charge include out-patient care by nurse practitioners, the physician's assistant, and physicians (i.e. sore throats, injuries, birth control, weight control, etc.), routine diagnostic laboratory testing (including V.D., pre-marital, and pregnancy testing), most prescription drugs, allergy shots, TB testing and immunizations for travel, and health center staff availability to speak on health-related topics to dorms, organizations, and classes.

Comparing the breakdown of services and fees of other Health Centers in the UW system, one would realize UWSP offers you more for your health dollar (eg. the UW-La Crosse which has an \$18 semester health fee has only two physicians and four nurses on its staff). This is also true when comparing the University Health Center to medical clinics outside of the University.

When a person is dissatisfied with Health Center Services, the best course of action is to express dissatisfaction to the person(s) responsible. If after discussing the matter with the source of your discontent, and you still are not satisfied, you are welcome to discuss the conflict with other members of the health center staff or your Student Advisory Board to the Health Center. Remember that people have a need to be appreciated as well as criticized. If you are impressed with an aspect of the clinic, do not hesitate to make it known to those people responsible.

The Advisory Board to the Health Center meets every Wednesday in the Large Waiting Room in the Health Center at 4:30 pm. All students are welcome to address the Advisory Board with their suggestions and constructive criticism.

Student Advisory Board to the Health Center




The last day to
purchase textbooks
at a reduced rate
will be
Friday, April 16




Textbook rental UC

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Good 'people'

To the Pointer,

To the Men of Knutzen Hall, let me say "thank you" to all of you for a truly unforgettable evening. Your Father-Son banquet demonstrated a sense of warmth, love and humanity that moved me deeply. I'm sure the seventy-five or so fathers who spent the week end were as moved as I. The honesty of your words and actions last Saturday evening represented manhood at its best, full of love and without the burdensome trappings of machismo. Thank you for including me.

Lee Sherman Dreyfus

Thanks

To the Pointer,

Thank-you to all the people who made UAB courses and seminars a success. It is still a new program, but it has unlimited potential. I enjoyed working with faculty, staff, students and business people of the community. All academic departments I worked with were extremely helpful.

There has been some confusion about the UAB non-credit courses and those offered by Extended Services. I appreciate their patience in answering misguided phone calls. It also helped when they were understanding about other problems regarding our new courses and seminar's names. It took awhile for the changes.

This program is a service to the students, for their enjoyment, and we are by no means in competition with any other aspect of the university.

Mary Beth Whalen
UAB Courses and Seminars Chair-
person

Nukes pukes

To the Pointer,

In Wisconsin alone 29,203 citizens (11,466 of them from Congressman Obey's 7th District) have quietly and firmly stated their convictions to "petition my representative in Congress to sponsor and actively support legislation to develop safe, cost-competitive solar electricity and solar fuels with 10 years or less and phase out the operation of nuclear power plants as quickly as possible."

It is irrelevant to speculate on just how much of the public interest is represented by this tabulation. Even if only a fraction of an apathetic public is represented by the above; the issue of opposing nuclear power (plants) is still validly and sincerely in the public interest and becomes a force to be reckoned with and recognized by federal, state and local representatives.

Veiled reasonableness by innuendo on the part of pro-nuclear, state energy coalitions or utility executives, will not eliminate the burning sincerity and unselfishness of the convictions of 335,548 nuclear opponents nationally. These convictions will not go away under the beneficent influence of a booklet or two.

Most recent, tangible proof of these convictions in Wisconsin are the resolutions for a nuclear power plant moratorium from a farm chapter of a national organization and from the La Crosse Sisters Council, representing 600 nuns.

As time progresses, the people who oppose nuclear power (plants) are to be found to be far from uninformed or misinformed and they appear to be becoming better informed with every passing day.

29,203 Wisconsin citizens who call for a program wherein safe, cost-competitive, clean energy can be exercised can hardly be labeled anti-energy extremists.

Nor can their convictions be considered a "minority" opinion. Sign a "Clean Energy Petition" Now! Mrs. Cornelia Groshek

No bloze is good booze

To the Pointer,

When considering what decisions to make in regard to use of alcoholic beverages it appears that there are two responsible decisions to be made: not to use alcohol, or to use alcohol responsibly. Responsible use implies that there is no impairment of the physical or intellectual functioning of the individual. These decisions are based on the following assumptions:

That in a democratic society, choices should be made available whenever alternative courses of action are not generally harmful to the individual or society as a whole.

That considerable evidence exists to support both the non-use and use decisions.

That individuals can be equipped with the appropriate attitudes and skills to make responsible decisions about alcohol, as well as other related daily living experiences.

The right to choose a course of action is a basic tenet of democracy. Restricting a person's right to choose should be based on whether some choices might be harmful to the individual or the society as a whole.

Responsible decision making implies that the individual understands the implications alcohol has for personal health. To enhance personal health, the following guidelines are suggested:

1. Choosing to abstain from the use of alcohol for reasons of health or physical fitness.
2. Setting a limit on the consumption of alcohol that is well within individual limits, which varies from time to time for every individual.
3. Being particularly cautious about using alcohol when other drugs are used.
4. Recognizing that alcohol is a depressant drug and understanding its effect.
5. Heeding the advice of a physician either to avoid the use of alcohol or to use it as prescribed for specific health reasons.
6. Choosing to avoid the frequent use of alcohol for purposes of coping with problems.
7. Recognizing that social acceptability does not require drinking.
8. Drinking slowly, rather than hurriedly; avoiding the gulping of a straight drink.

A thought provoking poem follows by an unknown writer, which I would like to share with you:

Do you think
when you drink
that the world's gonna shrink....
that the girl
that you want
will succumb at the font....
that you feel
will suddenly heal....
or that well
thought out line
just needs a prime....

Well, forget it---
cause you're just
not too cool
when starting to drool.

it's no fun at all
when I'm watching
you crawl.

Think before you drink!

Daniel Moore
CMHD



It's not getting here that's the problem. It's trying to find a place to park. This week Jim Tenuta gives us a full package on the parking situation, complete with an overview, a look at those so-called "blind" parking meters and an interview with various students about the situation. The cover graphic is by Graphics Editor Dennis Jensen.

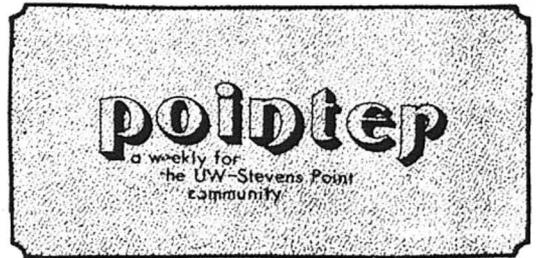
Elsewhere this week; we give a report on a landlord-tenant's meeting that drew only a few tenants and a lot of landlords, an announcement of candidacy by a UWSP student, more on visitation, word on the upcoming trivia contest and word of an appearance by a space traveller.

Greg Marr gives us another installment of his political analysis following the Wisconsin primary. Mary Dowd tells us more about the people that our buildings are named after. Bob Ham lets some of those beautiful Spring thoughts trickle from his tender little brain and there is plenty of meaty material in the news notes area.

Environmentally, Steve Lybeck gives a look at a solar heating unit, there's a reply from a nuclear power critic and a report on a report by a wilderness explorer.

On the sports page there's a report on the progress of the baseball team along with a report on the activities of Pointer staff writers Tim Sullivan and Randy Weivel.

The arts page features a report on the recent trip by the choir with some info on the Western Wind group.



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TRAVEL TIPS TO MEXICO

With vacation time fast approaching, many of you will no doubt be traveling to Mexico. Some of you might even be coming back. Here are some helpful hints.

1. A man on a burro always has the right of way, unless he appears to be a weakling.
2. In local cantinas, pouring a shot of Cuervo down a man's collar is not thought to be humorous.
3. Falling onto a cactus, even an actual Cuervo cactus, can be a sticky proposition.
4. It is tough to find hamburger rolls in the smaller towns; it's best to bring your own.



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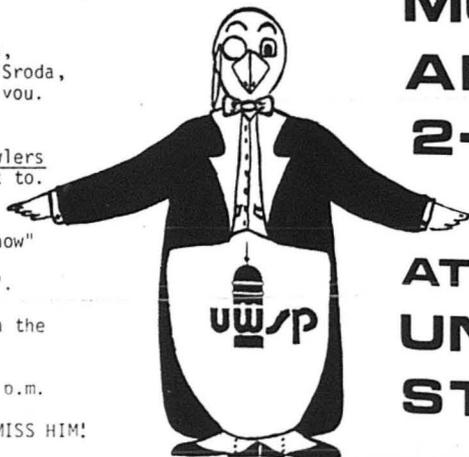
Strange as it seems, "The Worm Czar", George Sroda, will be here to meet you.

The author of Facts About Nightcrawlers is just a trip to talk to.

He's appeared on "The Mike Douglas Show" and "The Tonight Show".

George will appear in the University Store on Monday, April 12, 2-4 p.m.

DON'T BE THE ONLY ONE TO MISS HIM!



**MONDAY
APRIL 12
2-4 P.M.**

**AT THE...
UNIVERSITY
STORE**

No show by tenants

by Mike Wanserski

An informal meeting was held last Monday night at the Sentry Auditorium to discuss Stevens Point housing and the state housing codes. The meeting was moderated by Mayor James Feigleson, City Building Inspector Dick Morton, and Frank Bauer from the City Planning Commission. Some forty landlords turned out for the discussion. There were only a couple of tenants present.

The discussion centered on Chapter 57 of the State Housing Code which was enacted in 1914 and has since remained relatively unchanged or amended. Mr. Morton explained that to meet Chapter 57 housing requirements, a dwelling must be inhabited by three or more unrelated persons. Stevens Point presently has 217 such rooming houses licensed by the city. More than 2200, or about 28 percent of the present university student enrollment live in these dwellings.

At the outset of Monday night's discussion, Mr. Morton read and defined the provisions in Chapter 57 which were most commonly violated in the city. Those were provisions regarding:

Fire enclosures (furnaces)--with two or more people in a unit or four or more units in a dwelling, the furnace must be enclosed in a one hour fire-resistant enclosure.

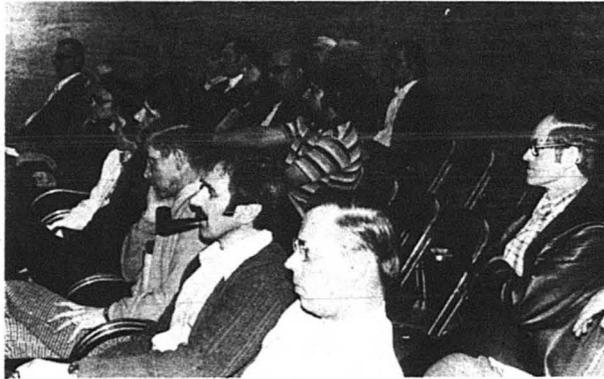


photo by Mike Wanserski

Exits--there must be at least two easily accessible exits from an upstairs room or apartment.

Basement apartments or rooms--these are prohibited unless there are at least two outside exits and two windows that open in each room.

Toilet facilities--the state code limits ten persons per bathroom, while the city code requires one bath for eight persons. University housing states six persons per full bath.

Room size--the city code requires 70 square feet for a room for one person, 100 square feet for two

persons, and 50 additional square feet for each additional person in a room. The state code requires 400 cubic feet per room which would amount to about a 6' x 7' room with a 7' ceiling.

Window space--this must be 10 percent of the total floor space in any room.

Parking--a landlord may only rent to the number of persons with cars which can be provided with parking space on the rented premises.

Under state law, according to Mr. Morton, a landlord has 60 days in which to deal with any violation

within the provisions of Chapter 57. If the landlord fails to rectify the violation after this period of time, the City Building Inspector may recommend that the dwelling be condemned or blacklisted.

Mayor Feigleson emphasized throughout the meeting that the gathering was merely an informational meeting and not a hearing. He also stressed that the discussion was to only deal with Chapter 57 which defines rooming houses and not family dwellings. Feigleson went on to praise Dick Morton and his department for acquiring more time for the city to comply to the provisions of Chapter 57. "However," the Mayor stated, "the time is drawing to a close on the additional time granted the city by the state."

One landlord, Sam Skibicky, said that most tenant complaints concerning Chapter 57 are justified but that the complaints are repeatedly voiced against the same landlords time and again. Skibicky said, "it seems like it (the problem) is a percentage of out-of-town owners who could care less how his house is run and what's going on in it." He spoke of one house that he knew of where the plumbing is so bad that the tenants had to use the neighbor's toilet.

Beware---trivia is coming

by Ginny Shaker

Midwest Media Mania is here. Trivia '76, the biggest and longest trivia contest in the nation, begins tonight at 6 o'clock.

For 53 hours this weekend, an estimated 10,000 ears will be glued to their radios as 90 FM sponsors their 7th annual trivia contest.

Anyone may participate. Necessary equipment includes a radio tuned to 90 FM and a telephone nearby.

Trivia tests your memory. There are ten questions asked an hour. Awards for correct answers range from 5-500 points, depending on the difficulty of the question.

Television, radio, movies, comic books, sports, music, fads, and measurements are some of the topics questions will cover. One

bicentennial question will be asked per hour.

To enter, a team has to phone in the correct answer to a question within the time allotted. There will be ten phone operators constantly on duty to handle the 300,000 expected calls. All answers are phoned in to 90 FM at 346-2696, or 341-7812.

Past teams have been composed of from 1-128 people. Last year, over 500 teams were entered, estimating 5,000 people in all. Because of the amount of teams playing, there will be an hour break from midnight, Sat. to 1:00 am, Sunday.

The purpose for this is to retabulate all the scores up to that point. The contest will end at midnight on Sunday, April 11.

Andy Fischbach and Steve Hamilton are in charge of writing the 530 questions for this year. Work began shortly after last year's contest ended.

Hamilton has worked with Trivia since 1970. He believes that the contest is part of a huge nostalgia kick Americans are on.

"When Trivia began in 1969, the questions were easy," says Hamilton. "Tim Donovan and Nick Ryan were the instigators. Since then, I've seen Trivia grow from a little contest to something scientific and complex. It's grown beyond the fun of answering questions--it's a science."

The Raft Apes were the winners last year with 5,985 points. Bill Sink, Ape No. 1, is a serious student of trivia. Hamilton said that Sink

had reportedly spent \$600 on books and magazines to prepare his team for this year's contest.

Teams are arriving from Colorado, Florida, and other states. There is even a team of U.S. servicemen stationed in Germany who are using part of their furlough to come to Stevens Point and play Trivia. Two people are flying in from Hawaii, and students studying abroad in Malaysia have inquired about playing by mail.

"When we say people in this town take their trivia seriously, we mean it," says Hamilton.

For at least one weekend a year Stevens Point is a special place to be. One weekend a year, this weekend, Stevens Point plays Trivia.

Moon traveler Slayton coming to Point

Astronaut Donald (Deke) Slayton will make two appearances Sunday in Stevens Point as part of a four-day visit to his native state.

At 3 p.m. he will give a talk that will be open to the public without charge in the Program-Banquet Room of the University Center.

Later he will speak at a 6:30 p.m. dinner for local service club members and their guests at the Holiday Inn. This event is being sponsored by the Stevens Point Evening Lions.

Slayton was docking module pilot in the joint United States-Soviet Union earth-orbital mission launched last summer.

The native of Sparta in west central Wisconsin, is being accompanied throughout his tour of



the state by Dr. Franz Schmitz, chairman of the UWSP physics department, who has arranged most of the astronaut's schedule.

Slayton became coordinator of astronaut activities in September 1962 and was responsible for the operation of the astronaut office. In November 1963, he resigned his commission as an Air Force major to assume the role of director of flight crew operations. In this capacity, he was responsible for directing the activities of the integration division, the crew and the crew procedures division of NASA.

Before coming to Stevens Point, Slayton will speak Friday night at Viroqua High School at the annual meeting of the Wisconsin Section of

the American Association of Physics Teachers, a group in which Schmitz and his department colleagues have long been active.

On Saturday, the astronaut will deliver a 2 p.m. talk at Marshfield Senior High for a special program commemorating the nation's bicentennial, and at 7p.m. he will address the annual dinner meeting of the Marshfield Chamber of Commerce.

Slayton was named as one of the Mercury astronauts in April of 1959. He was originally scheduled to pilot the Mercury-Atlas 7 mission but was relieved of this assignment due to a heart condition which was discovered in August 1959. The MA-7 mission was subsequently flown by M. Scott Carpenter in May 1962.

News Notes

Communications Banquet

The Communications Department of UWSP is sponsoring a banquet, "YEAR ENDER '76", for students, faculty, alumni and any other persons interested in communications.

It will be held Thursday, April 22, at the Holiday Inn, Stevens Point. The banquet which begins with aperitifs at 6 pm and dinner at 7 pm will feature student awards with speaker Lee Rimmel, Publicity Director of the Green Bay Packers at 8 pm.

Tickets are being sold at \$4.50 for students and \$5.50 for others at the Communication Department Office, 056 Main, 346-3409. Tickets are also being sold by the Communications Faculty and students.

YEAR-ENDER '76 is going to be a great time for Communications personnel and the public. Free beer will be served during the cocktail hour. Come share in the festivities, a good dinner, student awards and a terrific speaker.

Election Results

Michael Lorbeck, a UWSP student and Stevens Point native, will be seated as the second ward's new alderman after defeating the incumbent, Jerome Bachinski. Bachinski has now lost two elections to UWSP students in the ward which includes some of the UWSP dormitories and the Village apartment complex which is mainly inhabited by students.

In Stevens Point's eighth ward the people had to choose from four candidates, of whom two were UWSP faculty members; Roger Bullis of the Communications Department and Roy VanDresser of the Education Department. Henry Korger was the victor in the ward with 206 votes compared to VanDresser's 178 and Bullis's 105.

In the tenth ward Robert Artigiani, a history professor, came close but was unable to unseat the incumbent, Robert Fulton who won by a 169 to 152 margin. In the county board's twelfth district, Communications professor, William Witt was defeated by Margaret Schad, the incumbent, by a 540 to 127 count.

Thomas McKitterick, a UWSP administrator, won a seat on the Stevens Point Board of Education after finishing second in a three-way race for two at large positions on the Board. Leon Bell, a retired UWSP administrator, kept his County Board seat after running unopposed in the first ward.

In another race high school senior, William Grunewald, lost his race for the county board by only fifteen votes to the incumbent, Fabian Wysocki.

Palm Sunday Celebration

Newman Parish at the UWSP will conduct a special Palm Sunday Mass on April 11 involving dance, music and literature.

Students and faculty at UWSP will assist in the service which will be held at 6 p.m. in the Cloister Chapel on Maria Drive. It will be open to the public.

The music will be Mass in G Minor by Francis Poulenc and under the direction of William Madsen. Dramatic liturgy will be directed by Tony Schmitt and choreography of the dances by Susan Hughs and Lynn Anne Greene. Father Leo Krynski, Newman Parish pastor, will celebrate the mass.

Registration 1976-77 1st Semester

Registration for the first semester, 1976-77, will be held on Monday, May 3. Seniors and Juniors may pick up their registration materials in the Registration Office beginning Monday, April 19; sophomores on Tuesday; and freshman beginning Wednesday, April 21. Credits earned before the current semester (2nd sem.) determine senior, junior, etc. status. Students who wish should schedule an appointment with their adviser sometime between April 20-30, depending on when they are to pick up registration materials. Students will be permitted to pick up their packets only. It will be necessary to show student ID's when picking up packets.

Student Government News

Student government voted recognition to the following organizations: 1) Public Interest Group; 2) Non-traditional Student Organization 3) Danceaction.

This recognition entitles them to have voting status in the assembly. SPBAC allocated \$115 to Women in Education, and \$150 to the Students for Reopening the Investigation of the Assassination of J.F.K.

Resolution 40, dealing with the reorganization of Student Government, passed both the assembly and the senate, but a proposed amendment met opposition in the senate and was referred to a conference committee to resolve the differences.

Student government is expected to begin budget deliberations this Sunday. Anyone interested is welcome to attend.

Economics Assistantships

Two graduate assistantships are available in the UWSP school of home economics for 1976-77.

Majors in nutrition and food science, and home economics education are eligible to apply.

The stipend is \$2580 for the school year (9 months) with 17 hours of work required per week.

Applications are available from the school of home economics office, College of Professional Studies Building, Room 101. Selections will be made by May 1.



UAB FILM COMMITTEE

needs your help in determining next semester's movie series. Please check the pictures you would be interested in seeing and return this ballot to the boxes at the Campus Information Desk or the Student Manager's Office at Allen or Debot Center by Tuesday.

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Carter won't settle for peanuts

by Greg Marr

When Jimmy Carter's campaign rolled into Stevens Point last Monday he had the look of a winner about him. The whole affair took on an air of significance that was not as apparent when Morris Udall passed through.

For one thing, security for the front runner was much tighter, as the secret service made a thorough bomb check before hand as well as individual inspections at the door. The media heavy weights showed up in full force, cameras rolling, and bored heads nodding.

And then there was the candidate himself. No mad dash up the center aisle for the man from Georgia. Carter emerged quietly from an entrance off the side of the stage. With dignity he approached the stage with warm and respectful applause from this mixed crowd of the curious and the loyal.

To most Jimmy Carter is somewhat of an enigma. Not long ago he was virtually unknown; today his mention incurs rath in others and near orgasm in others. The media has presented him as a puzzling figure running the gamut from liberal to conservative. Mo Udall would have us believe that the outstanding quality Jimmy Carter does have is that of vagueness. To Carter's defense it can be said that he only appears vague because of the media's insistence of reducing everything to the lowest common denominator — that is, the complexity and detail of a Carter statement is lost in trying to whittle it down to the single sentence or two that Walter Cronkite can utter and have understood by his average viewer.

Ed Bradley, of CBS, news commented after Carter's talk here, saying that Carter is probably the most specific or one of the most specific of this year's pack of crazed contenders. Bradley may not offer the definitive word on Carter but at least he is someone who has seen and heard the candidate daily for a number of months. Specific or not, the main question remains — is Jimmy Carter what he says he is?

In his talk here Carter appeared as a sincere man speaking honestly and with conviction as he has been telling us for these many months. He is also a relatively businesslike and humorless individual. His emphasis is in answering questions in an effort to dispell once for and all the notion that he is vague and evasive. He will ask that a question be repeated if he does not offer a satisfactory answer, and he seems more than willing to talk the issues and state a position.

Carter looks like a winner because he is a winner. That he proved here with his narrow victory over Udall. Actually, Carter should have lost.

When Udall entered the state for some serious campaigning he was front runner. He had a broad base of party support and a good organization. The Wisconsin Democrats have been more liberal leaning than most democrats elsewhere — giving Udall that slight edge. Udall began to falter when Carter began making a serious effort here. Carter played it smart. Before he went to work here he had said that he believed Udall would win the state, thus



photo by Ron Thums

minimizing the effects of a loss. Udall, however, did not pick up on this, and he continued to run around telling everyone he had it in the bag. As Carter's people went to work on the state, Udall slipped behind in the polls and appears to have panicked. Meanwhile, Carter kept his cool and played the role of the front runner. Here is where Udall began to believe in Carter and not himself. Mo became scared and pulled out all stops and started attacking Carter and everything Carter said. He began to believe that Carter was number one. Had he just remained cool and been undaunted by Jimmy, he may have fared better.

The final blow to Udall came on the Monday before the primary. Four years has hardly been enough time to wipe the taste of McGovern's disasterous defeat from the mouths of party regulars and moderates. The last thing the undecided left-leaning moderates wanted to see on the news the night before the election was Udall and McGovern on the capital steps in Madison addressing the radicals and hippies. That's like Ford appearing arm in arm on the sand of San Clemente with Nixon. It is difficult to say how many votes that lost Udall, but it was probably enough to give the primary to Carter.

To add insult to injury, there was Mo on the tube Tuesday night telling everybody who cared to listen that he had won. He looked a little dazed and confused, as if some evil Carter tricksters had drugged him and filled his head with visions of sweet victory. He was grinning gleefully, glass eye wandering about aimlessly defying Walter Cronkite, who would not pick a winner, by saying the other networks had picked him and he, Mo Udall, had won. Later, like some kind of reincarnate Harry Truman back to haunt us, Jimmy Carter accepted the spoils of victory with an uncommon show of pleasure.

But that's all really too harsh. Udall is good man and a nice guy, and like his nice guy buddy, McGovern, Mo is destined to finish last. Despite his lust for the presidency, Udall does not have the cool and calculating shrewdness of Carter or the wild-eyed babbling frenzy of "The Hump." The almost necessary traits in to reach the ultimate orgasm of those hungry for power.

Udall still claims a victory of sorts in that he did succeed in slowing Carter in Wisconsin and in New York. That won't help Udall much, however. The only one that may ultimately benefit from this is Minnesota miscreant, Hubert Horatio. From the looks of things, there are enough candidates left to spread the delegates around enough so that no one will be sitting good come convention time. And the Hump is well aware of that.

You can see him sitting there on the sidelines, his palms sweaty, eyes glazed, squeaky voice rising, thinking, put me in coach please! Just give me one last chance. I gotta have it. please!

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Ham's plants eat burgers

by Bob Ham

My experience with plants began when I was a child in Detroit. We lived in a rough neighborhood and the dandelions in our backyard were really terrible—they were a sadistic bunch, always bullying the rest of the lawn.

When I moved to Wisconsin, I discovered that plants up here were much different. They were sweeter smelling, more colorful, and a large percentage of them were in favor of forced busing.

Despite this change of scenery, I never really had any close

associations with plants until I accepted an offer to take care of some for a friend who was going on an extended vacation in a state correctional facility. Because of this experience, my whole attitude changed. I became more and more interested in plants, finally taking a course in them, in which I learned the principles of plant taxonomy, soil nitrogen composition, and how to make a really cute watering can.

I guess the most unusual plant I've ever come across was a Martian Sagebrush. This plant is very well known for its bright violet

flowers, silky leaves, and fondness for Chopin.

Another exceptionally interesting plant is the Red Throat, which has a large puffy flower, with thousands of little red pods in it, many of which are looking for better housing.

There are some plants which are too dangerous to keep around. For instance, I once had a Venus Flytrap that was deadly. I tried to make it eat hamburger, but it rapidly developed more refined eating habits. It got so snappy during meals that I had to put it out

on the front porch. One day, after listlessly picking at its Prime Rib, it ate a passing Avon Lady, leaving nothing but her sample case and doorbell finger. When it began demanding baked Sturgeon and dry white wine, I got rid of it.

Of all the plants I've had, the corn plant that now decorates my room is my favorite. It really stands out among the other plants I've had, probably because it's always trying to shake hands when I water it. It is the only plant I have right now—all the others are visiting relatives in Turkey.



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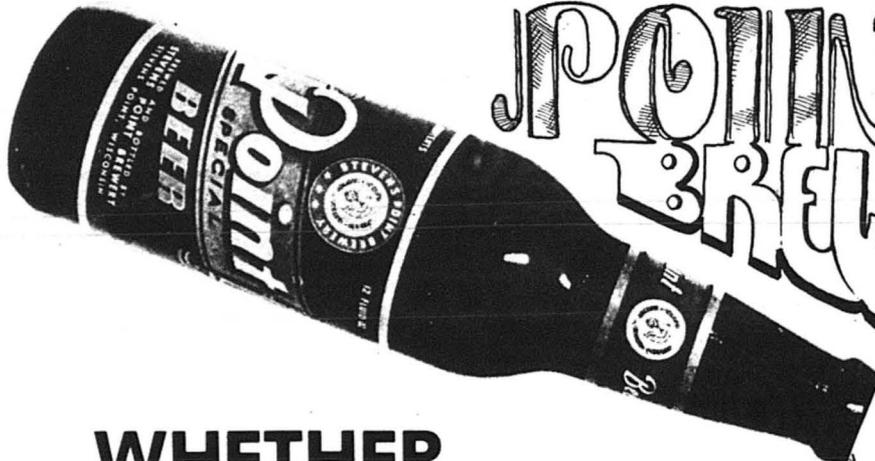
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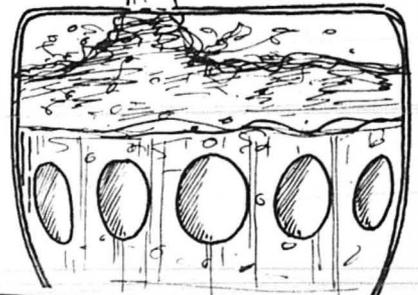
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Roach clipped from activities

by Mary Dowd

Mary Margaret Roach, a spirited Irish lassie, looked forward to a teaching career from the age of four. "May" believed, "Teaching is my little way to pay back my ancestors for the things they did so I could have so much freedom."

The family name, Roach, is a Norman French word meaning rock. It dates back to the invasion of William the Conqueror in Ireland. When famine struck Ireland, May's grandparents were forced to abandon the mother land. Grandfather Roach sold a flock of sheep to pay his passage to America. Although these sheep did not belong to him, May explained that he had paid for them a hundred times over, citing an old Irish axiom, "Do unto others as they have done unto you", as moral justification for his theft.

May accepted her first teaching job at the age of 17. With all her

belongings bound in a ball, she boarded a train for Bear Grass County. The train took her within

four miles of the school and she walked the rest of the way except for a short ride on a rickety lumber wagon.

Within two years of this, she was studying at the Stevens Point Normal School. Further study followed at the University of Minnesota and Chicago. Her specialties included English, Rural Economics, and School



Management.

May astounded colleagues with her inexhaustible energy supply.

For years, she served as Chairman of the Faculty, Acting Rural Director, and guest cheerleader at the football games.

She cited public speaking as her favorite hobby. May dazzled every type of audience imaginable with her witty, Irish anecdotes. Father and son banquets often featured May Roach as guest speaker.

Her only brother, Walter, remarked incredulously, "She told me one time she was going to speak to a Canner's Association in Chicago. So I asked her, what in heaven's name do you know about canning?"

"I don't know," May replied, "but I spoke to them last year and they asked me to come back again."

Charitable acts occupied much of her busy time. Hospital patients and shut-ins looked forward to her regular visits. She liked to bring along little gifts of cakes and cookies to cheer them up. She also delivered cakes and rolls to help the Benedictine nuns support St. Bede's Priory. Her niece referred to her as "my coffee-cake aunt."

Her endeavors in the church resulted in the receipt of the rare papal award, "Pro Ecclesia Et Pontifice." This special layman honor is conferred in very special cases to individuals who have demonstrated a deep interest in the workings of the church.

In 1954, the Jaycee's presented her with the Distinguished Citizen Award. Later, she was named Woman of the Year. The Mothers March of Dimes voted her chairman and May graciously accepted, "I'm not a mother and I am not married, but I will do everything I can to help those darling children."

Her work with Hansen and Schmeckle resulted in the new Conservation major and the development of the Natural Resource specialty. She was very sympathetic to all students who appeared to be trying and equally harsh with the lazy. One could be sure of getting the value of his tuition in May Roach's classes.

On the social front, May was a real "live wire." The fraternity boys elected her chapter

Sweetheart. In 1955, she was voted Homecoming Queen. One year later, May Roach Day was proclaimed on campus. An open house was held at Delzell. Guests contributed money to the establishment of a May Roach Scholarship fund.

May Roach night followed at the Business and Professional Club. This organization had been started in 1928 by May, herself. Irish jigs were played on the piano and green shamrock cake followed for dessert.

Retirement did not slow her down. In 1967, the Stevens Point Journal exclaimed, "But nothing has made her old and possibly nothing ever will. Eleven years after her retirement, she is in the midst of this new career of speaking, fund raising, and service for other persons."

The 1967 carnival was dedicated to May and proved the kind of event worthy of such a woman with its unique pipe smoking contest, Woodchopper's Ball, and a scheduled appearance by the Sandpipers.

On April 10, 1974, May Roach gave up the spirit. A broken hip had troubled her for some time and her health was gradually failing. The community mourned her passing. Eighty-eight years of service had brought her in contact with thousands of people. Today, many of us still possess fond memories of May Roach. Her contributions to the school, the church, and the community cannot be forgotten.

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What do you think of the parking situation?



Marge Erdman - Freshman

"I just think there's not enough parking for kids who don't live in dorms and don't have permits to park in the dorm lot. Most people have to park in streets off campus--side streets--and a lot of them have no parking on one side, so there's still not enough side streets close to campus to park on."



John O'Dell - Visitor

"I think it's horrible. Well, they charge way too much for what you're getting and you can go down the street to the Y and pay half as much for a parking lot. But I think the city should allow parking on the streets along here instead of catering to the university so they can fill up their lots."



Kurt Mueller - Junior

"It's really inefficient, I think. I have a car but I usually take the bus because it's just a hassle trying to find a place to park and I take the bus because of that."



Nick Schmall - Graduate Student

"I don't like the current parking situation for the following reasons. The street parking near campus--the time is too short and you have to keep running out and moving your car. The parking lot facilities are mainly for instructors and facilities for the students are too far away and the fines are too high."



Mary McComb - Senior

"I don't drive my car to school very much, but when I do it's always a hassle because I can't find a place to park. It seems that whenever I park someplace and neglect to put my money in right

away--even if I only park there for 16 minutes--I always get a ticket. They're really quick to ticket people. I've heard there has been trouble because they've ticketed guests. They've been ticketing people who don't know the regulations. And, I think they should have more on the street parking."



John Jury - Interim Director of Conference and Reservations.

"The parking problem comes from the situation that the campus grew in a different direction than it was supposed to in the master plan. It is definitely a problem. I don't know of a campus where it isn't a problem. Everywhere you go it's the Number 1 problem. Everyone wants to be 20 feet from where they work or where they go to classes. When we have visitors come it's a tremendous PR problem."



Bob Kellerman - Visitor - Alumnus

"It's always been horrendous, even when I went to school here. But I myself have no problem parking here now--I have a brother who lives down the street a little ways."



Keith Otis - Graduate Student

"I think the city's closing up too much parking around the school and the parking lots around the school aren't functionally useful to the student body because they're too far away."



John Aschenbrenner - Special Student

"I have to come at seven o'clock and my first class is at 9 if I wait until 8:30 to come I have to park three or four blocks away if I'm lucky."

photos and interviews by Jim Tenuta

Connie Hupalo - Sophomore

"I think they should have more parking space for the students and I don't think they should have bumper stickers. There's too many tickets and they're just trying to make money off of students."



Terry Glodowski, Junior

"I usually park at the YMCA which is ten dollars a semester which I don't think is too cheap and it's kind of far from campus. You can't find a place and I hate the parking meters because they don't show how much time they've got...I think it's really bad for a college campus to have a place that is ripping off students while students don't have enough money the way it is."



Kim Steffen - Senior

"We always find adequate parking—like around the dorms behind Allen Center. It's not costing us anything and it's not that far to walk. So it's really not a problem with us."

Blind meters termed a handicap

by Jim Tenuta

"I hate the meters because they don't show how much time they've got," said one student when asked about the campus parking situation.

This student is not alone in his dislike for the meters that visibly register the time for only a few minutes after the money is put in. According to Mike Barry, student member of the Parking Subcommittee and Fred Buehler, chairman of that committee, there have been a number of people voicing their displeasure with the blind meters located next to the University Center.

Al Kursevski of Protection and Security has stated he would just as soon see conventional meters in place of the blind meters because of the harassment his department receives.

This negative reaction to the blind meters has apparently prompted some discussion on the possibility of converting the meters so they show the time. According to Kursevski, two kits have been ordered which convert the blind meters to the conventional type. These two kits will be put on two spare meter heads to test the feasibility of making the change on all the meters. The cost of converting all the meters will be approximately \$1,200.

The question to be resolved by this test is whether the conversion will throw off the timing in the meter head. According to Alfred Torzewski, assistant to Dr. Coker, this experiment will bring out some facts to aid in the decision whether or not to convert the meters. The question is currently being reviewed by the Business Affairs Committee of the Faculty Senate. Another thing the committee will

have to consider is that blind parking meters have been ruled illegal on municipal property by the Department of Weights and Measures. However, no one seems to know why they have been ruled illegal. According to Torzewski the blind meters on this campus are legal because they are on state property. Torzewski said according to his information obtained from Weights and Measures, they have no authority to enforce that on the state.

Torzewski said the ruling to render blind meters illegal has caused nation-wide static because most municipalities who use them, find them positive. This static has raised some question whether the ruling will remain.

Mike Barry, student representative on the Parking Subcommittee says he would be in favor of the blind meters because he feels the advantages outweigh the disadvantages. Barry said they do generate more revenue which could result in lowering parking fees "in the long run." There is also a safety factor involved in eliminating parkers from driving around in the lots looking for meters with time on them, said Barry. Barry also pointed out an additional advantage that blind meters may have over the conventional type that show the time. With conventional type, a parking attendant can stand by a meter with only a few minutes showing and ticket the parker when the time runs out. According to Barry blind meters eliminate all that.

These are the things the Business Affairs Committee will have to consider. If they approve of converting the meters it will then go to the Faculty Senate and if they vote to convert it will finally end up in the Chancellor's office.

The great Point parking problem

by Jim Tenuta

Someone once said, "There is only one issue that arouses as many strong opinions and emotional feelings as abortion and that is the problem of parking a car." Whoever said that and I'm not sure, may have been overstating things a bit but it is true -- many people feel strongly about parking on this campus.

Many students, as indicated by the "Pointer Podium", generally dislike the situation. The consensus seems to be there isn't enough parking on campus or on the nearby city streets that is close enough to classrooms. The parking that is available costs too much and the students feel they're getting ripped off.

Those who run the parking facilities here on campus are aware of this feeling and are bewildered by it. Alfred Torzewski, Assistant to the Assistant Chancellor for University Services, thinks the ill will over parking results from a false sense of ownership.

"As a person working for the University I personally have got to understand that those parking lots aren't mine. Those parking lots belong to the state of Wisconsin and the Board of Regent's and all this institution does is sell me the right to park there just as though they were selling me a candy bar. That's really all my right is -- to use it because I pay some money. I can't understand people's attitude of ownership because they say they're paying for it. Well, if it was a private parking outfit you'd be paying for that private parking ramp too but you sure don't own it, all you're doing is paying for the right to park in a space. I think of some of the emotions that are aroused -- they feel as though they really own these -- they don't."

In light of this statement, this reporter went to the budget office to find out how much is being paid by parkers and just where this money goes.

The parking revenue comes from two sources: fees, which includes the sale of parking permits, and fines. In the '74-'75 school year the revenue from fees totaled approximately 33,440 dollars. Fines during that same year brought in 15,999 dollars. The total revenue for '74-'75 was approximately 69,300 dollars.

Since 1973 when the Governor ordered that all UW System's parking operations become self-sustaining, this revenue has had to pay for all operating expenses. Previous to that the taxpayers

picked up the tab.

If the revenue for parking seems like a lot of money it's not, compared to the operating expenses. In the '74-'75 school year operating expenses on this campus totaled approximately 87,000 dollars. According to the Budget Office operating expenses on this campus include: Personnel costs; Debt Service -- which covers payment for land and lot surfacing; such as parking meters and signs for the lots. Two additional expenses are for reserve funds which would pay for the debts on the land and future maintenance should the revenue somehow be cut off.

According to the Budget Office the balance of revenue from previous years allowed operating expenses to exceed revenue in the '74-'75 school year.

A few years back there were a number of city streets close to campus, such as Isadore and Franklin, that were closed off to parking. Al Kursevski, head of Protection and Security said, "We did gain financially on it because we

sold more decals but it wasn't because of our doing." According to Dr. Coker, Assistant Chancellor for University Services, the closing of the streets was done by the city for safety reasons. "That decision was made by the police and fire commission. We were accused of making the request or having a collaborative decision that was not the case at all -- to the best of my knowledge."

No one likes to get a parking ticket and according to Protection and Security figures the number of people unhappy about getting tickets has been rising lately. In 1973 there were 4,087 tickets issued, while in 1974 there were 6,151 tickets issued. And in 1975 the number rose to 8,816. Al Kursevski of Protection and Security attributed this rise to the installation of the meters, which has resulted in an increase in one dollar tickets.

When asked about the seemingly over efficient nature of the ticketing operation Kursevski said that the two people who patrol the lots "aren't lying in wait for somebody -- it may seem that way to the person getting the ticket."

Kursevski pointed out that Protection and Security merely enforces the regulations. "Contrary to popular belief Protection and Security has nothing to do with

establishing parking regulations, parking fees or the purchasing of meters. The only thing we have is the regulations sent on to us and they say here enforce this."

"An officer gets tired of going out and having people harass him because of parking, which he doesn't have anything to do with in the beginning except they tell him, here, this is your job," he added.

The regulations and procedures of parking originate in the office of

the Assistant Chancellor to University Services, in consultation with the Business Affairs Committee of the Faculty Senate. Currently the complete regulations and procedures are covered in a 16 page booklet available in the office of Protection and Security in the George Stein Building. One of the things covered in the booklet are violations, which have been recently reduced from 17 possible violations to eight. These eight are:

- 1) Failure to park with the decal exposed to the access lane or failure to obey University signs. FINE \$1.00
- 2) Expired meter. FINE \$1.00
- 3) Parking in other than assigned lot or limited zones. FINE \$2.50
- 4) Parking in "No Parking" or closed areas. FINE \$5.00
- 5) Parking on University facilities without a valid permit. FINE \$5.00
- 6) Reckless driving on all university property. FINE \$7.50
- 7) Forged or altered permit or decals. FINE \$7.50
- 8) The abuse of the car pool or second car option. FINE \$7.50

Once a ticket has been issued the person receiving it can pay the ticket or if he or she feels it has been issued unfairly he or she can appeal it. The appeals procedure consists of filing an appeal form provided by Protection and Security within ten days of the date of violation. The appeal will be reviewed by the appeals board on the basis of the

information provided on the form. The appeals board consists of a faculty representative, two staff representatives, a representative from the Faculty Business Affairs Committee, two student representatives and the Director of the Physical Plant. The initial decision of the appeals may also be contested by a personal appearance before the board. If the appellant is still not satisfied he may carry his appeal to the Chancellor.

Fred Buehler, chairman of the appeals board, estimates the board heard several hundred appeals last semester with a majority of them being denied. "If most people know about the appeals procedure they will appeal even if they don't have a leg to stand on," said Buehler. According to Protection and Security figures 1,048 appeals were made in 1973 and 579 were denied. Mike Barry, student representative on the appeals board, said, "Most people who appeal do so for 'very ridiculous reasons', and he added, "I do think the board is on the whole a fair body."

There are those who don't pay tickets and build up their fines. For students who do this the procedure is to withhold grades until the fines are paid. However, for at least two staff members at this university the procedure has been quite different.

According to Al Kursevski, two staff members with fines of \$45.05 and \$140.05, after having been notified that they could make a settlement on payment of their fines, were taken to small claims court for an initial hearing. Kursevski said a third staff member was to have been included but a court error delayed the proceedings on that case. Kursevski said the staff member with the fine of \$140.05 was in the process of settling. However, no settlement was made with the staff member with fines totaling \$55.05 and a court date has been set. "We're going to court and we don't know what the results are going to be. This is the first time around for us -- maybe we win, maybe we lose," said Kursevski.

There is no doubt animosity on this campus for the parking situation. Kursevski has been meeting with the Assistant to the Assistant Chancellor for University Services, Adolph Torzewski "specifically for one reason -- trying to alleviate the ill will we have on campus for parking."

The efforts at alleviating the ill will have been channeled into specific areas of change in the existing parking setup. One such change would be the addition of thirty minute meters in lots next to the Fine Arts Building, the University Center -- areas where people may only have a need to park for a few minutes. Kursevski said that thirty minute meters have been ordered for the University Center and will be installed on an experimental basis. He said if these work out the meters could be installed in those other areas. Kursevski also mentioned that more signs are needed with information telling visitors where they can obtain permits.

Loading zone signs are also a concern, said Kursevski. The ones we have presently are unclear because a person can park in a loading zone for 20 minutes with his flashers on. Kursevski also said the campus needs more loading zones.

Other possible areas for change, according to Kursevski, would be metering the area behind Gesell when construction is finished and open the lots a 5 pm instead of the present 7 pm.

The parking situation on this campus has been assessed by different people as not so bad to terrible. But most people agree some changes do need to be made, either in the parking regulations or attitudes surrounding parking. Some might even suggest both.

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"An officer gets tired of going out and having people harass him because of parking."

Al Kursevski

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"Before man, or dawn, before wind was stone was. The first movement of stone and the music of the rivers were one."

--Pablo Neruda

Here comes the Sun

by Steve Lybeck

Dave Kruschke designed, built, and lives in a house-greenhouse that uses solar energy as the main form of heating. The only other heat source in the house is a small woodburning stove that is used for additional heat during some winter nights.

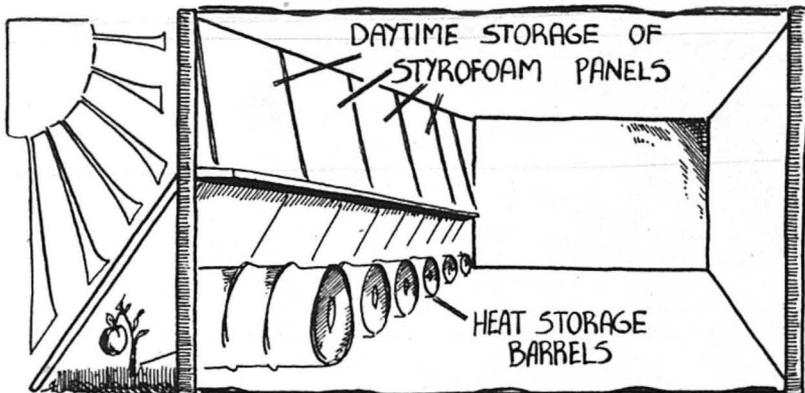
Tomatoes ripen in his living room in January. The sun provides enough energy to furnish half of the heating requirement for the Kruschke house. On sunny winter days the front door stands open. Dave's four and five year old sons run around barefooted in the house in February.

The layout and pole building structure of the house is simple. The 1000 square ft. home, with shed-type roof and concrete slab floor was economical to build. There is 660 square ft. of living area, 170 square ft. of earth area used for growing vegetables and 170 square ft. for heat storage drums.

The house has one large living area with partitioned playroom, bedroom and bathroom. A kitchenette is in one corner of the large living area.

The south side of the house has a 300 sq. ft. solar collector. Twenty one black 55 gallon drums filled with water store heat. During the night when temperatures drop, heat is radiated from the barrels. Daytime temperatures are controlled by venting off excess heat through the door.

The house is insulated with 6" of fiberglass in the ceiling and walls with 4" of styrofoam buried around. After sunset, 2" thick styrofoam panels are placed over the collecting surface from inside, to reduce night time heat loss.



The collecting area is made of one and a quarter by one and three-eighths inch wooden struts covered with a layer of 4 mil. polyethylene stapled to each side of the strut. The struts are placed on 16" centers and are tilted to an angle of 60 degrees from the horizontal. (This angle makes the collector perpendicular to the sun's rays at noon in January in Wild Rose, Wisconsin.)

Daytime temperatures in the house on sunny or semi-cloudy days range from 60 to 85 degrees F depending on how much heat is vented out. Some heat energy is collected even on extremely cloudy days. When the sun sets, temperatures drop rapidly from 80 to 70 degrees. A much slower temperature drop occurs between 70 and 60 degrees. The house would remain at close to 60 degrees throughout most winter nights

without additional heat from the wood stove.

Dave was away from home part of one sub-zero January night. The styrofoam panels were not put in position at sundown, and there was no fire in the wood stove. When Dave returned at 12:30 AM the house was 55 degrees.

In summer heat is vented out as quickly as it is taken in. Dave removes 10 feet of the polyethylene and replaces it with mosquito netting for additional air flow. The barrels are removed from the house.

The barrels keep the house 12 degrees cooler in daytime due to their energy absorbing qualities. However, heat radiated from the barrels at night would be too uncomfortable in summer.

Materials and labor for the house cost \$6,000 excluding septic system

and well.

The heating principles involved in the house can easily be applied to a greenhouse addition or another style of house. Dave's house is an example of an almost maintenance free heating system. Polyethylene is changed once a year and barrels are removed for summer. There are no fan belts to replace or furnace filters to change. No clanking or hissing radiators and no fuel oil odors.

Dave says his project has significance in offering a solution to something that can be done right now in terms of substituting for fossil fuels and working toward better utilization of the sun's energy.

More information and plans can be obtained by contacting: David Kruschke, Rt. 2, Box 34A, Wild Rose, WI 54984.

Grimm wilderness experience

by Joe Weigand

On Monday and Tuesday of this last week, Gary Grimm, Outdoor Wilderness Program Director for the University of Oregon at Eugene, conducted several slide shows and presentations to classes and to whomever else was interested. The program dealt with environmental education and wilderness experiences.

Grimm, a part-time wilderness experience coordinator, is very much in tune with the environment and wilderness that surrounds him at the University. He is especially concerned with the problems arising from the new found freedoms in our last remaining wilderness environments. These problems are the age-old ones—pollution of lands and waters, destruction of fragile ecosystems, and litter. However, he is not really concerned with the traditionalists who don't give a damn about the environment, but with those of us who consider ourselves "environmentalists".

He is a strong advocate of en-

vironmental education as witnessed by his interest in programs designed specifically for those who care about participating in a wilderness experience. These experiences range from climbing Mount McKinley to rafting down the Lower Salomon River. The slide presentation which this writer saw dealt with the latter.

There were three criteria presented in which we, as users of wild whitewater rivers are to bear in mind if we are to preserve a true wilderness ethic. According to Grimm, a true wilderness ethic is one where there is a maximum experience with a minimum of impact on the environment. First, trips should always be pre-planned. This means rivers and land to be traveled should be studied and analyzed. Proper agencies should be notified of the excursion and safety procedures and rescue plans formulated. The right amount of camping gear and food should be on

hand so that there is a minimum of both.

Secondly, keeping and restoring of natural areas to their original state of beauty is of vital importance if we are to keep the wilderness truly something to enjoy and experience. An example in the slide show depicted how a campsite could be taken care of and cleaned so that there was no trace of the humans that had so recently dwelled in that area, except for their footprints. Finally, citizen involvement is a necessity in order to gain any kind of headway in meaningful environmental projects.

It is vital that groups such as Grimm and others have been put together to try and solve some of the problems caused by "our own type of people," for government has shown an indifference that can only be matched by our own ignorance and apathy towards a vanishing legacy.

If anyone is interested in these wilderness programs, they should contact Recreational Services, who in turn will provide you with the necessary information.

Portage County Community Garden Project

Like to do some gardening this year, but you can't locate some available ground? The Portage County Community Garden might be just what you're looking for.

After a very successful year last year, the garden project is again offering 20-60 foot plots for a seasonal \$20 rental fee. This \$20 fee will purchase a plot that has been manured, plowed and disked—plus irrigated throughout the summer. Gardeners are then on their own as far as plantings, weeding and harvesting.

The gardens are located in Whiting, about 3 blocks south of Mc Dill Pond and a block east of Highway 51. Plots should be worked up and available for planting around the first of May.

To rent a plot, or for more information contact Mike Salmon, phone 341-0974 after 4 on weekdays. Give it a try, you can't beat the taste of fresh vegetables from your own garden.

LAND vs SAFE

by Paul Scott

When the Pointer decided to devote a special issue to the Nuclear Power controversy it was thought the issue would generate a number of "Letters to the Editor," especially from the local utility.

The Utilities are well represented whenever there is a public meeting. They spend considerable sums of money to bring witnesses from as far away as Massachusetts and Arizona to testify.

To date the Pointer has not received any response to our nuclear coverage from any nuclear proponent. Apparently the Utilities hope by ignoring the Pointer, students will not take the time to look into the issues we raised on nuclear power.

But the opposition to nuclear power will not let the issues die. Our news article upon the arguments in favor of nuclear power brought a detailed and exhaustively researched response from the League Against Nuclear Dangers (LAND), which is a group of concerned citizens in Central Wisconsin opposing the construction of nuclear power plants and Utility rate increases.

LAND does not agree with the spokesperson for a pro-nuclear organization that told the Pointer that area industry would be foolish to expand plant capacity in Central Wisconsin if we do not build nuclear power plants in the State.

Citing evidence from the Public Service Commission, LAND states that "the 1975 Reserve Margin over peak use of electricity ran 50.5 percent" for Wisconsin Public Service Corporation. This means that the Utilities could produce considerably more electricity with their present plant capacity for the area.

Proponents of Nuclear Power indicated that although they support energy conservation, they do not believe the American people will conserve energy. This means

that energy consumption will increase and there will be a need for more coal and nuclear plants.

Because of rising utility rates and other factors LAND feels that the need for future energy will be significantly reduced. Also LAND questions if uranium is a long-term source of energy. "Some people think the world will run out of uranium before it runs out of oil," claims LAND.

Nuclear power is a long term source of fuel if the breeder reactor is developed. The breeder would use uranium as a fuel and produce a byproduct called plutonium, which can also be used as reactor fuel.

LAND questions the desirability of the breeder because of widespread opposition within the scientific community and the public to the use of plutonium as reactor fuel and because of numerous health, safety and economic considerations.

SAFE, a pro-nuclear organization declined to accept an offer from LAND to a public debate of the issue. SAFE told the Pointer that a debate would not accomplish anything, because the decision is up to the State Legislature.

"One of the principles we stand upon is the nuclear power issue should be taken to the people," said a spokesperson for LAND. In California there will be an initiative on the June Ballot letting the people decide if they want nuclear power.

The nuclear power industry is spending between \$5 and \$6 million to influence the vote in California. LAND objects to this type of lobbying since the Utilities "pass their expenses back to the consumer in the form of rate increases."

The Pointer quoted a proponent of nuclear power saying that "I have no axe to grind with anyone," adding that his concern was that we should provide future generations with adequate energy to meet their needs.

LAND said they agree with this position, but would add several

things to it. First, LAND objects to wasting energy and second, feels that we should not jeopardize the health and safety of the people by using unsafe methods of generating energy.

Steel Plants Exempted

Eight steel plants in Ohio's Mahoning Valley have been exempted from the new water pollution control guidelines which US Environmental Protection Agency Administrator Russell Train signed on March 15. Because the old, open-hearth Mahoning facilities would be costly to clean up, three yet unreleased EPA economic analysis concluded that their owners might shut them down rather than clean them up, causing widespread unemployment in this area. This exemption will save these plants \$30-60 million, and permit them to continue dumping wastes which drive the temperature of the Mahoning River over 90 degrees. The guidelines will require the rest of the industry to reduce oil and grease discharges by 99.8 per cent and suspended solids by 99.5 per cent by 1983.

Consumer Fraud in Baby Food

The State of New York's Consumer Fraud investigator has issued a formal complaint against the manufacturers of Beachnut baby foods.

The complaint alleges that Beechnut used scare tactics and perversion in a campaign to label homemade baby food as unsafe.

Many people are avoiding the high cost of commercial baby food by preparing their own from carrots, spinach and beets.

The Consumer Affairs agency labeled Beechnut's advertising as "an obvious attempt to use medical mumbo-jumbo to scare mothers away from a safe and economical alternative".

The 3 B's Hold Convention

The district convention of the Beta Beta Beta Biological Honor Society will be held in CNR 112 starting at 10 am. Undergraduate research papers will be presented in the morning with a banquet at 12:30 in the Wright Lounge. The afternoon program will feature Dr. David A. Zarling of the McArdle Laboratory for Cancer Research. He will speak on "Viral RNA Mutations and Their Significance in Cancer Research," at 2:30 pm in CNR 112. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Environmental Council Organizational Meeting

The UWSP Environmental Council will hold an organizational meeting for the 1976-77 academic year. Nominations for all offices will be accepted. If you are interested in the Council's activities this is your opportunity to become involved. The meeting will be held at 7pm in the Communications Room of the University Center on Tuesday, April 13. The Council needs input.

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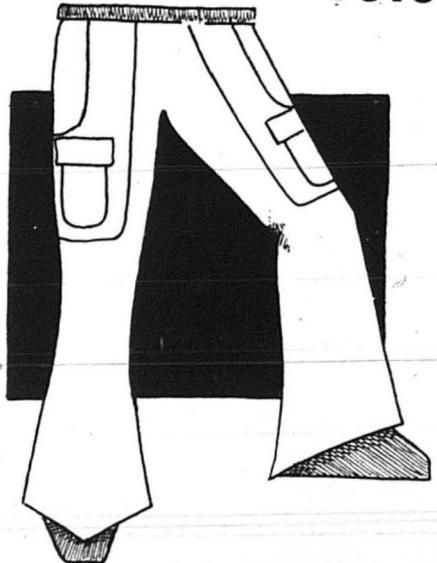
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Superpickers attend Packer meeting

by Marc Vollrath

Three UWSP graduates recently attended the Packer Report's first conference-banquet which was held at the Ramada Inn in Green Bay. The purpose of the event was to honor the three-year existence of the publication and to report on last year's success. The Packer Report management and contributing writers also discussed future plans with representatives of the Green Bay Packers.

The UWSP graduates, Tim Sullivan, Mike Habernam, and Clarke Pinzir, will be entering their fourth year of writing for the 25-issue per year newspaper covering Green Bay Packer news. Together with fourth UWSP graduate, Randy Wievel, the three local men predict pro football games in the "Superpicker" column and attempt to baffle subscribers with their "Superquizzer" football trivia column.

The Pointer has carried the "Superpicker" column for the past four years, and the writers were asked if any highlights transpired during the conference. Haberman replied, "Well, we couldn't resist trying to stump everybody on football trivia questions but, more often than not, we ended up being the stumpees. My best question (Which Oakland Raider caught two touchdown passes against the Pack in the second Super Bowl?) had a few of those people befuddled, but Chuck Lane, Green Bay's Public REELATIONS Director, completely stified me by not only correctly identifying Bill Miller but also telling us Miller's hometown, college, career number of catches, and everything else he knew about the guy."

Pinzir added, "The toughest guy, we ran against all night was Bob Long, the ex-Packer and Washington Redskin flanker. We were murdering him on old pro baseball and basketball questions, so he turned around and started



Superpickers Plot Strategy with the Pack. Front Row: left to right - Superpickers Clarke Pinzir, Tim Sullivan, and Mike Habernam. Back Row: left to right - Rich Royle, president of Royle Publishing Co., Inc.; Jon Echternacht, Packer Report managing editor; Chuck Lane, Packer Public Relations Director; Bob Long, ex-Packer and Washington Redskin flanker; and Ray Nitschke.

picking us apart with football trivia. He asked us to name four receivers from the same team who finished in the top ten in receptions for one year and we couldn't even come up with a good bluff. Turned out the names were Charley Taylor, Jerry Smith, Charlie Harraway, and Bob Long himself. They all finished in the top ten in 1969. Long said he thought that one was easy."

Following a presentation of Point Beer T-shirts to the Packer representatives, the Superpickers awarded Packer yearbook Editor

Art Daley a brand new egg carton filled with golf balls. Daley was overjoyed as he said, "This is the first time in my life that I ever received a dozen golf balls shaped like footballs. You guys find them in a pond or something?" Pinzir admitted that Daley quite possibly could've been correct.

After the meeting, the Superpickers and Packer people repaired to the Inn's lounge for some refreshments. Haberman stunned the crowd by showing up in a Redskin's jersey, while Pinzir was

equally alarming attired in his Los Angeles Rams outfit. John Echternacht, Packer Report's managing editor, mumbled, "Geez, what would you guys do at a Steeler convention - show up looking like Raiders and Bengals?"

As the event drew to a close, Sullivan offered to bet Chuck Lane a case of Point that the Packers don't win more than seven games next year. Lane replied, "I'd sure be willing to take that wager, but don't let Pete Rozelle hear about it."



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SPORTS SHORTS

WOMEN'S TRACK: The team participated in a meet at Oshkosh on March 24 and came away with a victory over four other teams. The teams that participated in order of score were UWSP, 155; Oshkosh, 127; Milwaukee, 108; Whitewater, 49; and Parkside, 20. Anne Okonek, a freshman from Stevens Point, qualified for the nationals in the Shotput and Jill Larkee had her best time in the 600 yard run with a time of 1:34.7. Sixty-two percent of the team has qualified for state which is due to much depth on the team. The next meet will be April 10 beginning at 11 am at UWSP. The event will be the Sue Coleman Invitational with such teams as Milwaukee, Parkside, Oshkosh, and La Crosse. La Crosse is the only team to defeat the Pointers this year and that was by about 30 points.

INTRAMURALS: Basketball playoffs have begun and the three favored teams are the X-Railroaders, Villiage Idiots, and the X-Pointers. There are a total of 16 teams in the playoffs and competition should be good. Softball will begin Monday so pick up your schedule that day and see who you play. There are a large amount of teams so elimination will be on a single elimination basis.

BASEBALL: The UWSP Pointers traveled to Winona on April 6 and split a doubleheader, losing the first game 8-6 and winning the second 2-1. "We showed good execution in our games but our pitching was not quite as good as it should have been," said Coach Ron Steiner. The problems of base on balls was the key problem as too many runs were scored in the first game. "We had no errors in the first game but the base on balls hurt us," said Steiner. The team has shown steady improvement in the hitting and defensive departments and better things are expected from them. John Bandow, who returned after knee surgery, was a pleasant surprise as he collected five hits in the two games and his brother Nick also got into the act by hitting a homerun and collecting two hits. The Pointers next outing will be against Whitewater April 9 at home and is a scheduled doubleheader. Following that the Pointers travel to Oshkosh on April 10 for another doubleheader. Then on April 14 the Pointers host a real good UW-Madison team so be sure to get out and see some very good baseball.

Pointers losing Woita

by John Rondy

Paul Woita is the only player the UWSP basketball team will be losing through graduation. The Pointers posted a disappointing 10-16 won-loss record, but looked especially good in winning their last two games against Whitewater and Oshkosh.

Woita played his high school basketball in Rhinelander, landing all-conference and 3rd team all-state honors in his senior year. From there, he decided to go to basketball powerhouse Eau Claire. He transferred here for his junior year, citing personal reasons for making the change.

After gaining all-conference honorable mention in his first year here, the 6-3 guard was selected as team captain for the 75-76 season. Coach Jerry Gotham called Woita "a real class guy and a true competitor" after the Pointers had soundly whipped Oshkosh in their final game.

Woita, who is an excellent outside

shooter and good defensive player, said, "I felt I was in better shape this season, and also, we played better as a team."

He felt the Pointer's best games were the early season rout of Superior, the final offensive binge against Oshkosh, and the heart-breaking loss to Eau Claire in the closing minutes. All three were home games.

Woita always played well against his old team, keeping the Pointers in the game with his heady play. When he fouled out against Eau Claire (here) with two minutes left in the game, the Pointers collapsed and blew the game.

"I guess our big weakness was that we lacked intensity. All your good teams, Indiana for example, have an intense style of play," observed Woita.

Commenting on the Pointer's resurgence at the end of the season, Woita said, "Van Der Geest (Dave) made the difference toward the end.

He could be the best big man in the league if he works on it this summer." After sitting out a few games because of eligibility problems, the 6'9" sophomore from Merrill came on strong to help the Pointers notch double figures in the wins column. Van Der Geest was chosen WSUC player of the week on the strength of his 37 point performance against River Falls.

With only Woita departing, the Pointers will return a strong lineup next season. 6'7" Mike McDaniel should be the best rebounder in the conference. He was hindered last week by having to play center when Van Der Geest was out. Explosive Bob Repka will return at guard, after starting as a freshman.

Woita said of Repka, "He's got the potential to really be outstanding." 6'6" Chuck Ruys should be back after sitting out the season with a bad knee. There figures to be tough competition at the forward spot. Besides McDaniel, 6'4" Bob

Omelina, 6'3" (all-conference honorable mention) Lloyd Thornton, and scrappy 6'5" Steve Menzel will battle for starting berths. 6'7" transfer forward Scott Ward will also be in the running for a starting position.

Looking back on the season as a whole, Woita summarized, "Of course you want to be a winner in athletics, but we did have a good time on the season. Everyone got along well."

He felt the lack of attendance and crowd support hurt the team. "You can't really expect people to come out and watch unless you have a winner, but it is nice to have support," said Woita.

As far as his future plans go, Paul is looking for a job in the business management field. He is graduating with a major in Economics. If he can't find employment, it's likely that he will go to graduate school in Flagstaff, Arizona next fall.

doubleheader split

The Pointer baseball team split a doubleheader Tuesday at Winona State, losing 8-6 and winning 2-1.

The Pointer's displayed spectacular defense along with a good offensive attack, led by Johnny Bandow's five hits.

Winona showed their 11-3 record is for real as they tied the Pointers with four runs in their half of the first inning. Starter Randy Newby walked the bases loaded and yielded a pair of hits.

Point regained their lead 6-4 in

the fourth inning as centerfielder Nick Bandow homered.

Winona pulled ahead for good in the fifth inning when they greeted freshman reliever Frank Stockhus with four runs. Stockhus walked three batters and gave up two hits before Brad Ryan came in to shut the opponents off for the remainder of the game.

Southpaw Jim Goesch stole the show in game two as the Pointers bounced back for a 2-1 victory. Goesch shut Winona out for the first

three innings allowing only one runner to reach base, on a single.

Point picked up the only runs they needed in the first inning. John Bandow scored on a single by Reid Nelson and Dan Hauser scored on an error.

Winona Coach Gary Grob was impressed with a good Pointer team as they battled Winona's top four pitchers to a standoff.



GOLF: Golf pros Hale Irwin, Johnny Miller and 50 spectators were killed yesterday in an explosion at the Andy Warhol Urban Classic in Palm Springs, California.

As Irwin connected with his tee shot on the 10th hole, there was a violent explosion, scattering for miles. A mangled golf club reportedly landed on Richard Nixon's lawn in nearby San Clemente. A group identifying themselves as the George Leopold Coalition (GLC) for reopening the Kennedy investigation took credit for the explosion.

BASKETBALL: On the homefront Pointer editor, Albert Stanek was named head coach and athletic director at UWSP. Stanek reportedly told his friends at the Pointer, "I told you douchebags I'd get a job." Everyone but Stanek was surprised by his appointment.

SOFTBALL: Elwin Stachowiak was named manager of Sonya & Ronnie's softball team, Monday. Stachowiak, who is known for his greaseball, succeeds late manager Freddy Felashio, who apparently died when his esophagus disintegrated because of alcohol abuse. In honor of Freddy, Sonya & Ronnie's is serving nickel beers for the rest of the week.

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During the 1974-75 season, the Western Wind sang at the Ives Centennial in Connecticut, for the Renaissance and Baroque Society of Pittsburgh, in Richmond, and at Columbia University and Bryn Mawr College. In past seasons, the Western Wind has sung for the Renaissance Society of America, the New Jersey Shakespeare Festival, three times at the Cloisters of the Metropolitan Museum at New Hampshire's St. Gauden's Memorial, and at many colleges and universities. The sextet has also presented its own series of concerts at several concert halls in New York.

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Their first record, "Early American Vocal Music" won Stereo Review's Best of the Month Selection and was nominated for a Grammy Award.

With the approach of America's Bicentennial celebrations, more and more thoughts are being turned to our musical past and how to rediscover it. The Western Wind is probably the most enjoyable and historically accurate way to do so. As Stereo Review explains: "It is ironic, standing as we do so close to our two-hundredth birthday as a nation, that the fine relics of the

American musical heritage displayed in their programs still require an introduction, but they do.

Though they have not yet found enough champions to win them their well-deserved place in the national consciousness, their music is a splendid opportunity to give them a chance."

Igor Kipnis awarded the Western Wind Stereo Review's Best of the Month Selection. "The Western Wind does a superb job with their material, realizing the varied effects and dramatically pacing the sections with enormous skill. The voices are beautifully modulated and blended, the characterizations neatly pointed. Don't miss it." Opera News called it a "virtuoso achievement" and the New York Times wrote after a live performance "delightful...a first rate job in communicating."

Western Wind also offers lecture-demonstrations including "The Western Wind, a Survey of European Vocal Music from 1300 to 1650." This program, through informal lecture demonstrations in a workshop atmosphere, combines commentary on the theoretical and historical foundation of each work with discussions of the life style and intellectual modes contemporary to the individual composers.

Each member of the Western Wind has been involved in teaching and performance at early music workshops throughout the country, including Windham College Collegium in Early Music, the Music Teachers Performing Institute at the University of Oregon, the Columbia Collegium Musicum, the Brooklyn College Collegium Musicum, the Manhattan School of Music, and the City College Collegium Musicum.

The name of the sextet comes from a famous, anonymous three verse medieval poem—"The Western Wynde"—which became a popular folksong and was often used in masses, including the mass of the same name by John Taverner and by Stravinsky in his Cantata on old English texts.

The members of the Western Wind are Janet Steele and Janet Sullivan, sopranos; William Zukof, countertenor; Lawrence Bennett and William Lyon Lee, tenors; Elliot Levine, baritone; and Steven Urkowitz, dramatic supervisor.

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Lutheran Student Community-Peace Campus Center-Lutheran Art Simmons. Campus pastor. Sunday, 9:30 am. Worship service with Eucharist at Peace Campus Center.

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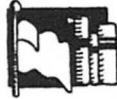
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Questions and Answers

Q -- I served in the Army for 24 months. How many months of educational eligibility am I entitled to receive?

A -- Eligible veterans with at least 18 months of honorable, continuous active duty after January 31, 1955 are entitled to 36 months of educational assistance. Veterans having less active duty than 18 months are eligible for one and one-half or eligibility for each month of active duty.

Q -- Can an eligible veteran obtain a GI loan to purchase a unit in a condominium?

A -- Yes, provided the unit is located in a project approved by the Veterans Administration.

Q -- I was married to a Korean Conflict for six months before he died. Am I eligible for a pension from the Veterans Administration?

A -- To qualify for a VA death pension, the widow must have been married for a minimum of a year unless a child was born of that marriage. The minimum requirement applies to veterans of all wars except the Vietnam era. The one-year limitation will become effective for widows of Vietnam-era veterans who marry after May 7, 1985.

Q -- What is the interest rate on Veterans Administration guaranteed loans?

A -- The maximum interest rate on GI loans varies from time to time pursuant to changes in laws and VA regulations and the economy. However, once a loan is made, the interest rate set forth in a note remains the same for the life of the loan. As of March 1 the interest rate on VA insured loans is 8.75 per cent.

Q -- My brother is a World War II veteran who can hardly sign his name on his pension check. What should I do?

A -- The veteran may use an "X" for signature. Write his name below the "X" and have two persons sign as witnesses.

Q -- Is it true that I can have the premium on my GI term insurance policy waived when the amount I paid in exceeds the face value of the policy?

A -- Waivers of premiums are granted only to policyholders who prior to age 65 become permanently and totally disabled for a period of at least six months.



Veterans who are attending the UWSP this current semester, which ends May 15, 1976, may be eligible for continuous payment, if they plan on attending the summer session 76, at UWSP.

Continuous payment means that you can get paid for the break periods between spring semester and summer session, subject to the following conditions:

1. There cannot be more than one calendar month between the break periods. (e.g. School ends May 15, 1976 and the 2nd DNR summer camp session starts July 12, 1976. Because the full calendar month of June falls in the break period the VA will not authorize continuous payment during the break period, unless a student took courses or credits in the month of June.)

2. You must be a student on half-time or more at the time spring semester ends.

3. You must enroll for summer session on a half-time or more basis. (See the Summer Session timetable in the Registration Office, which indicates what is half-time, 3/4 time, and full-time, for the Summer Session.)

4. Complete the Veterans Registration card at the Registration Office, at the time you register for summer school, and check YES for continuous payment.

5. VA will not authorize continuous payment if the veteran changes schools, changes his program, or discontinues his training.



Detours around Armageddon

The only way to go

by Al Stanek

There's a simple and enjoyable alternative to the consumption of fossil fuels. That alternative is biking.

The simplicity and enjoyability of this alternative are in danger however because of the insane habits of some drivers and the absence of safe biking trails locally.

Last July a friend of mine was nearly killed on Hiway 66 just East of town. He was struck by a driver who had been drinking and left him lying along the road to die. Luckily

he was discovered. After a couple of months in a complete body cast he recovered almost totally. That same month at least two other car-bike mishaps occurred on the same road.

In August I wrote to every state and national legislator and bureaucrat I could think of. I got two replies.

One of the replies was from Stevens Point State Senator William Bablitch. Bablitch told me that there is money available for

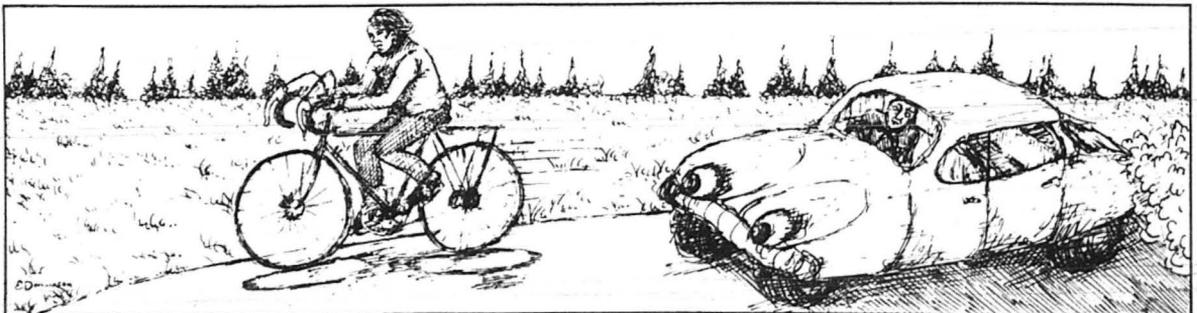
the construction or renovation of areas designated as bike trails. That's what I want to talk about right now.

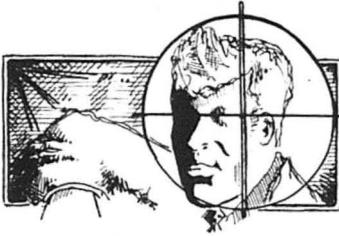
The environmental council and Pointer are trying to get together a group of people sympathetic to the plight of the local biker. The group would put together a proposal for improved biking trails and present it to the City Council and County Board for consideration. With a big enough turn-out we could probably convince these bodies to construct (or improve) biking trails so that all

of us could get nearly anywhere in the county safely and without hassles from macho piston brains.

If you're interested in helping out on this project call Bob Wiza at the environmental council (2055) or call the Pointer office (2249). We'll be having an organizational meeting before the end of the month. Watch for the ads in this paper.

Portage County has a lot to offer. It could be available to all of us on a safe and sane basis with only a few minor alterations in transportation routes.





Crime of the century

by George Leopold

The Warren Report is false, and a proven conspiracy if it can be shown that the bullet which struck President Kennedy at the "base of the neck" exited at an upward angle - i.e. - exited at a point above the base of the neck on the front side.

The theory put forth by the Warren Commission necessitates a downward angle to all bullets fired because they originated from a sixth floor window above and behind the president.

Several types of evidence, namely the president's clothing and the testimony of the physicians and nurses who attended the president at Parkland Hospital in Dallas, totally destroy the lone-gunman theory and the Single Bullet Theory that all the non-fatal wounds to the president and Gov. John Connally were caused by the one bullet. If this can be shown to be false, the only possibility is a conspiracy.

The collar of the president's shirt shows two slits near the button on either side. The Warren Report states that these slits were made by a bullet. Yet, why would a bullet traveling at 2000 feet per second leave vertically-elongated slits? Would it not be safe to assume that this bullet (our old friend C.E. 399) would make a circular hole upon exiting? Furthermore, why didn't this bullet leave behind any copper tracings around these slits, for there is no copper to be found anywhere near them!

The sworn testimony of Dr. James Charles Carrico, the first physician to attend the president, further destroys the idea that these holes were made by a bullet. Commission member Allen Dulles asked Carrico to locate this throat wound.

"Will you show us about where it was?"

Carrico responded by indicating, "This was a small wound here."



Dulles: "I see, and you put your hand right above where your tie is." (3H 361-2)

This testimony proves that the slits seen in photographs taken of the collar (FBI exhibit 60) were not caused by any bullet. So where did they come from?

When the president was wheeled in Trauma Room One at Parkland, the first action was to attempt to revive his breathing. In the doctor's haste to perform this tracheotomy (surgically opening a free air passage through the trachea), the president's tie was cut off and the collar opened with a scalpel. Dr. Carrico's testimony bears this fact out. These slits were not caused by any bullet, but rather by a scalpel! The Warren Commission had knowledge of this evidence, but distorted it to make it appear that the wound was lower, thus orienting it with the wound at the base of the neck and attempting to eliminate the possibility of an impossible upward flightpath.

Open lying and deceit in the investigation of the murder of an American president!

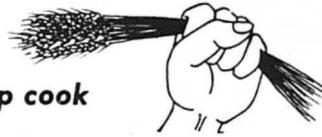
Ah, but this is only part of the story concerning the throat wound. Not only did Dr. Carrico locate the wound at the "Adams Apple", but he also stated that this wound had all the characteristics of an entrance wound, i.e. - small and neat. Another physician involved in the president's treatment, Dr. Malcolm Perry, also assessed this wound as one of entrance.

And finally the sworn testimony of the first medical person to see the president, Nurse Margarat M. Henchcliffe. She stated that it appeared to be "an entrance bullet hole." (6H141) Nurse Henchcliffe had been working in the emergency room at Parkland for eight of her twelve years there and had had enough experience with gunshot wounds to know the difference between an entrance or exit wound. All of these accounts come from the few medical persons who saw the front throat wound before it was obliterated by the tracheotomy. All agreed that it was a wound of entrance. How does the Warren Commission reconcile these facts when their gunman was located behind the president?

They didn't. They merely ignored it!

From this body of facts, taken directly from the supplementary volumes of the Warren Report, two conclusions can be drawn. First, if a bullet did pass through the president's neck, it would have to have done so at an impossible upward angle. Also, a bullet traveling at this angle would have missed Gov. John Connally. If the wounds to the governor were not caused by the same bullet that resulted in the president's non-fatal injuries--good-bye Single Bullet Theory. Secondly, there is reliable medical testimony to prove that the throat wound was one of entrance. Both, taken together or separately, are proof of a conspiracy.

The reader may be wondering about the citations which appear after some quotes used here. These are the volume and page numbers on which they appear in the supporting volumes of hearings and exhibits to the Warren Report. An example: 6H141 is Volume Six of the hearings, page 141. Citings such as these are often found in much of the literature written about the Kennedy assassination.



Co-op cook

Recipes for good health

by Carrie Wolvin

Did you ever notice that there is something very wholesome about rolled grains, not only nutritionally but emotionally? Maybe it's all the oatmeal our grandmothers made us eat, or maybe it's because there is just something intrinsically well organized about a 3 X 5 card. They are the holy cards of the efficient, and at time the officious. If you have any 3 X 5's left from your own last bout of the "I've got to get organized" you may want to use them for this mix-your-own-mix and it's variations.

ANY ROLLED GRAIN WILL DO - MIX

4 cups flour (up to 1/2 soy flour)
4 cups rolled grain of choice, or a mixture
1 1/2 cups dry nonfat milk
1/4 cup double-acting baking powder
1 Tbls. salt
1 1/2 cups solid vegetable shortening

Mix everything in a bowl, very well, cutting in shortening to fine texture. Store in airtight container in cool place. Makes 10 cups.

MUFFINS

2 1/4 cups ARGWD mix
1/4 cup raisins, if you have them
2 Tbls. sugar
Two thirds cup water (if you don't have water, call the Tenants Union)
1 egg, forked around a little

Put everything in a bowl and stir only until evenly mixed. Spoon into 12 greased muffin cups and bake at 400 degrees about 20 minutes.

PANCAKES, YET

1 1/2 cups Mix
1 cup water
1 egg

Stir and burn as usual.

ALSO COOKIES

2 1/2 cups mix
1/4 cup sugar
One third cup raisins
1/4 cup water
1 egg, beaten
1 tsp each vanilla & cinnamon

Mix and drop by the teaspoon full on greased cookie sheet and bake at 350 degrees 12-15 minutes. Makes about 2 dozen, depending on the size of the spoon.

One more intrinsically nice thing is the ELLIS STREET CO-OP, 1916 Ellis Street. Just think how efficient you'll feel when we put your name on a 3 X 5 card as a member. Or just drop in and shop, and maybe bring your grandmother.

Everything you always wanted to know about politics. . .

The Almanac of American Politics
1976
Michael Barone-Grant Ujifusa-
Douglas Matthews
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reviews

reviewed by Greg Marr

Did you know that John Rarik, former congressman from Louisiana's sixth district, was probably the most right wing member of the house in history? He was defeated by a special election in 1974 by the way. Oh yes, that was Huey Long's old stomping grounds.

Or did you know that in South Carolina's sixth district John McMillan was the congressman for 34 years until 1970?

Or that in Wisconsin's first district no one won by a margin greater than 53 percent during the sixties?

How about the fact that the House committee on communication is chaired by Torbert H. MacDonald?

Were you aware that Senator Quentin N. Burdick of North Dakota went to the University of Minnesota and is now on the Judiciary committee?

If you didn't know any of these things don't feel bad because I doubt that many people other than the authors of the Almanac of American Politics did.



The Almanac is an impressive volume of facts and trivia on the President, the Senators, Representatives, Governors, states and districts. The authors have compiled statistics on all the legislators on a national level with their votes on key issues, group ratings and explanation of the issues and votes. If you want to know who sits on what committee, read a brief sketch of any congressional district, find out the ethnic group breakdown, median voting age, census data or past career of a federal official this is the book to find that information in.

My reaction was one of amazement when I realized the detailed information provided. The authors not only provide comprehensive backgrounds but present things in a meaningful manner. They write in a light, conversational style which makes the book a pleasure to read or browse through.

In the introduction the authors list three aims of the Almanac...

"to provide portraits of currently obscure figures in American politics... to provide a picture of how the Congress works and how members of Congress think and vote... the most important aim is to provide political portraits of the entire nation, state by state and congressional district...it is the Congress that continues to affect most markedly the lives of Americans through its action-or inaction-in areas of energy policy to pension reform."

The authors have provided this for us and much, much more. They have cut through layers of bureaucratic nonsense to give information that would probably take years of paper and letter writing to try to solicit from those covered. The Almanac is beyond a doubt an indispensable political reference book.



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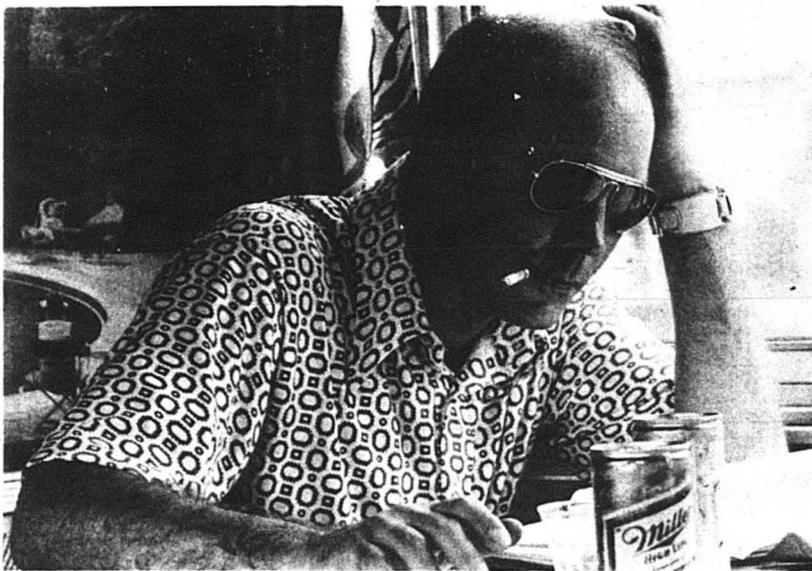
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Dr. Hunter S. Thompson

huge majority of Americans who feel he is not only more honest and more trustworthy than George McGovern, but also more likely to end the war in Vietnam.

The polls also indicate that Nixon will get a comfortable majority of the Youth Vote. And that he might carry all fifty states.

Well... maybe so. This may be the year when we finally come face to face with ourselves; finally just lay back and say it — that we are really just a nation of 220 million used car salesmen with all the money we need to buy guns, and no qualms at all about killing anybody else in the world who tries to make us uncomfortable.

The tragedy of all this is that George McGovern, for all his mistakes and all his imprecise talk about "new politics" and "honesty in government," is one of the few men who've run for President of the United States in this century who really understands what a fantastic monument to all the best instincts of the human race this country might have been, if we could have kept it out of the hands of greedy little hustlers like Richard Nixon.

McGovern made some stupid mistakes, but in context they seem almost frivolous compared to the things Richard Nixon does every day of his life, on purpose, as a matter of policy and a perfect expression of everything he stands for.

Jesus! Where will it end? How low do you have to stoop in this country to be president?

Thompson from 'Fear and Loathing on the Campaign Trail '72'.

Fear and Loathing
September 1972

I would like to think — or at least claim to think, out of charity if nothing else — that Campaign Bloat is at the root of this hellish angst that boils up to obscure my vision every time I try to write anything serious about presidential politics.

But I don't think that's it. The real reason, I suspect, is the problem of coming to grips with the idea that Richard Nixon will almost certainly be re-elected for another four years as President of the United States. If the current polls are reliable — and even if they aren't, the sheer size of the margin makes the numbers themselves unimportant — Nixon will be re-elected by a



Dick Tuck

If it weren't for Dick Tuck Watergate may never have happened. Tuck has devoted his life to making the already paranoid Richard Nixon even more paranoid. It was the desire to perform "Tuck-like" activities that lead Nixon to hire Donald Segretti. Jack Anderson says there are so many references to Dick Tuck activities in the Watergate grand jury testimony that the name is sure to appear in lower case in the Webster's dictionary. What is a Tuck-like activity? During Nixon's 1962 campaign for governor of California, Tuck donned a railman's cap and signaled the engineer of a Nixon train to pull out. Nixon, speaking from the rear platform of the train, was in mid-sentence as he saw his crowd suddenly begin to recede. Tuck spent nearly 25 years performing nasties like that on Nixon and other republican candidates.

During the 1968 Democratic convention David Brinkley suggested to Chet Huntley that he explain Dick Tuck to the viewers. Huntley paused for a while and wryly said that political commentators had been trying to explain Dick Tuck for years.



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