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PACERS ON CAMPUS

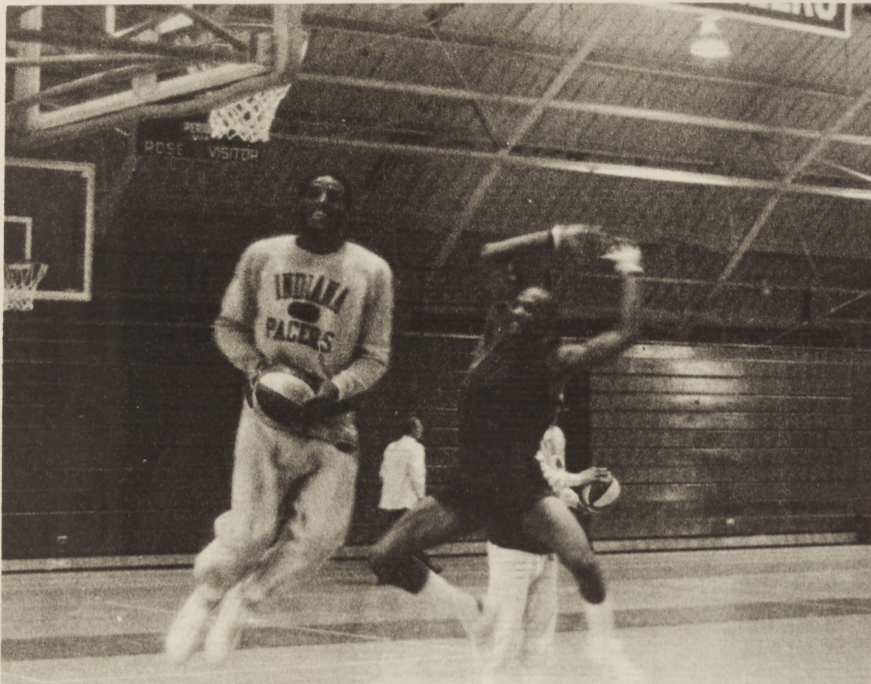


Photo by G. Chaney

The Indiana Pacers Pro Basketball Team will play an intra-squad exhibition game tonight at 7:30.

Rose-Hulman Chess Open

During Homecoming, Rose-Hulman will host a United States Chess Federation Tournament. It will be held October 4 & 5 in the Auditorium.

In this tournament, members of the Chess Team will compete, both individually and in team competition with other players all over the state.

All Freshmen chess players or Upperclassmen Chess Club members are urged to enter. A \$120 plus trophy is the first place prize, while second and third are \$60 and \$35, respectively. There will also be a college team trophy and six other trophies given to individuals scoring the best in their ability (rating) classification. A

trophy will be awarded to the highest scoring beginner (unrated). To tempt professors, an "antique trophy" will be given to the best player over 40 years of age.

Rose students who already have U.S.C.F. Memberships will only have to pay \$4.00 (half price). For Rose students that are under 21 and do not have U.S.C.F. affiliation, the cost is 12 dollars. (\$8 of this goes to pay for U.S.C.F. dues which one must have to participate in these tournaments. Besides being a member, one will receive a free monthly subscription to the Federation's Magazine, Chess Life and Review.)

THOREAU TO BE JAILED AT ROSE

The Rose-Hulman Drama Club is off and running with their fall production "THE NIGHT THOREAU SPENT IN JAIL" by Jerome Lawrence and Robert E. Lee. The latter team authored such hits as "Inherit the Wind" and "Auntie Mame." The current play is being offered as part of Rose's Bicentennial celebration and will be taken to North Vigo and South Vigo High Schools the afternoons of Nov. 3 and 5 prior to presentation here at the Rose Auditorium Friday and Saturday Nov. 7 and 8 at 8 p.m.

Starring in the role of Henry Thoreau will be sophomore chemical engineering major Dale Kuehl. Seen last fall as the gangster in the Drama Club presentation of "Golden Boy,"

Dale's challenge in playing the strong yet gentle philosopher, naturalist, dissident Thoreau will be quite a different task. Active in the Rose Glee Club, Dale sang in the chorus of Community Theatre's musical "Anything Goes" last winter and this summer starred as Sky Master-son in a Teenage Musicals, Incorporated production of "Guys and Dolls" at Midland, Michigan, Dale's home town.

Rehearsals are now just getting under way for this very complex drama. Staging and lighting will be an important factor and students wishing to participate should contact John Williams, BSB 107, Scott Obenchain, BSB 300 or any member of the Drama Club.

Goliath Gives Concert



Photo by D. Cotner

Days of Wine and Roses

Remember when the news of college comic book course offerings at scholastic centers such as Indiana University stole the show from the Sunday funnies? Well, a new trend on college campuses could rebuild the California economy. That trend is to sip and study the wines of California.

"More than 200 wine appreciation courses are now offered in connection with colleges and universities, and there are probably 600 campuses where wine studies go on," according to Wine Institute, the association of California wine growers.

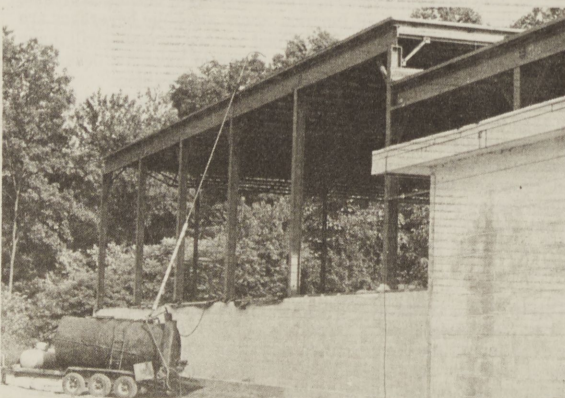
"On many campuses, wine has become a standard part of the curriculum in home economics, chemistry, botany, biology, geography and sociology."

"Wine Institute cites several contributing causes for the wines studies boom. First, college instructors and administrators want to make their courses more appealing to students." Also, since there's plenty of history, culture, science and yes, even technology involved in the story of wine, it's easy to relate to other college studies, such as fluid mechanics.

A "Wine on Campus Packet" has been designed and is offered to educators to assist them in implementing any wine-related activity in an educational setting. If any of our Rose educators are interested, single copies are available free from Wine Institute, 165 Post Street, San Francisco, California 94108.

Cheers!

Rec-center Nears Completion



IDC has \$\$

The following committees were formed, they are: Entertainment; Safety, Security, and Traffic; Food; Bi-Centennial; Rules and Regulations; and whatever you think is needed.

The IDC handles a surprisingly large amount of money each year and it is your responsibility to see how your \$9.00 per year is spent!

Come and get involved and help get things started on campus. If you can't make the meeting, contact Kent Erb in Mees 212 or at box 825.

DRIVE DEFENSIVELY!

Modulus Needs You!

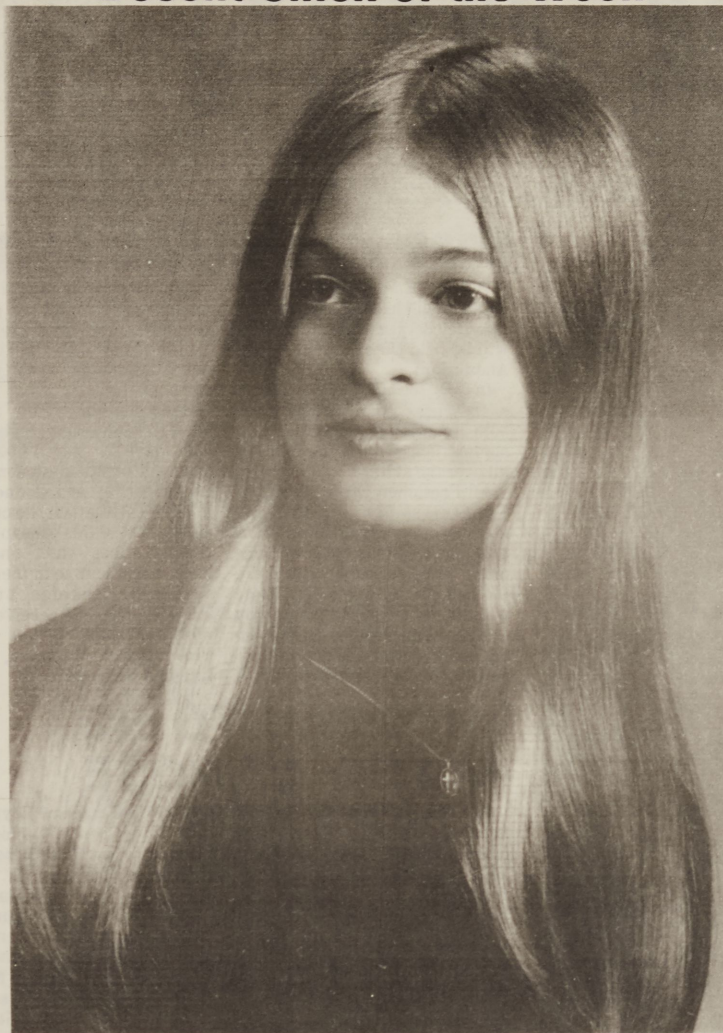
The Modulus is Rose-Hulman's highly acclaimed annual year-book, put together lovingly by a clique of dedicated specimens who haven't got anything else better to do with their excess time but to twiddle their ears. In order to continue this highly honorable and noble (?) tradition, however, new staff members are really, really needed, especially knurds who can string a bunch of words together to make a psuedo-coherent sentence. (These people are com-

monly known as copy-writers, if you care to know!) If you, yourself, would like to go down in history as one of those few straight individuals who helped throw together the monstrosity that we call the annual, please sign your "John Hancock" below, on the dotted line (legibly, if you please), mail to Box 281, c/o The Modulus, and one of our office boobs will contact you if and when we feel like doing so. Fair enough?

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Decent Chick of the Week



Kristy Jones

"History is but a pack of Tricks we play on the Dead." — Voltaire.

SGA NEWS

Jeff Shanks, SGA President

Welcome back to Dear Old Rose. To the Freshman, just plain Welcome.

I'm going to use this column throughout the year for issues, updates, and announcements, so if there is a big activity coming up, it will probably be mentioned here.

Fall Quarter Allotments: Allotments could be out in two or three weeks, but no money will be distributed until someone in each club gives the names of all the officers to one of the secretaries in Dean Lucas' Office!

Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities Applications: Any junior or senior can pick up an application form in the SGA Office. The form must be returned to the SGA secretary no later than October 1.

Rose Honor Key Applications: Any student with over 40 points for three consecutive quarters or over 80 points for his career at Rose is eligible for a Rose Honor Key. Application forms are available in the SGA Office and must be returned to the SGA secretary no later than October 6.

Physical Education Program: Many of the private colleges in Indiana have active Physical Education Programs. In view of this, Mr. Rendel, our new IM director, is offering a PE course the next two quarters to determine the interest at Rose and what we, the students, would like as the course format. If you have some input, Mr. Rendel would like to hear it.

Parking: The parking situation is really tight this year with the construction, but have patience; a solution is forthcoming.

Office Hours: I will be in the SGA office third and fourth hours on Tuesday and fourth hour on Friday. If you have a question or complaint, feel free to drop in. When I'm not in, leave a note with your name and how I can get in touch. I'll try to respond as promptly as I can.

GRAB FOR ALL YOU CAN GET, BUT LEAVE THE GUSTO ALONE

ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES

Every year, Rose-Hulman Institute celebrates Homecoming with a weekend full of festivity. Rose-Hulman Homecoming '75 is no exception, especially if **Rosie Wants You** in its American Revolution Bicentennial Rose-Hulman Homecoming. To enhance the occasion, there will be "Homecoming Dinner-show, The Pink Elephant Club, and the Happy Hour." All these festivity bring the attention of alcoholic beverages being served in the public area of the college.

Lets look at the school policy toward alcohol at Rose-Hulman. In the 1975 edition of the Student Handbook, it contains a section titled **POLICY ON ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE**. It states in Part C: "Alcoholic beverages may not be used by students on the campus except within the privacy of their own living quarters." In Part F, it states that "Alcoholic beverages shall not be sold on the Rose campus."

Case and Point: In the Pink Elephant Club, it states that mixers may be purchased. The Pink Elephant Club and Happy Hour will be taking place in the fieldhouse, which isn't a private living quarter. For the Homecoming Dinner-show at the Hulman-Union set-ups will be provided but you must BYOB. All this indicates that there is a conflict between these Homecoming events and the schools policy toward alcoholic policy.

From the Homecoming flyer sent out by Rose-Hulman to the alumni, any freshman can interpret from it that they will be served alcoholic beverages at all these functions because at no place in the flyer does it state that you must be over 21 to participate. Under the Indiana Alcoholic Beverage Control (IABC) Act, it is unlawful for any person to sell, furnish, give or cause to be sold, furnished or given away any alcoholic beverages to any person under the age of 21 years.

This should show enough concern for the school to start and revise its **policy on alcoholic beverages**. There is a need for an UNIFIED policy to cover the students, faculty, staffs, and other Rose Family Members in fair and EQUAL manner. At the present time, there are no provisions in the Hulman Student Union Building concerning the use of alcohol on its premises but whenever a student function takes place in the union, the first thing the students are told is that **NO BOOZE IS ALLOWED IN THE UNION**.

In the past, the Union Advisory Board made a resolution that no alcoholic beverages will be permitted in the union. This resolution carried no power for enforcement. Yet, after some Board of Managers meeting begins, alcoholic beverages are served. According to President Dr. John Logan, alcoholic beverages are allowed under certain conditions. If a responsible Rose organization wants to have a function at the Union in which alcoholic beverages are served, President Dr. John Logan must approve it. In order to get approved, the following conditions must be met: (1) All those who attend the function must be over 21, (2) There must be proper and adequate supervisions, (3) The alcoholic beverages must be catered by those with proper licensing under IABC, (4) the President shall have the sole power to refuse approval to prevent unwanted outside organizations and weed out function where alcoholic beverages are inappropriate. Rene Hebert, Saga Food Service director, will make all arrangements for the licensed catering of alcoholic beverages only after approval for the functions has been granted.

The school's policy on the consumption of alcohol by students under 21 in their private living quarters come from the Stanford Plan from Stanford U. Although this is a clear violation of the IABC Act Rose-Hulman Institute neither condones it nor encourages consumption. However, the Institute will take actions against anyone causing a disorder or an offensive act due to immoderate use of alcohol. Should anyone's private living quarters be raided for violation of IABC Act, that person will be subject to all consequences of the violation.

COMMENTARY

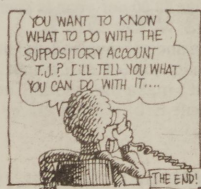
This article is intended to bring out serious questions that need to be resolved immediately. Hopefully, proper supervision will be provided for all the Homecoming activities which involve the serving of alcoholic beverages. This will avoid any problems and will bring more and better Homecomings. Actions must be taken now to maintain the best interest of the Rose community.



It's up to You Now, Baby

By David Key

On this earth's surface over four billion people reside. In our own galaxy, the probability of 50 million more planets like our earth exist, each of proportional population. Our universe flourishes with an incountable myriad of such galaxies blanketing the dimensionless abyss of space. There is a considerable chance of a multiplicity of universes and simultaneous continuums of isolated universes coexisting in different dimensions. Even in all that, there could still be more, only one of you exists; an individual with a distinct and separate personality, a mind governed exclusively by your own initiative. Others may attempt to corrupt the integrity of the individual and subvert him to their own ends and control. However, choice is his freedom, and force has no power; even though he may be chained in body, his mind is free for contemplation, vexation, revenge, or development. The individual can supercede limitations and develop his potential beyond all expectations. We are all here at this school for the purpose of expansion of knowledge. How we do it and to what degree in what fields are also our choice, but a mistake or waste at this point could be costly to our futures. You can be anything you want to work to be in school, sports, band, life or anything; the choice is up to you, the individual; don't blow it now, baby.



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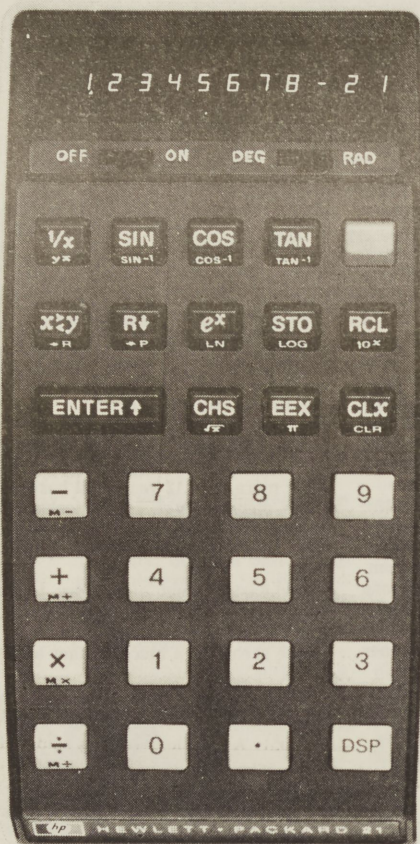
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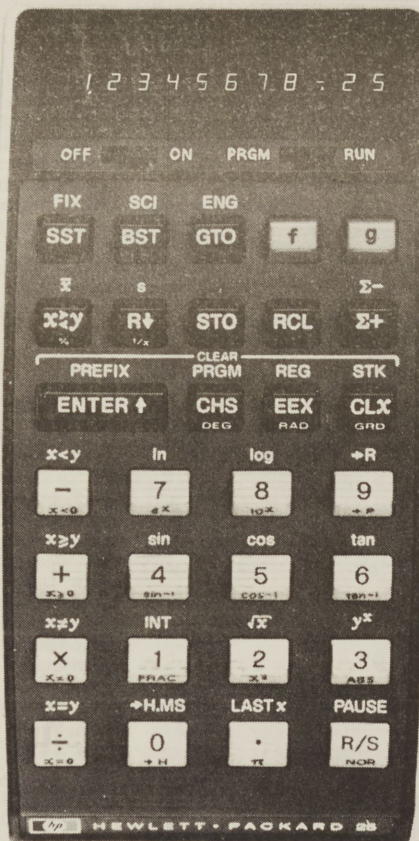
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ENGINEERS OUTPLAY BULLDOGS; FALL

Rose-Hulman's Engineers outplayed a much bigger Butler team last Saturday, but lost the game 20-12.

Turnovers cost the Engineers dearly, as they fumbled on the 5 yard line of Butler. The turnovers in the game were to the Bulldogs advantage 4-3, with Rose also fumbling a field goal attempt.

Butler drew first blood as they drove 42 yards in the first quarter following an Engineer fumble. Rose came right back, however, with a drive of 70 yards. It was at this point, at the five, that Jim Shegog fumbled.

The Engineer defense got the

ball right back, and a 16 yard punt return by John Schroeder put the ball on the Butler 33. Eight plays later Gary Lee threw a strike to Kevin Kingery for the first Rose touchdown. The point after attempt was blocked, however.

Neither team could gain an advantage until early in the fourth period when Butler scored again. Both defenses came up with the big play when needed in the second and third quarter, both teams missing field goal attempts and Rose picking off three passes.

The Engineer line of Dennis Schultz, Frank Mackell, Hal McGaughey, Bill Songer, Roe Vadas, Bob Hildebrand, and Pat

By Bill Mobley

Noyes went to work and did a job of their own, opening holes for Kingery and Gary Schultz, the Engineers drove 86 yards for a second score, Lee scrambling the last 5 untouched. The two point conversion pass from Lee went off the diving Hildebrand's fingertips, giving the advantage to the Bulldogs 13-12.

Butler's superior size finally began to take its toll when the Bulldogs regained the ball. The Butler machine ground its way through the Rose line, and scored its last touchdown with but three minutes left.

An outstanding effort at all positions almost knocked off a highly rated team. The defensive backfield held Butler's outstanding quarterback Jim Lynch to 11 of 24 passing, with Gary Ellis, Kirk Augspurger and Schroeder all pilfering a throw.

Lee, behind excellent blocking was 18 of 29 for 171 yards. Kingery plowed his way for 124 yards, as well as picking up another 59 in passing. Shegog rushed for 50 yards, with Schultz doing an excellent job coming off the bench. Jim Gidcomb and Noyes each latched on to four Lee passes.

Tomorrow will find the Engineers battling the Earlham Quakers. It will be the first conference game for Rose-Hulman. The Quakers sport a wishbone offense, with a good running quarterback Earlham is 1-1 on the year, defeating CAC member Principia 7-3 last week.

THE AGONY OF DEFEAT



Photo By Paul Hahn

THE THRILL OF VICTORY



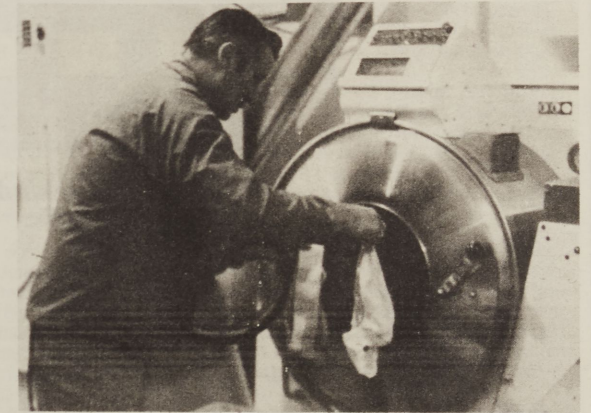
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THE END OF AN ERA

For more than 12 years, Til has had to haul loads and loads of towels, dirty moldy socks, and jocks to an uptown laundry so that the athletes would have clean equipment for games and practices.

Til said "I've hauled a whole potload of moldy socks and dirty jocks."

This vast amount of laundry totals almost 8 tons per year. However, now as a little known part of the fieldhouse remodeling, the staff will now have access to a new washer and dryer. This will set the scene for a much cleaner athletic program in the years to come.



Who's the wise guy with the panties?

The Engineer

Who is the man designs our pumps with judgment, skill and care?

Who is the man that builds 'em and keeps them in repair?

Who has to shut them down because the valve seats disappear?

The bearing-wearing, gearing-tearing mechanical engineer.

Who buys his juice for half a cent and wants to charge a dime.

Who, when we've signed the contract, can't deliver half the time.

Who thinks a loss of twenty-six per cent is nothing queer? The volt-inducing, load-reducing electrical engineer.

Who takes a transit out to find a sewer to tap?

Who then with care extreme locates the junction on the map? Who is it goes to dig it up and finds it nowhere near?

The mud-bespattered, torn and tattered civil engineer.

Who thinks without his products we would all be in the lurch?

Who has a heathen idol which he designates Research?

Who tints the creeks, perfumes the air and makes the landscape drear?

The stink-evolving, grass-dissolving chemical engineer.

Who is the man who'll draw a plan for everything you desire?

From a trans-Atlantic liner to a hairpin made of wire.

With "ifs" and "ands", "howe-ers" and "buts," who makes his meaning clear?

The work-disdaining, fee-retaining consulting engineer.

Who builds a road for fifty years that disappears in two? Then changes his identity, so no

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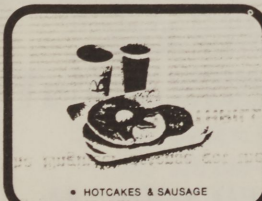
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one's left to sue?
 Who covers all the traveled roads with filthy oily smear?
 The bum-providing, rough-on-riding highway engineer.
 Who takes the pleasure out of life and makes existence hell?
 Who'll fire a real good-looking one because she cannot spell.
 Who substitutes a dictaphone for coral tinted ear?
 The penny-chasing, dollar wast-
 efficiency engineer.
 —Author Unknown

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