Placement Office Acts

by Sanjiv Chadha & Raj Gopal

In these days of high inflation and decreased federal financial aid, an education has become, more than ever, a necessity for getting a good job.

Recognizing this basic necessity of all graduating students, a placement office, rather inconveniently placed on the fourth floor of Farr Hall, was created. In the past there have been a few nagging things about the efficiency of this office, so we decided to brave the flights of stairs and find out the truth for ourselves.

Presently the office is lead by Dan Ziglich, acting director, Mary Welsh, recruiting coordinator, and Sylvia Kubitscheck, career counselor. The fierce dedication of these three people and their colleagues is most impressive. A spirit of cooperation and genuine appreciation for each other's duties, responsibilities and achievements prevails. In spite of the fact that IIT is still searching for a permanent director to head this office, it seems to be functioning rather well.

Even though fall is not the main recruiting season, the number of firms interviewing on campus this semester is more than last spring. The number of firms in ratio to the number of students signed up for interviews is a very satisfactory 1:1. The salaries obtained by IIT graduates are normally above the CPC average. A large number of Fortune 500 companies also come to IIT.

A couple of projects are in the works to improve the placement office. Ziglich would like to see 600 of the 700 graduating students on his interviewing files. Also, a major effort is being made to attract firms and students of design, architecture and management to use the service of the placement office. Previously, students from these majors had been totally dependent on their faculty to place them.

Complaints from foreign students are also being addressed. F-1 student so far was going about getting a job, and the placement office would figure low in his list of options. Ward of mouth has consistently kept the foreign student away, despite the fact that F-1 students constitute the majority among graduate students.

Kubitscheck, who is handling this aspect of placement, shows a genuine concern for the foreign student. Acknowledging that placing a student in a foreign country is a problem, she feels that lack of legal knowledge on the part of the recruiters is one of the major reasons. To overcome this, she has worked with the Ladoran Foundation to bring out a memorandum giving information on the legal aspects of hiring foreign students. Now, recruiters are greeted at the door with the memo.

Some advice to students in general and foreign students in particular was offered:

Exercise caution in the selection of companies. Large companies, especially those with government contracts, avoid foreign students.

Develop communication skills. Those not fluent in English could make use of the various workshops held.

Be more aggressive, and above all, be honest. Misrepresentation reflects poorly on the school, and ultimately on the student himself.

It is obviously not possible to satisfy everyone and place them in the exact job they would like. But it is good to know that there is someone willing to listen to your problems and try and help you.

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Improving Counselling Center

by Andrew Press

Sometimes one of the most important functions that a university can provide, aside from its prime function of educating students, is to help them cope with the trials and tribulations of campus life.

According to Normandzie Zagorski, director of Student Counselling Services in Farr Hall, "Schools that are state supported naturally have a huge counselling staff, and it seems that up front they have a counselling staff of six people. Well, that's it. That's their whole counselling center. They try to perform all of their functions that we have available in this building, and as it turns out we end up with a better staff. A much fuller staff with much broader skills so a lot of different things can be done here. I think that's a real feather in the cap of a small university."

The services Mrs. Zagorski was referring to were, among others, the medical office, the student counselling service and the Institute of Psychological Services.

Each of these services are all under the direction of Deun Friedland, and each consists of several branches, from helping students take exams more successfully, to psychological counselling, to dealing with the mundane day to day problems students might have.

Of course, the student support program at Farr Hall is still growing. Several programs are still in the developmental stage. For example, says Mrs. Zagorski, "We're looking for a better way to reach our computer students better. I don't think the computer students are very much aware of what's over here. I don't think they're aware of all the worthwhile things that they can get over here for free that they would have to pay an awful lot of money later on."

These services include career guidance in helping a student during a change of major or a declaration of major, or making certain the student is aware of available options and obligations, so that he or she can make a well informed decision.

To facilitate this, change of majors are processed only on the first Monday of each month, allowing the student time to consider his or her decision thoroughly.

Another valuable service that is expanding at IIT is aid to handicapped students, with readers for blind students, interpreters for the hard of hearing, and any special materials those students might need. This is all under the direction of Bill Hill in the Science Library, but is nevertheless part of the same student services program.

To add to the diversity of services offered at the center, an audio visual program of tapes of various workshops in the fields of study at IIT will be available in the Career Resources Center. This is being prepared by Mary Jo John, who is also a Freshman Advisor. According to Mrs. Zagorski, "It's all in a rudiment stage, but we have the machinery and it's all in the works.

Also, the Counselling Center itself, on the third floor of Farr Hall, which is under the direction of Dr. Sander Marcus, assisted by Terry Sharpe, is expanding the range of services that it provides.

As Dr. Marcus put it, "Right now we're performing three sorts of functions, two of which are the workshop programs which we've been gearing up over the years and which very soon we're going into hopefully a higher gear. The response to these programs has been outstanding, and it's not nearly as good as we'd like. We do two kinds of workshops basically; first is the regularly scheduled ones on test taking and study skills. We used to average about five people for these. This year we're averaging ten. Part of the problem has been the people...

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Film Fest at Tech!!

IIT's Herman Hall will be one of the three sites hosting this year's Chicago International Film Festival. For a complete list of films to be shown in Herman Hall see page 6 inside.

All undergraduate students should pick up their registration packets for next semester from the Registrar's Office on November 16 or 17.
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Personal

QT

You are a superior person and I really do miss the ride.

Is there such a thing as “Sweet 16” or isn’t it true? A most joyous and merry birthday, Susan, you whipped.

The Moose

V.K.

I'm sick of the competition so I'm letting Fish off the hook. You can have him! Are there other Fishes in the sea?

P.Q.

Love is the most addictive thing in the universe. Getting a temporary fix is easy; finding a permanent cure takes some work, though.

Jubal Harshaw

No Linda O'Connell pictures this week! Sorry! Next issue definitely!!

- X

O.P.

Were you turning green from envy, or was he blowing your mind (not the mention his nose)?

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D.M.

You killed me!

Alaiz

Due to the flood of applications received for 1st East openings for floor, tryouts will be held in rooms 113, 118, and 120 all day Tuesday. Come whenever it's most convenient. Props and costumes provided. 1st East

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Building An International Church
announcements

Coming Back?
All undergraduate students should pick up their Registration Packages for next semester from the Registrar's Office on November 17th.

Where's Charo?
The Latinos involved in Further Education (LIFD) at the Illinois Institute of Technology, will be sponsoring their Third Annual Latin Fest, held on Student Health Center of ITI where he will oversee the health services of our female population. In addition, Dr. Flispuk plans to conduct a series of informal seminars on female reproductive biology and human sexuality for both men and women. Dr. Flispuk has office hours at the medical office in Farr Hall on Tuesday mornings from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon. Call the medical office, 576-3100, for your appointment.

Can You Believe This?
Dr. Evans Flispuk, a graduate of University of Chicago's Prickler School of Medicine, has recently been appointed as the gynecologist in the Student Health Center of ITI where he will oversee the health services of our female population. In addition, Dr. Flispuk plans to conduct a series of informal seminars on female reproductive biology and human sexuality for both men and women. Dr. Flispuk has office hours at the medical office in Farr Hall on Tuesday mornings from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon. Call the medical office, 576-3100, for your appointment.

White Rabbit?
The second meeting of the IIT Curriculum Committee will be held at 2:30 p.m. on Thursday, November 10, 1981 in Room 111 Stuart Hall. The meeting will be open to the public. The meeting will be open to the public.

Summer Vacation
Any American interested in a career-orientation alumni this summer? You can receive paid work experience in our field of study in a country of your choice. For details, come to the International Office, Room 110, Farr Hall.

Any Liberated Women?
"Women's Heritage Celebration and Challenge," a conference sponsored by a number of local universities and feminist groups, will be held at Roosevelt University, 430 S. Michigan Ave., Friday and Saturday, May 25-27. The conference will have a series of workshops, ranging from such subjects as women's role in history to women's new place in a host of businesses and professions, are scheduled.

Not Only In Football
The Physics Department is sponsoring a colloquium titled "Lateral Transport in Superconductors." Wednesday, November 11, 1981 in Sichel Hall, Room 219 at 4:00 p.m. The guest speaker will be Professor Karl Hess from the University of Illinois at Urbana.

Not Coming Back?
"A mailing pertaining to attendance at the December Commencement exercises for all candidates. If you have not received this material, please contact us at 576-3100, the Registrar's Office, Room 104 MD prior to November 27, 1981."

CSE Season Tickets
The Chicago State Ensemble, Frederick Osvald, guest conductor, presents the first subscription concert of the 1981-82 season on Friday, November 20 at 11:00 p.m. at St. Paul's Church, 655 West Fullerton, Chicago. Tickets range from $3.00 to $5.00 and may be reserved in advance by calling 880-5255. Subscriptions to the CSE's four concert season may also be ordered by telephone. Subscribers save 20% over the box office price.

ASME No Questions
ASME is sponsoring a lecture entitled, "Gas Turbine Engineering Applications" on Tuesday, October 10 from 10:00-11:00 p.m. in 104 E. Lieutenant J. Hack III of the U. S. Navy will be the speaker.
The next general meeting of the ASME will be on Wednesday, November 18 from 12:10-1:00 p.m. in 102 E. Also ASME is sponsoring a tour of ITRI from 12:30-2:00 p.m. on Tuesday, November 24. Meet in 102 E at 12:30.

Who's Leading Now
The "Conversations at IIT" series will host a fireside chat on the critical status of U. S. world leadership in technology management and industrial productivity. Co-sponsored by the School of Arts and Sciences and the University of Chicago, this series will examine the performance of all the global industries in Japan and Northern Europe in high tech research and corporate strategy. The next installment of the series will take place on Wednesday, November 25, at 12:30 p.m. in Room 111 of Stuart Building on Thursday, November 2, at nine o'clock starting at noon. Free and open to the public.

Filmfest Freebies
IIT students, faculty and staff will get a significant discount on tickets for the Chicago International Film Festival being shown in the Henry Crown and Arriaga movie theater on December 13-25. Tickets are $1 each. Tickets for faculty and staff will be $2 each. Tickets must be purchased the night of the show at the counter in the HUB next to the director's office. There will be a limited number of tickets available and an I.D. card will be required for a purchase.

For more information on the Film Festival and special events, call the IIT Film Festival office at 576-3909.

Best Exec
Reginald H. Jones, whom Fortune 500 chief executive officers last spring voted the "best" chief executive in the Fortune 500, will speak on "The U. S. Competitive Position in the World Economy," Friday, November 13, at 11:45 a.m. in the Stuart Building auditorium. Admission is free.

Where Fore Art thou?
The Master Films Program will be showing Romeo and Juliet on Thursday, November 12 and Future Shock on Thursday, November 19. Both films will be shown in the McCormick Auditorium at 8:00 p.m. Sponsored by the Office of Student Life.

We Need Teachers
The Foreign and Domestic Teachers Organization needs teacher applicants in all fields from kindergarten through college to fill between five and six hundred teaching vacancies both here in Chicago and abroad. For more information about the organization, write to the Portland, Oregon. Better Business Bureau or the National Teacher's Placement Agency, University Teachers, Box 5231, Portland, Oregon 97208.

A Flight of Angels
The Angel Flight is a service auxiliary of the Arnold Air Society, the national honor society of Air Force ROTC and Academy cadets, named after General of the Air Force Henry H. Arnold. The Angel Flight supports the role of airpower in national defense. If you are interested in helping to organize an Angel Flight in your community, please come to an organizational meeting, Thursday, November 12 at 4:00 p.m. in Room 231 E. For more information, call 791-1668.

A Real Turkey?
The Bowling and Rec Center is sponsoring the third annual Turkey Shoot on Thursday, November 17 from 9:30-????? There will be two divisions, men's and women's. First prize is a turkey. The entry fee is $5.00, and the tournament is handicapped and ARC/WBC sanctioned.

The Bowling and Rec Center is also sponsoring a "No Tap Tournament" on Tuesday, November 17 from noon-2:00 p.m. "No Tap" means that a nine from the first ball is considered a strike. The entry fee is $3.00, and prices will be awarded.

Why The Split?
"Perspectives in Science and Religion," in addition to its regular Tuesday meeting, will present a special panel on "Approaches to Biblical Interpretation and Criticism." On November 17, Professor William Thompson of Loyola university and Mr. Joseph Gerek of the University of Chicago will lead the discussion on the historical roots of divergent scriptural readings, from the symbolic to the literal, and the effect of literary commentaries on the Christian churches and the science-religion debate. "Perspectives" meets Tuesdays, from 12:15-1:15 p.m. in Room 306 of the HUB mezzanine.

Your announcement not seen?
If you missed seeing your announcement in this issue be sure to have them at our office by the Thursday before the Monday of publication.

We recommend that announcements be hand delivered to insure that they arrive in time to be included in the next issue. Do not depend on the campus mail.

Counseling
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don't know about them. Also, please understand that I have a large number of topics as very important. You know, everyone who comes into a school like this must be very interested. But that is also why they already know how to study. They think these workshops teach you how to study as well.

"Well, we're going to start changing things. We're moving into more advanced teaching techniques, there are some newer techniques, the so-called 'super learning', techniques of relaxation and concentration. Things that would help the student already doing well to do even better.

"The other type of workshop we do in conjunction with other offices, and we do a ton of that. For these collaborative programs we get a lot of people showing up because there is a common interest and we're asked to.

"The second type of service the counseling center provides is counseling itself. As Dr. Marcus said, it's not uncommon to be counseling centers are run by us.

"All counseling is strictly confidential, and free to all students. Our offices have been set up as a place to where a small minority of students go who have big problems and that typifies why the counseling center staff is seen as people who have equality big problems. Only someone who has really thought about it.

"The first function of the center is to provide consultation to other offices and organizations on campus. It's become a very important role.

"The second function of the center is to provide counseling to students in college campuses. It is a very important role.
Editorial Page

November 9, 1981

Rose Tinted Glasses

In a previous issue we ran an editorial on administrative apathy; in this issue we would like to concentrate on the students. Don't be mistaken, apathy is not a localized problem. It is a problem at a national level. Although a cure is still to be discovered, a couple of causes have been highlighted. Amongst these, the most important is the lack of pride and this may be the problem at IIT too.

We just don't have a sense of pride in our institutions or what we're doing in it. There always are the dedicated types—the kind of people who make things happen. But unfortunately, they are outnumbered.

IIT has its problems, and not all of them are being solved quickly enough. Some of them may not be solved at all. Unfortunately, perhaps, but that doesn't mean the end of the world. What have we tried to do about the problem? Talk of sufficient social life, campus environment pressure of studies. Adding to the problems are acts of theft, vandalism, and littering. Possibly we have complained about these issues amongst ourselves. But that is not going to solve anything.

However, if some people are trying to improve things around here, for God's sake, let them. There are two ways of viewing things: through rose-tinted lenses or through smoggy ones. It would be beneficial to everyone if we chose the former option. After all, for better or worse, you've made your choice to come to IIT. There's no harm in trying to make the best of it.

by Sanjiv Chada

Letters

Repeat and Pass-Fail Addendum

I am writing to correct several substantive errors in statements attributed to John G. Sturm, IIT President, in a front page article in the September 21 issue of Tech News.

The obtaining of courses for a change in grade must be submitted to the President of the course or the head of the department in which the course is offered. The policy is clearly stated on page 18 of the 1981-82 Undergraduate BULLETIN: "Notice to repeat a course for a change in grade must be submitted to the Registrar at the time of registration. Re-registration in a course for the purpose of a change in grade must occur on or later than one calendar year after initial enrollment in that course. A student may repeat no more than three courses for grade change. In all such cases, both grades will be recorded on all transcripts issued. However, only the second grade will be used to compute the cumulative GPA except when the second grade is "W."" In the event that a course is no longer offered by the university, the provision to repeat the course for a grade change does not apply. The same course may be repeated only once for a grade change."

One point does require clarification. Effective August 24, 1981, all IIT undergraduates are subject to the three course limitation. Those undergraduate students who have already completed one or more courses for a change in grade, may still repeat up to three more courses for that purpose, have students are limited to the three course limitation. With reference to the PASS-FAIL system, it has been no change in policy in recent years, nor are there any plans, in my knowledge, to alter the current policy. I refer you once again to page 18 of the 1981-82 BULLETIN, which is a verbatim copy of the statement on page 38 of the 1980-81 BULLETIN.

Robert Filler
Dean, Lewis College
IIT Curriculum Committee Chairman

Congratulations to College Bowl Team

The performance of IIT's College Bowl Team in the CBS radio recording of interscholastic competition this weekend was an impressive feat of intense knowledge recall. Its significance may be more than an awesome display of comprehensive data, rapid reflexes and cool strategy. What transpired in the games which saw IIT in effect, beating the universities of Wisconsin, Michigan State, Illinois, North Carolina and Notre Dame was the possibility that IIT has academically come of age and is capable of intellectually matching it out with other American colleges. Never mind the fortuitous educational balance of the team members—literature, history, science, the arts, law and sports—a remarkable recruiting effort by an indomitable team captain, their emotional, cool, the avowed three year maturation of experience, their consistent pursuit of improvement, and the encouraging faith of a dedicated support group of students and staff. Never mind those essential accolades which elevate the event to more than an exercise in trivia. It was, rather, the shining hour of a group of ordinary Chicago people whose unsung self-image did not wilt in the intimidating presence of other schools with towering academic credentials. And the ecstasy was worth every bit of the agony.

Anselin H. Amadio
Chairman, IIT

Great Coverage

Union Board would like to officially commend your truly excellent coverage of the recent UB Ramones Concert; it is very encouraging to see the excitement of our campus reflected in such enthusiasm in your publication. In short, thank you Tech News, you've finally looked out on this one. Let's all keep up the good work which makes IIT a better place to be.

Sincerely,
John G. Sturm
President
The Age of Heroes

by Terry O'Donnell

The year 2001 saw the second Martian invasion of earth, 100 years to the day since the ill-fated first invasion. In the century that had transpired, the Martians had developed an all-purpose immu-
nity to the nuclear, chemical, and biological weapons that had devastated Earth. Their new technology was not only more advanced but also more destructive.

In 2002, the Martians launched an all-out attack on Earth, using their new war machines and technology. The battle raged for months, with both sides suffering heavy losses. The Martians emerged victorious, and their invasion was complete.

In 2003, the United Nations declared the invasion to be a full-scale war, and a global coalition was formed to resist the Martians. The battle raged for years, with thousands of casualties on both sides. Finally, in 2008, the Martians were defeated and forced to retreat.

The Age of Heroes had come to an end, and Earth was left to rebuild and recover from the devastation of the war.

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United States Steel

Mon., Nov. 16
Chicago International Film Fest at IT!!

THE HOUNDS OF NOtte SAME (Canada) Director: Zeke Dun "A thirty-six-year-old private investigator must solve the mystery of a stolen treasure before it falls into the hands of an international criminal organization.

ANGEL LIFE (Canada) Director: Pierre Hébert "A young woman discovers she has the power to reshape reality by altering the outcomes of important events in her life.

CLARENCE AND ANGEL (U.S.A.) Director: Robert Gardner "A former angel must confront his past mistakes and learn to make amends in order to be reincarnated as a human once again.

THE GERMANS SISTERS (Federal Republic of Germany) Director: Margarethe von Trotta "A complex drama about the lives of three sisters, exploring themes of war, family, and identity.

MEMOIRS OF A SURVIVOR (U.S.A.) Director: David Galwey "A Holocaust survivor recounts her harrowing experiences in a concentration camp.

CHICAGO INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL

November 7, 1981

NORMA MURALS DOCUMENTARIAN (United States) Director: Agnes Varda "A film that documents the life of a graffiti artist, exploring the relationship between art and social protest.

FREZ PREDREW’S LONEO! LOONY LOONEY BONNIE NICE (U.S.A.) Director: Fritz Farber "A group of mischievous characters embark on a series of hilarious adventures, fueled by their collective enthusiasm for mischief and mayhem.

THE SAMES OF COURTESY DOULINGEN DE GRATZ (France) Director: Catherine Seltz "A satirical take on the social dynamics and power struggles within a small community.

THE PLOUFFE FAMILY (Canada) "Your life is a juggling act, and in this film, you must balance the demanding pressures of family, career, and personal life.

WE WERE GERMAN JEWs (U.S.A.) Director: Michael Blackwood "A poignant reflection on the experiences of German Jews who lived during the Holocaust and the years following.

FILM FEST ticket information, see the announcement on page 3.
Puzzle Five

Challenge

Each side of the tetrahedron shown is an integer. Find all the sides $a$, $b$, $c$, $k$, $l$, and $m$ for which the sum $a + b + c$ is the smallest.

All entries; accompanied by name, phone, and address; must be turned in by noon, Friday, November 20 to the TN office.

Solution to Puzzle Four

Al Janos was the winner of Puzzle Four.

The prize must be claimed by noon, Friday, Nov. 13.

a) You can draw 21 squares into the grid, as shown.

b) The six points circled need to be deleted, so that not even one such square exists.

On far off planet an oppressive force has come out of the North to enslave the free people of Nascira. A group of revolutionaries has come to fight the tyrant Reegaan and his Northern Henchmen. They are:

CAPT. CHUCK & the Destroyers

Last issue the fight really hit the fan, and the destiny of our galaxy was in the balance. Today’s episode is brought to you by the people from the future.

Die, Reegaan! We shall never have the power! We shall never have the power! You are a tyrant! You shall not have Reegaan’s power! You are a tyrant! You shall not have Reegaan’s power!

The Druid had seen an argument start. He spoke in a voice loud enough to be heard above the rumble of the great machines. “Halt, all you who would destroy the lives of others. You seek power beyond your human grasp.”

Reegaan was not impressed. “I am the son of Reegaan, and I will have the power! You all will fall before our might. The people will rally to our side, and we shall rule this world!”

Captain, what is Reegaan’s power? It must be a terrible and corrupting force if even you would kill for its control. It is a very evil power. It is known as the Mandate.

The Druid stood firm. “The Mandate is a force of darkness, and it must be destroyed.”

NEXT: Reegaan’s Power Revealed
The start of the quest for the lost legions of lost Liberals, and Corwan’s Conquest of Castle Reegaan.
Economic Planning: ludwig von Mises

by Robert F. Mullahy, Jr.

Ludwig von Mises was perhaps the greatest economic thinker of the twentieth century. He was sharply at odds with the mainstream of economic thought. While his greatest single contribution was his original concept of economic planning, the depth and breadth of his thinking is extraordinary.

Von Mises wrote that the basis of civilization is the division of labor. The greater the productivity made possible by the division of labor, most of mankind would have to perf or to death. Capitalism operates to the material self-interests of all, even the so-called "haves and have-nots" or "proletarians." The real beneficial of factories and marketplace, those who buy the goods and services. The existence of private property provides the incentive of profit and loss and the freedom of competition, and thereby ensures an increasing supply of goods and services for all.

Von Mises was also adamantly opposed to all forms of socialism, which he felt, by abolishing private property, would also abolish the incentive of profit and loss. "Socialism is the negation of the process of the economy." Real economic planning would be impossible under social-ism, which would amount to chaos.

Advocates of capitalism generally agree that there is, and should be, no planning in a free economy. Most socialists feel that the central government should plan the whole state's economic and social growth. Von Mises wrote that there is economic planning in a free economy, "hierarchy" where no one had considered it. Planning is done on an individual basis, to move diverse individual needs by individ-

Another Genesis

by Pierre Maloix

I've been hearing of Genesis for quite a while now. Well I was in the record store the other day and saw Abacab, and thought to myself, "Ah, could be a good set of tunes." Well, I was right, Athabac is far from Genesis' first album, and the Genesis版权归, Permission is needed.

The record starts out with the title cut, "Abacab." This has got a lot of elements that would make it popular by the radio large stations, and derivatives. It is a hard driving time with lots of vocals and storylines. It's a set that takes it makes me happy, but this does more than makes me happy, it's great.

The second song, "No Reply At All," was the first time I heard it. I was driving along listening to the radio, when suddenly a Funk song come on the radio. Well, when the vocals started I said, "Ah, he's made it me go. Oh, obviously, he wasn't on 5th.

The third song, "Who You?" has me reaching for my volume (I love loud), the song is trying to find out who you. I'd like to know if you did what, but in the mean time, I'll settle for listening to the song loud. This song has a great deal of influence from ex-member Peter Gabriel. The rhythm and sound is "dazed and confused," it's a fitting tune, with the words "Put Another Record On." This is a great song to use on a night that you want to chill, or just chill out, you realize that you have to wait for the next release to hear more new Genesis.

Some clotting remarks: 1) Buy this Album. 2) Prepare to be sick. 3) "Put Another Record On." This is a great song to use on a night that you want to chill, or just chill out, you realize that you have to wait for the next release to hear more new Genesis.

Frustrated Fairy Tales...Apologies to Edward...Everton

Fourth in our continuing series of folk tales from around the world, we present this unusual legend from the South Pacific, which is obscure.

by Q. Light

A long time ago, before even Elizabeth Taylor, there lived on the bottom of the ocean a small, yet strong, animal called the Subbers. They were a good size, but slow-witted people that were given to undertaking pro-

water race. This could possibly be used by the fact that the average Swimmer was as heavy and cumbersome as the Subbers and partly to the fact that the average Subber was so dumb as to be oblivious to the dangers of such a race that would span several coter-

ities. The only national pastime was to swim and to act like the ordinary, or to the extraordinary, which was swimming against the tide.

Up until this time there were no news of the rafting of the mighty seas of the Earth, for the entire surface of the water was as smooth and glassy as a college student's eyes. When ancient man looked out across the ocean, all he saw was the sky and the reflection of the sky in the mirror. The only thing he could see were out sloping forebears to believe the water and sky were actually underwater, they actually lived underwater.

NASA scientists are still debating this theory, but that's another story. Anyway about this time, a ship sank in the Mediterrane- an Sea, followed by a soccer ball and a big shot soccer ball.
Last Friday and Saturday, the IIT College Bowl team beat teams from Illinois, Purdue and Notre Dame to advance to the national College Bowl tournament. The two day competition was part of a “mini-week” in which eight matches were played over two days and were taped for later radio re-broadcast by the CBS radio network.

The IIT team consisted of Captain Jay Kerr, Mike Pfeily, Walter Mybeck, John Nitlak and alternate Doug Tansy. When host Art Fleming asked Kerr if he had anything to say after the third and final victory, he replied that this was one of the best teams he’d ever played with and that the team was looking forward to competing later in the national tournament to be held in March of next year.

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And the Mindless

On October 24, Union Board held the Thirteenth Annual Tricycle Race. Despite the cold weather, eight teams entered the race, which consisted of ten laps around a number of the academic buildings.

The winner of the race was the Sigma Phi Epsilon team with a finishing time of 28 min., 15 sec. Congratulations! In second place was the Vietnamese team and the Dope Pedalers came in third place.

Not everyone can win the race and not everyone finished the race, but they did have fun! “We didn’t win, but we will be back next year!” quoted one of the losing teams, and they probably will be back next year.
Most Wanted Student

COLLEGE STATION, TX (CPS) - James Beall may be the most wanted student in America.

Beall isn’t a heartthrob or a criminal, instead he’s at or near the top of his engineering class, which happens to be at Texas A&M, widely recognized as one of the best engineering schools in the land.

As such, Beall’s already been wired and dined by companies that want to hire him after graduation. He expects to be wooed and courted by dozens of other firms by the time he graduates later this year. He probably won’t be disappointed. Nationwide recruiting for engineering grads is fierce. They are the surest bets to get good jobs among the entire class of 1982.

James Beall, as one of the top two gradgetters at one of the top engineering colleges, just may have the best time of his life this year.

“I started interviewing this summer,” Beall recalls. “I’ve had two plant tours and several job offers already, one with a petro-chemical plant and another with an aviation firm.”

He figures that whatever firm he eventually chooses will probably start him at $20,000 a year or maybe even a little higher. Beall’s expectations aren’t out of line. The average 1982 engineering grad will earn $22,300 next year, compared to liberal arts grads, who will be scrambling for average starting salaries of $10,000. Engineering students were less than ten percent of the 1980-81 graduating class, but got 65 percent of the on-campus job offers, according to the College Placement Council’s College Placement Council's College Placement Council of Illinois.

Judith Kaiser, a College Placement Council spokesman, says the current market is far different from seven years ago, when a recession in the wake of the Arab oil embargo slowed industry demand for engineers, and engineering students actually flocked to change their majors.

“In 1972 we had 3456 engineering students enrolled,” recalls Dr. Robert H. Page, Texas A&M’s dean of engineering. “There are nine years later with three times that number: 11,352.”

The reasons for the change are evident, he says. “Technology is getting more and more complex, and it has created a great demand for quality engineers. The orders are out to recruit engineering students.”

Engineering enrollment at A&M is up 1000 from last year, and Page expects similar increases in the next several years.

National engineering enrollment has skyrocketed from 159,000 in 1972 to over 220,000 in 1980.

“I would expect it to up another ten percent for this current year,” speculates Dr. W. Edward Lear, director of the American Society for Engineering Education.

“The job opportunities are great,” Lear explains. “The average four-year engineering student will have three or four job offers before graduation, and will earn an average of $25,000 to $75,000 the first year.”

“The favorable job market has created significant increases in the total number of students who choose engineering as a major,” understated Iowa State engineering Dean David Boyland.

“Most projections indicate the demand will continue. But the boom, ironically enough, just picked college engineering schools into the deepest crises in their histories.

“I think everyone is beginning to see the potential disaster if we don’t do something,” Lear warns. “Right now we’re dealing with a double-edged sword.”

 Enrollment jumps have made overcrowded classes common, and impressive salary temptations from private industry have made it hard to hire new grads to take on the additional class load. Few new graduates choose to go on for more schooling when they can get high salaries. Experienced engineering professors are leaving academia to take those higher starting salaries.

“Starting teachers can expect a salary of around $25,000 a year,” Lear says. “That’s after three years of additional schooling, plus the cost and effort to get their Ph.D.s. When they can step out of college with a B.S. and get the same salary in the private sector, they see that they wouldn’t be that far ahead by continuing their education.”

Current instructors “can realise anywhere from a 30 to 100 percent improvement by moving to corporate jobs,” Lear gestures.

He estimates there are 1500 to 2000 vacant engineering positions on American college campuses.

Cal Tech’s engineering enrollment has doubled in the last seven years, but Dean Roy Gould is finding it harder and harder to get instructors to teach there. “I suspect it’s going to get harder as we have a smaller and smaller pool to draw from.”

“I’m really concerned about our future,” confides Texas A&M’s Page. “Our very best students are going into industry, students that ought to continue their education for the benefit of the country and of the student. There’s an expression going around that says ‘industry is just eating its own feces,’” and I hope something is done to control the situation.

Many schools of engineering are now self-consciously stressing the values of postgraduate education, and cooking up incentives to keep their students in school.

Others, like Purdue, have raised admissions standards and virtually walled out of-state students.

And colleges are appealing to industries that are hiring away teaching and grad-school talent. In response, Exxon recently announced a $15 million program to encourage students to continue in school, and discourage professors from defecting to the private sector.

Initial results of such efforts, judging from the plans of Texas A&M’s top engineering students, are mixed.

Beall’s vision is firmly fixed on the job market. Following in his father’s technical footsteps because “it seemed like the natural thing to do,” the 22- year-old would be as big as it is now,” has him. “When I first went into school, I had no idea engineering would be as big as it is now.”

Classmate Joseph Ott, when Dean Page identified as one of A&M’s top engineering students, wants something else. He plans to resist industry’s temptations for another year.

“My wife and I talked it over,” Ott says. “We figure that once we get out and get used to the ‘big money, it will be even harder to go back to school. So we’re going to suffer through another year so that I can increase my earning potential, and extend my engineering life.”
Preseason Basketball Warm-Ups

Rick Schmidt drives past Andres Liano only to meet two more defenders.

Gregg Petrovsky bounces a pass past Clarence Rak.

Bob Gajusky and Clarence Rak lung for the ball.

Bill Hamilton feeds a pass to a waiting Wes Carter. Regis Brown defends.

Driving to the hoop.

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Soccer—Who’s at Fault?

by Bill Gallagher

At this time last year the Kickers were in the playoffs due to wins over powers like Judson and Wheaton. This year was quite a bit different. The Hawks ended their season last Saturday with a 4-0 loss to Wisconsin Parkside. They ended this season with a very disappointing 2-8-2 record.

The reasons for this record are due to many things. First, the Hawks had the same team as last year plus they couldn’t be improved nor worsened. While the Kickers stayed the same, almost every other team in the league bettered their talent skills.

Second, the Kickers did not beat the teams they should have. (Roosevelt 3-3, Loyola, U of C, North Park). In ten of their 12 games the Hawks found themselves behind at the start of the game by at least a goal. Tech was able to fight back in two of those games for a tie but all others became losses.

There seems to be one lacking factor in every season for this team: FANS. Please don’t get me wrong. We do have fans but they are all from the opposing team. Many people scream about the coach, team etc., but still show no support for the school.

Why should the athletic department try to better this program when the only people on this campus who care are the players and coaching staff.

There are a great number of people who say they love this game. One must wonder if they are being truthful. I dare anyone who thinks they can improve next years team to try out. You may think its easy, but you have to be in good shape to play a game non.

This year’s basketball season could well be the most exciting yet, not only for the team but also for the faculty, administration and yes, even the students. The Athletic Department, in conjunction with the Dean of Student Life Office, Human Resources, and other on campus sponsors will be coordinating a number of special events. Nights beginning with the first home Basketball game and continuing on through February.

“We want to promote the Insti-
tute’s community aspects, and are just trying to do our share for the total community”, stated Coach Topper. He also added, “We hope these events will attract more fans, not only for the game in which a special group will be our honored guest, but we expect to be entertaining enough for people to come back on ordinary nights.”

All activities are scheduled to begin at 7:00 p.m. So come out, back the Hawks, and have a ball! 

A Hoopla of Events

The various special groups will receive information concerning “their” night prior to the event.

Upcoming nights include:

Nov. 28.....Fraternity and Sorority Nite
Dec. 3.....Administration, Faculty and staff Nite
Jan. 28....Residence Hall Nite
Jan. 30....Parents’ Nite
Feb. 9.....All Sports Nite
Feb. 22....Chicago Catholic League Coaches and Athletes Nite

Spikers Close Season

by Ann Marie

IIT’s Women’s Volleyball Team gained another victory last week by defeating Moody Bible last in the last home game of the season.

IIT got off to a fast start in the first game and gave their opponents only two points. The second and third games were also won by IIT but not quite in the same fashion.

While Moody gained momentum and made fewer mistakes, the Spikers had problems maintaining consistency and sent a number of serves and spikes into the net.

Despite all, the team pulled together and swept the match, 15-5, 15-10, 15-13.

The women also performed well in their victories over Rosary, 15-4, 15-3, 15-6; Mundelein, 15-7, 15-8, 15-4; and Moody once again, 15-4, 15-11, 15-8.

Unfortunately, IIT was unable to pull off with a number of other games, more experienced teams and wound up losing to North Park, 16-14, 15-8, 15-7; Whittier 15-5, 15-5; Aurora 15-2, 15-9. Aurora and Wheaton were IIT’s first opponents at the University of Chicago Tournament.

Reflecting on this season’s 12-5 record, it is evident that this year’s team has improved and the women are looking forward to ’82.

Contributing in the success of the team were Co-captains Ann Backly and Linda O’Connell and team members: Rhoda Barfield, Mary Kay Concanon, Theresa Cox, Roberta Bilewy, Amy Murphy, Barb Pochel, Elvira Perez, Marla Pujol, Sue Scott, and Gloria Whitaker.

Congratulations to all the men and Coach Meyer for a job well done!