Parkland begins computer study

By Lori Rhode Prospectus Staff Writer

Pres. Paul Magelli announced last Thursday that a committee of seven Parkland faculty and administrators will begin a comprehensive study of how the College can best utilize computers. Consultants from IBM's Academic Information Systems (ACIS) will assist the Parkland committee with the study.

Greg Maybury, mathematics instructor and head of the study committee, said the purpose of the study is to analyze the potential administrative and academic uses of computers. Mayberry says the study is meant not to discover specific software solutions to computer usage at the College, but to find root computer usage problems within the College.

Maybury said the study will not be restricted to a student guidance or student academic tracking database. The study could uncover the potential for using computers as an in-house communication service, or find methods of improving the productivity of instructors by allowing them to produce final drafts of their own tests and ouizzes

drafts of their own tests and quizzes. Maybury said it is very inefficient for an instructor to handwrite an exam and then give it to a secretary to type. A computer would allow an instructor to produce an exam more easily and would also be very efficient to use in generating reports, Maybury says.

Computers may also be used more widely for instruction. Maybury says computers are a "teaching tool which allows students to learn by discovery." The College is also investigating the use of computers to maintain a continuous record of a student's academic progress here. Such a record would be designed to allow a student and his advisor to monitor the student's progress

Representatives from IBM will be in residence at Parkland for three days a week beginning in March to advise the Parkland committee. Maybury says IBM is here to act as a catalyst for the study, and they will be here to answer the questions the committee encounters.

"They will provide the methodology needed to keep us on track," he said. IBM has cooperated in similar studies at many other institutions and is familiar with the problems Parkland will encounter. Maybury also said the assistance of the IBM representatives does not require Parkland to purchase IBM equipment.

The computer study committee will carry out a three step process. In the first phase of the seven-week study, they will conduct interviews to uncover all of the potential uses of computers in every area of the College.

The committee will analyze the data collected from the interviews in the second phase. Following their analysis of the data they will identify ways to implement the increased usage of computers.

President Magelli took part in a similar computer study while he was at Denver's Metropolitan State College. He became aware of a vacancy in the IBM program and pursued the opportunity to bring the consultants to Parkland.

Magelli said they will use the results of the study in the application process for Title III funds from the state. Parkland already meets some of the Title III requirements, such as having the necessary percentage of Pell Grant eligible students.

By having a comprehensive study conducted on the potential for computer enhanced instruction, Parkland can obtain up to \$500,000 in Title III funds. The study would also lay the groundwork for how those funds would be used.

Other qualifications which Parkland would be required to meet to qualify for the funds include developing programs which are adaptable by other agencies.

Members of the Parkland study committee are: Jonathon Block, Bob Hardig, Bea Hilsenhoff, Bob Laursen, Don Lookingbill, and Paul Kunkel.



Magelli reports C-U residents rank PC highly

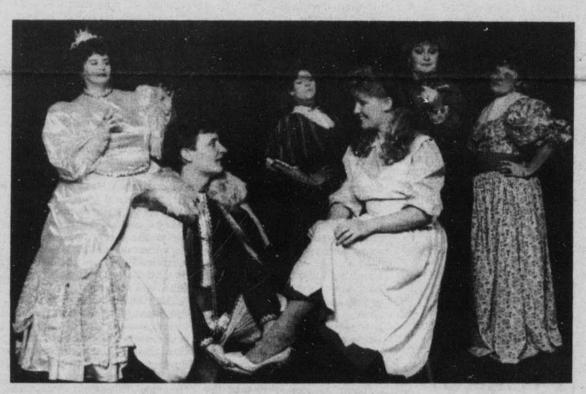
By Dian Strutz Prospectus Staff Writer

During a low-key Board of Trustees meeting on Feb. 17, board members approved the purchase of a new hot water heater for the Photolab, made necessary by the lab's recent move, and accepted a low bid to upgrade the fire alarm system at the College.



Board members were told that the current fire alarm system is adequate but that the new proposed system would provide firemen with more accurate readings on the exact location of a fire. Pres. Paul Magelli said the College will also update the public announcement system at the same time the fire alarm is being upgraded so that all areas of Parkland will be connected to the same systems.

In the President's Report, Magelli told the Board he has been interviewing candidates for 10 new chairperson positions that are part of Parkland's reorganization plan. The candidates were all nominated by their colleagues who "took the nomination process quite seriously," Magelli said. He also said he was very impressed with the quality of the candidates that he interviewed. The president also told the Board about the results of a recent survey of residents of Champaign-Urbana. When asked, "What do you like most about living in C-U?" respondents listed Parkland College in the top 10, he said. The William Staerkel Planetarium was also named as one of the major attractions of the area, Magelli said. In the next four to six weeks, invitations will be mailed to the Marvin Hamlisch concert to be held at Parkland to benefit the Second Mile finanancial assistance fund, Magelli said. The concert, to be held May 3, has a good chance of selling out at \$50 ticket, he said.



Cinderella opens March 3

Centers. Individuals may register for these classes in person at Parkland during regular business hours (Monday-Friday, 8 a.m.-5 p.m.) through March 11 or by mail (mail registrations must be received by 5 p.m., Friday, March 11).

Parkland also will hold a special evening registration on Wednesday and Thursday, March 9 and 10, 5-8 p.m. at the Admissions Office.

A complete list of midterm classes is available from the Admissions Office, 351-2208. Tuition for Parkland courses is \$28.75 per semester hour for district residents. Individuals aged 65 and over may register for a semester fee of \$5 (plus any additional course or lab fees), excluding special programs and workshops.

Finally, the president noted that even though the weather was snowy, the Career Connections Fair that was held Feb. 10

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By Belynda F. Smith Prospectus staff reporter

The Rodgers and Hammerstein musical, "Cinderella," which is the largest and most elaborate production to date at the Parkland College Theatre, will open Thursday, March 3, at 8 p.m. The production has a cast of 58, including area residents, Parkland students and staff, UI students, and 25 children, "Cinderella" is a musical version of the classic fairy tale. Other shows are scheduled for March 4, 5, 10, 11, and 12 at 8 p.m., and matinees March 5, 6, 12, and 13 at 2 p.m.

Prince Charming will be portrayed by Curt Clark, and Cinderella by Erin Eileen Rogers. Both are seniors at the University of Illinois. Other cast members include Stephanie Hepburn as the fairy godmother, Erin Porter as stepsister Portia Prunella, and Jeanne Grap as stepsister Joy Esmerelda, and Patti Good as the stepmother. The director of the play is Rodney Woodworth, who has appeared in a number of local productions, including Parkland's production of "Two by Two" last spring in which he portrayed Noah.

For reservations and ticket information, call 351-1076. Ticket prices for "Cinderella" are \$6 for the general public and \$4 for children, students, and senior citizens.

Planetarium features new show

Beginning March 3, the William M. Staerkel Planetarium at Parkland College will offer "Visit to a Far Planet," a new show about the Voyager spacecraft missions to Uranus and other gas giant planets.

The new show will run Thursday through Saturday, 8 p.m., with matinees on Saturday, 1 and 3 p.m., and Sunday, 3 p.m.

According to Jim Manning, planetarium director, the Voyager missions are part of our long history of attempts to learn about the planets of our solar system. "Visit to a Far Planet" will highlight Voyager's most recent visit to Uranus. "But the story isn't over yet," he adds. "Voyager 2 will fly past Neptune in 1989 for the first close look at that planet."

"Odyssey," the planetarium's inaugural program, will run on its current schedule through Feb. 28, and then will be shown Fridays at 9 p.m. and Sunday at 1 p.m.

For more information about all planetarium programs and admission rates, call 351-2687.

StuGo puts new amendment to test

By Joe Sieben Prospectus Staff Writer

The new amendment to the StuGo constitution was put to the test at the Feb. 16 Student Government meeting. The amendment, which deals with the removal of student senators from StuGo, was approved during campus elections held Feb. 3-4.

The test of the amendment was a recommendation by the review board of StuGo for the removal from office student senator Leslie of Rainey. The recommendation was put to a roll vote following a heated debate between StuGo members. Participating members of Stu-Go voted 8 to 1 to reject the recommendation of the Review Board.

Also unanimously rejected was a proposal to put new copy machines into the library. The new machines would have accepted either coins or a magnetic strip card, and would have raised the cost per copy from a nickel to a dime.

In order to establish fiscal organization in StuGo, treasurer Cecil O. Potter Jr. unveiled a new itemized budget to the Senate. Potter stressed the need for responsible budgeting procedures such as: having monetary commitments approved by the Fibefore nance Committee they are submitted to the Senate for approval, and

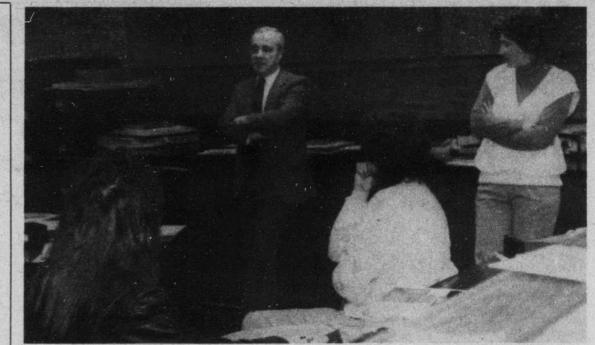
budgeting money for the annual events at the beginning of the fiscal year rather than after the event takes place. StuGo members view the new budgetary procedures as being immensely beneficial

StuGo announced that during college hour on Feb. 23, a table will be placed in the Student Center. Senators will be available to address student concerns and answer questions. Students are encouraged to familiarize themselves with StuGo.

The position of StuGo scretary remains vacant. The position is salaried and open to Parkland students.

Walt StuGo president Rudy reported on the Board of Trustee's workshop study session which was held on Feb. 13. Several issues were addressed at the workshop. Rudy says the reorganization of Parkland College was one of the main topics. Dr. David Pierce of the Illinois Community College Board gave a lecture at the workshop addressing the topic of what community colleges can expect in the 1990's. A lecture by Dr. Gary Davis of the Illinois Community College Trustee Association addressed the roles and responsibilities of a trustee. Rudy says he considered it a productive meeting.

There were no motions on the floor during the Feb. 16 StuGo meeting.



Pres. Paul Magelli was the guest of the Prospectus staff Feb. 16. (seated I-4) Jim Brandt, Todd Lease, (standing) President Magelli, Lori Rhode.

Magelli meets with students

By the Prospectus

Pres. Paul Magelli spoke to the "Prospectus" staff Feb. 16 during the newspaper's weekly staff meeting.

The president told the group that the reorganization of the College will have a positive impact on students and discussed the elimination of Tuesday college hour

Magelli divided the reorganization process into three parts. "The academic reorganization will have a positive impact on students for a number of reasons. It will identify what this college is all about," he said.

Reorganization will also make program evaluation much easier and much more effective, the president said. "Performance assessment of faculty and programs will be redesigned and both, as a result, will be strengthened. There will no longer be a haphazard laissezfaire system," he said.

Support services will also be strengthened under reorganization, Magelli said. "The student advisement will be bettered. We have a new information system that will make advisement much more effective. Services will be streamlined into three student enrollment, areas: finances, and management," he said.

The administration is currently discussing ending the Tuesday college hour. "We are presently in a situation where we cannot schedule as many prime time classes as we would like. Removing the college hour will allow us to schedule approximately 40 to 45 more classes a semester," Magelli said

Eliminating the college hour would create more opportunities for students to fit a schedule to their needs, but "On the down side, it may cut down on the student enrollment in the clubs," he said. With increased scheduling alternatives, however, students would not have to drop one class in favor of another, Magelli said. "We are currently running programs for schedule design and compatibility," he added.

President Magelli also disagreed that students at Parkland are apathetic and do not care as much as they should about the College. "I don't think it is apathy. I believe that it is a preoccupation, and not a selfserving one, with their personal environment. They have other concerns which are predominant and controllable, unlike the bigger problems facing them. To these people, school is a sanctuary, and they don't want to disturb this stable environment. The best way to do this is to not get involved," he told the staff.

President Magelli also commented on the role of a student newspaper, censorship, and how we all define the world we live in. The "Prospectus" hopes to carry more of President Magelli's comments in our next issue

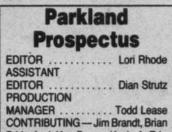
offices move pecial Programs

Bv Ric Heishman Prospectus staff writer

The Department of Special Programs and Community Services has moved to a new location at Parkland, which is sparking new optimism for its future.

We didn't need to move to be effective, but we anticipate that when the renovation is completed everyone will benefit from these relocation efforts, Sandra Boileau the department's director said.

The department's new location is on the second floor of the College Center, adjacent to the TV lounge (offices X-208, 209, 213). The physical space configuration is, to date, un-



finished-but the move involves more than a physical change. Members of the department feel consolidation of the various branches of the department will bring strategic and psychological advantages.

Communication and information exchange between the various coordinators are facilitated as a result of their closer proximity. Boileau describes the current state of the department as a "very cohesive force."

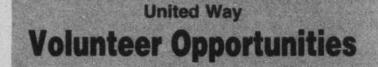
This department serves roughly 10,000 to 12,000 people each year through various programs and is responsible for 26 Learning Centers Area throughout the district. Because of their ties with the general community, department members refer to themselves as "boundary people."

Their mission is to take the good things at Parkland and mobilize them out into the district, Boileau said, as well as to encourage continued learning through non-credit courses and ons both on and off cam pus.

Ann Vitoux, coordinator of the Adult Basic Education and Public Assistance Programs, says the move, coupled with the addition of more office space, is a "wonderful statement of recognition by the institution."

Vitoux cites two reasons for the implementation of change: the continued advocacy of necessary improvements by Boileau, and awareness and action on the part of upper administration, in particular Assistant Vice Presidents Alice Pfeffer and Dale Ewen, and President Paul Magelli.

The Department of Special Programs and Community Services consists of the following programs: Adult Basic Education, Adult Learning Oppor-(ALO), Center for Information (CHI), tunities Information Health Hearing Education Program (HEP), the Office of Women's Studies, Parents and Children Together (PACT), Program for the Long Living, and the latest addition, College for Kids. Most



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HEALTH CARE HOTLINE: Here's an at-home opportunity to help. Training would enable you to take calls at home concerning health care information, referral data and advo-cate services to consumer callers. Help people help them-selves. Your ability to keep confidentiality and interest in health care issues will be welcome. Flexible times.

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Rantoul police seek info on robbery

seeking information on an armed robbery that occurred at the Klothes for Kids store at 127 E. Sangamon, Rantoul.

On Feb. 13, at 3:30 p.m., a black male entered the store and browsed around for a short period of time. When the clerk had her back turned, he struck her from behind. Then the suspect produced a long-barrelled handgun and demanded money from the cash register. After receiving the money, the suspect fled in an unknown direction.

The suspect is described as a light-skinned black male in his late 20's to early 30's, 5'10" to

This week Crimestoppers is 6', with a slender build. The suspect was wearing a dark tan jacket, brown baggy pants, and had a dark color stocking cap sitting high on his head.

Rantoul police investigators are requesting any information you can give about this crime.

Crimestoppers will pay you up to a \$1,000 reward if your information leads to the arrest of the person responsible for this crime. If you have any information, call 373-TIPS. Callers do not have to give their names. Cash rewards are also paid for information on other felony crimes or fugitives in the Champaign County area.

INSTRUCTORS: Do you have a skill or an interest you've wanted to share? Local agency serving the recreational needs of young girls would appreciate your willingness to help teach the girls to play guitar, or give swimming or gymnas-tics or arts and crafts instruction. Girls are from varied racial, religious and economic backgrounds. Will you give one or two hours a week?

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It brings out the best in all of us."

James Coates named Teacher of Merit

By Belynda Smith Prospectus staff writer

James E. Coates is not a man, he is a million men, he is a young, curious child, he is an old woman, he is Shakespeare. James Coates is what most people want to be, and few people ever achieve. He is himself. James Coates is an actor.

Coates is also a theatre and speech instructor at Parkland, who has been given the first Teacher of Merit Award. The award is given once a year to a teacher who has been nominated by students for his/her qualities as an instructor. Coates says he was surprised and reassured that his students nominated him for the award. "During the last three years I have had more questions as to what I am doing," said Coates. Coates feels that the most im-

Coates feels that the most important thing he can teach his students is self-awareness so they can make their own choices. "Self-awareness tells you whether or not you are abusing yourself," he said.

"Acting is castles in the sand," said Coates. "It's not what you say, it's how you say it. You can say I love you many different ways, and all will say something different."

Coates is a man that believes in being different; it is something that he strives for in his life, and his teaching. "I like to act," he declared. "I can teach by example more quickly."

Coates has been employed at Parkland as a theatre instructor since 1977. When he started Parkland didn't have an actual theatre. In 1987 Coates had the opportunity to perform the first



James E. Coates

production in the new theater. Coates directed the Parkland Theater's inaugural presentation of Hamlet, Revamped, Modernized, and Set to Music. The play was a success, and started a tradition of excellence for the Parkland Theatre. Coates has been involved in approximately fifty productions while at Parkland.

Coates has a B.A. in Speech and Theatre from Slippery Rock State College, Pennsylvania, and an M.A. and Ph.D. from the University of Illinois. *Hamlet 1965-75* was the subject and title of his doctoral dissertation.

Coates says his favorite part of teaching at Parkland is seeing the wonder of completing a performance. He likes to see the wonder "unfold on a student's face like the petals of a flower."

LOCAL NEWS

County Republican chairwoman Favors reapportionment

By Dian Strutz Prospectus Staff Writer

She started out 14 years ago as precinct committeeman and worked to get out the vote.

Today, she is chairwoman of the Republican Party of Champaign County, her phone rings 30-40 times a day, and she wants George Bush to be the next President of the United States. Her name is Marjorie Sodemann.

"On a personal level, I am supporting George Bush. I am his lead delegate in the 19th Congressional District, but whoever comes out of the convention, we will support 100 percent," Sodemann told Parkland's Community News Reporting Class Feb. 17.

As chairwoman, Sodemann works to keep the peace in the local Republican Party and to keep members cohesive. She is very optimistic about the future of the Republican Party locally.

"We have a couple of new candidates coming into this election this year for county office whom I'm really sold on," she said. Kermit Harden, who is running for county auditor, has an excellent reputation and would work well with the County Board, Sodemann said. The current auditor, Laura Prussing, often deals with the Board in a confrontational way, and Sodemann said Harden would "work "hand-in-glove with the Board."

Another new candidate, Patricia Jervis, is running for recorder of deeds, and Sodemann says, "She knows what goes on in the office. She'll be very efficient there. These two candidates alone give us added optimism locally in our county. The thing I like about those two candidates is that they have good solid backgrounds. They're not just all show and no go."

The Republican Party does not have a candidate slated yet to oppose Rep. Helen Satterthwaite. "That's tough because there's a perception that she cannot be beaten. I think there's no candidate who can't be beaten at some time," she said.

Sodemann also strongly opposes a referendum that is on the March 15 primary ballot that asks voters if they would



Marjorie Sodemann

like an elected county executive form of government. "It would create a confrontational form of government, and it would be very expensive," she said. Currently, 27 Board members elect the county board chairman. "These are the people who know what's going on in the county" and should select the chairman, Sodemann said.

The Illinois primary election will be held March 15, and those delegates who are elected will go to New Orleans in August to vote for their candidates at the Republican National Convention. Sodemann said delegates are locked into voting for their candidate on the first ballot only. "There's all sorts of horse trading after you get there, and you do so much more than vote for the Presidential candidate. The person you elect to be a delegate has to be knowledgeable enough to know how and when to compromise because no one is going in there and get everything they want," she said.

Besides running as a lead delegate for Bush, Sodemann is also running for reelection to the Champaign County Board. She has been a County Board Member for nine years. She has also been township supervisor for 11 years and plans to run again for that position next year.

Sodemann said representation for all members of Champaign County is very important since the county is so diverse. It includes rural areas, the cities of Champaign and Urbana, the University of Illinois, and Chanute Air Force Base. For the last 10 years, the county has been changing, and there has been an influx of new residents who are associated with the University of Illinois or with businesses that cater to the University, she said. These new residents are mainly liberal and Democratic, Sodemann said, and "The liberals have essentially taken over the leadership of the Democratic Party in this county."

Sodemann strongly favors reapportionment and says this election is important because reapportionment is scheduled in two years. Districts were last redrawn in 1980, and they were very badly drawn, she said. "These districts are ridiculous—the size of them and the shape of them. (Current) districts are 150 to 200 miles long," Sodemann said. "Campaigning throughout such large districts is very difficult," she added. "Districts used to be compact

"Districts used to be compact and you could handle it. Really, you get better representation (with smaller districts) and better acquainted with your candidates," she said. Political maneuvers performed by both parties resulted in badly drawn districts, she said.

As township supervisor, Sodemann also supervises a general assistance fund. The fund previously was used as an emergency fund only, but now the township must follow basic rules set down by public aid. The assistance has "become another layer of welfare," she added. The township assists residents who have no means of support and helps with rent, utilities, transportation, and medical bills. All recipients of aid must actively look for work, she said. Currently, the township has only two people on general assistance although the number of recipients fluctuates, she said.

On her involvement in politics, Sodemann said, "I think you can accomplish a lot. I think you can represent the people in your district very well. I feel like I can represent people because I'm accessible, and I've lived in a lot of social and economic conditions in my life. Frankly, I like people, and I just love campaigning."

PCA endorses use of non-sexist language

By Brian Bridgeford Prospectus Staff Writer

In December the Parkland College Association (faculty senate) adopted a proposal which endorses the use of non-sexist language in instructional and other language use at the College. The proposal was put forward by the communication division chair Karen Keener, the communication division council and English faculty.

The proposal calls for the development of voluntary guidelines that will encourage the use of language that includes both men and women in cases where reference to a specific gender is not necessary.

use of non-sexist language for more than 20 years as part of the discussion of how language shapes our concepts of ourselves and others. The impetus for the recent

proposal was the discovery by English instructor Jim Meyer that a PLATO teaching program taught sexist language and that Parkland had no guidelines supporting use of non-sexist language. In addition Karen Keener found that her title in the 1987 staff director was "chairman."

The guidelines have been approved in principle by the Parkland College Association, and they are being rewritten for distribution throughout the college. Upon completion of the guidelines Keener plans to hold workshops on nonsexist language. Through these workshops and other forums Keener hopes to make staff and students more aware of sexist language and alternatives to its Keener says sexist language is more than the use of "man" or "he" as generic terms to refer to all people. "Our language reflects our attitude," she says, "and our attitudes are very much oriented" by the language we use Keener notes that proposal was passed by the PCA senate with no opposition. She also notes that Parkland students seem to use non-sexist language readily, though some official documents still contain sexist language.

For example, preliminary guidelines suggest using humanity, human beings, or people instead of the generic term "man." They suggest using her and she instead of he, his or him in appropriate cases. Many other simple changes were suggested in the proposal.

According Karen to Keener, non-sexist language is needed because language shapes the way we think and view the world. She says if we leave women out of many statements by saying such things as: "Man developed agriculture," or " Policemen do thus and so," we shape the minds of both men and women to think that the involvement of women in important activities is the exception.

Feminists, humanists, and linguists have promoted the

Burnham Hospital Board meets

Burnham's dedicated pediatrics unit will continue service until at least November, 1988, when it will be reevaluated, the hospital's Board of Directors announced Feb. 16.

Census on the pediatrics unit has increased to 4-8 patients per day. The unit had been averaging two patients per day.

In other business, the Board approved plans for Burnham to file its application with the Illinois Department of Public Health for designation as a Level I trauma center.

The Board heard a report on the approval of the certificate of need for the hospital's energy center. It is expected that bids will go out in March and construction will begin in April. It was also reported that the MRI pad construction is well underway and that both Burnham and Carle hospitals have submitted MICU applications to the Areawide Hospital Emergency Services committee. Action on these applications is expected at the AHES meeting on March 2.

The Board received the financial report for the month of January which indicated an \$11,000 of

revenue in excess of expenses with a \$13,000 loss from operations. Break even performance is anticipated for the end of the fiscal year.

Capital equipment totaling \$145,000 was approved, including a coagulation analyzer for the laboratory and a Laminar Air Flow System for the orthopedic room in surgery.

A plaque was presented by Jarald Anderson, Director of the Regional Organ Bank of Illinois to Dick Noel, president of the Board in recogniion of exemplary effort on the part of the Burnham Hospital in organ and tissue recovery. According to Anderson, the award was intended to express the sincere appreciation and gratitude in behalf of many organ recipients who have lived longer and more productive lives due to the assistance provided by Burnham through the compassion and skill of its staff and physicians.

In final action, the Board moved to executive session to discuss real estate matters, including the potential acquisition of Mercy Hospital.



The musical "Cinderella" opens at the Parkland Theatre March 3. Pictured during a rehearsal are Rodney Woodworth, director; Curt Clark, Prince Charming; Bob Trauss, The King; Andrea Glick, The Queen; Joanna Strauss, Little Princess; Carl Crawford, Young Prince; Jyana Gregory, Young Princess.

Parkland's costume shop

By Kevin A. Erb **Prospectus Staff Writer**

What do you do when you need 110 costumes for 58 different actors designed and assembled for a play in the Parkland College Theater? Call on the Parkland College Theater Costume Shop.

Marie Jo Dugan, a graduate of Parkland College and currently a student in applied theater at the University of Illinois, is Parkland's costume shop manager and costume coordinator for the College's production of "Cinderella." The costume shop is involved in theatrical productions at the College Theater from their earliest stages, Dugan said.

Once a play has been selected, a copy of the script is delivered to the costume shop, where costumers develop a general guide. The guide includes the time period of the play, the season, the age of the characters, the location, the number of costume changes, total number of costumes that will be needed, and the color coordination of actors' costumes.

Once costumers develop the general guide, the costume shop manager, the costume coordinator for the play, and the director sit down to compare thoughts and ideas on the costumes.

After everyone has compared notes, the design process begins. Costumers research the fabrics and types of clothing worn during the time period and season in which the play takes place by using reference books, old photographs, and paintings of the time period. For the current production, a Walt Disney child's book of an animated version of "Cinderella" was also used. Other versions of the same play are often consulted to get ideas for the latest production.

A rough draft of each character in costume is then drawn by the costume shop manager and the manager's assistants. These drawings are based on research, available patterns, fabric, and items costumers may already have stored in the costume vault

These rough drafts are then presented to the director for review and revision, and the real designing of costumes begins. All usable materials that can be used or modified is pulled from the vault, and material and patterns for the remaining costumes are purchased. Some costumes are borrowed or rented for the production. It can take as long as seven weeks to assemble the costumes for a production, Dugan says.

A few weeks before each show, each actor tries on his/her costume, and any final adjustments are made. A "Dress Parade," or what Dugan refers to as a "beauty pageant for actors," is held on stage. With the costume shop manager and costume coordinator sitting in the audience, each actor walks out on stage in costume and com-pletes his/her "walk." The director will call for family groups or groups seen on stage together to pose on stage.

Then the actors come out on the stage in scenes, so the director can actually compare one actor's costume to another's to see if the costumes match and are correct for the scene. Final adjustments are made, and dress rehearsals begin.

The duties of the costume shop manager do not end there. She is on duty during each performance with a needle and thread to do emergency repairs and other necessary last minute adjustments.

Dugan said being costume shop manager is a lot of work, but she really enjoys it. "It's more than just running a sewing machine. It's a lot of she said. fun,"

Dugan is currently looking for a student who would like to work in the costume shop and said that it would be a valuable experience for anyone considering theater as a major or as a career.

Costume shop wants old clothing

By Kevin A. Erb Prospectus Staff Writer

Do you have any old clothes hanging in your closet that are in good condition and are only a few decades out of style?

If you do, the Parkland Col-Theater Costume Shop lege would like to help you clean closets.

According to Marie Jo Dugan, costume shop manager and costume coordinator for the Parkland production of "Cinderella," the shop needs clothing circa 1950 and earlier. They are looking for hats, shoes, parasols, black and brown boots, jewelry, fabric and patterns from those time periods. The costume shop

is producing over 28 costumes for the main characters in "Cinderella," in addition to coor-dinating over 110 costumes for the 58 cast members. Costumers must also provide outfits for several children and teenagers, she said.

The costume shop has also loaned costumes to local high schools and other groups in the district who are producing theatrical works.

If you have any usuable items, please bring them to Marie Jo Dugan at the costume shop, room C173, as soon as possible. Items which may have a future use will be put into the costume shop vault for future productions.

Sinfonia de Camera An evening with trumpets'

Sinfonia da Camera, Ian Hobson, music director, will present "An Evening with Trumpets" on Wednesday, Feb. 24, at 8 p.m. in the Foellinger Great Hall, Krannert Center for the

Parkland shows popular theater movies in C118

The Parkland Convocations Board has scheduled free movies to be shown in C118. Showtimes are Mondays at 3 p.m., Tuesdays at 11 a.m. and 6:30 p.m., Wednesdays at 1 p.m. and 6:30 p.m., and Thursdays at 3 p.m.

Movies scheduled for the remainder of the spring semester

Feb. 22-25: "The Living Daylights"

Feb. 29-March 3: "Witness" March 14-17: "Raising

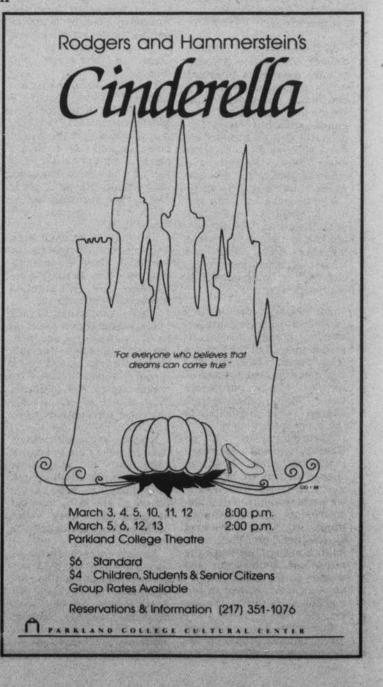
April 4-7: "Beverly Hills Cop II"

Performing Arts, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign.

Co-principal trumpets, Michael Tunnell and Ray Sasaki, will be featured playing works of Jan Nepomuk Hummel and Morgan Powell. The program will also include Bach Brandenburg Concerto No. 3, Stravinsky's Dunbarton Oaks Concerto and "Classical" Sym **Prokofiev's** Symphony. This concert is made possible by Marine American National Bank and the Commercial Bank of Champaign through a grant from Marine Corporation.

Tickets are available by calling the Krannert Center for the Performing Arts box office at 333-6280. Standard price: \$12; senior citizens and students: \$10).

Sinfonia da Camera, now in its fourth season under the artistic direction of founder and internationally acclaimed pianistconductor Ian Hobson, is composed of 35 of Central Illinois' finest professional musicians.



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Greg Brown, legendary

ing line-up for its annual WEFT Folk Concert Series.

All four concerts in this year's series will be held at McKinley Church, Fifth and Daniel, Champaign. Tickets are \$6 in advance, \$7 at the door, and series "subscriptions" are \$22. A series subscription enti-tles purchaser to one admit-tance per concert. Tickets are now available at Record Service, Record Swap, Rosewood Guitars, Horizon Bookstore, First National Guitar Store, and WEFT at 113 N. Market St.,

Champaign. Stone Soup is an exciting and original semi-local band from Bloomington, Ind., and will be performing on Saturday, March 5, at 8 p.m. This "new acoustic" music has its influences in folk and traditional, with a cohesive style of jazz. Heather Bishop, singer and

songwriter, encompasses

can expect not only women's music and children's tunes, but also a touch of the political and a fair share of music that's "just for the fun of it." She performs Monday, April 18, at 8 p.m.

"A Prairie Home Companion"is the last, but certainly not least, artist to appear for the WEFT Folk Concert Series. He will perform on Wednesday, May 4, at 8 p.m.



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C-U is having a mild winter

By Dian Strutz **Prospectus Staff Writer**

It's been a tough winter so far, right?

Wrong. At least, Wayne Wendland, climatologist for the Illinois State Water Sur-vey, doesn't think so.

Severe winter storms, those that leave six inches of snow in 48 hours, usually strike Illinois five times a year. Several severe winter storms have hit the state so far this winter.

The Champaign-Urbana area, however, has only been hit with one such storm all winter, on Dec. 14 and 15, ac-cording to Wendland.

in general, Wendland says the winters of the last several years have been much milder than the winters residents suffered through during the late 1970s. The winter of 1978-79, for instance, is the worst on record for Illinois. During that winter, 17 winter storms severe crossed the state, dumping 68 inches of snow, Wendland said.

The previous winter of 1977-78 was not any better, he said. Eighteen severe storms struck Illinois during that winter.

Certainly, compared to the winters of 1976-80, this year's one severe winter storm and 15.8 inches of snow seem mild, Wendland said, and relative to 10 years ago, our more moderate winters represent a trend back to more normal weather.

Judy Fraser, weatherper-son for Channel 3 in Champaign, says this is the fourth year of mild winters in a row for our area. Normally, we can expect about 26 inches of snow to fall from November through April, and for the last three years, we have been about six inches below normal, she said.

Temperatures, too, have become more moderate. Although there have been periods of extreme bitter cold, overall, the average temperatures of recent winters have been above normal, she said. It is difficult to pinpoint the exact cause of the milder recent winters, Fraser said, but el Nino may be influencing our weather, the norms may be changing, or the more moderate winters may just be temporary respites from more severe weather.

Jack Toombs, director of operations for the Public Works Department of the city of Champaign, said that road crews have only had to fight three winter storms this winter. This year, Cham-paign will probably spend less than it did last year, Toombs said, because crews have gone out fewer times. Last year, for instance, Pub-lic Works spent \$55,300 on regular and overtime pay for road crews. This year, Toombs projects the depart-

will ment will spend about \$48,000 for Jabor, a savings of about \$7,000 over last year

The department also budgeted \$31,200 for salt this year, and before the Feb. 11 storm hit our area, crews had only used \$21,880 worth of the chemical, Toombs said. The savings in salt alone represents almost \$10,000, he said

To summarize this winter, Wendland says we have not had as much snow as normal, we have not had the usual number of severe winter storms, but the average temperatures have been about normal for Central Illinois.

All this does not mean we are in for an especially wet spring or a dry, hot summer, however. Wendland says it is impossible to make a prediction of what spring or summer will be like based on what kind of winter residents have faced. Meteorologists have studied data for the past 100 years and have not been able to draw any correlations between winter weather and the following summer weather, he said.

Spring will officially start March 20, but according to scholars Reid A. Bryson and James F. Lahey, we may wait another day. In their book, "The March of the Seasons," they say spring should come to Central Illinois March 21 and last until June 25.

Winter storm clean-up is costly

By Dian Strutz **Prospectus Staff Writer**

Fighting winter storms is not cheap, according to Jack Toombs, director of opera-tions for the Public Works Department of the city of Champaign.

The storm Dec. 14 and 15 cost the city \$19,000 in mate-rial and labor to fight, and the storm Feb. 3 and 4 cost the city \$20,700, Toombs said. City officials budget \$160,000 a year for snow and ice con-trol, which includes capital purchases, road salt, labor and overtime pay for road crews. Champaign usually spends \$30,000 a year on salt alone, he said.

Champaign uses a half-and-half mixture of salt and sand on wintery roads, and this year, before the most recent storm on Feb. 11, road crews had used 900 tons of salt and of sand, Toombs said. Historically, the city will use 1,200 tons of road salt and a like amount of sand over the course of a winter, he said. Crews use only chemicals to fight snowfalls of less than two inches and

start to plow only when snow is at least two inches deep. Even a "minor" storm with a small accumulation of snow can require a lot of material and labor and can cost as much to fight as a severe storm, Toombs said.

Champaign subscribes to a private weather service that claims to be 87 percent accurate. The service provides the Public Works Department with a three to four advance notice of hour winter storms, and often, crews are out on the street before the storm reaches the area, he said. If workers can get down a layer of sand and salt before the storm begins, Toombs said, the snow will not bond to the pavement. Crews concentrate on clear-ing schools, hospitals, and fire departments first. The bulk of snow removal

takes place during November, December, and January, although it is difficult to predict the weather and prepare a budget for fighting winter storms, he said. Crews stay in a "ready mode" until late March or early April, Toombs added.



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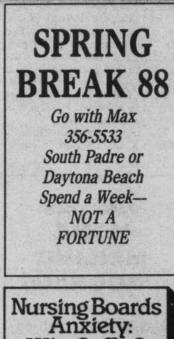
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WKS 778-094, Monday & Wednesday Apr. 11, 13 1-4 p.m.

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Individuals will learn to use the WordStar word processing software program. Microcomputer experience not required but typing ability necessary. \$30 3 hours

WKS 766-094, Thursday Mar. 10 1-4 p.m.



DisplayWrite 4

NEW Individuals will learn to use the DisplayWrite 4 word processing software program. Microcomputer experience not required but typing ability necessary.

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microcomputer experience necessary \$60 6 hours WKS 768-095, Wednesday & Friday Mar. 2, 4 9 a.m.-noon

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Advanced workshop on the use of the disk operating system (DOS). Previous knowledge of DOS preferred.

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WKS 788-094, Wednesday Mar. 16 1-4 p.m.

All workshops (except DisplayWrite 4, WKS 768-094) meet in Room B227.

To register for any of these workshops, contact the Admissions Office, 217/351-2208.

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Things to Do in C-U

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Wed.-Sun.: "Pack of Lies," (2/ 18-27), Celebration Company, The Station Theatre, 223 N. Broadway Ave., Urbana, 8 p.m. (Wed., Thurs & Sun.), 7 p.m. & 9:30 p.m. (Fri. & Sat.). For ticket info: 384-4000

24: "Sinfonia da Camera," Krannert Center for the Performing Arts, Foellinger Great

Hall, 500 S. Goodwin Ave., U of I campus, Urbana, 8 p.m. For ticket info: 333-6280.

"Brown Bag Concert/ 25: Black Chorus Ensemble," Krannert Center for the Performing Arts, 500 S. Goodwin Ave., U of I campus, Urbana, 12 noon. FREE. 333-6280

25-26: "IHSA Girl's High School Basketball," Assembly Hall, 1800 S. First St., U of I campus, Champaign. For game times and ticket info: 333-5000.

25-28: "Antique Show," Market Place Shopping Center, 2000 N. Neil St., Champaign, 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. (Thurs.-Sat.), 12noon-5 p.m. (Sun.) 356-2700 FREE

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"Saxophone Chamber 27: Music," Krannert Center for the Performing Arts, Festival Theatre, 500 S. Goodwin Ave., U of I campus, Urbana. 3 p.m. For ticket info: 333-6280.

28: Swap and Sale, Golf Course Club House, Lake of the Woods Park, Mahomet. Fishermen, sportsmen, and collectors:

bring new or used tackle and other miscellaneous items. No firearms please. 10 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Chairs, tables provided. No charge for set-up. For more info: 586-2612. MARCH

6: Audubon Sundays: The **Tropical Rain Forest. Depletion** of the tropical rain forests throughout the world is one of the most horrifying ecological disasters occurring today. Bob Marquis, photographer. Co-sponsored by Champaign Co. Audubon Society and Urbana Park District. Anita Purves Nature Center, 2 p.m.

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was very well attended, and he called it a "great success."

The Board also heard a report from Jane Moore of Student Affairs about the London Program. Students who have attended the program in past semesters have come back excited, and their "response has been very positive and enthusiastic," Moore said Eighteen Parkland students and two faculty members have taken advantage of the opportunity to study abroad for a semester in the year and a half since the program started, Moore said. This semester, over 50 students attended two informational meetings about studying abroad during future semesters, she said, and the program may expand into other foreign countries in the future.

The College is also continuing its efforts to internationalize the curriculum at Parkland, Moore told the board. Currently, 65 foreign students from 30 different countries are attending the College, the most that have attended Parkland in three years, she said.

The next board meeting is March 23 at 7:30 p.m. in Room A-121.



Cobras finish regular season play, 19-12

By Ken Brown Prospectus Staff Writer

Feb. 16 the Cobras travelled to Lincoln to face Lincoln College.

"Lincoln's coach told me after the game they played their best game of the year," said coach Tom Cooper.

Lincoln controlled the game by forcing 26 turnovers, finally winning by a score of 97 to 79.

The Cobras were led in scoring by P.J. Bowman and Rick Stein with 25 and 16 points respectively. Stein led the Cobras in rebounds with 11.

Feb. 18 was an altogether different story as the Cobras were at home to face Lake Land College in the final game of the regular season.

"We did a good job," said Cooper. "We had four guys in double figures."

Parkland led by a score of 39 to 30 at halftime and went on to win 91 to 61. In this game Bowman scored his 1000th point as a Cobra.

The Cobras were led by Bowman with 32 points and Lennox Forrester with 19 points. Rick Stein had 9 rebounds.

The Cobras will face the winner of the Shawnee State Game points and 16 rebounds.

on Saturday, Feb. 27, at Parkland College. If Parkland wins, the Cobras will play in the regional finals which will also be held at Parkland. A win during the regional finals would allow the Cobras to go on to the nationals.

The Cobras finished the regular season with a 19-12 record.

MVPs named

By Ken Brown

Prospectus sportswriter

Rick Stein and Gloria Robinson were named most valuable players of last week.

Rick Stein came off the bench for the Cobras to average 7.1 points and 3.8 rebounds per game. This past week, his efforts included leading the team in rebounds with 11 on Tuesday while scoring 16 points. On Thursday, he again led the team in rebounds with nine while scoring 14 points. Gloria Robinson was named

Gloria Robinson was named the MVP of the week for the Lady Cobras for her job in leading them to victory over Kankakee Community College. Robinson led the team with 23 points and 16 rebounds.



Rick Stein (32) tries to get the ball after Lake Land's player, Darren Compton (50) misses. Parkland won over Lake Land 91-61. Photo by Hung Vu



Lady Cobras beat Kankakee

By Lee Messinger Prospectus Staff Writer

The Lady Cobras of Parkland College defeated the Cavaliers of Kankakee College 76 to 56 Thursday evening at the Cobra Den.

The Cobras took a 40-25 lead into the locker room at halftime. The final score was not indicative of the closeness of the game. Kankakee cut a 15-point deficit to seven points with eight minutes left before a late surge put the game away for Parkland Kankakee was led by Julie Thompson with 23 points. Gloria Robinson led the Cobras with 23 points and 16 rebounds, while Beth Niebruge, Danielle Grill, and Jennifer Smith added 12 points. Lisa Springborn chipped in withy 10 points.

Kankakee Cavaliers are now 15 and 10 for the season. The Lady Cobras finish the regular season 22-7.

It was the final home game for sophomores Beth Niebruge, Julie Kief, Lisa Springborn, and Gloria Robinson.

Annual running event is April 16

Christie Clinic will hold its fifth annual "Run... For the Health of It" on April 16, 1988. The activities, which include 5K and 10K races, a 5K Team Run and a one-mile Fun Run, will begin at 8:30 a.m. The start and finish line for the 5K and 10K races will be at Christie Clinic, 101 W. University Ave., Champaign.

Races follow a course that winds through southwest Champaign. Each mile will be marked with split times called at every mile. Traffic control will be maintained until the last runner crosses the finish line. First aid assistance will be provided by Christie's medical staff, with stations placed at the start and finish lines, and along the course. The one-mile fun run course centers around West Side Park in Champaign.

This year, an added race will be a 5K Team Run for area businesses. Runners participate in groups of five only. Participants in

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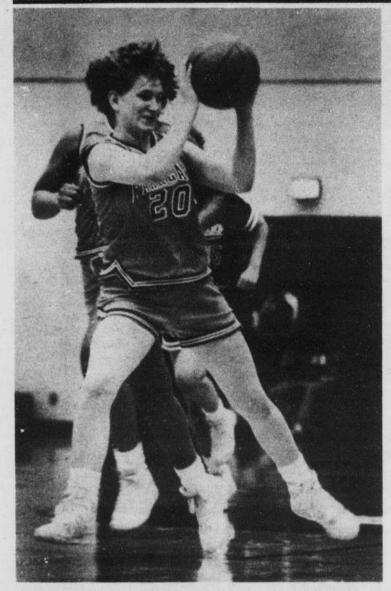
Prizes will be awarded as follows: The first male and first female runners in the 5K and 10K races will each be awarded a winner's plaque, a Christie running suit and a gift certificate for a pair of Etonic running shoes. First place winners of each age category in the men, women and wheelchair divisions of the 5K and 10K races will receive Christie athletic bags; second place winners—longsleeved Camp Christie Health Club sweatshirts; third place winners—Camp Christie Health Club t-shirts and visors.

For the "winners" of the one-mile Fun Run and the 5K Team Run, special categories, not disclosed until the awards presentation, will also be presented with prizes.

Runners in the 5K, 10K and Team Run races are eligible for a variety of participation prizes. This year's grand prize, provided in part by Doddson Travel, features an exciting four day/four night trip for two to San Francisco during the popular Bay-to-Breakers race. The grand prize will be presented to a participant 18 years or older.

Registration for the 5K and 10K races is \$8 before April 8; \$9 on or after April 8. Registration for the 5K Team Run is \$40 and entries must be submitted as a group. Team Run participants must register by April 1. The Fun Run is free. Registration forms are available at Christie Clinic, Body 'n Sole and other area fitness and sporting goods businesses.

Those interested in participating in these activities can pre-register by contacting Christie's Public Relations and Marketing Department at 351-1397.



Danielle Grill (20) looks for teammates to pass the ball to during the Feb. 18 game. The Cobras overcame Kankakee with a score of 76-56.

Mess sez make your picks

By Lee Messinger Prospectus staff writer

St. Johns at Boston College The Redmen travel to Boston on Saturday hoping to keep their chances for an NCAA bid alive. The Golden Eagles have proven to be a giant killer in the Big East Conference this year. Mess Sez: Boston College 66, St. Johns 64

Duke at Georgia Tech

The Blue Devils travel to Atlanta where they hope to keep their Atlantic Coast Conference Championship dream alive. Duke finds itself trailing first place North Carolina by only one-half game. The Yellow Jackets are really ending the season strong and are currently in third place. They are trying to finish well in the conference standings to get a better seed in the conference tournament. Mess Sez: Georgia Tech 78,

Duke 75

Illinois State at Southern Illinois

The Redbirds had their title championship quest slip between their team's fingers last Saturday by beating themselves with crucial turnovers when the game was on the line.

If Illinois State hopes to win an at-large bid, the Redbirds need to win three of their remaining games and win two in the conference championship. Illinois State is currently 14-10. Southern Illinois has been finishing strong, recouping from a lackluster start. The gym at Carbondale is a difficult place to play. Mess Sez: Southern Illinois 88,

Illinois State 83 Michigan at Iowa

Coach Bill Freider's Wolverines go down to Iowa City where their hopes of a Big Ten Title could be jeopardized. The Wolverines have what some feel is the best talent in the country. Led by the General Gary Grant, the Wolverines can be an explosive team. The Hawkeyes are still smarting from the pounding that Michigan gave them in Ann Arbor. In fact, their wings were damaged so badly they could barely limp home. Now that they've had some time to regroup, the memory is still on their minds. We've all heard the expression, "Memory like a hawk.

Mess Sez: Iowa 92, Michigan 89 Texas El Paso at New Mexico

Coach Clem Haskin's El Paso team is looking to put itself in a top seed with a chance at winning the Western Athletic Conference Tournament. They are currently tied for third in regular conference play, and guess who they are tied with? You guessed it—the Lobos have already reached their limit of losses at the Pit (a very tough place for a visiting team to play basketball with 18,000 Lobos fans yelling for their team).

Mess Sez: New Mexico 72, Texas El Paso 66 Kansas at Missouri

Coach Larry Brown's Jayhawks travel east to Columbia for a battle at the Tiger Den. Danny Manning will be considered for the John Wooden "Best Player in the Country Award." The Tigers also have a player considered for the Wooden Trophy in Derrick Cheivous, but they also have five other players who can all score. Mess Sez: Missouri 94, Kansas

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Syracuse at Kentucky Mess Se The Orangemen take their State 79

high ranking into the Rupp Center in Lexington. Senior center Ronnie Seikaly has been coming on strong for Syracuse. The Wildcats have only lost five games all year, and all their losses have been in conference play. No reason for the 'Cats to change their ways now.

Mess Sez: Kentucky 77, Syracuse 71

Michigan State at Ohio State Jud Heathcoate's Spartans have been a bitter disappointment in East Lansing and could end up in the cellar in the Big Ten. Buckeye Coach Gary Williams knows his team will need to finish strong to have a chance for an at-large bid to the NCAA Tournament, and an impressive win would help.

Mess Sez: Ohio State 97, Michigan State 71

Minnesota at Wisconsin

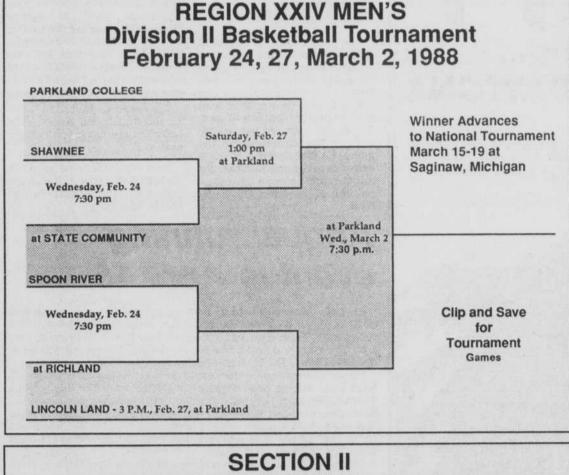
Clem Haskin's Golden Gophers cross the border east into Wisconsin where they hope to get something they haven't had too much of this year—a victory. This is a last place struggle but is very important for Coach Steve Yoder, who is trying to build the Wisconsin program.

Mess Sez: Wisconsin 60, Minnesota 54

Indiana State at Bradley

A familiar name once again wears the Sycamore Blue uniform. I am referring to Eddie Bird, a freshman at Indiana State who is the brother of Larry Bird, but Eddie is not quite as talented or as good. Bradley Hersey Hawkins once again showed why many consider him the best player in the country. In the final minutes of a crucial game against Illinois State and in the overtime period, Hawkins took over the game and looked an awful lot like Michael Jordan. But Bradley also has some fine players in center Donald Powell and guard Anthony Manual.

Mess Sez: Bradley 95, Indiana State 79



Mess Sez Take the PC Challenge

Sorry! About a week late with PC Challenge results of Feb. 10th edition. The winner was Mike Cline of Champaign. Mike was the only one to finish with a 11-2 record. The breakdown went as follows: one entrant with 11-2 record, three entrants with 10-3 record, four entrants were 9-4, one entrant 8-5, two entrants were 6-7. One entrant 5-8. Mess finished 8-5 for the week and 35-18 for the year.

For the week of Feb. 17, the winner was Dan Hughes, general manager of radio station WPCD FM 88.7 here at Parkland College. Dan tied with Rod Bowen of Saybrook with 11-2 record but was closer on the tiebreaker. Two entrants were 11-2, seven entrants were 10-3, two entrants were 9-4, four entrants were 8-5. Six entrants were 7-6, while two other entrants were 6-7. Twenty-one out of 23 entrants were over 50 percent. Congratulations! Mess finished up 8-5 fer the week. Mess is now 43-21 for the year with a 65 percent record. We are getting more entrants every week—why not put your hat in the ring. You never know when you might get lucky—and win \$10 at the same time.

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