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MARY SCHULZ ponders the significance of her position.

Clare Hall Women Re-elect Schulz, Seek Dorm Changes

Mary Schulz, senior, was re-elected president of Clare Hall Sept. 22. This formality was required by Student Services because she was considered an ineligible candidate (2.47 grade average) upon her election last spring. However, after the spring semester, her average hiked to 2.505, five thousandths of a point above eligibility requirements.

When questioned on the major Clare Hall issues for the year, Mary listed 'first, revised housing contracts, then hours revision, constitution up-dating, and an open house policy.'

The present housing contracts, which are required for all dorm students, contain passages which many residents find confusing, ambiguous, and contradictory (see related article).

Hours revision entails a change to the system similar to the one Doyle Hall has had for years. 'We would like to see a 'no-hours' policy in effect for sophomores, juniors, and seniors without parental permission,' stated President Schulz. Freshmen, however, would have hours to facilitate their adjustment to collegiate life.

The Clare Hall constitution is an out-dated document which according to the Clare Hall Board, no longer meets its needs and purpose. The position of Clare Hall Board has changed in the past two years, beginning with the open lounge campaign, from a social group to an involved legislative body. The new constitution will provide for the board's more active role.

The open house policy will propose more frequent inter-visitation. The honors system would replace chaperones, who often feel 'weird and out-of-place at open houses' according to Mary Schulz.

For the first semester, housing contracts, hours revision, and constitutional revamping will be dwelt upon. The second semester will be dedicated to open house policy.

'I do not expect to see all these things fully accomplished,' said Mary. 'In the first place, we need time to see how they work.'

The major concessions of the administration thus far this semester have been the opening of Clare Hall Lounge for all hours, the fixing of the snack kitchen stove, and the purchasing of dividers for the basement lounge.

Student Services Rejects Student Board's Advisor

The 1970-71 Student Board held its third regular meeting Sunday.

The Academic Affairs Committee is studying a proposal whereby students could test out of certain courses yet receive credit for them. A proposal that no tests be given Monday-Wednesday of election week will be placed before the Faculty Council. The proposal will also ask that students missing classes to work during elections be allowed to make up class work.

Student Services Committee reported that its meetings will be open and held on the first and third Wednesdays of the month at 3:30. The agenda for the next

meeting will include the organization of an appeals board and

the possibility of Greek organizations on campus.

Jim Herbe reported that the interim appeals board will begin hearing cases this week and that there is favorable faculty reaction to seating non-voting students on the Faculty Council.

In new business, the Board voted to set up a committee to study the purposes and goals of student government, made up of interested students.

A motion which would make the Social Council responsible for all campus social activities was introduced and tabled for further study.

Enrollment Climbs 14% With Frosh

In spite of incidents of campus disorders during the previous academic year, Marian College's '70-'71 freshman class is the biggest ever according to figures recently approved by the college's president, Dr. Dominic Guzzetta.

Although there has been an increase of some 14% in freshman enrollment, from 288 in '69-'70 year to 328 this year, there has been a marked decrease of enrollment in the higher three classes. (These figures include 'holdovers', those students who after a particular year are some credit hours short of progress to the following grade.)

Last year's freshman class provides an example of these losses. Forty-three percent of last year's freshman class did not return, causing a 29% net decrease in this year's sophomore class. Last year's sophomore class of 250 has dwindled 29% to 177.

The somewhat more entrenched juniors lost 15% over the summer and thus only 160 of last year's 190 have returned to be this year's seniors. (The senior class-to-class loss is virtually nil from 163 in '69-'70).

It is apparent then, that although there was that sizable 14% increase in freshman enrollment, the losses in the other three classes outweighed this and a total school net loss has resulted.

The figures presented show that this loss consisted of totals of 6% (only including full time students) and of 8% for all students, those at Oldenburg included.

It should be noted here that transfer students are included in the numbers.

When a state by state and foreign enrollment breakdown is available, it will be reported.

In past Board action this year, a motion to allot Social Council \$4,800 for a fall concert failed.

It has been requested by the Administration that the Student Board Advisor be a member of Student Services. The Board had previously requested Mr. Dougherty, Mr. Lowe, or Mr. Pedtke for its advisor and voted to hold to these choices despite the Administration request.

Treasurer-elect Dennis Dubois is currently on social probation and not allowed to hold office. His case is currently being appealed, but due to the time necessary for settlement or rejection of appeal, an interim treasurer is needed.

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Housing Contract Overtones Ambiguous

Upon returning to Marian College, resident students were given a housing contract and a sheet of housing contract policies.

Some students signed these. Some students signed without reading the contract. Some read the contract policies and refused to sign.

Specific disagreements include:

- 1) The college reserving the right to check rooms at any time with or without the student's knowledge.
- 2) The contract running exclusively for one academic year without the expressed possibility of exception, and
- 3) The student under 22 who is not an Indianapolis resident must live in the residence hall.

Housing contract objections were clarified Friday by Clare Hall president Mary Schulz and Doyle Hall president Larry Gagnon in a meeting with Dean of Student Services Fred Brames.

A procedure will be written in the new handbook which will outline a system whereby the student may be relieved of contract responsibilities.

Also, the contract will be presented to the students next year before room assignments are made. Unlike this year's approach the contract will be presented simultaneously with the 'terms and conditions of the contract'

sheet (referred to in the contract).

A further statement has been added to the conditions. It reads 'The College reserves the right to check rooms at any time. When related to the safety, protection, preservation, maintenance, or improvement of the rooms, and for the safety of the residents, when it is necessary to enter a room to determine compliance with College policies, the occupant shall be notified and be present.'

According to Mary Schulz, 'All our objections were answered in a manner Larry and I could accept.'

Marian Eleven Acquitted

Eleven Marian students arrested last spring while demonstrating in front of President Dominic Guzzetta's house were acquitted of the charges brought against them. The eleven were involved in the demonstrations advocating tenure for philosophy professor William Pedtke.

They were picketing outside the bushes of the president's house when arrested by Indianapolis police on charges of loitering and being disorderly persons. They were released on surety bonds totalling \$4,600. Surety bonds imply that ten per cent of the amount set must be paid to the court and is non-returnable. To help the eleven cover their \$460 loss the Student Board al-

located \$250. Other interested students sponsored a dance to cover the cost of the bond.

At the Eleven's trial July 15 the charges of loitering were dropped by the prosecution. The court heard testimony on the charge of disorderly persons. After testimony by witnesses for the prosecution, it could not be determined that these eleven students were creating the disturbances for which they were charged.

The 'Marian Eleven' include Gene Bourke, George Buessem, Michael Consolino, John Costerisan, Edward Geremiah, Robert Heitz, John Hellstern, Marty Scheper, Sharon Stark, Patricia Stark and Madeline Rizk.



DANIEL CALLAHAN, author of *Abortion: Law, Choice & Morality*, will speak at 12:30 today in the Marian Auditorium on Population Control. Another view of the subject will be presented Thursday at 12:30 in the SAC Auditorium by Rev. John Conery, S.J.

Have We Killed The Perc?

A visitor to the Marian campus during the first week of school was heard to remark, 'Everybody looks so sad here.' This, during the flutter of freshman orientation, room decoration, new classes, and a few pressing academic responsibilities.

What happened to the boisterous initiations that welcomed freshmen in former years? Where did the noisy, card-playing Perc crowd go? What happened to the continual pandemonium of the study lounge? Perhaps it's my imagination, but people seem to be smiling less. They don't so often speak with strangers or stop to talk to acquaintances.

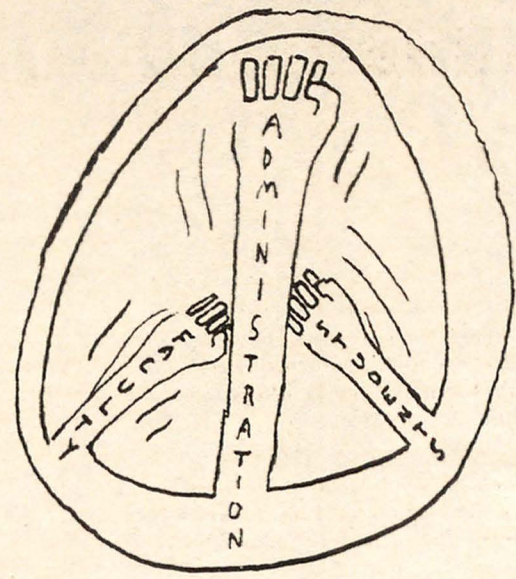
Instead, we at Marian seem to be infested with a growing pessimism, manifesting itself among some members of the student body, faculty, and administration in dishonesty, biting sarcasm, and out-and-out name-calling. In others it produces merely sober demeanor, quiet cynicism, and an isolationist attitude. Both positions are equally destructive.

When reviewing the state of the college, especially during the last year, few of us would deny that there is reason for pessimism. Aborted attempts at communication have produced frustration for all sides. And, to some extent, this is a good thing, for it has brought about a political awareness sorely lacking for some time.

But, if there is cause for despondency, there is not cause for despair. Most of us tend to exaggerate our deficiencies and underplay our strengths. Let's not do that here. Marian College has many strengths, not the least of which is her people, all of whom are approachable, and all of whom could benefit from a little optimism.

Each of us has four years here in which to mature and to help each other mature. We have the opportunity to help this college mature. And that appears to me to be a cause for hope.

L.M.S.



KEEP 'EM TOGETHER!

Letter To The Editor

Somehow, somehow, in spite of all the obstacles, UpBeat survives and flourishes. This past summer was another typical example.

The summer phase of the Operation UpBeat program is primarily designed to be an eight week in-residence experience. During this time, the staff tries to create an environmental situation which is meaningful and responsive. We believe that one of the reasons so many students are unmotivated and seemingly unresponsive in school is because the classroom encounter is often a sterile and a mechanized one. If their education is going to be a real tool, it must be geared to the people it's going to serve.

Summer '70's academic program included such courses as Minority Groups, The City, and After High School What? Also included were several levels of math and literature and three language courses. Each class averaged 10 students, and in all classes students had easy access to their teachers and individual tutors. Some of the extra-curricular activities included community service work at Noble School for the Retarded, Central Avenue Health Clinic, and a Protestant Reading Clinic. And of course there were social and cultural outings.

Several new things were initiated with Summer '70 and I'd like to mention two. One was the creation of the UpBeat Sisters Association. This organization sprang up out of a desperate need for funds. The USA sponsored both an arts and crafts fair and a talent show raising some \$500. The other new item was the presentation of the William J. Pedtke Award. This award was inaugurated to commemorate the dedication and devotion of UpBeat's founder. The first recipient was John O'Kane, the present project director.

Unfortunately in our society and yes, in our school, we have to pay for quality programs and people. This as in other years was

our big problem. There was no eight-week program because we didn't have sufficient funds. However, we were able to go for six weeks; but we didn't know that until the last day of our fourth week. At that point we were prepared to terminate the program. But the persistence and

optimism of one of the grandmothers of our students was the

key to our success. It was the catalyst for a \$2,000 grant from the Lilly Foundation. This is the stuff that UpBeat is made of, guts, courage, love and fortitude.

With a little help UpBeat completed another summer phase. Now we're preparing for our follow-up program. We need a little help. This year we have some 12 students who'll be seniors at both Wood and Attucks. These men and women will need what ever we can give them to finish high school successfully and get into a college of their choice.

Sincere thanks from the staff and participants of Operation UpBeat to you the Marian community for all you've done. You know who you are.

And for you who are interested in UpBeat, see Linda Scott or Sheila Farrell.

Kenny Rogers
UpBeat Coordinator

Committee To Study Marian

An ad hoc committee of the Faculty Council has proposed this month a structure for an extensive self-study of Marian College.

Dr. Guzzetta stated at the September meeting of the faculty that Marian must develop 'restructured contemporary goals and purposes... in the interest of long term survival at an academically respectable and a societal productive level.' He sees the Commission as the determinant of the direction of these goals and hopes that students take a large interest in the study from the beginning.

Miss Haugh, chairman of the ad hoc committee, stated that although Marian has had several self-studies in the past, the need for a comprehensive study is imperative now 'to see where we've been, where we are, and where we're going at the start of the new decade.' She further stated that this need became particularly apparent during the recent study concerning calendar changes at Marian, for such changes would affect every aspect of the school.

America The Beautiful?

AMERICA THE BEAUTIFUL

May 23, 1902, Lansing, Texas

OIL BEAUTIFUL FOR SPACIOUS SKIES

Dudley Morgan, a negro accused of assailing Mrs. McKay, wife of a section foreman McKay, was burned to death at an iron stake here today. A crowd of 4000 men, most of whom were armed, snatched him from the officers on the arrival of the train.

FOR AMBER WAVES OF GRAIN

Morgan was taken to a large field on the edge of town. An iron stake was driven into the ground and to this he was bound until he could only move his head. Heaps of inflammable material were then piled about him and he was given a few moments for prayer.

FOR PURPLE MOUNTAINS MAJESTY

It was 12:12 when all arrangements were completed. The crowd by this time numbered at least 5,000. The husband of the woman Morgan was accused of abusing applied the match and the pyre was soon ablaze.

ABOVE THY FRUITED PLAIN

Then began the torture of the negro. Burning pieces of pine were thrust into his eyes. Then burning timbers were held to his neck and after his clothes were burned off, to other parts of his body. He was tortured in a horrible manner.

AMERICA AMERICA

The crowd clamored continuously for a slow death. The negro, writhing and groaning at the stake, begged pitiously to be shot. Mrs. McKay was brought to the field with four other women, and an unsuccessful attempt was made to get her near enough to see the mob's victim.

GOD SHED HIS GRACE ON THEE

The negro's head finally dropped, and in thirty minutes only the trunk of the body remained. As the fire died down relic hunters started their search for souvenirs. Parts of the skull and body were carried away.

AND CROWN THY GOOD WITH BROTHERHOOD

The men who captured Morgan were then held above the heads of the mob while their pictures were taken. The last words of the doomed man other than the incoherent mutterings made in prayer were:

"Tell my wife good-bye."

FROM SEA TO SHINING SEA

This murder is merely one of 5,000 incidents which occurred in America during the years 1859-1959. The figure 5,000 is not fictitious nor approximate, but a documented fact of American history.

The violence and savagery of these acts cannot easily be forgotten. More importantly, however, they *should not* be forgotten because they relate all too well to our present situation. For today, the Black American continues to suffer the brutality of the white man. Today, the American Indian remains ghettoed on arid reservations. Today, in fact, all minorities are shackled by the bonds of racism, fear, and greed.

Indianapolis cannot escape the violence oppressing the nation. On Sept. 16, a Black family, Bernard Johnson, his wife Rose, and his daughter Sharon, were allegedly beaten by two white Indianapolis policemen. After strong protests by Black leaders, a special investigating committee was established by the City Council. Presently, however, the investigation has ceased as a result of an injunction obtained by the Fraternal Order of Police.

Hopefully, justice will be done, and the policemen, if guilty, will be punished. Personally, I am very skeptical about the chances of Black people to receive justice in America.

Acts of racism and violence continue to permeate the American society. They continue because we, the people, through ignorance or indifference, fail to correct the existing conditions. And although we recoil with disgust, perhaps we, through our apathy, share the guilt.

This is not a call to arms but rather a call for concern, compassion, and action.

As long as we tolerate hatred and viciousness, they will be outstanding characteristics of our society.

T.G.

Where it's at

Fioretti Deadline Friday

The *Fioretti* deadline for contributions will be Friday, October 23rd. Contributions may be given to either Bill Divine or James Asher (co-editors), or placed in the designated box in the publications room. Literary materials of any type and on any subject are welcome for consideration. Students and faculty alike are urged to contribute.

Color Guard, Drum Major Chosen

The sophomore class is sponsoring Day Hop weekend Saturday and Sunday. A dance featuring the Sheffields will be held Saturday from 8:30-11:30 in the intramural gym. Day hops will stay in the dorms Saturday night and an open house will be held Sunday from 1-5 p.m. in Doyle and Clare Halls.

Day Hop Sleep In

The newly selected members of the Drum & Bugle Corps color guard are Sharlene Blank, Martha Bittner, Marybeth Sullivan, Jeanne Whalen, Connie Lawson, Donna Ross, Kathy Doyle, Sharon Hellman, Madonna Bruns, Jane Schroeder, and Kathy Ellis. Craig Blattner was selected drum major.

Mahoney and Miller

by Michael Hohl

John Mahoney and Michael Miller are not easily forgotten by either our august administration or our far-sighted student leaders. Their obituary at Marian College might read simply: Mahoney and Miller. The *Carbon* (Marian's informal weekly of fact and fiction). Vietnam. The Pedtke affair. . . Catherine Spaulding.

The time of transition measured by their first issue of the *Carbon* to their transfer to Catherine Spaulding marks the beginning of an unhappy era for Marian College. (The open door policy always withstanding.)

Mssrs. Mahoney and Miller were casualties of the phenomenon: Marian College. Love it. Leave it. (Or be exiled.) Their journalistic career at Marian proved to be the beginning of the end. The *Carbon* under their co-editorship was certainly the most controversial publication on campus. The paper did have its ups and downs. The co-editors often lapsed into somewhat obscure allegories in order to fill space. Certainly they were literate and sometimes even original.

The most colorful exposition in the *Carbon* was not written by them, but rather by Mr. Russel Hargus with his report on the state of the administration. Mahoney and Miller were also respon-

sible for the special Monday edition of the *Carbon* in which Fr. Patrick Smith, chairman of the religious education department, announced his resignation from the Marian faculty.

Mahoney and Miller were the first to spend their days in the chapel in a vigil for peace and justice. They were the acknowledged student leaders in organizing the pro-Pedtke demonstration. They sensed the problem early and stuck with Pedtke all the way to a Marian version 'Sweetheart contract.'

Both students emigrated to Catherine Spaulding because they found the intellectual climate at Marian disintegrating. Since they were both seeking majors in religious education, they were less than enthused with the conditions that caused Fr. Patrick Smith to leave Marian. (He did not spell faculty *f-a-m-i-l-y*.) Mr. Mahoney had a second major in philosophy. He felt that he would have far-reaching differences of opinion with a teacher in that department from whom he would be required to take his remaining courses.

At Spaulding today, Mahoney and Miller are senators in the student government. Mr. Mahoney is chairman of the academic affairs committee (a post he held last year at Marian). Mr. Miller is getting ready to publish a weekly stenciled carbon, Spaulding's first student newspaper. There's a philosophy professor at Spaulding.

Proclaims Self Work Man's Friend

'At a time when the economy is suffering and many programs such as pollution control and Veterans' Hospitalization are inadequately funded, Congress should be taking the initiative.'

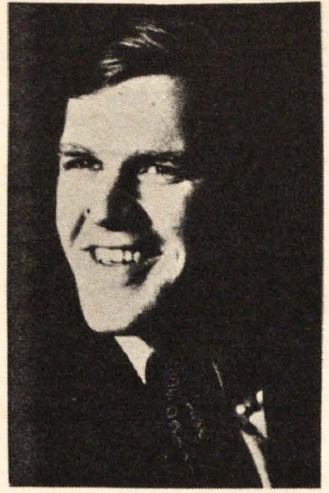
These are the words of 24-year-old Terry Straub, the youngest candidate for Congress in the United States. Straub, who is a native of Springfield, Illinois, and a graduate of Indiana University, is challenging congressman William G. Bray for the sixth congressional district seat of Indiana.

Straub asserts that the incumbent is part of a national administration that is acting against the best interests of the working man. He claims that Nixon and Bray have ignored the increased unemployment, interest rates and inflation that is presently plaguing our nation.

Straub has proclaimed himself as a friend to the working man. He indicates that organized labor is being attacked by labor

court proposals and that farm workers and government employees are being excluded from protection of labor laws. He says Nixon and Bray are doing all they can to support these attacks on labor. The Marion County Central Labor Council has unanimously endorsed Terry Straub's candidacy.

One of the most striking proposals ever made by a congressional hopeful was put forth by Straub on Aug. 6, 1970 when he



TERRY STRAUB, candidate for 6th congressional district.

said, 'Quite frankly, Congress is taking too large a piece of the federal pie, and too much of the taxpayers' money is going to pay Congressmen's salary. Fiscal responsibility and realistic allocations of funds should begin at home.' Straub then proposed a cutback in Congressional salaries to the pre-1965 level of \$30,000 with allowance for increase in the Consumer Price Index since 1965 and hereafter.

With the congressional elections only a few weeks away, the sixth congressional district is shaping up to be an interesting battleground.

In Memoriam

by Linda Smith

'He ain't heavy, Father, he's my brother' was the theme of a poster which Ginger Giorgio made last year for her room in Clare Hall.

Ginger (Virginia) Giorgio was a member of the class of 1972, a Sociology major, an enthusiastic volunteer at Central State Hospital, Girls' School, and Christamore House, and a reliable Admissions office secretary.

On September 5, in an accident on the Chicago Skyway, Ginger died. Only a small remnant of her immediate family mourned her, for her mother, two sisters, and grandmother were also killed in the crash. Mourning, for the most part, rests with the Marian community - with classmates, friends, co-workers, and fellow volunteers who deeply feel a loss. Our first impulse in mourning is to question 'Why?'

Ginger was, perhaps, a 'typical' student. She led a full and active collegiate life, and still found time for her 'brother,' the deprived and mentally ill children with whom she worked. Perhaps our question should be 'How?' instead of 'Why?'. How can we perpetuate Ginger's enthusiastic spirit and warm dedication? How can we learn from her life and her tragedy? How can we prepare ourselves for the same fate?

In a Christian community, we find the consolation that 'life is not ended, but merely changed.' Perhaps Ginger's life is now within us, motivating her mourners to service and fulfillment. Perhaps Ginger is.

Upbeat Aids Inner City

UpBeat, the Marian College program designed to aid underprivileged youth, has made an appeal for volunteers to supplement their school year tutoring program. In order to continue the work begun in their summer sessions, held on campus, UpBeat needs private tutors who will donate their time through the year.

UpBeat's other fall plans are still in the formative stages. Geaither promises that the organization will be in full swing within a few weeks. A prime objective remains for UpBeat: 'We want members of the community at large to know that UpBeat is worthwhile. We want everyone to realize that what we are doing is vital,' Geaither said.

Sister Norma Views Dean As Coordinator

Among the duties of the Dean of Academic Affairs as defined in the faculty handbook are the following: 'The Dean of Academic Affairs shall...serve as the Dean of Faculty and exercise supervision over the faculty, formulate educational policies with the faculty, designate members of the faculty to classes, committees and other duties.'

Sr. Norma Rocklage, named acting dean in April, 1970, has determined to carry out these duties in a very non-arbitrary manner. She sees herself as a coordinator of academic activities, working with department chairmen in setting up the program of the college. Sister defines her role as 'being of service to all members of the academic community and coordinator in educational matters.'

Another of her duties is to represent the college at educational meetings, and she is anxious to share the benefits of these meetings with faculty and students in an active way.

In addition to her duties as a dean, Sister was named in March one of thirty-five recipients of the American Council on Education (ACE) Fellowship in Administration.

As part of her fellowship work she will spend some time working closely with each of the college's executive officers, attend two week-long and one weekend seminar, and write a paper on some aspect of higher education.

Far from conflicting with her work as dean, Sister feels the fellowship work will aid her in her administrative work. Sister also stated she felt that the experience would be of benefit to herself and the college community.

Sr. Marilyn Hofer, who is working on her doctoral dissertation, will be assistant to Sr. Norma upon her return to Marian at the end of the semester.

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Rose Poly Spoils Cross-Country Debut

The Rose Poly Engineers spoiled Marian's cross-country debut on the Knights' new home course by winning the opening meet for both teams by a 20-56 count.

However, swift-footed Bruce Hudson stole much of the limelight by finishing first in the four-mile event, shattering all existing school records with a clocking of 20 minutes, 54 seconds.

Described as a 'really dedicated athlete' by cross-country mentor George Dickison, Hudson was the only Knight to place in the top five runners in the meet.

A sophomore, Hudson was the Most Valuable Player on last year's squad, and is captain this year.

Four freshmen, Dan Puckett, Tom Mellwee, Kevin Carraher, and Michael Yeadon, complete the Marian crew.

Other runners returning from last year are Paul Sturm, a senior letter winner, and Bill Wanninger a sophomore.

Coach Dickison remarked, 'This is the best group of freshmen I've ever had, both in attitude and ability.'

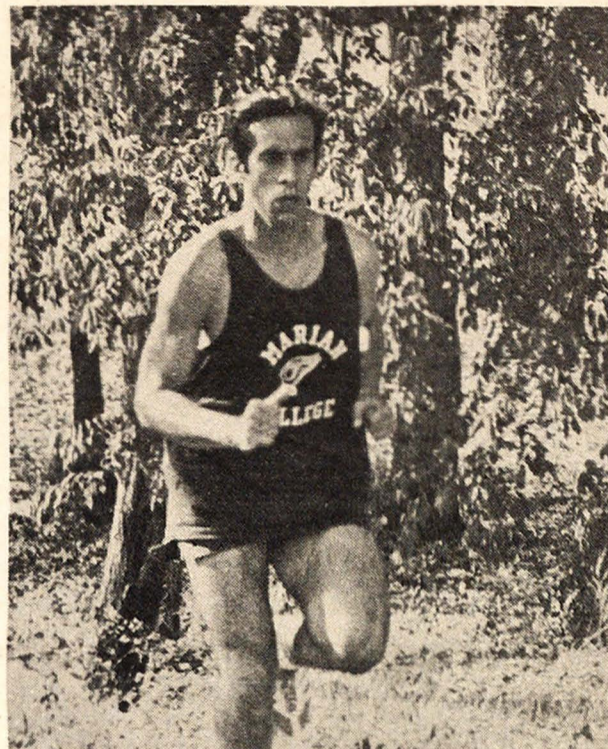
He also commented, 'To a large extent our season is going to depend on Paul Sturm to reduce his time and run in the 21 minute category, and, on Bill Wanninger, hopefully to reduce his time to about 22 minutes.'

In past years, the Knights have hosted their meets at Riverside, but this year they have their own four-mile course on campus.

This bringing of live action into 'the living room' of the campus community is an attempt to generate more support and enthusiasm from the student body.

Five of Marian's next six cross-country meets will be held on this home course, as listed below: (all meets at 4 p.m.)

Oct. 6	Huntington	Here
Oct. 9	Rose Poly	There
Oct. 16	Butler	Here
Oct. 20	I.C.C.	Here
Oct. 22	Anderson	Here
Oct. 27	Franklin	Here



SENIOR PAUL STURM is one key to Marian College cross-country success. Coach Dickison hopes Sturm can reduce his time to the 21-minute category.

Student Energies Needed

One question being asked more and more frequently by students is 'How can we change 'the system' without resorting to radical i.e. violent, means?' Demonstrations have failed, and complete rejection of reality by drugs or apathy provide a dismal answer.

The obvious approach was change from within. And this meant the power of the vote, not the power of the gun. People have to be elected who would vote against war spending, the draft, and ruinous inflation and who would support anti-poverty bills, civil rights legislation, and strong anti-pollution measures.

Thus, the Movement for a New Congress was born. Started at Princeton in May, its goal is to help elect those candidates whose opposition to the war and willingness to re-order national priorities made them the sort of people who, in effect, share many of our own deeply held convictions. After intensive study at Princeton, the field has been narrowed to about sixty very close races.

Two of these races affect us closely. These are the ones concerning Vance Hartke and Andy Jacobs. It must be pointed out here that M.N.C. is a non-partisan organization, not affiliated with any political party. It is the man and his stand on the issues that they are concerned about.

What does belonging to the M.N.C. offer the Marian Student? Work. A campaign is no game. And at a time when the word 'peace' has become an obscenity, that work can often be disheartening. But the fact remains that it is a step in the right direction. There are letters to be mailed, telephone calls to be made, and house to house canvassing to be done. And, hopefully, a victory to be won.

Those who are willing to undertake such a job, please contact Gene Bourke at Ext. 293 or Joe Geiman in the Perc. If we're going to make the system work for us, we've got to work for it.

Team Potential Great

Marian's baseball squad began fall practice two weeks ago, with the hope that when spring time rolls around, the Knights will be able to field a team improved over last year's successful 15-7 club.

According to head baseball Coach John Harkin, fall practice sessions are designed to stress the execution of fundamentals of the game-hitting, fielding, baserunning, cutoffs, pivots, and bunt situations.

'This gives us an opportunity to put our game theories into action, and it allows us to size up strengths and weaknesses before the season gets underway in March,' he related.

'Right now we have 42 boys trying out for the team, and we'll trim it down to about 26 after the 30 days of fall practice.'

Coach Harkin's face lights up when he talks about the potential of his hurling staff.

'Pitching is definitely our long suit,' he commented.

'We'll probably keep ten pitchers, five righties and five lefties, and that combination is the dream of all coaches. Normally, a college team has six or seven pitchers, and is usually short of lefthanders, so this shows our tremendous depth at this spot.'

The respect and acclaim brought to Marian College by its caliber of performance on the baseball diamond can easily be seen by glancing down the list of some of the Knights' schedule.

Marian's 'beefed up' program includes contests with the University of Illinois, the University of Cincinnati, the University of Dayton, Evansville University, the University of Louisville, and tentatively, the University of Miami (Ohio).

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