IITRI calls it quits!

The Illinois Institute of Technology Research Institute (IITRI) has decided to leave the distal research industry and enter the highly profitable world of high-rise parking. At the Board of Directors meeting last Monday, it was decided that IITRI has already taken too much of an economic beating over the past few years, and that operating a high-rise parking business would be a much more profitable method of utilizing the 16-story building.

"We feel there is an incredible amount of money to be made in the field," commented Shirley Broeker, Vice President of IITRI.

"What's the point in losing money year after year when we have such a prime facility for running a lucrative parking business."

Already there are five high-rise parking facilities in the Chicago area, each reporting yearly profits of over $1.5 million. Compared to IITRI's reported loss of $14.4 million last year, the parking business "...is just the thing to save our butts," said an unidentified IITRI director.

"We couldn't ask for a better location for this type of business," added IITRI President M.T. Wileman. "People who now have to drive downtown to work will be able to get to the 80th Street track in less time than it takes them to drive to the El station. Commuters who take advantage of our service will save lots of time and money plus get a chance to meet all sorts of interesting people on the El."

Of course the IITRI tower will have to be modified, and several automobile elevators will have to be installed before the El High Rise Parking and El Station Center (IIT HIRPES) will be prepared to compete in the world of contract parking lots. "All modifications should be completed within two months," noted Mary Krey, Chief of Construction. "It's a race, but we don't think we'll be late."

Campus Police get creamed

The IIT Campus Police officers took a break from their busy on-campus activities last weekend and participated in the Annual Campus Police Competition in Springfield, Illinois. The "IIT Doughboys," as they are called, fought valiantly throughout the twenty event competition and although they handled two major events, they only managed to compile enough total points for a fourteenth place finish out of sixteen teams competing.

Officer Cliff Massie and Lieutenant Harry Wheeler led the nine-member team to convincing victories in the tug-of-war and "pass eating" contests. "I've never seen nine men eat twenty-five pies so fast!" said Commander Fig Swingle. "I'm impressed at the police's performance. We certainly impressed a lot of campus policemen from around the state!"

The victory in the tug-of-war contest was even more impressive considering that only eight of IIT's nine officers could compete, due to a 2000 lb. weight limitation per team.

"We were down on our feet, but we fought on," commented the team's anchorman, Officer Bob Butterburn. "Hell, three squads were out after us after they found we were lining the mud. Ain't no sense messin' around here, now."

The Snobworks...

HUB cafe switches to snob food format

"We're conceited, we're expensive, and we're gonna make a lot of cash," claims Ed Whollot of Dewey, Cheatem & Howe, the firm which operates the HUB cafeteria.

Major changes begin in that facility today.

The cafeteria has been renamed "The Snobworks" and offers a different menu served in a different way. Styrofoam and plasticware have been replaced with crystal glasses and goldware. Food is now served on each table by French waiters and waitresses who have been trained to treat students like royalty.

Dewey, Cheatem, and Howe is a subsidiary of Fast and Greedy. They operate over two food outlets throughout the nation at schools where financial aid directors were quoted as saying, "...we think they can pay it." Terry Straight is their manager for the residence halls and HUB dining areas.

Ed Whollot is a trouble shooter sent here a year ago by Dewey, Cheatem, and Howe and he's put it, "We're going to milk these rich students since they've go so much money to waste, as demonstrated by their willingness to part with $6.40 a year."

"We have a new, unprecedented service procedure (a waiter and busboy for each table), new uniforms (tux and tails), and new packaging (individual crystal food servers, instead of cheap silver)." says Whollot. "We want the students to feel like they're getting something for their money."

Whollot added that it means "a better bottom line" by about ten times over the old marketing techniques of the Grubworks.

The changes are away...
Announcing the greatest sale in the history of the Campus Service Station. It's our first annual Final Exam Sale.

Now through Saturday, May 14th, you can enjoy these unbelievably low prices on some of our most demanded parts and services.

- oil and filter change $73.95
- complete tune up (excluding spark plugs and wires) $99.95
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- exhaust system (excluding labor) $299.95
- windshield washer solvent $19.95
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Don't miss them again

Be in the midst of the '83 riots

So you missed 'em in 1988... Well now you don't have to miss them again.

Yes, right now you can reserve your seats for the Second Wave of Chicago Riots! We have thirty-five luxurious party rooms available in Majestic Main Building, all waiting for you and your friends to come party and watch the exciting riots right before your eyes.

We've installed Riotproof plexiglass in all Main Building window panes and we've even equipped each RiotWatch room with four Winchester 12 gauge shotguns in case the action gets a little too close.

Expert sociologists from around the world have predicted that Chicago will be a real hot spot this summer, and that the IIT campus will be the battleground for much of the political and racial violence.

Just $44.95 reserves you a 4th or 5th floor Main Building suite, complete with Riotproof windows and four shotguns, for six days and seven nights of riot watching.

Don't pass up your chance. After this summer, Chicago riots might not be back for another fifteen years.

Zilch.

What reason can there possibly be for forcing yourself to endure another year at Tech?

You guessed it.

Zilch.

C'mon now, face it. You've hated it from day 1. Hassles from the Bursar's Office, red tape at the Registrar's, screw ups in financial aid, inconsiderate instructors, ignorant T.A.'s, obsolete lab equipment, horrendous food, dangerous neighborhoods, ugly buildings... The list goes on and on.

But you don't have to take it any more. You don't have to shell out $6700 to come and get slapped in the face time and time again. You don't have to be just another victim in a sea of Tech Nerds.

Come to MIT, the Michigan Institute of Trucking. We'll teach you all you need to know about the big rigs, and all you'll need to know about starting your own successful business as a private trucker. Forget all the university pomposeness. You want a simple education that will get you a job, a good job. MIT guarantees it. No strings. No gimmicks.

So when you come to your senses and realize that there are already enough engineers and architects in this world, remember that there is also a major shortage of truckers, and you could be just the one to fill some of those empty shoes.

C'mon now, what's stopping you?

The Michigan Institute of Trucking
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announcements
Happy Barmitzvah

Congratulations to Eric Foreskin, IIT Director of Housing, on his son's Barmitzvah last Saturday.
Harold Foreskin, a sixth grade student (despite twice, poor kid) at Mr. Stigler's grade school, happily celebrated the Jewish tradition with his family and close friends. "Gee Dad, this is great," noted little Harry.

Researching gas

The Institute of Gas Technology is in need of seventy-five subjects to take part in a top secret, high technology research project. Although we can not mention here exactly what the project will involve, subjects will not need to do anything unnatural and they will be paid well for their efforts. All those who wish to apply should have a deep liking for mexican food, pork and beans, and Old Style beer. Call Kay O' Pecete for details.

Wanna go fission

The Physics Department will be holding their final colloquium of the year entitled "Radioactive Decay of the Fission Fragments, one of the Events and an Overview of Several Optimal Fission Holes in Addition to a Brief Discussion of Fission Poles, Fission Boats, and Fission Luers." Coffee and salmon heads will be served before the colloquium. All are welcome to attend. Friday, May 13th, 5:30 p.m. at 515 Street Beach.

A year in Iran

Students who are interested in spending an exciting fun filled year as transfer students at the University of Tehran should begin making plans to do so now. Tehran provides a refreshing change from the boring realm of civilization and many American students in the past have found it very enlightening to interact with a people who exist so low on the evolutionary ladder. Call Sue Aside at 56011 if you'd like to spend a year dodging bullets, praying to Allah, hitching in the streets...and working toward a degree.

Are you a victim?

Vee Delta, the sorority for sexual victims, is holding it's annual Spring recruitment drive now through Friday. Faye Styll, President of Vee Delta, promises that the Vee Delta experience will stay with you forever. Contact Vee Delta recruiters at x6660.

Stroll on through

Jon Mellow (the ex-hippie) is proud to announce his "Take a Stroll Through IIT" campaign to all residents of nearby neighborhoods. In his introductory statements he said, "Hey man, I'd really like to see our campus blend in with our environment ya know, like a much higher degree. That means we'll need some local brothers to hang out on campus, dig? And the best way to get them to groove on that is to tear down the fences man, and put out the welcome mat. A good 'major league' ballpark figure I guess would be about 200 dudes a day diggin' our space, ya know? Groovys, huh?"

Dope can help!

The National Organization for the Reform of Marijuana Laws (NORML) will be holding an open lecture entitled "How Marijuana Can Get You Through Finals." On Wednesday May 11th, from 5:00 to 5:16 p.m. in the McCormick Lounge of the residence halls. Several ex-hippies will be there, so get high and come rap with us.

Homo Siblings

Are you a student faced with an unbearable amount of stress because one or more of your brothers or sisters is a blatant homosexual? If so, you should attend the first meeting of a new organization designed to help out students with this sort of problem. We're "Homo Sapiens with Homo Siblings," and we'll be at McGaw 115 to deal with your situation. Come Thursday at 5:30 p.m. in Cohen Lounge.

Commie Anthem

The Soviet State Music Conservatory announces an International Competition (open to Communist agents everywhere) for the "Commie Anthem." Applicants are advised that compositions remotely similar to either the old Soviet National Anthem or the Arch-reactionaries Dimitry Shostakovich and Arsen Khatchaturians or the old-old "Internationale" Soviet National Anthem will not be considered and that anything by Sergei V. Rachmaninoff would be preferred. So come on and create, Soviet artists.

Where are the Campus Police when you need them?

Due to recent student complaints about the availability of campus police for "phantom" escort services and general security services, Campus Safety Manager Fig Swiggins has compiled a list of the ten best locations to contact an officer in an emergency:
1) Campus Mart Twinkies section
2) Commons Ice Cream vending machine
3) HUB Cafeteria
4) Main Building Candy machine
5) HUB Munchies machine
6) Cerebrar Library Lobby
7) Park Bench in Sterling Morton Park
8) Writing parking tickets in the Commons Lot
9) The Campus Dry Chancers
10) Campus Police Station in Machinery Hall, x3333

Doughboys take the cake...

Brought to you by Terry Straight!

Next semester every Tuesday in both the Dormitory and Herman Hall cafeterias, you'll be able to enjoy some of the fruitiest dishes ever concocted. We hope you'll enjoy the fruity delights and citrus sensations that will be serving up for you...fella.

Man about Tech... Gossip from the pulpit
by Andsme Armadillo

Martini's for Martin
I couldn't help but watch Friday as President-Dean Martin guinep down three martinis at the luxifrutst underground watering hole, "The Faculty Club." President-Dean Martin claims to be a, "one secretary man," but yours truly is beginning to wonder if our flashy Dependent is actually making eyes at the faculty club's bartender-ess, Ms. Ann Buxsome, who I must say is one fine female specimen.

Goodbar With a Gun?
Was that Wally Goodbar, HUB Director of Programming, helping out the Campus Police last Tuesday in apprehending a local gang of thugs. The gang of long-haired white kids were later charged with mocking a campus police officer. "I hate long-haired white kids," said Goodbar after the incident. "But I really hate long-haired white kids when they make fun of a decent man of the law like Officer Joe Beergut."

Big Fig Takes a Swig
Caught Campus Police Commander Fig Swiggins sweeping some incidents under the rug in his 2nd floor Machinery Hall office Friday. "Heck Andsome, I'm just trying to keep our place looking clean," he said as he dropped the corner of his yellow office rug.
Word is he's steaming mad over the officiating in last weekend's Campus Police Competition in Springfield. "Shoot Andsome, they didn't give our boys a fair shake. It took us so long to finish the obstacle course that they gave us negative points toward our overall it killed our chances and we're mad about it."

Bob Morgan Picks a Beauty for a Wife
Can you believe it? Our own Assistant Dean of Student Life, Bob Morgan, is engaged to marry Hollywood personality Morgan Fairchild. "I like short dark haired men with mustaches" giggled Fairchild about her future husband Thursday over the phone.
The two have presently set the wedding date for June 15th, after which Bob Morgan will take on his wife's surname and become Bob Morgan Fairchild. Ms. Fairchild will also take her husband's surname and become Morgan Fairchild Morgan. Good luck you lovebirds! A.A.
A Club of Life hoax...

Dean Vice cleared of KGB ties

Dean Vice in the KGB? Pretty ridiculous, huh? We thought so too. What follows are excerpts from a National Caucus of Labor Committees propaganda sheet that was printed and distributed here after Dean Vice denied the formation of a radical Club of Life group on campus.

This is no joke, but the behavior of the NCLC is so we decided to reprint this for your enjoyment. We used italics at some points to call attention to certain phrases which we thought were particularly amusing. The italicized not appear in the original.

"...Vice is only a small-time white collar thug, the kind who will obsessively try to thwart the NCLC's influence."

Based on a superficial reading of the facts, many people might hastily conclude that IIT Dean of Student Life James Vice is an operative of the Soviet KGB. After all, his efforts to deny membership to the National Caucus of Labor Committees -the rights of free speech and free assembly on the IIT campus seem to serve only those interested in fomenting a collapse of the West. Why else should be deny organizational status to the Club of Life group in November, then undertake, with a vindictiveness any 1950's McCarthyite would envy to stop a January 20 forum on "Beam Weapons: The Science to Prevent Nuclear War," while the nuclear freeze movement, as well as a host of other political organizations functions freely on campus? Anyone asking the detective standard first question, "Cubboned?" would seem safe in picking the unfortunate little Dean Vice as an obvious Kremlin loyalist.

Of course, a failed academic career - like the wretched James Vice seems over his head in such company. That's because Vice is only a small-time white-collar thug, the kind who will obsessively try to thwart the NCLC's influence because we insist, again every intellectual compromise such mediocrity have made in their lives, that ideas have an efficiency and potency in the real world, that the apparent resource and population crisis is completely solvable through the continual application of the technological innovations that are the product of scientific progress.

Take for example, Vice's outburst which says in essence that NCLC-supported activities should be denied recognition status because - as no less an authority than J. Edgar Hoover's COINTELPRO operative maintained! [hamm apparently this is an example of political blindness] the NCLC is "vicious." Vice's overtime labors in persecuting the NCLC for its alleged "violent" prophecies are especially interesting for a man who is a protege of the University of Chicago's Ira Giddianson, a man whose "research" interests ran to the use of convulsive electro-shock in the treatment of juvenile delinquents - practice that would make even a few Hitler-loving Skinheadians blush!

The crowning irony of Vice's malicious gossip mongering is that it comes in an effort to kill a campus presentation on directed energy beam weapons development.

What about you? Will you see your commitment to progress and the pursuit of science reduced to the inquisitional tactics of a male-menopausal victim like Jimmy Vice? Or will you throw hypotheses and postulates like Vice out of the administration, where they can only police the teaching of apologists for genocide and irrationalism?

So, is James Vice being paid by the KGB, or by the Western Malathians of Prince Philip's World Wildlife Fund? Strictly speaking, we're not sure. But if he's not getting handsomely rewarded by someone, he's getting gyped.

EIT leaves research business: "We're broke"

by Eternally Toking

Drug abuse is not only great recreation for men, but also for women. Despite this and despite the popularity of drug use, some people continue to be discouraged by the consistent collection of misunderstandings and false conceptions about it. Hopefully, this article will explain away some myths and determine the facts concerning recreational drug use.

One common myth is that drug use will make you a high mind.

"High Mind" is not a medical term - it has no scientific meaning. It reflects the belief that the mind, the body make it make a trip, thereby creating a body that is clumsy and awkward. If this were true, NFL players would be awkward and inarticulate because every team has a rigorous drug training program. The actual truth is that professional and collegiate athletes in every sport indulge in drugs as a part of the regular training program.

Another quite common myth is that drug abuser's minds are really useless. This idea, possibly stemming from envy, is that drugs that give you good definition and muscular shape somehow don't really make you smart. The idea probably originated from the fact that competitive drug abusers are generally not as wild as competitive alcohol abusers. A question often asked is "If I stop using dope will my body turn into fat?" Perhaps this myth is reinforced when people see high mind who are now fat, fatty, and gone to seed. What usually happens is that a high mind who has been active all his life suddenly finds himself retired and fails to modify his munching lifestyle. He keeps munching on and gains weight. When you stop being active, you have to eat less or you'll get fat.

Does drug use make one heavier? There are two ways to define "heavier." 1) adding pounds; or 2) expanding your mystical and philosophical outlook on life, not to mention all the intense experiences we get from using drugs. The two don't always go together. Some people will just munch out and get the pot (get it?). Others will be able to control themselves and just enjoy their trips without going out of control. Remember, "I'll hurt myself." Naturally, people who don't know anything about dope are understandably fearful of picking up "heavy" (meaning two above) drugs and hurting themselves. However, if a dope training program is followed step by step, each exercise done carefully and with the proper amount of hits, injury can be avoided. When beginning a program of drug use, don't pick up "heavy" drugs at first. Only as a person becomes stronger should the amount of dope be increased.

Nowadays the benefits and liabilities of any drug abuse program can be methodically measured and proven. Whenever drug abusers have been pitted against abusers of other types of recreation, they have scored well in their ability to do work, in cardiovascular and muscular endurance, and in the small percentage of fat in their body composition. This is true for both men and women, and drug use is a sport that both can enjoy and benefit from.
BICENTENNIAL MAN is returning from quelling a revolt of the anti-environmentalists. The Ashtrays are full on his Bazooka— "Time to trade this one in," he says to himself.

As he awaits further orders from the General—

"He spots a young alien student scrawling an unintelligible script on university property."

"Excuse me, fellow," he asks, "but what is that you've written?"

"Eet says, 'Death to Eemedica,' the character replies.

"That's what I thought."

REALLY WARPED SEX

COMICS © 1982 (censored)
Saturday of Finals Week, PU presents “Doorsomania.” That’s right, “Doorsomania,” here at IIT in the HUB. You read it right, “Doorsomania,” not Jim Morrison, but an unbelievably bland simulation. Brought to you this finals week by the Bad Concerts Committee of PU.

PU Concert Survey

We’d like you to indicate your favorites among the following performers. We’ll do our best to get the most popular to the HUB.

- The Doors
- Led Zeppelin
- Janis Joplin
- Lenny Bruce
- Simon and Garfunkel
- The Dave Brubeck Quartet
- The Beatles
- Buddy Holly
- The Supremes
- Muddy Waters
- Jimi Hendrix
- Lynyrd Skynyrd
- Elvis “the King” Presley

Coming this August—A shocking new talent’s first novel

John Whyte’s

This is an important man. He is PU Vice President in charge of other Vice Presidents. Yes, this is Gordon Jackson. Isn’t he a geek? If you’re a full-fledged geek like Gordon, or just a geek-in-training, join PU today. We’re looking for a few good geeks.

ENTITLED POEM BY AN ANONYMOUS ARCHITECTURE STUDENT

I stand in line.
I draw lines.
My friends do lines.
My back bonds.

Don’t forget QL!
Crazy Dave plops out more bull

Well, it's Thursday night again and time to scribble down some of my well thought out thoughts about recent campus issues, even though I'm a DJ on WYOY, your campus radio station. Which reminds me to remind you about the "Crazy Dave Show" which airs from 6 to 9 (get it?) on WYOY.

Well, anyways, I was going to talk about the parking situation. I think it's pretty crappy, the way they dropped this load on us. Here I sit, broken hearted, thinking I have one more topic to milk in my weekly column, when the administration slaps us with a screwy ten dollar parking fee. All that commotion and all that suspense... All for nothing; or so I thought until I flushed out Jon Mellowbocker (that wacky old ex-hippie) and convinced him into giving me an interview.

Dave: Well, I just want to get to the bottom of this. In all the sales of IIT, the administration has never passed up a chance to make mega-bucks, so why the sudden change?

Mellowbocker: Well, uh man, you know, some days you're off a bit. When I said ballpark figure, man, I was thinking about a 'little league' ballpark, not Cominsky Park.

Crazy Dave: Well that's easy for you to say, sitting on that stool, but you had a lot of students, some of them listeners to the "Crazy Dave Show," calling me up to protest the high fees. Why didn't you just say you had a flood of paperwork to wade through, and you'd tell them in a month or so, just like all the other departments do?

Wacky Mellowbocker: Well man, I was getting so much s... from everyone, man, that I thought I'd mellow out a bit and relax. Taking those yoga courses really helped me find myself, ya know...

Well, after the interview he told me he'd met with Jim Morrison and Janis Joplin and how spiritual it was... Which reminds me to tell you about the "Chug a Keg Lobotomy Party" that WYOY personality, Crazy Dave, will be DJ'ing. I want you all to come and enjoy the music because as we all know, some freshmen got too drunk at a party and crashed the dorms.

Well, having left traces of their paperwork (i.e. Charmin) in the stairwells, they were tracked down. Instead of punishing the few offender, the administration decided to forbid all alcohol at parties. I think this policy stinks because all the decent people who come to hear Crazy Dave DJ at a party are there to have a little fun and get acquainted and they really need a few beers before they can get into the swing of things. It's no fun to DJ a party when no one gets into the music because there's no liquor. Go ahead and take the privilege away from the few drunk kids and let the rest of us drink and be happy.

Well, I think that's enough on the parking situation at Tech. Call Crazy Dave to find out what parties he'll be DJ'ing during the summer so you can come out and enjoy the music with a few beers. Don't forget to check out the Crazy Dave's Corner next week as I take an in-depth look at what's new at WYOY.
Come Jam With Tech News

From left to right, Managing Editor Mark Shaughnessy jamming with his '82 Rickenbacker 4003 bass, News Editor Jim Sute burning the frets with his '71 Gibson Les Paul Custom guitar, Features Editor Tanya Miszczanuzak kicking out the jams with her '78 Sigma Acoustic guitar, Editor in Chief Rob Artt rocking on his '78 Gibson S-G guitar, and Production Expert Bob Krumins folding his arms.

Even if you don't rock and roll, you can still be a part of our great TN band!

We need:

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- Critics
- Production Staff
- Roadies
- Drummers
- Reporters
- Photographers

See you next year!
And don't forget to party!