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viewpoints

“I fear we are too much concerned with material things to realize that our real strength lies in spiritual values. I doubt whether there is in this troubled world today, when nations are divided by jealousy and suspicion, a single problem that couldn't be solved if approached in the spirit of the Sermon on the Mount.

Harry Truman, May 11, 1946

God isn't on Prez's side

The distinction between the word of God and the word of Reagan blurred considerably last week when the president took an evangelical approach to promoting the arms race.

While various presidents through history have invoked God's help and guidance in pursuing just and moral policy decisions, President Reagan far overstepped such bounds. Using the rhetoric of Jerry Falwell, Reagan reminded a clergymen assembly that the essential contest in the world was not between life and death, but between God and Satan: "There is sin and evil in the world, and we are enjoined by the Lord Jesus to oppose it with all our might." This translates loosely as "since the Russians are Communists and Communism is a morally depraved form of government, the U.S. is completely within its moral dictates by keeping the threat of nuclear retaliation (and annihilation) alive and growing."

This is Mr. Reagan's response to the efforts of most major American Protestant denominations, three wings of U.S. Judaism, and the U.S.

Catholic bishops who have either registered or are likely to register public disapproval of Reagan's nuclear armaments policies. He didn't approve of the church becoming activist in the political world so he played tit for tat by becoming militant in the moral sphere.

From this perspective, Reagan's comments last week are tainted by the Old Testament imperative, "an eye for an eye." The clergy who have spoken in favor of a nuclear freeze have, on the other hand, shown no such propensity for usurping the nature of their vocation. Their response seems to indicate an allusion to a law higher than man's as embodied in the teachings of Christ. This primary law, often shared by the Great Teacher, professes only "love" for an answer. Mr. Reagan's bastardization of Christian theology is a statement of fear and emotions more akin to hate. J. Christ would have thrown Pharisees out of temple for less than Mr. Reagan's unsettling remarks.

Michael Daehn

UC's most qualified never got the chance to run

One overused maxim which seems to carry little substantial weight is the one which preaches "all's fair in love, war, and politics."

In the area of love, were one to subscribe to such an amoral philosophy, he or she should expect to confront many lonely nights. Similar restraint should be exercised in the political arena if politicians hope to maintain the public trust.

That's why there are still some troubling questions about last weekend's United Council presidential election which was held in Stevens Point. The incumbent Scott Bentley easily won re-election over two campus candidates, Tracey Mosley and Michael Daehn, and must have stood out in voters' minds as the most qualified aspirant.

In reality, the most qualified candidate was only in the race for two days. Legislative Affairs director Curt

Pawlisch entered the campaign Monday, March 7, and pulled out Wednesday, March 9, after a closed meeting with Bentley. The following day Pawlisch wrote a strong letter of endorsement for the incumbent. Speculation indicates the letter was one requirement for retaining his staff position.

It is true that United Council politics often resemble the high stake electioneering on the state and national level. As long as such maneuvering serves to educate aspiring collegiate politicians while having no adverse effects on their constituencies, it's perfectly acceptable. But if UC delegates were indeed denied the choice of the most qualified candidate last weekend for underhanded reasons, then the president-elect's ambitions have cost system students dearly.

Michael Daehn



MAIN STREET

Week in Review

This Week's Weather

Bread from heaven forecast tomorrow, followed by sweetrolls on Saturday.

International weekend offers world view

"International Weekend" will be hosted by members of the International Club and the Foreign Student Office on March 25 and 26 at UWSP.

Marcus Fang, adviser to foreign students here, says the sponsors hope to share their cultures with the university and area communities, while at the same time heightening the global consciousness of the participants.

Highlights of the weekend will include: a performance by Chronos, ethnic musicians from Madison; a student talent show; an International Cafe; films; demon-

strations; exhibitions; and sales of arts and crafts.

The daytime activities will begin at 10 a.m. and run until 4 p.m. on Friday and Saturday, March 25 and 26, in the Program Banquet Room of the University Center. Buttons which will provide admission to the festivities went on sale Monday, March 21 in the Concourse and will be sold all week. Paid admission will also be available at the door.

Chronos will perform in the Encore Coffeehouse at 8 p.m. on Friday. Admission is free to people wearing previously purchased buttons, or for a small fee at the door.

The five musicians from Madison are led by Joel Parker and play ethnic music from Europe, Africa, South America and the East. Audience participation is an important feature of their act.

An "Evening Around the World," student talent show will also be held in the Encore room at 8 p.m. on Saturday. The public is invited to attend free of charge.

Fang says the Annual Lectures on Poland, a community group, will be represented at a booth during the daytime activities, offering displays and Polish food items.

Ongoing entertainment will be featured in the Program Banquet Room, including dances, songs and performances by foreign students. Displays of special skills such as martial arts, Malaysian crafts, African hair styles, traditional Indian dress and the art of deboning a chicken will be scheduled throughout.

Free films will be shown on a continuous basis from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Friday, and 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Saturday in the Encore room.

The International Cafe will set a variety of foods from different countries, including

egg rolls, shrimp chips, fried noodles, fried rice and deserts, such as Baklava.

Exhibits of artwork, crafts and tools from the private collections of community members will be part of the program, and imported arts and crafts will be offered for sale.

From 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., both days, a seminar about religion, focusing on Islam, Buddhism and Hinduism will be led by Arthur Herman, philosophy, and Neil Lewis, history. The seminar will take place in the Communication Room of the University Center.



Is your microwave working properly? An angry consumer decries lax safety standards in recent testimony on Capitol Hill.

Student drug use down

According to national surveys, drug use among high school students is declining although teenagers in the United States use more drugs than youths in other industrialized nations.

Two government surveys, one aimed at high school seniors and one dealing with the general population, indicate that fewer students are using marijuana, hallucinogens and cocaine.

Edward Brandt, assistant secretary for Health and Human Services, confirmed the findings. "The department can confirm that the rapidly increasing

epidemic drug use in this country in the 1960s and 1970s has finally begun to recede, particularly among young people," declared Brandt.

Nevertheless, one American in three over the age of 12 has tried one drug or another, according to the government. "These are truly staggering levels of use and abuse whether by historical standards or in comparison with other countries," continued Brandt. "In fact, they probably still reflect the highest levels of illicit drug use to be found in the industrialized world."

Point toll-free service ended

UWSP will save about \$18,000 per year in its decision to eliminate toll-free telephone service between the campus and communities in several surrounding counties.

The foreign exchange lines allowed for free calling to and from the campus.

But John Sundstrom, director of general services, said "we realized that we just couldn't afford this service any longer."

Bette Jensen, who heads telephone communications, said the service would end April 1. She explained that callers who previously used the lines would have to dial

the regular university number of 715-346-0123 instead of the number listed in their local phone books.

The free service had been in effect for more than a decade as a public service, linking the campus with phone patrons in Edgar, Athens, Marathon, Hatley, Birnamwood, Elderon, Merrill, Brokaw, Mosinee, Wausau, Wisconsin Rapids, Rudolph, Vesper, Nekooosa, Port Edwards, Marshfield, Auburndale, Spencer, Lindsey, Chili and Stratford.

Sundstrom said that a study was made about usage of the lines and the conclusion was that it was "too

costly and inefficient." The cost of each call under the foreign exchange rate was higher than the fee for a station-to-station call.

There has been some interest in establishing an enterprise or "800" number allowing for toll-free calls to the campus from any part of the state. But Sundstrom said it is believed that would be far too expensive and that much of the usage probably would be for personal calls by parents to their children in dorms. He said, however, that an "800" number may be pursued by offices involved in providing services and information to new students.

Dance festival starts today

A ballet set to a composition by the new dean of fine arts at UWSP will highlight the annual dance concert on campus Thursday through Tuesday, March 24-29.

Dean Paul Palombo will conduct an ensemble of seven instrumentalists playing his piece, which was commissioned in 1980 as a result of his being named "Composer of the Year" by the

State of Washington's Music Teachers Association.

His work is entitled "Varianti da Camera."

The ballet, a dramatic piece choreographed en pointe by Susan Hughes Gigrasso of the dance faculty, is based on August Strindberg's play, "The Father."

Tickets for the annual event are on sale in the theatre arts box office, Fine Arts

Center. Performances are at 8 p.m. in the Jenkins Theatre, with the exception of Sunday, March 27, when curtain time is 8:15.

Another addition this year will be a "Talk-back" session following the performance on Saturday, March 26. The audience will be invited to stay and ask questions of the choreographers and dancers about the pieces.

Campus opens doors to public on Sunday

An open house of major facilities at UWSP on Sunday, March 27, will kick off a new campaign by the school to encourage more public use of the institution.

All academic buildings and the University Center will have special attractions for visitors between 1 p.m. and 4 p.m.

The event will coincide with the annual Festival of

the Arts in the Fine Arts Center and the annual Antique Show and Sale in Quandt Gymnasium.

There also will be guided tours during the afternoon of the Schmeckle Reserve.

The university is being joined by the town-gown Communiversity Committee, an arm of the Central Wisconsin Chamber of Commerce, in planning and sponsoring the open house.

The co-chairs are Peggy Szczytko of Market Square Communications, and Daniel Trainer of the UWSP College of Natural Resources. They said the purpose of the event is to "help people feel more comfortable about coming to the campus" and to provide "interesting activities for the whole family."

Free parking has been arranged in all university lots during the open house. In

addition, Stevens Point Transit System will provide free shuttle bus service to and from parking lots.

UWSP personnel have compiled a new "U.S.E. Book" which lists services of the institution, places of interest to visitors and faculty-staff who present public programs and the topics of their presentations. Copies will be distributed during the afternoon. The

"U.S.E. Book" is a short title for "University Services for Everyone."

"We want people to come to the campus with their families and have fun. If they have a good time and find that there are activities and services available to them and to their families on a year-round basis, the open house will have served its purpose," explained Mrs. Szczytko.

mail

Face the music

To Pointer Magazine, Being a recent graduate of UWSP with a degree in music, I felt it appropriate to comment on your February 17 article about Joe Janowski and fill in many facts your report overlooked.

1. Music is a difficult major and is not meant for everyone. Each year many students are advised out of the program because they fail to meet the basic requirements set forth for all music majors. Hard work and diligent practice are simply not enough to make an aspiring student into a respectable musician; a good amount of talent is also required. While Joe may work hard at piano, he simply doesn't have the innate ability that is absolutely necessary for a student to achieve an acceptable level of musicianship. Allowing Joe to continue in his studies is not only unfair to him, it also harms the other students by limiting such valuable commodities as practice room time and instrument use.

2. Joe is, by all accounts, a "professional student." He has been attending UWSP for over 10 years, living off the financial aid the government generously allots him.

Joe is not the least bit concerned with graduating from college. (Indeed he could graduate now with a general music degree — he has taken every course the music department offers!) His only fear is that he will eventually be barred from further study, which would mean an end to his free ride. Joe has openly admitted this to myself and others, so it is not a mere judgement call on my part.

3. Time and again Joe has refused to abide by the rules of the music department. The Fine Arts Building is open till midnight seven days a week. The hours have proven to be sufficient for other students through the years, but Joe often insisted on staying in the building past closing time. There is clearly no excuse for Joe remaining in the building after the posted hours. Why Joe feels exempt from this rule is beyond me.

4. The only thing the piano faculty are guilty of is waiting this long to end Joe's lessons. Perhaps keeping Joe on, even after his obvious deficiencies first became apparent, only served to encourage him and eventually give him a false sense of his musical abilities. The piano faculty cannot be blamed for their present decision, but only in waiting so long to implement it.

After the smoke has cleared, I think perhaps the one who will look the most

ridiculous of all will be student government president Scott West. A simple check into Joe's lengthy record, or a brief chat with any music major would have alerted him to the true story behind this questionable case of student harassment. In the future, I hope Mr. West will do a little bit of elementary casework before leaping to the defense of a student who just may be in the wrong.

Chris Schendo

Maas hysteria

To Pointer Magazine,

UWSP students do not exist in a neutral ivory tower in earth orbit. They learn, work, and live right here in the U.S. of A. with the rest of us. They enjoy the benefits of U.S. citizenship, often including low cost student loans. Editors Vander Plas and Daehn are of the opinion that they have no responsibilities in return for the benefits of living in this society. Come back down to earth, guys! Because one of the constitutional requirements of the U.S. government is to "provide for the common defense" (usually done well enough to keep us out of war and our people out of danger) many of our citizens are able to do things like attend this university. If universities and university students do not do what they can to support and

defend our way of life, they limit their potential to contribute to the society we

treasure.

For every right, there is a responsibility. Registering for a nonexistent draft seems to me (and many UWSP faculty, staff, and students who have reluctantly spent our time in military service) as a very small price to pay in return for living in this country.

Vanden Plas and Daehn seem to think that students and higher education are above having to obey laws which may help defend our country. Fortunately, those two are part of a very small minority holding this bizarre, one-way sense of morality.

This is not to say that registration is the best way for the U.S. I believe it would be wise if we overruled our military leaders and copied those countries which require a minimum amount of service from everyone. At the very least, anyone who refuses to accept his responsibility to obey the law and register should be given the option of being drafted or deported.

James Maas

Flubbed facts

To Pointer Magazine,

It is really shameful that Joseph Vanden Plas, the Senior News Editor for Pointer Magazine, on March 17, 1983, wrote "Refugees tell sad tale of oppression and poverty." He distorted a great deal of information.

I want to make accurate that my name is Valentina Lawlor, not Voluntina Lawlor, and I am a citizen of the Dominican Republic, and not a Haitian refugee. According to the Webster's New World Dictionary, a refugee is "a person who flees from his home or country to seek refuge elsewhere, as in a time of war, persecution, etc." I do not qualify as a refugee because in the Dominican Republic there are no wars or political persecution. In fact, my country is now living in a very stable political and democratic situation. Actually, I came to the U.S. for a very personal reason.

I talked about Haitian refugees in the Dominican Republic because of my knowledge as a university professor of Dominican, Haitian, and Caribbean history in general. I would appreciate Mr. Vanden Plas's apology for the untrue information that he wrote about me that "poverty played a larger role in her exodus than political oppression."

Valentina Peguero y Reyes de Lawlor y Jeffs

Keeping track

To Pointer Magazine,

Like most students on campus I actually look forward to Thursday's arrival. On Thursday, Pointer Magazine adds to the day just as the social life livens up the night.

Although I always enjoy reading your magazine I must comment on a specific element lacking therein this semester. It concerns sports.

Yes, we have a good basketball team. Damn good and I'm proud of them. Fine. We also have a track team, men's and women's. How good are they? Ask anyone who relies solely on coverage provided by Pointer Mag and they would likely respond, "hell if I know!"

With the Indoor Conference Meet only a week away it seems a shame that a team containing a national champion, several other All-Americans and conference champions (not to mention all the other dedicated athletes) should be subjected to such neglect.

In the future, I hope you give these fine athletes the proper coverage they truly deserve.

A biased fan

Gratefully submitted

To Pointer Magazine,

This is just a short note to thank all those who were so generous with their encouragement during my recent unsuccessful campaign for the UC presidency. With your help, I think we brought up issues that needed to be discussed if an informed decision was to be made. Thanks again.

In Gratitude,
Michael Daehn

Mistaken LD.

To Pointer Magazine,

I am a full-time student at UWSP and I am a proud citizen of Nicaragua. In response to the article "Refugees tell sad tale of oppression and poverty" on March 17, I want to clarify that I am NOT a refugee. In fact, over the Christmas break I happily went back to Nicaragua to visit my family, who lives comfortably there.

Unlike the article, which stated "Many Nicaraguan citizens, like Lopez, have fled for their own safety," I left Nicaragua in 1978 to go to Spain to finish my education. In Nicaragua, the high schools and universities, after having continuous strikes, were closed down since a civil war was developing.

As for the people who "fled for safety," they are free to go back any time they want to, with the exception of those who sought political asylum elsewhere.

To Joseph Vanden Plas, the Senior News Editor:

You are fortunate to have the position you do because in the real world this irresponsible journalism would not be tolerated. The untrue information you stated about me strongly offended me. I feel a written clarification and apology regarding the article in Pointer Magazine is called for.

Should you need more information about the political situation in Nicaragua I will be glad to help you in any other publication.

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news

Legislators discuss UW's fiscal future

By Michael Daehn
Editor in Chief

Last Thursday's Joint Finance Committee meeting on the proposed UW budget for the 1983-85 biennium contained a number of firsts: legislators on the committee were given their first thorough explanation of why this budget was necessary from the perspectives of all the individuals who will be affected (administration, students, etc.) and President O'Neil went on record asking for a specific timetable for a return to the traditional student 25% tuition policy.

In addition, education advocates had a chance to clarify facts which were being misinterpreted by certain committee members and non-supportive legislators had an opportunity to make the reasons for their disgruntlement known.

President O'Neil and Regent Beckwith represented UW administration and both reflected upon education as "being the most important facet of the future of Wisconsin, both from an economic and philosophical perspective."

Both men expressed deep concern that students not be denied access to institutions of higher education because of budget cutbacks. They also stressed the need for capable instructors, sufficient equipment and materials to deal with the current technological orientation of society, and up-to-date library supplies and materials.

O'Neil and Beckwith commented favorably on the attention the Earl budget would focus on these areas and in fact, said that passage of these recommendations would be considered a big step forward for education. However reservations were expressed about the cuts in building funds for some facilities, like the UWSP gym addition, the remaining deficiencies in faculty salaries on a comparative basis with those at other major universities, and the insufficient funding of minority recruitment and retention programs, particularly on the graduate level.

Among the specifics discussed at the hearing, the following four were handled in most detail:

The return to the state's traditional tuition commitment. For the first time last year, students attending a UW system school paid more than 25% of their total tuition costs. The figure is currently at 27% and many students are worried that it will keep rising if traditional con-

straints aren't introduced again soon.

After testimony by United Council Academic Affairs director Michel Hein, in which he questioned the new percentage policy, Senator Gary George inquired as to how Hein would fund a return to 25%. O'Neil stepped into the discussion and suggested a four biennium plan which would amount to 1/2% being restored for each two year period over the next eight years.

A faculty recognition fund proposal. Since it isn't possible to raise faculty salary levels to a level equal with that paid in other major universities during this biennium, this fund is being proposed to provide a financial pat on the back to faculty members judged to be doing an exceptional job. Although the gesture would be largely symbolic in light of the meager funding being requested, education officials believe it would serve as a morale boost to those UW faculty who could be receiving much higher salaries teaching elsewhere or working in the private sector.

An increased emphasis on fostering further ties between industry and the UW schools. Proponents of such a move pointed to the additional revenue and prestige that such a marriage would add to the system. Opponents, including student testers, were more concerned with potential faculty; conflicts of interest and possible violations of academic integrity which might result from such a setup.

Further funding for system libraries. Since 1973-74, acquisitions of library volumes per FTE student have fallen in the UW System from 3.3 to 2.0. Earl's recommended additional expenditures are intended to reverse this downturn and ensure that our libraries do not become second rate. There was very little dissent voiced on this budget item by any of the hearing's participants.

The student voice was very much in evidence at the hearing. In addition to Hein's comments on UC's concerns regarding "accessibility and the proper role of the university with respect to economic development," a slew of student leaders expressed their views on matters of specific import to their respective campuses.

Representing UW Stevens Point, SGA president Scott West emphasized the impact of inadequate supply budgeting and insufficient service budgeting on his institution.

In particular, he highlighted a decrease in the number of periodicals the library can purchase, a shortage of computer terminals on campus which kept many students in town over break for catch-up work, faulty equipment in the science and music departments, a deficient number of advanced course offerings which in turn forces students to stay in college an extra year or two, the elimination of a library position in the interlibrary loan department, and the possible elimination of the

music librarian position in COFA. According to West, 2000 students didn't get the courses they wanted last semester.

As an example of the problems which Stevens Point students face, West shared an anecdote about his experiences in campus astronomy course. While viewing a film on the origins of Black Holes, the antique movie projector being used broke down. West concluded that there are now 20 students running around campus who have no idea about where

Black Holes come from because of that outdated equipment.

One sentiment that West, his fellow student leaders from UWs at Milwaukee, Green Bay, and Madison, the UC spokesman, and all the education advocates present did hold in common was a firm belief that passage of the Earl budget would alleviate some of the system's current funding problems. Now it's up to the legislators to determine how effective the arguments of all these parties were.

AMERICAN NEWS CAPSULE

THE NEWS THAT WAS

By Joseph Vanden Plas
Senior News Editor

NATIONAL

WASHINGTON, D.C.—House Democrats adopted an alternative budget last week, asking for \$863.5 billion in spending with a projected \$174 billion deficit. President Reagan's \$848 billion budget contained a \$189 billion deficit.

Reagan quickly assailed the Democrats' plan, calling it a "dagger" aimed at the heart of economic recovery. The president also criticized proposed defense cuts in the Democratic budget.

WASHINGTON, D.C.—President Reagan has selected William D. Ruckelshaus, 50, to replace Anne Burford as head of the embattled Environmental Protection Agency.

Ruckelshaus said his first order of business would be to "stabilize" the agency and reinstate the dedication of EPA employees.

Ruckelshaus was the original EPA chief during the Nixon administration. His confirmation is expected to be swift.

WASHINGTON, D.C.—Congressional investigators discovered the Environmental Protection Agency may have created public health hazards by allowing the number of exemptions permitting the use of pesticides to increase markedly since 1980. The number of exemptions has increased from 198 in 1980 to 505 in 1982.

In other environmental

news, Waste Management Inc., the nation's largest handler of chemical wastes for private industry and the Defense Department, has reportedly violated several state and federal laws in its disposing of chemical wastes. Furthermore, four former employees of the company say they told their superiors about the illegal dumpings and were either told to ignore them or cover them up.

CHICAGO—In a controversial move, Chicago mayor Jane Byrne said she will run as a write-in candidate for mayor. Byrne was defeated in the Democratic Mayoral primary by Congressman Harold Washington.

WASHINGTON, D.C.—The government has estimated the GNP rose at a four percent annual rate in the first three months of 1982, its strongest performance in two years.

STATE

MADISON—The Democratic National Committee rejected Gov. Earl's proposal to restructure the state's Democratic presidential primary.

In an attempt to keep the primary open, Earl suggested holding pre-election caucuses to select delegates who would vote on whether or not to be bound by the results of the primary. Earl's proposal also recommended a second meeting of the caucus after the primary to apportion delegates according to

primary results.

However, the national party balked at the plan, saying it wouldn't ensure that Democrats would vote for Democrats. Currently, Republicans can vote for Democrats and vice versa in Wisconsin's Democratic presidential primary.

The national party has given Wisconsin until April 15 to come up with an acceptable replacement for the open primary.

MADISON—The sale of Milwaukee's Trostel Tannery to the state for conversion to a prison was rescinded by Dane County Judge Richard Bardwell last week.

Opponents of the tannery as a prison site want an environmental impact study to take place before the state can remodel it to house minimum security prisoners.

Gov. Earl has offered to end his efforts to turn the tannery into a prison if an alternative site in the Menomonee Valley of Milwaukee area can be found.

Setting it straight

Ed. Note: Last week in the story on the meeting of the public intervenors citizen advisory committee, this body was inaccurately identified as the board of directors. Additionally, Dr. Douglas Henderson was inaccurately identified as Dr. Thomas Henderson. Sorry for the mistakes.

Bentley re-elected United Council President

By Michael Daehn
Editor in Chief

For the first time in the lobbying group's 23-year history, United Council has a two-term president. At their March meeting held in Stevens Point, delegates from the eleven UC schools voted in incumbent Scott Bentley for a second one-year term.

Although Bentley scored a surprisingly easy first ballot victory, the campaign was a hard fought one. Bentley's opponents, Tracey Mosley, SGA's communication director, and Michael Daehn, Pointer Magazine Editor in Chief, both contended in a debate Friday night that the incumbent was not an active leader. President-elect Bentley preferred to stress the organization's accomplishments over the past year stating that they were "entire staff" victories. The voting delegates seemed to agree.

Immediately prior to the election, there was a bit of an uproar when Dan Duffy, president of UW Madison's WSA, put a motion on the floor that the candidates present a final three-minute account of their major stands. The delegates from Madison and Milwaukee had missed most of the debate the night before—they claimed

snowy travel conditions had detained them. In the verbal sparring which followed, schools who had witnessed the debate argued against the

Michael Hein against President Bentley was heard from 11:00 Friday evening until 5:00 Saturday morning. The meeting was closed to

president, however, the grievance was filed because Hein had been accused of writing an endorsement letter to be included in candidate Daehn's position papers. When President Bentley threatened to dismiss Hein for the infraction, Hein filed a grievance for misuse of power.

The committee made its decision early Saturday morning and their proposed remedy was announced just prior to the election. Their

collective statement recommended that the ambiguous passage in the UC Personnel Policy which was the foundation for Bentley's charges be redefined in a more specific way. Most observers saw this ruling as a victory for Bentley. A few viewed it as a significant factor in his re-election.

Friday evening's candidate debate was moderated by communications dept. faculty member C.Y. Allen.



motion and eventually voted it down.

In another related matter, a grievance filed by Academic Affairs director

anyone but the President's Committee (made up of student association presiding officers, e.g. Scott West of UWSP). According to one

Academia

Solomon morality debated at hearing

Critics and supporters of the Solomon Amendment gave Rep. Les Aspin an earful at a hearing in Madison earlier this week.

Throughout the hearing, the inherent morality of the Amendment was a dominant theme.

Al Rydstrom, a World War II veteran from Madison, told Aspin that young people have a moral obligation to register if they receive aid from the government. He said young people who don't accept this moral obligation should "go to another coun-

try like Russia or Cuba," where they would not be able to oppose the law.

Opponents of Solomon also claimed morality was on their side. David Peltier, 27, of Madison, said the law was "morally bankrupt." Opponents of Solomon also said it was unconstitutional and it discriminated against students from low income families.

Hispanic involvement

Hispanic law students who gathered in Madison last

weekend were told Hispanics face several challenges in the United States and that it was up to them to get involved.

The students were attending the second annual La Raza Legal Alliance Midwest Regional Conference and were addressed by several noted members of the legal profession. They included Ness Flores, chairman of the State Public Service Commission, Joaquin G. Avila, president of the general counsel of the Mexican American Legal Defense

and Education Fund and Juan Soliz, director of the Immigrants Center in Chicago. They urged the students to strive for improvement in the language barrier in courtrooms and to fight for the legal rights of Hispanic immigrants.

UW ranked high

According to a study of advanced programs in 32 academic fields, the University of Wisconsin at Madison was ranked in the top 20 nationally in most of them.

Although the UW ranked first in sociology, second in chemical engineering, geography, and German as well as being rated in the top 10 in fields such as biochemistry, molecular biology, economics, and mathematics, it lagged behind several universities in high technology fields.

Numbers too big to ignore

Women are outnumbering men in college by increasing numbers, according to the Census Bureau.

By 1981, there were 108 women for every 100 men at American universities. This represents a reversal of earlier trends, when men outnumbered women. In 1972, there were only 74 women per 100 men in college.

Legal intervention

The Madison Capitol Times is receiving some help in its legal battle with UW-Madison.

Dane County District Attorney Hal Harlowe says the Times' efforts to require the university to make public documents detailing professor's outside income is in the "public interest." Harlowe said he would intervene to make the UW disclose the records.

He cited the desirability of open governmental records and the possibility of conflicts of interest by professors as reasons for his intervention. The Capitol Times filed the suit four years ago.

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City officials update downtown project

by Lisa Penny
Pointer News Writer
At the Student Government meeting Sunday Mayor Michael Haberman and George Seyfarth, chairman of Downtown Action Committee, came to present an update on the downtown Stevens Point project.

Also, constitutional amendments were passed by a two-thirds vote and a delegate to the publications board was elected.

Mayor Haberman and Seyfarth reviewed significant events concerning the downtown project.

In the summer months of 1982 the Downtown Action Committee formed a Main Street Council to allow Main Street business to provide input into the planning of the downtown project. They hired a Milwaukee consulting firm to do six studies needed for the Urban Development Action Grant (UDAG).

In December of 1982 the president of a chain of fashion department stores, whose name cannot be revealed at this time, visited Stevens Point and made a commitment to do a market analysis of the local trade market. If the result of the market analysis is favorable this company will commit to build the third anchor store in the mall, with J.C. Penney and ShopKo stores being the other two.

The head of the J.C. Penney real estate department from New York has committed to have J.C. Penney participate in the downtown project.

The most important development occurred last month, when the Urban Development Action Grant was approved for submission and filed for 6.25 million dollars. Senator Kasten offered his help to the Downtown Action Committee. Haberman said, "If we don't get the federal dollars (UDAG grant) this project can't be done. We have to have this grant."

The mall is set to open in 1985 or 1986 and will house about 60 businesses ranging from the three anchor stores to small shops. The construction would begin in 1984-85.

The developer, Tunzinger Construction, will bring in a local labor union. The city contract will go to the lowest bidder.

Amendments were made to 3 of the articles in the Student Government constitution.

In Article 3 section 1, concerning the Student Government Senate, three changes were made. First, at least four representatives will be elected from each college and they will be elected proportionately based on enrollment within their college. Second, out of the 30 senators, half will be elected the week of the third Monday in April and half will be elected

the week of the second Monday in December. "In all probability," said president Scott West, "the 15 top vote getters will take office for one year and the other 15 will take office for one semester." The third change in Article 3 of the Constitution states that the senators will assume office at the last Student Government session of that semester.

Article 4, concerning tenure and succession, has one change. The president and vice-president will be elected

for one year in a general all-campus election to be held during the week of the third Monday in April. They will assume office on the first day of May. If the office of the President is vacated for any reason the Vice-President will be the successor to office for the remainder of the term. All other executive offices will be filled by appointment of the president with the recommendation of the Executive board and the Rules Committee. This then must be approved by the

senate by a majority vote of those present.

Article 6, which deals with vacancies, has one change. The Rules Committee will now determine and fill vacancies either by appointment or through special student election.

Finally, Student Government held a vote to determine their delegate to the publications board. They elected Tracey Moseley, communications director, to fill this position.

SECURITY REPORT



Monday, March 14

4:40 a.m. Stevens Point Police Department called Campus Security to report an attempted sexual assault in Lot P. A female parking her car behind Kentucky Fried Chicken was thrown to the ground but managed to run from the scene. The assailant was described as thin, wearing jeans with brown hair and a beard.

Tuesday, March 15

9:40 p.m. A nude man was reported at Schmeckle Reserve.

Wednesday, March 16

2:05 a.m. Three individuals were seen by the SW entrance of Burroughs carrying a couch from the basement. They spotted officers and fled.

Thursday, March 17

1:00 a.m. Student Security Patrol reported a person breaking a window and then running inside Watson.

5:00 p.m. A theft report was made by Brad Napralla. Speakers were stolen and an antenna was broken.

6:30 p.m. Dennis Chucha, RA at Smith, called to report that Keith Anderson and Dan Umas found their window broken with BB holes in the glass.

8:30 p.m. Lauren Cnare, Student Manager, called to inform that someone had kicked in a wall in Student Activities Complex. The vandalism was committed in the SE end of the Complex near the base of the stairwell.

Friday, March 18

2:47 a.m. A motorcycle was

vandalized in Parking Lot P. The mirrors were broken off and other damage possibly occurred.

8:30 a.m. Ray Thomson, Director of Pray-Sims, reported vandalism in Sims Hall. A chair was thrown out of a window.

Saturday, March 19

11:45 a.m. Timothy Blotz, 203 Sims, reported a tire stolen from his bike.

Sunday, March 20

1:40 a.m. A male university student was assaulted at Fourth and Isadore. The city police were notified.



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Digging the Bible

Let there be excavations

By Laura Sternweis
Pointer Features Writer
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Joshua 10:31-2

The biblical city of Lachish was one of the most important cities in the Holy Land. During the summer of 1983, the Wisconsin Institute In Biblical Archaeology will offer a 7-week archaeological experience at Lachish.

Dr. Keith N. Schoville is director of the Wisconsin Institute, an academic program of UW-Madison's Department of Hebrew and Semitic Studies. Schoville and 20 program participants will travel to Israel on June 9, and join the Lachish excavation.

The Welcome-Marston Archaeological Research Expedition first excavated Lachish in 1932. Noted British archaeologist James Leslie Starkey led the expedition.

Lachish had been occupied since the Early Bronze Age. During the Late Bronze Age, at the time of the Exodus, the Israelis captured the city and refortified it, establishing a monarchy. The Babylonians destroyed Lachish between 588-6 B.C.

In his Lachish excavations, Starkey discovered occupied caves and burial grounds dating from the chalcolithic

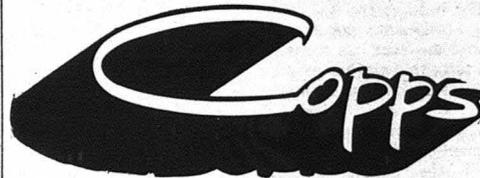
period. He also found terra cotta archives that were 3,000 years old. Starkey unearthed pottery fragments bearing written details of Babylonian battles, and a bowl with hieroglyphics dating from the reign of King Meremptah (1229-1210 B.C.).

Starkey's most important discoveries were two ancient alphabetical scripts that had been used by the Israelis at the time of Moses. Called "one of the most valuable contributions ever made to biblical history," the Sinai script was the oldest alphabetical script in the world, and a remote ancestor of our own system of alphabetical writing. The Phoenician Hebrew script belonged to the time of the prophet Jeremiah.

The excavating at Lachish came to an abrupt halt in 1938, after Starkey was murdered by a band of armed Arabs. On Jan. 10, 1938, Starkey had been traveling from Lachish to Jerusalem, when the Arabs forced him out of his car and shot him. Issa Battat, one of Palestine's "most notorious rebel leaders," was the major suspect for the murder. Battat was killed by police on May 7, 1938.

Lachish was next excavated in 1966 and 1968 by Y. Aharoni of the University of Tel Aviv. However, the present excavation project began in 1973, under the direction of Israeli

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People and politics

They're all in a day's work for friar

By Chris Celichowski
Pointer News Editor

Some folks refuse to discuss politics and religion, fearing they may disturb some people. Brother Bob Smith isn't one of them. He thinks some people could use a little discomfort.

Br. Bob Smith is a Capuchin friar who has spent the last five years of his young life working among the poor and disadvantaged in Milwaukee and Detroit.

While in Milwaukee he worked through the Milwaukee Council on Urban and Rural Life (CURL) to create a job training program for needy youth. CURL convinced employers to hire youths on a voluntary basis to do various tasks. At the end of their work term, employers provided CURL with recommendations on the youths. These were placed in each individual's resume file to be used when they went looking for work.

After moving to Detroit, Bob became a counselor and chaplain at the Wayne County Youth Home. He also joined the Team for Justice, a group doing criminal research and advocacy work in addition to monitoring conditions in area jails and prisons.

His work within the criminal justice system has received praise from many groups, most notably the Detroit City Council which presented him with a special citation.

Br. Bob disagrees with those who discourage the clergy's political involvement.

"The Church is supposed to be a voice for the voiceless," he told Pointer Magazine.

According to Smith, the Catholic Church has the power base to affect substantial change in society. The Catholic Church is one of the top four asset-holders in the

world and can therefore influence people at all economic levels.

What about the pope's declaration that the clergy should stay out of politics? Admittedly not one to buck authority, Smith contends the pontiff does not fully understand the need for an activist clergy in some situations.

"The way I interpret the Gospel, we're supposed to be involved with people. And if that includes politics, so be it."

Separation between church and state, says Smith, is a myth. In the United States, for example, witnesses swear on a bible and all our currency bears the dictum "in God we trust."

Br. Bob believes many in the church hierarchy have discouraged political involvement to avoid alienating wealthy benefactors. He offers a "Theory of Coexistence" to explain his point.

"If you spend time with dirt you become dirty. If you associate with wealth, you become wealthy."

Many parishes in Italian neighborhoods know their "anonymous" benefactors are in the Mafia, yet they continue to accept the tainted donations. According to Smith, this type of behavior is hypocritical.

"We have to know that we can not straddle the fence and play the side that's winning," argues the Brother.

This concern for money has prevented church leaders from dealing with contemporary social problems until they are pretty well decided, he added. In addition, many parish priests with "secure jobs" avoid offending those in power and therefore ignore their parishioners' needs.

"If Jesus were to come down today, he would be bored to death because he wouldn't see us feeding the

hungry, clothing the naked, or living out the 'Our Father,'" Smith emphasized.

Although Bob's activism has been concerned primarily with the criminal justice system, his most rewarding experience came in a protest march against Libby's. Farmworkers in Defiance, Ohio, were marching against the cannery and Br. Bob joined them in solidarity.

"I was in my habit," Br. Bob recounted, "and to see good Catholics telling me I was a disgrace...it hurt."

It was the first time he had to take a slap in the face, but it "opened my eyes to what Jesus went through."

Bob Smith had strong criticism for the criminal justice system in this country.

"The system is a contradiction. There is no justice in it," he emphasized.

Having worked within both Milwaukee and Detroit's corridors

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Pit and the Pope

Milwaukee to Rome and back again . . .

By Michael Daehn
Editor in chief

Pope John Paul II and Mother Theresa have more or less lent their names as permanent fixtures on many 10 most respected lists. Wauwatosa native Jim Pitterle could tell you from his first hand experiences with both why they belong there.

As a graduating senior at Milwaukee's St. Francis De Sales College, Pitterle was presented with an irresistible opportunity. On the basis of his sound four-year record, he was chosen for an alternative learning experience in Rome.

Needless to say he jumped at the opportunity and spent the next three years immersed in the magic of the ancient Italian capitol.

Pitterle attended Gregorian University, Father Guido Sarducci's self-proclaimed alma mater, and was surprised at the systematic approach to education he found there. The program of study is preset — "you don't choose classes, they choose them for you." As Pitterle was working toward his master's degree in theology, this meant that a class on "The History of Israel" would be required before one on a specific prophet could be added.

The university and Pitterle's boarding school, The North American College, both housed men and women

from all over the globe which lent a pronounced heterogeneous effect to the school's learning atmosphere. Pitterle also commented that most of his professors had written the texts they were teaching, so students were inclined to be-

lieve their profs knew the course content "like it was their own."

Walking to class each day, Pitterle and his friends had to travel through the heart of Rome, casually bypassing many of the monumental attractions which tourists pay

steep prices to visit.

"We had to stop and shake ourselves occasionally, and say 'do you know what we're walking past?'" Pitterle mused, "People would be taking groups on tours to all the Roman landmarks, and for us, it was just our walk

to school."

The Milwaukee theology student had been in Rome but a few days when Pope John Paul I was elected. Pitterle's friends and family back stateside had a great time trying to pick him out

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Changing robes

Ex rev. ministers to academic needs

By Mary Ringstad
Pointer Features Writer

"There are no halos around the church." Dr. Richard Feldman of the UWSP philosophy department faculty has viewed this institution from the inside. Feldman was a minister for eighteen years before becoming a college professor.

Feldman, who received a bachelor of theology from Northern Baptist Seminary in Chicago, does not know why he became a minister. "It just happens...It's one of those decisions you slip into. You wake up and there you are."

After serving various parishes in the Midwest, Feldman became a campus minister at the University of Illinois in 1960. His mission was "to make religion intellectually respectable to college students."

During the Sixties, University of Illinois students were very active in the movement for social justice. As a result, Feldman's role began to change. He discovered his job's new purpose was to make religion "morally" respectable to college students. Feldman found that he was not ready to deal with questions on this subject. Intellectually speaking, he had turned away from things he believed in before. He decided to go back to school for his doctorate.

"My difficulties were purely economic." Changing his financial position from a well-paid job to graduate student was his main transitional problem. With a wife and three children to support, it was not an easy career move.

When asked about his current religious affiliation,

Feldman said, "I have no religious position in any formal sense." Although he would not describe himself as such, he lectures each



Changing vocations was difficult, says Feldman.

semester to religious studies classes on "the Reasonableness of Atheism."

Feldman's stance on school prayer, from a legal philosopher's point of view, is that the practice of religion should not be a prerogative of the state. "If I were religious, I wouldn't want the state dictating to my conscience."

Legal abortion, according to Feldman, is not immoral and should be available to those who demand it with the provisions under the current law. The question of government funding for abortion is "part of a larger question. The government funds a lot of things." Feldman feels we should evaluate government funding for various projects as a whole instead of singling out the abortion issue.

When asked about the Reagan "squeal" rule, Continued on p. 10

Br. Bob, cont.

rection system and studied the problem extensively in his criminal justice major, Smith concludes the system is racially and economically prejudiced.

"Jail is for poor people," contends Br. Smith. While those with the means to post bail or bonds go free, the poor languish in a "zoo setting." How the "zookeepers" treated the inmates was a concern of the Team for Justice.

Smith admits the Team did little to affect actual change within the system, but not for lack of effort.

"At least institutions knew someone was watching...prison officials had to think and look twice when they acted."

Aside from the evils of institutionalized racism and poverty, Smith noted most of the money poured into corrections went toward administration. At the Wayne

County Youth Home, for example, 80 percent of the \$72 per day spent on inmates went towards administrative costs.

But Br. Smith's most vehement criticism struck at the oft-practiced plea bargaining sessions between the defense and prosecution.

"By and large it's 'let's make a deal,' and the victim gets ripped off," according to Smith. "Plea bargaining is the greatest evil the system ever came up with."

In order to avoid this perversion of justice, the Brother believes we should stick to what we write down and do it swiftly, without bargaining.

And so while other clerics are content to stand still and silent, Br. Bob will continue to speak out and work for change. He's not a mindless radical or a disobedient maverick, he's just trying to live the gospel.

pragmatic reasons, Feldman believes it is imperative to get birth control information to high school students. "Until family relations change, we will have to either provide information or deal with the pregnancies."

Pitterle, cont.

from among the ocean of bodies assembled — as shown on the network nightly news.

Twenty-eight days into Pitterle's orientation period, the Pope died. It was only a couple days after Jim and a group of about 2,000 had been blessed with a papal audience, presenting them with a personal opportunity to evaluate the infirm patriarch.

"I thought he was super! He provided the perfect transition from Paul VI who had started to become somewhat aloof to John Paul II. John Paul I," he said, "was a lot like a warm, old grandfather figure and most Catholics really appreciated the change."

Pitterle went on to say, "This warmth paved the way for John Paul II to be as visible as he's been. Every Sunday the pope travels to a different parish to dine with the priests. This would have never been possible in the past."

Pitterle's exposure to John Paul II was more personal than that with his predecessor. Along with about 120 others, Jim had a face to

face audience with the Polish pope.

He admits to getting excited while he stood before the head of his Church. Yet, he was also bold enough to wear brown instead of the traditional black attire during his moment in the spotlight — he even shook John Paul's hand rather than kissing his ring. Why this deviance from the norm? "Because it wasn't necessary," said Pitterle.

The pope didn't seem to mind. In fact he even made a lighthearted comment about good old Milwaukee while shaking the nonconforming hand.

What were Pitterle's impressions of the current pope?

"Well he seems to be an incredible workaholic. He really pushes himself since he considers his role to be so world important."

Pitterle continued, "Since he's so direct about what he believes and wants to accomplish, you have to respect him for going all out."

But there were minor reservations about some of John Paul's ultimate goals. "John Paul II seems to want the same Church worldwide

and I don't think it's possible or necessary, but he does a super job of getting his ideas on the subject out."

Another worldly experience which gave Pitterle a new outlook on life was the time he spent with Mother Theresa's Missionaries of Charity in Calcutta, India. His living arrangement consisted of sharing a room with ten other Brothers, sleeping on a mat atop the roof when the monsoons came. Those who resided in this communal gathering chose to live in the same poverty as those around them. Meals were comprised of a banana and tea for breakfast and a few loaves of bread, plus a couple more bananas for later in the day.

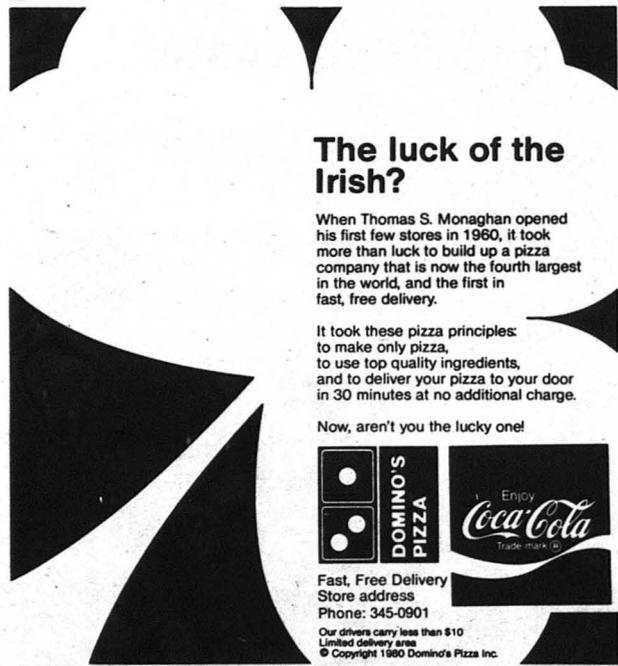
Most of the group's efforts were devoted to bringing the dying in off the streets and allowing them to die with dignity. They're washed, given a clean place to settle, provided with a little medication to ease pain, and dealt with in a dignified fashion during their last living moments.

According to Pitterle, the alternative for most of these people is to die on the same

Feldman, cont.

Feldman reminded, "I'm not a crusader on any of these questions." He went on to comment that the implementation of the ruling "would be a mistake." For

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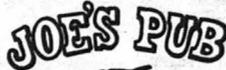
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George Winston: A crescendo of pure music in concert

By Mark Hoff

The stage of the Sentry Theatre was set. An eminent Steinway grand stood ready for the artist's entrance. The house lights dimmed, and the anticipation of the house grew. On walked a thin-framed man clad in a pair of blue jeans, a plaid shirt, and white socks. From that moment on, George Winston had the entire audience in the palm of his hand.

The Michigan-born pianist dismisses the glamour that so often surrounds musicians in the entertainment field. His unadorned appearance, laid-back delivery, and simplistic musical approach proved even to the most stringent musical purist that hype has no bearing on performance quality.

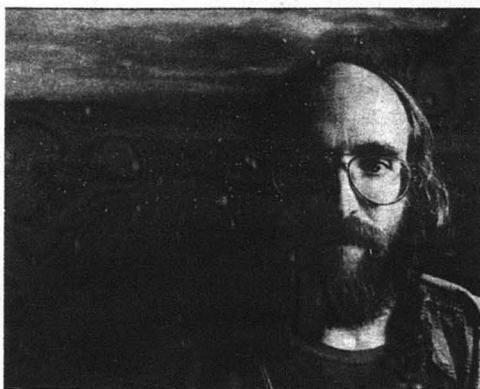
With four releases on the Windham Hill record label, Winston, at age 34, has gained the admiration of a cult-type following. "Autumn," recorded in June of 1980, established Winston as one of the biggest selling

artists ever on an independent label. "Winter Into Spring," and "December," both released in 1982, have reached impressive positions on Billboard Magazine's Jazz LP charts.

Winston's opening number, "Colors," from his "Autumn" album, presented a fluid, moving theme, covering over four octaves of ivory. The composition took the audience on a trip through the vibrant amber, red and golden hues of a Wisconsin countryside in September.

Refraining from seriousness, Winston followed with the theme song "Linus and Lucy," from Vince Guaraldi's sound track for the Charlie Brown Christmas television special. Winston then went into "January Stars," a pensive composition, utilizing the natural vibrato of the piano.

After explaining the dynamics of stride piano, Winston performed "Cat and



Winston—a laidback simplicity.

Mouse," an original composition inspired by pianist Fats Waller. Its lively pace increased in speed and climaxed into free-form chaos. Finishing off the first half of the performance, Winston played an enigmatic Irish folk tune on stride harmonica.

Combining humor with music, Winston peppered his concert with in-between-song jokes. Referring to the vastness of the theatre, he mused that "it is like being inside a big UFO."

After a short intermission, Winston returned on stage with an acoustic guitar. He

proceeded with a pastoral improvisation inspired by North American guitarist Alex de Grassi, and Hawaiian slack-key guitarist Keola Beamer. He then resumed his piano role with the sporadic "Rain" from "Winter Into Spring." The percolating, emphatic theme combined idiosyncratic jazz with classical composure. This was followed by the uplifting "Blossom-Meadow."

Turning to his most recent work, Winston played two songs from "December." The thought-provoking "Thanksgiving" presented a resonant theme of melancholy. Winston then expressed a fantastic musical interpretation of Johann Pachelbel's "Variations on the Canon," composed circa 1699.

In another break from somberness, the pianist played another short stride composition, "Cat and Dog." He concluded with another spellbinding interpretation of

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Full Moon over the Encore

By Laura Sternweis

Pointer Features Writer

A Full Moon rose over UWSP for two shows at The Encore. On March 18 and 19, Full Moon performed a unique style of "acoustic blues and more."

Jim Ouska and Shelly Siegel are Full Moon, a dynamic blues and bluegrass duo. A powerful blues guitarist, Ouska has an equal flare for bluegrass picking and is adept at the piano. Siegel, a fine flute player and guitarist, is an excellent singer. Her theatrical background is evident in her bawdy singing style.

Full Moon's Encore performance included Southern Appalachian fiddle tunes, Hank Williams and Carter family blues, traditional English folk songs and a little rock and roll. Ouska and Siegel also played a few square dances for anybody who felt "like letting 'er rip."

Full Moon's casual style made the audience feel at home, and Siegel encouraged the audience to participate with hand-clapping and finger-snapping.

Writing seminar Penning a career

By Lora Holman

Pointer Features Editor

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Pitterle cont.

streets that have been their home their entire lives. The city government then collects all the dead bodies and piles them on the edge of town. "It takes a lot not to just throw up when you see one of those piles," he said.

There are over 4 million people living in the country. About a fourth of them live and die on the streets. Pitterle claims the fact that a group like the Missionaries of Charity exists to make their final moments a bit more bearable is really appreciated by the masses.

When asked about the founder of this group, Mother Theresa, Pitterle remarked, "there is a lot of love in that woman!"

"What's remarkable about her these days is that she has her missionary group spread out all over the globe, including right here in the states. Yet with all of that going on, she stays right on top of everything and is still there whenever anyone takes their vows into the order."

Pitterle's personal contact with Mother Theresa was limited, but since she is a very soft spoken woman, he explained that she "has her message down pat so that if you hear her speak it once, you know the message she's

trying to share."

Pitterle ended our conversation with his perception of what the likely future of religion (i.e. Catholicism) will embrace.

"Since it was first talked about at Vatican II, more and more emphasis is being placed on the concept of the "Church of the people. Out of necessity," he added, "this is going to become even more true."

"We won't have the physical leadership of priests because of their dwindling numbers, yet the desire for religion in our lives will still be there, so we'll have to take more of the responsibilities on to ourselves. It'll be interesting to see where this leads regarding female priests and lay person roles."

"Necessity will be the mother of invention," concluded Pitterle. "Rome won't be dreaming a beautiful dream and passing it out to the people. Things will change, and then Rome will make them official."

Writing, cont.

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Reid Miller, a performing story-teller with the Wisconsin Arts Board. He has worked in many schools throughout the state and has published versions of his tales.

Robert Siegel, a poet, writer of fantasy novels, and a professor of English at UW-Milwaukee. A winner of numerous national awards, his writings have appeared in *Atlantic*, *Poetry*, and other magazines.

Jeanne Slettom is an arts critic, book reviewer, and frequently published free-

lance writer. Her work regularly appears in the *St. Paul Pioneer Press* and other newspapers.

For all those interested in the Rites of Writing schedule, contact The Writing Lab or consult bulletin boards.

Winston, cont.

a 19th century Ukranian piece, "Carol of the Bells."

Winston then returned for a brief encore "inspired by 1957 sockhops" in Vermont. "What You Got Is What I Like," with barrelhouse piano brought the audience into a musical frenzy.

The style of George Winston is on a par with those of Ralph Towner, Lyle Mays,

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Dawson speaks on formation of public intervenors' office

By Todd Hotchkiss
Pointer Environmental
Editor

When examining and discussing such issues as pesticide contamination of ground water here in the Central Sands area or metallic mining in Northern Wisconsin and the threat it poses to ground water purity, one can not overlook the role of the state public intervenor in the process of formulating solutions to these problems.

This state office, the Wisconsin public intervenor, has been mentioned in numerous Pointer Magazine articles this year. However, because an in-depth background of the public intervenor has not been given, some of you may be wondering: What is this Wisconsin public intervenor?

Fortunately, Thomas Dawson, one of Wisconsin's two public intervenors, was on campus Friday, March 18 as he gave an organized, well-explained historical and functional description of the public intervenors' office in a lecture to the Community Environmental Issues Investigation class, Natural Resources 478.

Where did the Public Intervenor come from?

Before 1967, Wisconsin had no Department of Natural Resources (DNR). There were many state agencies, like the Conservation Commission, the Resource Development Commission, and the old, and very different from today, Public Service Commission, all of which had power to act upon the environment. The problem was that each agency represented a certain narrow interest which necessitated numerous court battles and little consistent environmental policy. A change was obviously needed.

In 1967, a state commission, the Kellet Commission, was formed to reorganize state government. It included in its plan the consolidation of the Conservation Commission and Resource Development Commission into the DNR. Antagonistic friction between the CC and RDC indicated that however more efficient such planning and structure would appear, its effectiveness would be minimal due to internal conflicts. Again, it was obvious more changes were needed.

A compromise was struck between the RDC, which sought more lenient environmental regulations to aid them in resource development, and the CC, particularly the "redshirts," hunters and fishers, who feared being overpowered by devel-

opment interests.

The compromise was that informing the DNR the office of the Wisconsin public intervenor would be formed. The public intervenor would be an institutional advocate for environmental rights and protection to watch over the development-oriented DNR.

Further Independence for the Public Intervenor

Up to 1974, Wisconsin was served by one intervenor. Appointed by the Wisconsin attorney general and working within the Wisconsin Department of Justice, the public intervenor would often work in this capacity part-time. The public intervenor was working under the pressure of appointment and dismissal by the attorney general. Plus, the public intervenor could decide if there were any worthy environmental cases to work on and could decide whether to work on a particular case. Thus, the public intervenor was totally subordinate to the attorney general, and as long as the public intervenor pleased the attorney general the public intervenor was successfully accomplishing the job.

A state-sponsored study in 1975 revealed the extensive weaknesses in this relationship. Not only did the attorney general exert too much power over the public intervenor, but often the public intervenor would take the DNR to court where the DNR would be represented by the attorney general's office. The influential possibilities before everyone, more changes were needed.

This 1975 study recommended that an oversight citizen advisory committee be formed to assist the public intervenor to set/program priorities, select cases, and discuss and set strategy.

Members of the citizen advisory committee were to have a background in environmental and conservation advocacy. This did not mean that only full-time environmental activists would make up the committee. For instance, the current committee includes industrial representatives and a dairy farmer, who, according to Dawson, are concerned about protecting the environment. This committee was not charged with representing the public, but with representing the public rights in the environment. In other words, the citizen advisory committee was formed to make sure the public intervenor protected the environment.

The members of the citizen advisory committee were to be appointed by the attorney general. Since 1975 there has been one attorney general, incumbent Bronson La Follette, who has not recreated the frictional vestiges of the past. La Follette does not get directly involved in the decision-making process, since he holds no veto power. Plus, the advisory committee has recommended to La Follette replacements for the committee.

Currently, the public intervenor has two "number one" priorities, as intervenor Thomas Dawson called them, in pesticides and ground water. These issues are the most timely and important but not all of the time of the two intervenors is spent on these two issues. Dawson said non-

point source runoff, building a dam on a trout stream, and trapping are examples of other issues the public intervenor is responsible for. Additionally, he said that metallic mining in Northern Wisconsin and protection of wetlands were the two "number one" priorities in 1976.

Drawing up administrative rules

Enforcement of the protection of Wisconsin's natural resources can take two forms. One is legislative. If the legislature does not draw up bills from policy regarding a resource, the Legislature can empower the DNR to enact administrative rules or regulations which have the force of law. Dawson indicated that rule-making regarding the environment often begins with state agen-

cies rather than the Legislature. These rules, like a legal case, can be precedent setting.

In drawing up rules, an agency can originate the impetus or the public can provide the impetus via petitioning. Chapter 227 of the Wisconsin state statutes allows 5 people or one corporation or one municipality to petition a state agency to adopt rules. Dawson said this citizen process had been utilized regarding pesticides, metallic mining, and wetlands. The intervenor also has the power to draw up a petition, when not empowered by the Legislature, to initiate a rule-making process.

There is one major advantage to approving administrative rules over legislation. Continued on p. 17

200 mile trek

EC walkers back from birdland

By Sheldon Cohen
Environmental Writer

For the 13 students from the Environmental Council who endured the grueling 200-mile walk from Stevens Point to Eagle Valley Nature Preserve this past spring break, the hike proved to be a triumphant achievement for the cause of eagle preservation.

The journey was filled with both physical hardships and mental strains. Even the best prepared suffered from daily blisters and sore muscles. After each day's travel, the walkers would remove their packs and begin the task of rehabilitating their bodies. Blisters had to be popped so they would dry before morning and muscles had to be massaged to avoid cramping and soreness the next day.

Perhaps the most painful feet of all belonged to Tom Andryk, a member of the UWSP track team, who ran the entire route (averaging approximately 25 miles a day). Tom had been training since the fall by running 100 miles a week to build up his endurance.

As might be expected, the walk provided much time (between conversation and music) for reflection and contemplation. Many incidents along the way confirmed the generosity and support people had for the eagle walkers. After a 26-mile day from Wisconsin Rapids to Monroe Center, the weary travelers were welcomed to town by a group of 15 elderly women who had

prepared hot chili for them at the town hall. All along the way, motorists, who had heard about the walkers on TV or radio, stopped to talk; almost all expressed their admiration for what the students were doing.

What is it like to walk 200 miles in a week? Ruth Kirsch says "walking such a long distance gives a person a different perspective, especially when you see a road sign that says Richland Center—28 miles. And you know that every mile means 20 minutes of walking. The hardest part," says Kirsch, "was walking at night. Most days, we would spend the last 3 hours walking in darkness." Joe Kies thought the climax of the trip was the walk up the driveway that led to Eagle Valley Nature Preserve. "All of a sudden we felt the realization of what we had done!"

The afternoon of the last day was spent walking the huge bluffs of the 1400-acre nature preserve overlooking the Mississippi River. The sighting of 40 bald eagles that day was a reminder of both the strength and fragility of a species' existence in a land where the balance of nature has been upset.

Much of the work done by Eagle Valley Environmentalists (EVE) is designed to restore part of that balance. The methods they employ include the purchasing and preservation of wintering habitat and coordination of restoration activities with various public and private agencies. There

are currently 12 states with active bald eagle restoration programs. Two techniques or "management tools" are being used to introduce young eagles into the wild. "Hacking" involves the placement of eaglets into a man-made nest when they are about 7 or 8 weeks of age. Fed by concealed attendants, they learn to fly, hunt and feed on their own. The hope is that eaglets will return to the same area to nest when they reach sexual maturity approximately 5 years after hacking. Other states are using "chick implants;" in this method, an eaglet (raised in captivity or transferred from a successful nesting region) is placed in a nest of adults that were previously unsuccessful in their attempt to produce offspring.

With the age of mechanization, man's hopes, thoughts and customs have changed. As our powers have grown, we have become increasingly blinded to the natural treasures that once profoundly shaped our lives. The bald eagle's plight is a symbol of how nature's balance has been undone; the future challenge is to restore this balance.

A successful effort to save the eagle will only be realized through the dedication and commitment of individuals, private organizations and government agencies. A well organized and coordinated program based on sound biological data can forever preserve this soaring inspiration of our national heritage.

Hotchkiss, cont.

Approval of rules comes from a seven member DNR board by four votes. "Isn't that easier than getting half of the Legislature," asked Dawson, and preventing the governor from vetoing?

The contested case and politics

The other form of enforcement of natural resource protection is the contested case, or "administrative trial." The contested case is the way people can intervene in the process of granting a permit which will degrade the environment. This right of intervention is guaranteed also by Chapter 227.

To get a contested case hearing six or more citizens can file a "six citizen complaint" of environmental pollution, or the public intervenor will find any six citizens to sign a complaint alleging environmental pollution. This complaint, legalized under Chapter 144.976 of the state statutes, is filed with the DNR.

The DNR then transfers it to the Department of Administration division of DNR hearing examiners. A hearing examiner from DOA will "preside" over "the trial" much like a judge. The contested case hearing is just like a trial, said Dawson. Thus, it is advisable for the complainants to have lawyers in a contested case.

However legalistic this may sound, Dawson commented, "It is a political process. It is not a legal process." He said that to pass a general statewide rule based upon one or a couple of incidents the media

would "have to be used to demonstrate the plight of the victims." Media would have to also be used to pressure the agency against which a complaint is filed by showing one's grass-root, agency, and legislative support.

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Pointer Boosters excite fans

By Tamas Houlihan
Pointer Sportswriter

Along side the jocks, another group of athletic supporters deserves some recognition and credit for the highly successful season enjoyed by the UWSP men's basketball team. The cheerleaders and the pom pon girls were instrumental in garnering fanatic vocal support for the team.

These dedicated individuals gave an average of 8 hours per week for 6 months, learning, practicing and perfecting their cheers and routines. The rewards for their hard work consisted of one academic credit for physical education, a round of applause from the crowd following a performance, and the personal satisfaction one gets from knowing she has successfully completed a difficult task.

Why do these people sacrifice so much of their time for what appears to be such minimal appreciation? Katie Johnson of the pom pon squad said, "Performing in front of a large audience is exciting and fun. We work so hard all week long, it's great to see everything turn out right when we perform, and to see the crowd really get into it. A lot of satisfaction comes from seeing the crowd pleased, and to get complimented by individuals afterwards. The people are always really warm and receptive."

Being a pom pon girl is not always exciting, glamorous and fun, however. "Sure, there's some bickering, disagreement, and discrepan-

cies," said Mary Benepe. "A lot of hard work goes into the practices and performances. It's a big commitment. People don't realize how complicated the organization and synchronization can be. There's bound to be difficulties, as there are in any group, team or even family situation."

From talking to the members, however, the pros definitely outweigh the cons. Cheerleader Kari Hermsdorf said, "Everyone was fun to be with. The crowds were great, the team was great and I enjoyed working with everyone involved. I think it was a very worthwhile experience."

Mary agreed: "I'm very glad I was on the squad. I made a lot of really good friends, and also felt like I was a part of the basketball team. I love sports and this gave me a chance to be actively involved with the team."

Katie also thinks the rewards far outweigh the hassles. "The practices can get tedious and there is some bitching, but basically everyone gets along really well — especially at the games," she said.

"In a lot of ways it's very comparable to a sport. You work hard all week to reach a level of excellence, then you perform in a relatively short amount of time, and it's over. It requires a lot of hard work, hard exercise, teamwork and individual soundness. You get nervous sometimes, especially just before performing, but once you're out there, everything

just starts to flow, and once it's over, you feel really good, like you've really accomplished something.

"And like a sport, it's supposed to be fun. It isn't all the time, but overall it really is. I also found it to be a great way to relieve stress

and tension. You get out there and jump around and sweat — really get it all out. I found it very rewarding."

Pointer head coach Dick Bennett also had words of praise. "If you look at the strong basketball teams across the country, you always see that they have a

quality pom pon, cheerleading and pep-band arrangement. Their contribution is really important to any solid program. I think our squads have grown in enthusiasm and quality each year I've been here. The players and I really appreciate their efforts."

PRESS BOX

By Mary-Margaret Vogel
Pointer Sports Editor

How many accolades can you bestow on a basketball team that repeats as conference kings, takes the District 14 championship, is the first UWSP team to go to Kansas City since 1957, and in the process gives so much joy to its fans? This year, not enough.

The last whistle has blown and the scoreboard is dark but it seems like just yesterday when head coach Dick Bennett was giving his cautious season prospectus. "It's a strong and balanced conference this year and it'll be a dogfight all the way," he said. "But Kansas City is our goal," he added firmly. And to Kansas City they went, thrashing Point Loma in their tournament opener, only to go on to lose to Liberty Baptist by a heart-breaking two points. Not an easy loss to take for a winning team — a team that boasts

only one conference defeat for the season.

To whom do we owe this winning season?

Certainly to the tough and tenacious Bennett, who's unrelenting insistence on a game with defensive emphasis balanced by a patient offense posed the challenge. And the starters, excellent ball handler Brad Soderberg, 6-foot, 6-inch center Brian Koch who could hold big men like Whitewater's 6-foot-8 Mark Linde to two points in a game, rabbit-quick guard Terry Porter, and hot shooters John Mack and Freddie Stemmeier. And who can forget the Purple Gang — Bennett's eager, competent second unit who kept control of the game, provided breathing space for many wins, and gave the first team a much needed rest.

There are the obvious people to attribute the team's success to.

Then there is the supporting cast, the people who work just as hard all season but aren't quite as visible. These people include assistant coach Jerry Gotham, whose quiet words of encouragement neutralized the tension on the bench, jayvee coach Jim Kasmarek, who guided his squad to a 4-6 record, managers Bruce Nelson and Joe McGinnis, and student trainer Dan Wilhelm. Also, the cheerleaders, who along with the pep band were coaxed by the crowd at every home game to lead the lusty pregame cry, "Dick, Dick, open the door, let your Pointers on the floor."

And of course there are the fans, obnoxious and reserved alike, without whose support the games would have been like a dance without music. A dance that for the 1982-83 season was one all of us were proud to accompany.

Hartman accepts new position

By Mary-Margaret Vogel
Pointer Sports Editor

UWSP athletic director Dr. Paul Hartman, who resigned last month, has accepted a position as athletic director at Oakland University in Rochester, Michigan, effective June 1. Hartman was one of 60 applicants for the job.

"The Division II school has three full-time coaches and several part-time coaches and I will be looking forward to building the program and adding staff," Hartman said. "I also look forward to the challenge of blending athletics and high academic standards," he added.

Hartman has mixed emotions about leaving UWSP.

"There are a lot of people at this school and in this community whom I will miss," he commented. "The job came as a surprise but I

look forward to new orientations in life."

Hartman's successor at

UWSP, who has not yet been chosen, will take over his duties starting this summer.

Netters split on road

SID — The UWSP men's tennis team defeated St. Norbert College by a score of 5-4 in De Pere Friday and lost to UW-Milwaukee 9-0 in Milwaukee on Saturday.

The Pointers won all the doubles matches and two of the singles matches to clinch their victory over St. Norbert.

Winning single matches for UWSP were Scott Stachowiak, 6-4, 6-3 against Wayne Melacha; and Jim Seeman 6-2, 6-2 against Jim Guilfoile.

Winning in doubles play for the Pointers was the combination of Bob Smaglik and Stachowiak, 6-1, 6-2 over Dan Browne and Robin Stowe; Brett Smith and Todd Zaugg, 6-3, 7-6 over Malacha and Kevin Chiuppetta; and

Scott Kussman and Mitch Melotte, 6-3, 6-4 over Joel Baisden and John Steckart.

Pointer head coach John Kapter commented, "Our doubles teams all played super tennis with very aggressive net play." He added, "after doubles victories by Stachowiak and Smaglik and by Zaugg and Smith, the number three team of Kussman and Melotte clinched the match with a 6-3, 6-4 straight set win."

Kapter singled out Scott Stachowiak and Jim Seeman for their aggressive singles play against St. Norbert's number two and number six men.

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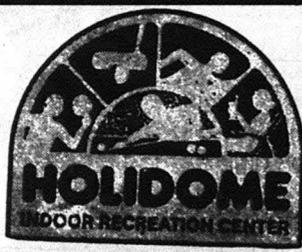
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Bible arch., cont.

Ussishkin.
The 1983 Wisconsin Institute In Biblical Archaeology is the fourth that Schoville has led to Israel, and the first to the

archaeologist, Dr. David Lachish excavation. In the past, Schoville has taken the Institute to excavations at Tel Dan and Tel Aroer. Lachish was chosen for the 1983 program because "it's

an important biblical and historical site," he said. "Our aim is to provide an educational and travel-study opportunity that will be rich and rewarding to the participants," Schoville

continued. Those participants are undergraduate, graduate, and special students who are at least 18 years old, in good health, and carry full medical and accident

insurance. "I want to enable both (college age) students and older people—even retirees in good physical condition—to experience the excitement of an archaeological dig," he said.

All participants in the Wisconsin Institute register for Hebrew 353: Theory and Practice of Field Archaeology in the Middle East. The six-credit program begins on Monday, June 6, with an extensive period of orientation and instruction at UW-Madison. On June 12, the participants arrive at Lachish and begin archaeological training. The program involves lectures, seminars, and most importantly, daily field experience.

"It's a little bit different from sitting in a lecture three days a week," Schoville said.

Participants work on the excavation five days a week, Monday to Friday. The camp closes on Friday afternoon, leaving the participants free to travel around Israel until Sunday afternoon. On July 22, participants leave Lachish and tour archaeological, historical, and holy sites around Israel. The Wisconsin Institute leaves Israel for Madison on July 26.

The total cost of the Wisconsin Institute is \$2,150, and includes registration and tuition fees at the in-state, undergraduate level for UW-Madison's 1983 Summer Session. The fee also covers room and board in Madison prior to departure for Israel, round trip transportation to Lachish, room and half-board in Jerusalem prior to beginning the excavation, and room and board at the excavation site. In addition, the fee covers the tour following the excavation phase of the program.

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Sunday, March 27

11TH ANNUAL FESTIVAL OF THE ARTS—Sixty-two artists from Wisconsin and the Midwest will demonstrate, display, and sell their pottery, photography, and paintings in the Fine Arts building, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. The festival will also include live music and theatrical performances, including the International Folk Dancers and the Sunshine Guys and Dolls. The festival will also feature a special Children's Show. This event is free and open to the public.

Thursday, March 24-
Tuesday, March 29

DANCE THEATRE—Point's annual orgy of dance will be a salute to Spring, and will feature everything from ballet to improvisation. Showtime is 8 p.m. every night in Jenkins, except Sunday, when the curtain time is 8:15 p.m. Tickets are \$1.50 with current student ID, and are available from the Box Office in Fine Arts.

Thursday & Friday, March 24 & 25

JAMES BOND FILM FESTIVAL—Thursday night it's *Dr. No* at 7 p.m. and *From Russia with Love* at

9:15. On Friday, it's *Live and Let Die* at 7 and *The Man With The Golden Gun* at 9:15. The flicks show in the UC Wisconsin Room, and admission is listed in various UAB ads and posters as \$1.50 per show, \$1 per night, \$1 per show, and \$3 for both nights. Your best bet is to show up with \$1,000 in gold bullion and cover all possibilities.

Tuesday & Wednesday, March 29—30

AN AMERICAN IN PARIS—Gene Kelly plays an American ex-GI who stays in Paris after the war to pursue his career as an artist, in this Vincente Minnelli musical. Film Society will screen this one at 7 & 9:15 p.m. Tuesday's show is in the UC Wisconsin Room and Wednesday's is in the UC Program Banquet Room. \$1.50.

LIVE

Tuesday, March 29

TOM DELUCA, HYPNOTIST—Come and fall under Tom's spell in the UC Program Banquet Room, starting at 8 p.m. Admission is \$1.



Thursday, March 24

STUDENT EXPERIMENTAL TELEVISION—SET kicks off this week with a live news show at 6:30 p.m. and a look at Mayor Mike Haberman at 7. The rest of SET's schedule is being preempted by Badger hockey. This program is repeated on Sunday, except that you'll see *My Man Godfrey* instead of hockey.

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WANTED: 2 females to sublet a double room. \$100-month. First 1½ months rent is free if move in by April 1st. If interested, please contact Hannie or Gina at 345-1715, evenings. Leave message.

WANTED: Individuals to help drive to the New York City area for Easter. Leaving March 31, returning April 4. Call 345-0878.

WANTED: Apple II Computer. If you ran the ad before Spring break I read it, then lost it. Please contact Pointer Office or call 423-5216 for Shannon.

WANTED: 1 male to share a double room in the Prentice Apts. next fall. \$520 includes all but electricity. Call 345-1733 any time. Non-smoker preferred.

WANTED: Help, I need a place to stay for the 83-84 year. If you know of a single room close to campus with washer-dryer and preferably a fireplace for a neat single male, give me a call. Dan, 346-2062.

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announcements

ANNOUNCEMENT: Oh boy: Does anyone else feel that SAGA has set up a giant monopoly board at the Union with hotels on Park Place? Pass go with your financial aid check and leave it with the food monopoly. Anonymous.

ANNOUNCEMENT: The materials centers are creating a desk mat consisting of advertisements from campus student organizations. It will be distributed during checkpoint in the fall of 1983. Any interested organizations should contact Debot Materials Center by April 8th for more information.

ANNOUNCEMENT: The American Water Resources Association (AWRA) will be having a general meeting on Thursday, March 24, 7 p.m. in the Communications Room in the UC. The Illinois State Conference and the Minnesota trip will be discussed. Everyone is welcome!

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ANNOUNCEMENT: Hey pop music lovers! Don't miss the Mid-Americans, UWSP's swing choir, as they perform for the Art Fair this Sunday, March 27, at 1 p.m. in Michelsen Hall in the Fine Arts Building. This memorable performance is FREE! See you there!

ANNOUNCEMENT: Camper-topper for mini-pickup. Call for details, 341-7088 after 5 p.m.

ANNOUNCEMENT: Guess what, students, faculty, and community members! There is an art department, equipped with a gallery at UWSP! As well as this, one of the art students, Michael Preston, is putting on a one-man art show. It will take place at the UW-Campus Center—System-Baraboo, Wisconsin, April 11-25. Watch next week's announcement section for further details on times and opening reception.

ANNOUNCEMENT: The Canterbury Club will be providing rides to the Episcopal Church services on Sundays. Times for pick up are: 9:50 a.m.—Allen Center, 9:55 a.m.—Debot Center, 10:00 a.m.—University Center. Any questions? Call 345-1964.

ANNOUNCEMENT: "One of the country's best beers. Great zest and character." —Consumers Digest.

ANNOUNCEMENT: 1983 Sandhill Crane Count, Informational Meeting, April 6 or 7 (attend one), 6:30 p.m., A224 Science Building, or contact—Rob Bouto 341-0962,

Tim Wright 341-5048. Actual Count Day is April 16, but you must attend an informational meeting before count.

ANNOUNCEMENT: Student Education Association will meet at 7 p.m., Wed., March 30, in the Turner Room, University Center—Topic—"Steps in a Good Teaching Lesson" (All Education Majors Welcome!).

ANNOUNCEMENT: Post Finals. Boundary Waters Canoe Trip still has limited space available. Only \$70 for a week in the wilderness. \$20 deposit required for reservation. Sponsored by Wisconsin Parks & Rec. Assn.

ANNOUNCEMENT: 2nd Annual Point-Iola Metric Century Bike Ride. T-shirts, prizes, beer, food and lots of fun. Come one, come all. April 23, 9:30 a.m., Iverson Park. Sign-up now at the SLAP Office to avoid late entrance fee.

ANNOUNCEMENT: Mary Elizabeth Smith English Scholarship: The Mary Elizabeth Smith Scholarship Fund offers a scholarship of \$200 to a person majoring in English for Fall, 1983.

Criteria used for awarding the grant include financial need, interest in English, and undergraduate status. Application forms may be obtained from the English Department Office, Room 486 CCC. Application deadline is noon, April 15.

ANNOUNCEMENT: Sex Quiz No. 1: What can 2 people do better than one? a) make love b) make a baby c) prevent an unwanted pregnancy. Learn more about contraceptives and how you and your partner can share in using them most effectively. Informal session on contraceptives, Mondays 4 p.m.-5 p.m. and 5 p.m.-6 p.m. Room 213 Health Center. Call ahead to let us know which session you plan to attend, X-4646. Males, females, or couples welcome! (answer to quiz: d) all of the above.)

ANNOUNCEMENT: Congratulations to the winners of the Middle Earth Photography Contest! Black & White Category: 1st place: Renee Simono, 2nd place: Jeff Lemke, 3rd place: Jeff Rauschl. Color Category: 1st place: Rollie Thomas, 2nd place: Dale Husted, 3rd place: Jeff Rautio, Dale Husted, Tim Blotz. Winning photographs are on display at Middle Earth.

ANNOUNCEMENT: English Exams Scheduled: MAT-MST comprehensive examinations in English will be given on Thursday, April 21, at 9 a.m. in Room 402 CCC. Graduate students wishing to take the English comprehensives must register in the English Office no later than Thursday, April 7.

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lost and found

FOUND: One pair tennis shoes—Call 346-4116, Room 425.

LOST: A rust nylon wallet with a sailboat on one side, containing various things including ID. Lost last Sunday afternoon (March 20) somewhere in the area of the UC and/or on Main Street. Please return. Call Teresa at 344-7760. Reward.

personals

PERSONAL: Happy B-day Pegge. Hope you like your present. You can use it while you're typing to catch up to me, bronze. Love, Mik.

PERSONAL: Davy, it's clear, my dear, that fun in the sun was really special! I am sincere and if you ever want to take a condo cruise or a mile hike along the ocean sand or be Tom and Huck for the day or eat omelets and donuts in the ocean breeze or feed the pelicans blues—I'm game. Thanks again, you really are a "special" friend. Sherry.

PERSONAL: 5 years together. Many more if we avoid the murderers.

PERSONAL: Terrific Chi-who-a-who-a: 5 days and counting, will you get over it? Love 121-126.

PERSONAL: Happy B-day Dr. "D" Growone!

PERSONAL: Golding—Thanks for Thursday night at Buffy's. Signed, Your Mom. P.S. You seem to keep forgetting you've been weened.

PERSONAL: Hey Double Van Fan Club, Problems? Get a job. Find a Travelodge! Meet us for a luau, those purple dogs get hungry. Keep your eyes open—Minnesota semis like ditches. Beware of flying champagne corks. Those Maytag repairmen aren't as dumb as they look.

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Classifieds, cont.

Good tour guides are hard to come by in Kansas City. Can a van coast 60 miles? Here's to running out of gas! A human life is a high stake for an UNO game. What flavor is green beer? Keep dreaming, maybe you'll get to the good part. Thanks Dad and Uncle S. Hey! The 5 Women of Van No. 2.

PERSONAL: Stone: Let's make up for last weekend, and have a relaxing, riotous, ruttish time. I'm ecstatic to have you here, and may not ship you back to white H2O. Even though we don't get to spend much time together, I cherish the times we are. Love — Your Pizza Hot Pick up.

PERSONAL: Dee Mon—Just wanted to thank you for the fun time we had watching the "Wizard of Oz." It was definitely an ejecting experience. Al gol take a sentimental journey over the rainbow Sunday. Love, Alkamena. P.S. Congratulations on your new role.

PERSONAL: John Kyle, Happy 23rd sweetie—you don't look a day over 21. Two down and about eighty more to go—together! I love you. Tina Louise. VFG.

PERSONAL: Stud-less—I don't understand the sever in communication and friendship, but it is your decision.—Sweetie.

PERSONAL: "The world's best 'imported' beer is from

our own Midwest."—Chicago Tribune.

PERSONAL: "Augsburg-er...One of the most highly regarded among connoisseurs." —Vogue Magazine.

PERSONAL: Do you seek the ultimate in adventure? Join the avid fans of "Johnny Quest" Saturday morning at 6:30 a.m. in Burroughs TV Lounge.

PERSONAL: Molly-Irhat a rotten test! Will have to declare mutiny next time. Let's unite the forces. Fran.

PERSONAL: Piker—We wanna party with you as you become a fifth-of-a-centurian. 4 South.

PERSONAL: Rockethips, we love your Thumper and your Dumbo isn't half bad either! 4 South.

PERSONAL: Hey 1N and 2W Watson. "Living together" is still on for Monday. Be ready at 9 p.m.—Piano Room—Get excited!

PERSONAL: Hey Sleaze—Thanks a lot for the great T-shirts! Too bad only one of us "Got Lucky." The one downstairs & the one next door.

PERSONAL: Weekly thoughts from Maturity Manor A. Have you lost your lunch lately? Life is a stem.....K. Are you really a mute?

PERSONAL: Space cadet A.R., have you visited earth lately? —Maturity Manor.

PERSONAL: Sue Sramek,

have a good drunken 22nd Birthday; and if you get duck all over the bathroom wall, I'll clean it up. Love Peggy.

PERSONAL: Hey Supply Side—Give Demand what she wants!

PERSONAL: Doug 404: To relieve you of your paranoia, when God made his gift to women it wasn't you—sorry to burst your bubble!

PERSONAL: The woman with the long dark hair would like to "thank" AJ 448 for the great evening—oh no that's JA—(use your imagination, it has 4 legs and a tail and it's not a horse.)—P.S. That goes double for the blonde.

PERSONAL: Hey Bulldog—where is Loverboy???? Love always, your next door neighbor.

PERSONAL: Judd's a minute—Put those bug eyes back in your head—G.E. is mine! Ha! Ha! Hasta Luego—Fulana.

PERSONAL: Hey 3W and 4E Watson. Don't forget next Tuesday night at 9:30 in the piano room, when you're going to find something out that you never knew before!

PERSONAL: To 4-East: Thanks for being the best wing (and the only wing) I've ever had. You're always

there with encouraging words to support me in my various endeavors. As spring "marches" in, remember Anna is alive and walking the streets of Central

Wisconsin—Beware! Love, Mary "B."

PERSONAL: Moanin' and Groanin' Joan—I love you. Mary "B."

article were hers.

Mario Figueroa noted he came here to get an education, not to avoid military service, as stated in the article.

Setting it straight

Ed. Note: In the interests of journalistic integrity Pointer Magazine would like to make several corrections concerning last week's article, "Refugees tell sad tale of oppression and poverty."

Valentina Lawlor told us she is a native of the Dominican Republic, not Haiti. She objected to our characterizing her as "a refugee." Finally, she did not leave her native land because of political oppression or poverty, but for personal reasons.

Gina Lopez claimed she was not a refugee and left Nicaragua only to continue her education. Furthermore, she objected to implications that any comments concerning Nicaragua in the

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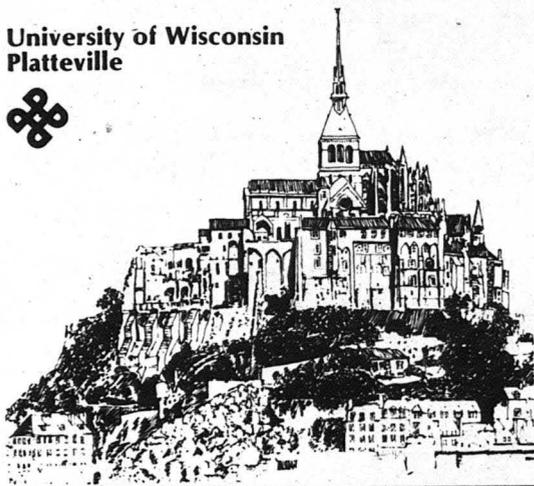
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