Board Votes Tuition Increase

by William J. Hartshorne

A 10 percent increase in tuition for the 1979-80 academic year was approved by the Board of Trustees at its meeting on Wednesday. The "cost-of-living" hike, which the trustees used as their index, will result in an increase of about $250 per student per year. Trustees also voted to eliminate all student fees for the fall semester.

"We have had a number of cases this year where the building fund has been used to cover fee losses," Trustee Robert D. L. Nelson said. "We decided that it would be better to pass the loss on to the students rather than deplete the reserve funds.

El Trains Collide

The ride E, which travels from the 404th Street station, overpass the campus, to the 6th Street station, has been stopped by a collision on the tracks. The train is making a two-block run. The drivers of the train say that the collision occurred when the train was trying to avoid a broken down car on the tracks. The train and the car were not damaged.

Text Shortage Hits Bookstore

by Neil K. Anderson

The IIT Bookstore is experiencing a serious shortage of textbooks. The store is running out of books before the semester starts. The store has already had to order more books than usual.

IIT Releases 73-74 Budget

by Richard W. Anderson

The IIT Board of Trustees has approved the 1973-74 budget. The budget, which is expected to be $160 million, includes $50 million for research and development, $40 million for instructional needs and $70 million for operating expenses.

The budget was developed by the IIT administration with the assistance of the Board of Trustees. The budget includes an increase of 10 percent over last year's budget.

New Editors

by Fred B. Dailey

The Editor's Committee has appointed new editors for the Illinois Institute of Technology News. The new editors are: Ira R. S. Berman, Editor-in-Chief; Richard C. Long, Senior Editor; and John H. H. Gaffney, Managing Editor.

The new editors will assume their duties immediately. They will be responsible for the editorial content of the News, including the selection of articles and the preparation of the final product.
New Mini Bus Service Here

IIT now has a mini bus. This new service for IIT students and staff started on Monday, January 16th. The "bus," actually a carry-all van, will transport people to and from campus from areas close to the school. The schedule is primarily designed to aid commuters in coming to campus from various transportation routes.

The mini bus will make stops at the North-South Ell, which parallels State Street, and at the Dan Ryan Rapid Transit Station at 33rd Street. It will also make several stops in Hyde Park. The mini bus will operate from 5 am to 9 am and from 4 pm to 10:30 pm, Monday through Friday, which will help students getting to school during the morning and evening hours. It is expected to be 10:30 pm to give evening students the same chance to stay on the line, and to increase student and staff protection. The hours and route are subject to change since the passenger loads have been determined.

A round trip on the route will take 20 minutes with 10 minutes from campus to CPR Rapid Transit stations and an additional 3 minutes from the Rapid Transit stations back to the Ell. The total trip, including the time on the bus and to and from the Ell, is 26 minutes after the hour.

The mini bus will also make a trip, a book of five coupons costing two dollars can be obtained at the Emergency Office and at other locations. The driver and the only coupon will also accept cash.

Many said the mini bus program is being run on a trial basis. Buildings and Grounds initiated the mini bus in response to the need for a more flexible transportation service.

The mini bus is a Dodge B-100 Sprinter Carry-all van which seats eleven passengers.

Henry Wurst, Superintendent of Buildings and Grounds, thinks the mini bus has not received enough exposure for the students and staff to be aware of it. He adds that the mini bus will be successful and won't have to be continued.

There are eight to ten steady riders and Wurst believes that there will be more once the program is underway and receives more publicity.

Wurst stated that the mini bus was started mostly for security reasons and is driven by a campus police officer. The service is operated by the Campus Police, although Buildings and Grounds is responsible for the scheduling and running it.

Tuition Increase

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At 61 cents of the page is an advertisement for the University of Chicago's TSI's '70 budget.

Several factors contributed to the increase in tuition and housing fees, including a steep rise in the price of heating fuel. The escalating costs of utilities and services necessitated the increase, according to Verbena.

UB Concerts Presents

The National Shakespeare Co.

Back Again After Last Year's Fantastic Performance

8 pm - Feb. 1: Julius Caesar
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Buddy Rich and his orchestra

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8 pm - Feb. 9
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Bonnie Koloc & Bill Quateman

UB Homecoming Concert

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Abortion

If you did not attend the abortion protest held in the Student Union, you did not hear the news. The protests reached their peak after a speech by Dr. Robert M. Gaffey, who was accompanied by a sign that read, "Abortion is a right!" The protest was organized by a group of students who believe in the rights of women to choose whether or not to have an abortion. The protest was peaceful, and the students were able to make their voices heard.

By Chi Times
announcements

The United States Navy will at 7 p.m. on
Friday, Feb. 13, at the Palace Theatre, give a
sold-out performance. The evening will be
devoted to the presentation of a new musical,
"Charley's Aunt," which is being touring
by the Navy. 

The show will feature scenes from the
popular television series, "I'm Your Hunchman,"
and will include musical numbers from the
movie "Charley's Aunt." The production will
be directed by the Navy's own musical choreogra-
fier, with music written by a well-known
composer. The cast will be made up of service
members of all ranks, with special attention paid
to providing opportunities for female service
members. The evening promises to be a joyous
occasion for all who attend.
Heres the Bad News...

Another tuition increase was passed by the IIT Board of Trustees this year. The annual $2700 tuition increase in 1979 was given a new twist this year. The increase is for a guaranteed tuition schedule whereby undergraduate students, regardless of their major, will pay the same amount per year, regardless of tuition rises.

The Curriculum Committee, upon whose recommendations the decision was made, said that the increase was necessary to maintain the quality of the education and to keep the university from being too expensive.

The increase will affect undergraduates and graduate students alike. The increase will go into effect next semester.

...and the Good

IIT has installed a new bus service, and we're glad to see it. At other schools, like University of Illinois Circle Campus, University of Chicago, and IIT's own campus, there has been a noticeable increase in the number of students using the new service.

The service is run by Campus Police and funded by buildings and grounds. The fare is ten cents a ride. The buses stop at various places on campus and then go into the city at 30th and State and State and 35th. They run on schedule.

The new bus service should prove a valuable service to the IIT community. We'd like to commend the people involved for a fine idea.

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NICK FISCHER

TECHNOLOGY NEWS
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TechnoTech
WIT vs. WACE

Dear Editor:

I am writing this letter in response to the letter in the December issue of Technology News, namely, the letter from Mr. Stahl. I am writing to you, the president of the student association, to bring to your attention a concern that I have.

As an Arab, I am very concerned about the recent events in the Middle East. The recent fighting in the Lebanon has caused a lot of casualties and property damage. The United Nations has been unable to halt the fighting.

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Band on the Run

by Jessica R. Ober

Ron Conner, Mike Mather, and Kevin Logsdon, all young musicians, are bringing their talents to the Southwestern University band. They have been working hard to perfect their skills and are excited to share their music with the community.

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The Last Conspiracy

by Robert Weinstock

Americans have been called "the most political people in the world." So, it is somewhat interesting that there are only a few American movies in that category. And most of these films were done years ago - "The Last Hurrah," "Mr. Smith Goes to Washington," etc. The modern American film usually is a combination of high level political fantasy and last-pared action scene. It seems to be the exuberant property of foreign film makers. In the last few years, we have been treated to "Z," "C" - two episodes of a Citizen Above Suspicion. "The Conversation," many others, all from Europe. The latest such film is "The French Conspiracy," now at the Faces Theater.

"The French Conspiracy" was produced 11 years ago by TV's "Playboy Theater." It combines an expert cast, well directed script, and polished acting. It is a story of a group of people in Paris who are involved in international espionage. The French government's interest in the film is understandable. The French government has been aware of its existence for some time but for various reasons, it has been kept out of the theaters.

The French Conspiracy has been a hit in France, and is now playing in New York and London. It is currently showing on television in Paris. The French government is planning to show it in the United States in the near future.

"Easy Rider" is one of the most important films of the summer. It was released on Friday, January 18th. The film is about two young men who decide to leave their jobs and travel across the United States on motorcycles. The film is directed by Dennis Hopper and Jack Nicholson. The two characters are played by Peter Fonda and Dennis Hopper. The film has received widespread critical acclaim and has been nominated for several Academy Awards.

TONIGHT 8pm HUB 50¢

PETER FONDA
DENNIS HOPPER
JACK NICHOLSON
Swim Team Fifty-Fifty

The IT varsity swim team is two and two and two more this year. Two and two and two more against Lake Forest College 22-2 and Illinois College 22-2. The two wins over George Williams 22-2 and Lake Forest 22-2. The varsity team was in George Williams 22-2 and Lake Forest 22-2. The varsity team was in George Williams 22-2 and Lake Forest 22-2. The varsity team was in George Williams 22-2 and Lake Forest 22-2. The varsity team was in George Williams 22-2 and Lake Forest 22-2. The varsity team was in George Williams 22-2 and Lake Forest 22-2. The varsity team was in George Williams 22-2 and Lake Forest 22-2. The varsity team was in George Williams 22-2 and Lake Forest 22-2. The varsity team was in George Williams 22-2 and Lake Forest 22-2. The varsity team was in George Williams 22-2 and Lake Forest 22-2. The varsity team was in George Williams 22-2 and Lake Forest 22-2. The varsity team was in George Williams 22-2 and Lake Forest 22-2. 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