

Gerald Ford

What Kind Of Conservationist

By FRED SMALL
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The sudden change in Administrations occasioned by Richard Nixon's resignation set many environmentalists to calculating what could be expected by his successor. What they found when they looked into Gerald Ford's record was, in some respects, encouraging, discouraging in others, and often ambiguous.

Although spanning a quarter-century, President Ford's record as a public servant is not so clear an indicator of his conservation beliefs as might be expected. On the one hand, he is an outdoorsman, a fisherman, a sportsman, and a summer ranger at Yellowstone National Park in his youth; President Ford appears to have a basic appreciation of the natural environment that his predecessor seemed to lack. On the other hand, his generally conservative philosophy of government has often resulted in his taking legislative positions opposed by many conservationists. Moreover, in the recent years when environmental protection has become a major national issue, Mr. Ford, as Minority Leader of the House of Representatives, has been primarily a spokesman for the Nixon Administration. There is wide agreement that in this leadership position, Mr. Ford was loyal in representing an Administration which was often at odds with the nation's environmentalists. Indeed, throughout the Nixon Administration, Mr. Ford was in the top 10 percent of House Republicans in support of the Administration. But because of his unique role in the Congress, it is more difficult to judge his attitude from his voting record. By the same token, however, the times when he did digress from the Administration's lines take on added significance.

Added to the difficulty of predicting his environmental priorities as President because of his unique Congressional position is the often-observed phenomena of men who assume high office and then do not behave as the record would have led one to expect. President Ford has repeatedly pointed out that he is President

of "all the people" and can be expected to respond to the new job with somewhat different policy than he may have advocated when he only represented 5000,000 in Michigan and was the chief minority spokesman in the House. Since he has never run in a national campaign, he has no "mandate" for a set of policies for which he won majority approval. He may, therefore, be free to act and react to situations than he would have had he been elected.

Gerald Ford also begins his Administration with cabinet and other high-level officials who are not of his own choosing. In most cases, these individuals are well-established in their departments and bureaus, have interaction patterns with each other, and have more or less an ego involvement with existing policies over which he had no control and little insight just a few short weeks ago. Some observers, however, see his move to replace key officials and restructure the executive office as an indication that he realizes the possible problems with this situation.

The general national climate under which Mr. Ford assumes office could also make a difference in policy direction. For instance, a country coming out of the trauma it had experienced for so long may expect more from the new Administration than it or any other could produce. Should disillusionment set in fairly quickly, Mr. Ford may have less time to get his Administration firmly grounded with his own philosophies and resort to previous or more expedient policies.

His close personal and professional relationship with Congress could prove a mixed blessing for both himself and Congress. It may make it more difficult for Ford to make tough decisions affecting his friends. On the other hand, no recent President has been so well-versed in both the strengths and weaknesses of the Congress. This later factor could reduce Congressional maneuvering room.

In the opinion of most environmental observers, Mr. Ford displayed a very moderate position on natural resource issues during his tenure in the

House. He consistently voted for final passage of major environmental legislation, such as the Wilderness Act of 1964, the Clean Air Act of 1970, the Federal Water Pollution Control Act Amendments of 1972, the Ocean Dumping Act of 1972, and the Endangered Species Act of 1973, though often NOT for strengthening amendments in all cases. Significantly, he voted with overwhelming majority of his colleagues to override President Nixon's veto of 1972 clean water legislation. Rarely, however, did he stray on behalf of conservation from the majority view of the House; his digressions from the consensus of his colleagues tended to be in the other direction. For example, during House consideration of the 1972 water pollution control bill, Mr. Ford voted against on weakening and three strengthening amendments, and for one weakening and three strengthening amendments, siding with the bi-partisan majority each time except for the weakening amendment which he favored and the House rejected. Congressman Ford was absent for final votes on pesticide control (although voting against two strengthening amendments), solid waste, and toxic substances legislation.

Many conservationists have been critical of Mr. Ford's positions on issues other than those directly involving controlling pollution, but which have major environmental impact. Representing a state with strong automotive interests, Congressman Ford was an adamant opponent of federal aid for energy-efficient mass transit. In his own words, he "strongly advocated unashamedly the full funding of the SST." In 1970 he voted in favor of the rule on a bill to increase logging in the National Forests, which failed nevertheless, 150-228. In 1971 he voted against a one-year moratorium on stream channelization and against a deletion of funding for the Cannikin nuclear test. The League of Conservation Voters, which began monitoring selected Congressional votes in 1970, has given him an average rating of 17 out of 100, even lower than that of the Nixon Administration. In 1971,

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'I've Been There'

Whether or not he manages to see every point on the globe during his lifetime, it is a fact that Dr. Stanislav-Adolf Mikolic, professor of political science and sociology at Sacred Heart University, has travelled extensively since coming to the U.S. from Spain in 1957. Since then he estimates he has covered nearly 200,000 miles of the world's surface. He has visited and revisited nearly every continent during that period.

A native of Yugoslavia holding a doctoral degree from the University of Padua and a Diploma in Sociology by Social Institute Leo XIII in Madrid of the University of Salamanca, Spain, Dr. Mikolic taught at St. Joseph College in West Hartford before coming to SHU and was a visiting professor in sociology at

Western Washington State College in 1964.

Dr. Mikolic's travel accomplishments include the following: Canada (from Quebec to Victoria, B.C.); Mexico (including the Yucatan peninsula and the island of Cozumel); Central America (including the jungles of Peten and the ruins of the lost city of Tikal) and in the countries of El Salvador, Honduras, British Honduras, the Caribbean Sea (Haiti and the Dominican Republic); South America (Venezuela, Columbia); Africa (Tunisia, Libya, Egypt—lower and upper.)

Also, in Asia, he has visited Israel, Jordan, Syria, Lebanon, Turkey, Iran (Persia), Afghanistan, Pakistan (including Beluchistan), India

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Letters To The Editor

To the Editor:

I'd like to thank Ilse A. Minkenberg for bringing my letter to the Editor of last May to the attention of the administration and students of SHU. Her letter in the Sept. 26th edition of this paper eloquently re-stated my thesis that the level of the degree held by a teacher at SHU or any other college or university does not necessarily coincide with his level of teaching proficiency. This is in no way an attack on those teachers here who possess a Ph. D. This is an attack on the methods used in hiring and firing teachers at SHU.

A petition will soon be in circulation asking for the reconsideration of those in charge in evaluating the teachers presently teaching here, not on the basis of the type of degree they hold — but on the basis of their ability to teach.

My first letter concerned mainly the positions held in the English Department and the possible firing of some good teachers because they do not

hold Ph.D.'s. The English Department is the basis of ALL universities. Without a clear understanding of the English language and a proficiency in communicating, both in writing and speaking, one cannot continue in any other field of education. Therefore, it is imperative to have a strong, working English Department. But the strength of that English Department should not be based on the teachers' past experience, level of degree, or number of scholarly articles authored and published. It should be based on their ability to clearly relate information.

I would also like to ask the members of the Student Government to reinstate the valuable Teacher Evaluation Sheet to be filled out by the students at the end of each semester. The vast majority of us would be just in evaluating our teachers and what more valuable tool could President Kidera have than the words of his students about their experiences with their teachers.

These sheets would be seen by the teachers only after they had been evaluated by President Kidera, and they should be used by the teachers not as a popularity poll, but as an aid in improving their teaching techniques. Why was the use of evaluation sheets at SHU discontinued? Were the teachers afraid of others learning what their students think about them as professionals? There is an interesting question! Bless those few teachers at SHU who ASKED their students to hand in unsigned comments upon their teaching methods and the contents of their courses. These were sincere, dedicated people!

Fellow students of SHU, we pay for a good education and are entitled to one; but we must care enough to make this school better for ourselves and those who follow us. Become involved, seek out and sign the petition when it is circulated. Help us to receive a better education. Rosemary Student.
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SHU Nooze

Well here we are again!!!! Hope this issue finds everyone in fine spirits. Here is what's going on at SHU this month... OCTOBER

11, 12, 13 — SHU CABARET, "Turn of the Century" Music of George C. Cohan. Cabarets are free for all SHU students holding a coupon from Friday nights performances at 10:30. DON'T MISS IT!!!!!!

13 — Birthday greetings to none other than BIG MOOSE MARZIK!! Even though you have parted from dear old SHU, your spirit still lingers on. Can catch it any day in the Draught Board after 3.....!

14 — Wandering Minstrel INN. Come down to the Lounge to relax while you can listen to some good music. Songs begin at 8 p.m., coffee and pastries served. Check for coupon number.

15 — HAPPY BIRTHDAY

PAM GIANNETTA!!!!!! KEEP PUTTING THOSE BEERS DOWN!! YOU ARE THE DRAUGHT BOARDS BEST CUSTOMER!!!!!!

MOVIE — UP THE SAND-BOX, starring Barbara Streisand. Check for coupon number. The flick begins at 8 p.m. in the Library lecture hall. SHU students \$.75 with coupon, guests \$1.00.

16 — HAPPY BIRTHDAY BENISE DEVITA!!!!!! A TRUE LIBRARIAN!!!! While we are giving HAPPY'S out, a very, very HAPPY ANNIVERSARY to MA, PA AND JETHRO!!!! TO MANY MORE TRUCK RIDES TOGETHER!!!! HOW DO YOU FEEL NOW THAT DUKE HAS TAKEN OVER THE WHOLE SHOW??? Support the Associate Sisters of Beta Delta Phi drive for the Bpt. Regional Center-----A very worthy cause indeed.....

18. 19. 20 — CABARET!!!!!! This week featuring none other than the songs of the 20'sssssss. SUPPORT CABARET!!!!!! CONGRATULATIONS STE-NTORIANS!!!!!!!!!! YOU HAVE GOTTEN IT ALL TOGETHER

(Okay Peter)

21 — Gamma Phi Delta's Pledging begins. GOOD LUCK PLEDGES!! OR SHOULD I SAY GOOD LUCK GO+GO????????????

Wandering Minstrel Inn at 8 p.m. Don't Miss it. Check for coupon number. CAUTION!!!!!!!!!! DANGER!!!!!! TO ALL SHU STUDENTS: BE ON THE LOOKOUT FOR SOME NUT RACING AROUND THE HALLS IN A WHEELCHAIR CARRYING A CAMERA!!!! HE CAN BE EXTREMELY DANGEROUS, HE SNAPS THE

EDITORIAL

Honduras

On Sept. 19th and 20th, Honduras was hit by a hurricane called "Fiffi". It has been estimated that 3 to 8 thousand people are dead.

When people in America heard of this disaster they immediately started to set up committees to help Honduras. In the Connecticut area, relief centers were established in many cities. Sacred Heart University has set up a area for people to leave clothes and food.

Bill O'Brien, Chairman of the Honduras Relief Committee, held a press conference in our student lounge on Tues, the 9th. He urged people to participate in this drive. Mr.

O'Brien said that medical supplies, clothes and food are desperately needed.

Many students here at SHU have already donated their time down in the basement of the north wing folding and boxing clothes, but not as many as there should be. I would like to see an all out effort from the students. We need cars and a truck to take everything down to New York to be shipped to Honduras. Please donate clothes or food, and your time helping. Honduras still needs many things, the struggle to get them going again is just starting.

Student Gov't Minutes

October 1, 1974

Present: Nora White, Pam Giannetta, Robert Bukowski, Michael Harris, Dale Beard-sley, Manny Cardozo, Mary Sheehan, Peter Lucia, Jamie Marrone, Michael Dogali, Raymond Loso, and Michael Giovanetti.

Absent (without cause): Michael Gallagher and Skip Meehan.

Meeting called to order at 11:05 by Peter Lucia in the Student Lounge.

General Discussion: Mr. Huck, Business Manager, was a guest at this week's meeting to discuss better communication and procedures between Student Government and the Business Office. A meeting will be set up with Mr. Huck, Miss Anger, and the officers of each class in regard to class funds. Mr. Huck also feels that some sort of safety deposit box should be placed in the school so that money made from nightly activities can be placed in it. This safe has been priced to cost approximately \$1,000.

Hopefully, one will be bought at a lower price.

Item Number 1—Acceptance of Minutes. Michael Harris motioned to accept last week's minutes. Nora White seconded. UNANIMOUS

Item Number 2—Purchase of a Safe. Manny Cardozo motioned to set aside \$321.95, which was the profits of the September 27 mixer, towards the purchase of the safe mentioned by Mr. Huck. Mary Sheehan seconded. The safe will be placed in the immediate area of where the majority of nightly activities take place. This safe will be for the use of any organization that sponsors a nightly activity. Captain Maloney and the Cashier will be the only ones that have the combination to the safe. UNANIMOUS

Item Number 3—Contracts. Peter Lucia entertained a motion that any contracts to be signed by anyone in the University must be submitted to the Business Office of the University for review and co-signing by the Business Manager. A letter will be sent to all advisors and organizations describing the policy with contracts. Jamie Marrone moved. Nora White seconded. UNANIMOUS

Student Government requested that Mr. Huck provide them with a Financial Statement monthly.

Item Number 4 on the Agenda: WSHU. Peter Lucia entertained a motion to change the original allocation to WSHU to \$2,500 a semester, for operating expenses. Mary Sheehan moved. Manny Cardozo seconded.

8 IN FAVOR, 0 OPPOSED, 2 ABSTENTIONS.

Item Number 5 on the Agenda: WSHU. Mary Sheehan motioned to grant WSHU \$810.00 for the renovation of the Collins Board. Raymond Loso seconded.

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DARNDDEST PICS!!!!

22 — MOVIE STRAW DOGS. Great flick if you have a great stomach... Starring Dustin Hoffman (MMMMM) Starts at 8 p.m. in the Library Lecture Hall, coffee and discussion to follow. Best of luck to Beta Delta Phi who recently celebrated their 10 year anniversary. WHAT A SMASH, THE BANQUET AND EVERYONE ELSE THERE!!!!

WHERE'S UNDERDOG KEN????

SUPPORT THE AP-PALACHIAN DRIVE!!!! THEY NEED ALOT OF HELP!!!!

Well kiddies that's about all for now, remember if anyone or any organization has any item of interest (preferably gossip), events planned, birthdays etc., leave them in the OBELISK mailbox c-o SHU NOOZE..



WORLD HUNGER

Some Facts On World Hunger

The average Asian consumes 400 pounds of grain a year. The average American consumes more than a ton, only 160 pounds of which is consumed in direct grains and cereals. The resources needed to feed an American are five times those needed to support the average Nigerian or Indian. An affluent New Yorker, for example, consumes 25,000 times as much energy as a Japanese peasant.

The Sahelian drought, has witnessed the deaths of almost 60-80 percent of the livestock directly threatening the lives of 25 million people living in the 2,500 mile span that stretches across the Sahara running from the Atlantic to the Red Sea, a land mass larger than the Continental U.S.

The Sahara desert, cause of the terrible Sahelian drought and famine, is moving southward by 30 miles a year.

Normally some 400 million people in the world suffer from malnutrition (half of them children). This year that number may double to some 800 million people of the world's population.



Cry For Help

The world is confronted by a food crisis of an unprecedented and long-term character which presents a moral as well as an economic challenge to the U.S. The increasingly wide spread shortage of food is aggravated by rapidly escalating prices for fertilizer, petroleum and food itself, which threaten to curtail what is available to hungry people even further. The gap between the well-fed and the underfed is widening; there are more hungry people in the world now than ever in the past. This situation demands immediate action.

Since the developed countries, such as the United States, are better off both economically and technologically, and since the

consumption patterns stemming from our affluence contribute significantly to the pressure on limited world food supplies, we must take primary responsibility for relieving present and guarding against future scarcity, even to the point of limiting our own escalating standards of living.

In seeking to discharge this responsibility, we must recognize (a) that the right to eat is fundamental to human life, (b) that our own hungry people are an integral part of the world problem, and (c) that any program designed to relieve world hunger must protect the farmers right to a fair return on his investment and labor as well as the rights of consumers.

While assistance to the hungry in the form of food is imperative, food aid is not a substitute for development assistance, especially at the level of the individual villager and farmer.

Just as we in the United States once made our farm surpluses available to the needy in the days of abundance, we must now reaffirm that commitment in a time of scarcity. While not neglecting domestic needs, we believe the U.S. should carry out a deliberate and conscious policy of creating food reserves that will help sustain hungry people abroad in the face of the vagaries of weather crop and price fluctuations, and natural and human disasters.

What Is It Like

By Roy L. Prosterman

What is it like to live in the poorest half of the population in the poorest half of the world?

Start with a typical American family. Take away the car, the house and all the electrical appliances; no TV, radio, iron, washing machine or refrigerator. No electricity. No running water or sinks, or showers or toilets.

Substitute a one room hut out of mud or straw or a few boards, with a dirt floor. Add children, sick and hungry. One out of four won't live to the age of five. On the average day, most of them will have diarrhea. No schools. No one in the family can read.

Take away breakfast, lunch and dinner. Substitute two bowls of rice—or corn meal, or sweet potato. Add a little gruel made of chickpea, or else fish sauce, once a day. One chicken split six ways on Sunday. Maybe.

Mix this well-fed family group with a sun-baked field. Work them like oxen from dawn to dusk, to see if the next crop comes up before they die. At harvest-time, see the landlord and the money-lender show up from town to get their share. Watch the powderkeg sitting in the sun.

Candidates For Governor

Robert Steele



Steeles Views On :

Four years ago, Connecticut stood on the brink of fiscal chaos after 16 years of Democratic control. Taxes were soaring, the State's operating deficit stood at \$244 million, and the State was borrowing to meet current expenses.

By contrast, Republicans have turned in three straight budget surpluses since taking office in 1971, have reduced taxes, and by the end of the current fiscal year will have deposited \$73 million in the Deficit Trust Fund as part of a ten year program for paying off the \$244 million Democratic debt.

The Democratic politicians want you to forget their record and hope you'll overlook the fact that you are still being taxed and will continue to be taxed for years in order to pay off the huge Democratic deficit.

To make things worse, the Democratic leaders have now come up with a 1974 Platform which would require some \$400 million in new spending to carry out—money which they could only raise through a state income tax or a major hike in the state sales tax. He recognizes the need to control state spending in order to avoid an income tax.

He has pledged to follow a policy of fiscal responsibility and is already laying the groundwork for long-range financial planning which will allow Connecticut to expand needed programs and services without increasing taxes.

EDUCATION: With public school enrollment in Con-

necticut beginning to decline, Bob Steele feels this is a time to concentrate on educational quality, on evaluating and improving programs, from special education to physical education, and on making more efficient use of existing facilities. It is a time to place greater emphasis on career preparation, to improve vocational and technical education, and to update and implement the State Master Plan for Higher Education.

Priority attention must be given to the findings and recommendations of the Commission to Study School Finance (which will report in January 1975) in an effort to strengthen state support for public education and assure a truly equal educational opportunity for all our children.

ENVIRONMENT: Bob Steele has pledged to press forward with Connecticut's revolutionary solid waste treatment program, maintain clean air and water standards, press the search for ways to preserve Connecticut's farmland, develop a long term financing mechanism for land banking, promote Long Island Sound, and oppose construction of either a tanker terminal or an oil refinery in the Sound. State of Connecticut lead the way in new energy development by considering the use of solar energy in future state buildings and by offering incentives to business, industry and individuals for utilizing new, environmentally sound energy sources.

of the energy we now use. In March, 1974, Vice President Ford called for a "conservation ethic" in energy use and endorsed, as a corollary to Project Independence, "a new idea called 'Project Protection'...an action plan that takes into account the impact of increased domestic energy and agriculture production on natural resources and land use."

Although long-time observers of Gerald Ford caution against

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Ella Grasso



Ella Grasso Is For

Lowering fuel costs by nationwide sharing of higher fuel prices.

State responsibility for decent bus and rail service.

Full consumer protection.

Local property tax relief through state "pass through" of federal money.

An independent consumer advocated at public utility commission.

Cleaner political campaigns with full public disclosure of finances.

More job training in high schools and colleges to help young people.

One state agency—not seven—to supervise and aid day care centers.

expecting an improvement in environmental policy under his Administration, they universally praise his honesty and directness. For example, Stewart O. Myers of Michigan United Conservation Clubs, who worked with Congressman Ford on many environmental issues, reports: "He will come right out and tell you where he disagrees and why, and where your problems are going to be. He's always been that way."

The consensus among environmentalists on the new President appeared to be one of "give-him-the-benefit-of-the-doubt-and-wait-and-see." Even if there proved to be little substantive change in the policy of the Ford Administration over the Nixon Administration, some environmentalists felt that if Ford only lived up to his reputation for honesty and candor things would be significantly better. At the very least, most environmentalists were resolved to make the attempt to present their views to the new President — an attempt which too often failed with his predecessor.

✓ Mikolic

continued from page one (also Goa), Nepal (all the way to the Tibet-China area); Europe (with the only ex-

Better nutrition and medical benefits for the elderly.

Increased benefits and educational opportunities for veterans.

A combination of flat grants and subsidies in welfare payments.

Expanding employment through state promotion of high growth industries.

Release of sewage treatment funds impounded by the White House.

Better 2-way communications between municipal authorities and Governor.

A new veterans hospital at the UConn medical school.

More federal aid for loans to qualified college students.

ceptions of Ireland and Albania) and including places such as Andorra, Iceland, Eastern Europe, the Soviet Union (including the Siberian and Soviet Central Asia parts of that nation).

Dr. Mikolic has lectured in Slovenian, Serbo-Croatian, Italian, Spanish, English, and French. He has a working knowledge (but not well enough for lecturing purposes) in Bulgarian, German, and Russian, along with some knowledge of Portuguese, Polish and Czechoslovak.

His purpose was to visit the most important historical places that he had studied in high school, to study the economic and social conditions under which different political systems operate, to become personally acquainted with various cultures, and to see "with my own eyes how people live, work and enjoy themselves in different parts of the world."

No Package Tours

The SHU educator does not believe in package tours. He goes alone much of the time, sometimes accompanied by his wife, Maria-Teresa Torriera y Tenorio, associate professor of modern languages at SHU. They reside at 35 Brittany Avenue, Trumbull, with four children, two boys—Igor, 13, and Ivan,

Why I Am Running -

I believe that working for the people is the noblest profession, and I seek this office to continue to serve the people of Connecticut in these difficult times.

I have worked with the people of our state for a long time and share their deep concern about high prices and shortages and taxes.

In the Congress I have made these my concerns and worked as well for the daily hot meals for the elderly, summer jobs for youth, education and job training for veterans.

I am fighting for a nationwide averaging of fuel costs to lower utility bills in New England. Top priority goes to saving jobs against unfair competition, continuing every effort for a price break for consumers, and fair taxation for our people in the continuing battle against inflation.

As Governor of Connecticut I would work to provide an economic climate for job-training programs and encourage plant expansion and product development.

We must assure prudent management of the taxpayers dollar with a full dollar of service for every dollar spent.

We must assure sufficient energy at reasonable cost and protection of the consumer in the market place and in the home.

We need a fully integrated, properly financed public transportation system.

In this year we need courage, compassion and concern in a partnership of all people to meet the challenge of Connecticut's future.

four, and two daughters, Izziar, eight and Sonia (nine months). The SHU educator will be at it again when the opportunity presents itself because there is much to be seen and he is anxious to continue revisiting previous areas of interest and striking out for new travel adventures as well.

✓ Ford

continued from page one however, Congressman Ford did introduce a bill to facilitate citizen law suits on behalf of environmental protection.

Some observers suggest that, since leaving the House, Mr. Ford has become more publicly sensitive to natural resources issues. As Vice President, Mr. Ford predicted that Americans could conserve up to 40 percent

Campus Ministry Notes

The word ministry means service. A minister is one who waits upon or serves another. For us, ministry means serving our fellow human beings by continuing the work of Jesus. How can we do this? Isaiah says we should bring good news to the poor: not only to the materialistic poor, but those poor of spirit—depressed and lonely people who haven't discovered their personal gifts waiting to be exercised and shared with others. We should bring freedom to captives: those prisoners of the law and also of the spirit, those who are held captive by fear and uncertainty who need encouragement and counseling. Finally, we should bring sight to the blind: the people who are blind to truth and the reality of the living family of man throughout the world who, collectively and individually, are unique, precious people to be cared for.

In the process of serving, one becomes liberated in the spirit of Christ, work with him for others, and as this is done, as mutual ministry begins, all give and receive and become one body in the spirit of Christ as the daily, petty cares of us all fade into the shadows.

The ministry, Jesus' ministry, should be a part of, NOT APART FROM daily life. The ministry had often been misunderstood. It is not a holier-than-thou daily attitude, but a compassionate outlook toward mankind. The ministry is also misunderstood in that ministers serve all people regardless of personality and other individual characteristics. Christ was crucified for just this reason, serving pharisees, sadducees, government, men and prostitutes. We are all of God, each person we see.

Here at SHU, we are trying to make education a humanizing experience, developing a mentality for ministry, for compassion, for service tempered with justice. Every student is a precious human being regardless of handicaps, physical or emotional. We can all feel this if we take the time to open ourselves, to be receptive. One place in particular where this giving and taking of compassion is seen is at the celebration liturgy in the school chapel.

The liturgy being celebrated at noon on Monday through Thursday is a peaceful and refreshing experience. Each attendant is drawn into one body of worshippers. This is a voluntary joining of commitment to each other as participants in the ministry of Christ. In the calm, informal setting of the chapel, there is active participation in the petition prayers by the worshippers. This is not a required participation, but a spontaneous sharing of prayerful intentions. All stand around the altar for the consecration and the "kiss of peace" is truly that—often a sincere hug and kiss rather than a half-hearted handshake. The pervading feeling is one of true brotherhood and sincerity and all share of the bread and wine—the essence of Christ Himself.

This liturgical celebration is part of the ministry as well as our everyday interactions. We ask that all become aware of their role in the ministry of Christ daily, and offer an invitation to break bread at noon in the chapel located in the front hall which joins the North and South wings.

Rosemary Student

It Was A Love Story

Buster And Billie

A young girl, Billie was thrown into the world with nothing, nothing at all. Her apathetic parents barely knew her name; either did she. But one day a certain boy, Buster, brought Billie to life. Together they encountered love, hate, happiness, sorrow, adolescence, vengeance, judgement, individuality and ultimately death.

The only life Billie knew was the neglect and coldness her parents gave her. Her schoolmates followed suit by having nothing to do with her. The only compassion Billie knew (prior to Buster) was the "physical I love you's" from a group of high school perverts. She is an extremely lonely person, without love, without meaning, without a thought in the world. She is not a girl with fantastic physical needs. Billie is a young woman with great mental needs. She needs love, companionship, friendship and a meaning in life. While the boys invaded Billie's womanhood she sank deeper into a mental captivity of loneliness. The selfish moans from the deviates served as cues for Billie to toss another pebble into "Black Creek" in hopes that one of the water's ripples would find her identity. Then came her "savior", Buster!

Buster made Billie feel like a person. He saw through the empty canyons of her soul. Buster grew to love Billie as a person, not like a neighborhood dog in heat. For the first time in her life Billie experienced love. Love brought her to life. She no longer had to seek compassion by servicing the aroused high school boys. Buster showed Billie something her parents never had—love and respect—a

reason for living. He went as far as introducing Billie to the divine joy of God. For the first time Billie Trufax held her head high. A smile of pride brightened the sill of Billie's lips. She was proud of being Billie Trufax, not ashamed and tormented by being a relief stop for school boys thanks to glorious Buster.

Buster was not afraid to show his love for someone with a "bad name". (Who is evil and immoral, the car loads of selfishness, or the lonely, unwanted Billie?) I think Buster made the good choice by reaching out to help someone who needed help rather than joining a pack of animals. Buster was man enough to care about someone when others looked upon that person as trash.

That very same care led Billie and Buster to love, a love that rooted from compassion and appreciation. It was a love based on a solid foundation of feelings sewn together by human understanding. Unfortunately, this gallant love story was shattered by hate.

The "dirty dozen" from Greenwood High School resented Billie's "new life". They hated the idea of being deprived of Billie's body. The human self-respect Buster instilled in Billie led to rape and death at the hands of shallow-minded high school boys. The happiness Buster and Billie once shared ended in deep sorrow. Vengeance then took its course.

The extremely individualistic Buster appointed himself "king of judgment" and inflicter of punishment.

Two of the school boys met old age and death during

adolescence.

A beautiful and very touching love story involving two "real" people, not a glamorously made-up actor and actress, came to a tragic end. A very powerful film hindered my own feelings as I closed my eyes on Buster placing flowers on Billie's lonely grave. "The end of a girl's life came immediately after the beginning."

Bob Lupinacci

Ivy Weekend On Its Way

Many students look forward to big events here at SHU. Well Ivy weekend is on it's way. For the students who are not familiar with this event, it is a full weekend of having a good time put together by the Inter Fraternity Council.

Ivy weekend will be starting on November 7th, in the school auditorium with a King and Queen contest. The students entered in the contest are chosen by organizations in the school to represent them. The King will be judged on popularity, while the Queen will be chosen on beauty, poise, and personality.

I.F.C.'s President Patty Johnson, Vice President Jim Russo, and Chairman Nick Buonnano are working hard to make this weekend a success.

The MC for this weekend will be Jim Russo with Barb Bodziona and Mary Romaniello as his commentators. Patrick Lombard and Grant Walker are helping as advisors.

I.F.C. hopes that the student body will enjoy and also support this affair.

On Stage

The Decades

Claude McNeal's "DECADES" is a typical McNeal triumph! From start to finish, a superb cast entertained an appreciative audience. I sympathize with those who missed the show.

The songs that characterized American culture from Civil War times up to present day were delivered with enthusiasm by a very talented cast.

The company works amazingly well under the direction of Claude McNeal, his assistant, Mary Lou Szczesiul and company manager Patrick Lombard.

"DECADES" was the most heavily advertised show the Caberet Theatre ever performed, and was in turn the most heavily attended. (Attendance was prosperous enough to force Claude and his staff to schedule 7 extra performances). I'm sure every one

attending any one of the performances will be more than satisfied.

Jim Murphy, singing The Railroad Song, is the first cast member we meet. Two of the opening three songs were done back stage to allow the slides used to recreate the mood of Civil War torn America. Patty Hemenway and Art Howard are next to entertain.

Patty Hemenway will always be a favorite at Sacred Heart. She is well accomplished in all phases of caberet performing. Patty has the knack for stealing your attention. Her singing, dancing and overall entertaining qualities are a key to McNeals success with The Caberet Theatre.

Patty handles "Hard Hearted Hanna" by tantalizing the audience in Roaring 20's garb, accented with Peter Byrne's red spot light. Miss Hemenway is

nothing less than dynamic.

Eileen Conley and Tink Matzek make their first appearance with Art Howard and Jim Murphy. The co-ed habershop quartet illustrate the company's ability to produce entertainment as a whole unit by taking the audience for a harmonic ride in a Merry Oldsmobile.

The first of many highlights of the evening is Art Howard as "Cowboy Joe." Art's mastery of pantomime and facial story telling can bring enjoyment to any audience anywhere. He possesses all the qualities of a true professional performer. Art is the physical comedian of physical comedians. His singing is however no joke. Art has a pleasant yet strong voice; a voice that adds depth to the entire show. Jim Murphy adds his own touch of talent and humor.

Jim sings Poor Papa through a megaphone. The lyrics prove to be a perfect combination for Jim's fine voice. "Poor Papa" prepared the stage for SHU's rendition of The Andrew Sisters

Eileen, Patty and Think.

The girls harmony and lively style coincided with that of the three Broadway stars. "Accentuate the Positive;" the show is beggin to stir to a boil!

But Tink Matzek cools things off a bit by sprinkling White Cliffs of Dover throughout the student lounge. Her distinct soft voice captures the room full of viewers. A memorable gentleness closes Act I of "DECADES."

Act II opens with Jim Murphy sporting a white dinner jacket. "As Time Goes By" passes smoothly through the air. The song is a classic example of Jim's versatility; he transforms himself from silly to serious in a matter of a few selections. His uniform for a lady goes hand and with his style.

When Jim sings As Time Goes By, you don't think about Bogart or Woody Allan; you are too involved with Jim Murphy. Another highlight is right behind Jim.

Eileen Conley, Patty Hemenway, and Tink Matzek belt out a few old favorites.

Playmate, Apple Tree and Boogie Woogie steer the show in a comical direction. It was honestly funny, but the girls' musical talents outweigh the humor. Among the several segments of the show to receive applause was Tink's bellowing bugle.

While Art "Had A Little Talk With Lord," Patty and Jim talked things over and danced, and the relevant slides of the period told their story. Tink prepared to display her keyboard skills with Tisket A Tasket; another occasion for the audience to slap their knees. But the comical climax is yet to come.

Art Howard, the hyper-director of Hit Parade, established himself as the show stopper. The acting of Art and the wizardry of Claude McNeal literally had the caberet goers roaring in laughter. The attention was distracted from all singing by Art's magnificent display of comical jestures. Like the box of "Good & Plenty," in which Art stored his

CABARET CALENDAR

FALL 1974



OCTOBER	Fri	Sat	Sun
TURN of the CENTURY	4	5	6
	11	12	13
The ROARING 20's	18	19	20
	25	26	27
NOVEMBER			
THE THIRTIES	1	2	3
	8	9	10
THE FORTIES	15	16	17
	22	23	24
THE 50's	29	30	
DECEMBER			
THE FIFTIES			1
	6	7	8
THE SIXTIES	13	14	15
	20	21	22

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WSHU

Fall Schedule

Mon.-Fri.

9:15—American FM News

9:20—Local News

9:25—Classical Mix...classical music from a variety of styles, composers and artists
1:00—Profile, Part 1. Monday-Diocese, with Fr. Ray Petrucci; Tuesday-The Life and Teachings of Sri Chinmoy; Wednesday-Campus Ministry, with Fr. John Guilian and Sr. Kathleen Degnan; Thursday-Diocese; Friday-Profile in Folk, a pure folk music program with Steve Winters (1 hour).

1:30—Profile, Part 2. Monday-Community Controversy, alternating weeks with Grant Walker and John Cheshire; Tuesday-Potpourri, with programs both University orientated and from the Pacifica Program service; Wednesday-Psychology Today-Hosted by Bob Mento, Ed Malin and Don Brodeur; Thursday-University Forum, with Dr. Charles Ford and guests from SHU; Friday-Profile in Folk.

2:00—Fresh Air. Afternoon music "to drive home to" featuring...Bob Conover, Lynn McNamara, Joe Aldo, Deirdre Dunning, Debbie Zotian, Peggy Apple and Chris Teskey.

6:00—Free Form Rock. With Kevin Broadbin, Dave Dennehy, Joe DeRosa, Keith Lobdell and Neil B.

9:15—Specialty Programs—Monday-Wandering Minstrel Inn; Fred Sailer, producer. A live coffeehouse broadcast from the SHU center lounge, featuring top local entertainment; Tuesday-Exploding Plastic Inevitable-Andy Semon hosts a historical look at the bands and singers of the late '60's; Wednesday-Syncopated Pandemonium-Marc Gunther expands the format to bring not only the best in British rock, but the best in European rock as well; Thursday-Natural! Rap; Host Kevin Broadbin speaks in a natural, unconfined way with guests from the music world. The Music People; produced by Jim MacDonald. Combination of music and talk with the people who make the music; Friday-Remember When-Rock from the 50's, 60's and 70's with alternating hosts Jack Cahill and Fr. Ray Petrucci.

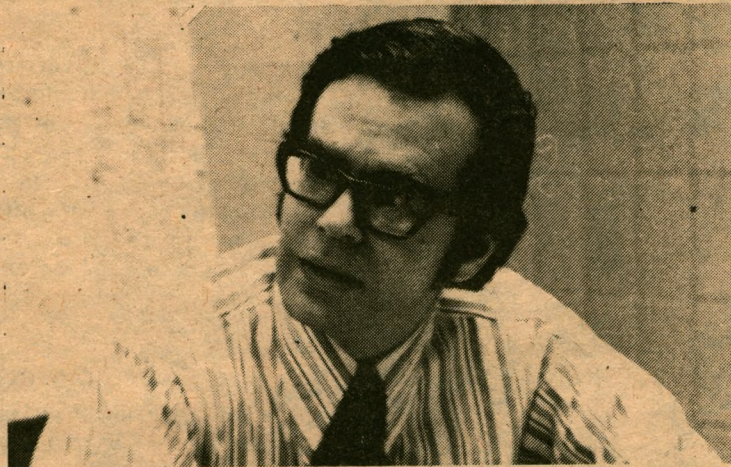
11:15—Free form... everything from jazz to folk to rock with Neil B., Marc Gunther, Mike Gardocki and Jim MacDonald. Thursday-Blues is King with Ken Celli. The best from the world of blues and jazz.

Saturdays

Free form rock from 7 a.m. until 2 a.m. with Greg Collins, Joe Aldo, Judy, Steve Danehey, and Joe DeRosa.

Sunday

12:00—Mike Fernandes starts the day off with a little of



Dr. Ralph Corrigan is the Chairman of the English Dept. His office is located in the Administration office.



Mrs. Dorothy Fenelon is a Counselor. Any students who need to discuss "anything" she will be there. Her office is located in the South Wing, Room 202.

everything...jazz, folk, rock.

3:15—Jazz on a Sunday Afternoon..Tony Scalisi, host. Jazz from all eras-modern, traditional and everything in between.

5:15—Jazz Revisited..A taped show about the history of jazz from National Public Radio.

5:45—The Big Sound..The big bands come back to life with the help of co-hosts Michael Langner and Debbie Zotian.

8:00—Old Radio Shows..The Shadow, Inner Sanctum and The Lone Ranger, just to name a few, return to the air.

8:30—"Soundscreen." Don Coonley conducts an experimental, literary, three-dimensional talk show.

9:15—Classical Legacy...Host Leyland Roberts brings the best in classical listening for the program.

11:15—Free form..Depending on what the listener likes, this spot will be filled with jazz or rock.

Halloween Party October 27

The Kreuzfahrer fraternity is sponsoring their annual halloween party for all elementary students again this year. The date is set for Oct. 27 from 12 noon until 3 p.m. The party will be held in the S.H.U. caf. Oh! don't forget the password is "Trick-or-Treat."

✓ Decades

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nerve calming candies. his

performance was plenty good! And he isn't finished yet.

Art returned to fascinate the audience by indulging in Rock Around the Clock, with the company; and later returned in a hilarious exploitation of "Nuns" along with Eileen, Tink and Patty. All eyes were focused on Art Howard for the better part of Act II. He can make you laugh and tell you a story at the same time. He can sing to you, and manipulate your emotions. Art Howard can do it all. Any actor that steals the show from an SHU Drama Department Production is more than gifted.

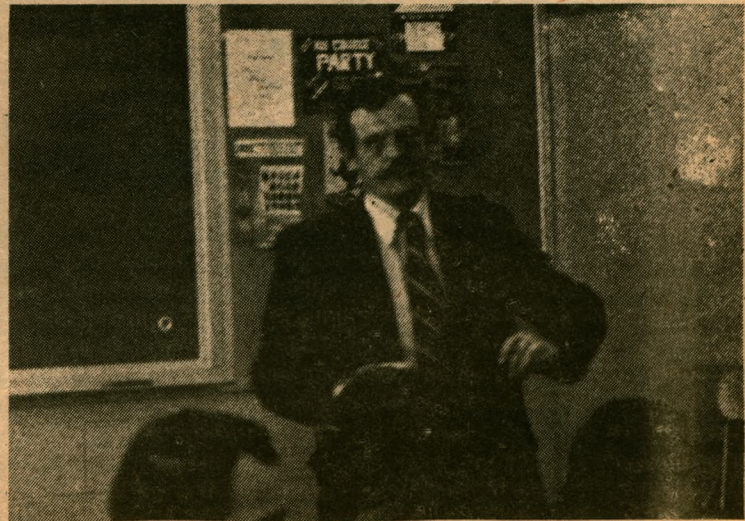
The tone of the show changes as the powerful effect of the slides harden faces with a glimpse back at the tragic 1960's. Pictures of our assassinated leaders along with visual memoirs of young Americans being thrown into Viet Nam to waste themselves in a vicious child's game reveal the unpleasant side of our "culture." "Times Are Changing," like the mood of the show. Eileen Conley adapts to that very change.

Eileen slaps the audience in the face with a Bob Dylan tune about reality and morality. She expresses a dissonant attitude towards the establishment; and attitude with certain truths no one can hide from. Zany wit has been devoured up by a strong delivery of some very strong lyrics.

Eileen involves herself completely with what she is immediately performing. Her spotlight performances of Times Are a Changing and Billy



Dr. John Mahar is the Chairman of History and Political Science and also head of the Convocation Committee. His office is located in the Administration Building, Room 40.



Mr. Harper is the Chairman of the Business Dept. His office is located in the North Wing, Second Floor. He will be happy to assist you in academic affairs.

Jo tend to stick out in my mind as an aschor device; holding the show down to reality. Eileen is anatural actress, not extravagant or outlandish. She can dance, sing and strum a guitar with graceful style; and enjoyable performance.

Bye Bye Miss American Pie and the Coca Cola theme bring the show to it's end. The company gives their final good-byes to a warm audience. But that same audience refused to leave before the cast returned for commercials and an encore of Grand Old Flag (Co.) and Apple Blossom Time (Eileen, Patty, and Tink.) Flash: What are commercials SHU students?

Something I have never seen before at a caberet theatre anywhere was a standing ovation. I saw that at Sacred Heart University's Caberet Theatre.

Claude and his staff have done it once again. He swarms the Student Lounge with talent week after week. The musicians Marilyn Jones and Bill Evarts never let the show's standard fall. In fact the only thing missing at Caberet is SHU students; it costs you zilch!

Claude creates humor by magnifying amaturism; he tells stories by using slides of snap shots and adds music to explain the pictures. He uses authentic costumes and extremely talented people to furnish SHU with the very best in live entertainment. All those qualities add up to a fantastic show.

Thank you Drama Department!

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Item Number 6 on the Agenda: Music Department. Mary Sheehan motioned to grant \$100.00 to the Music Department to rent an organ for the month of November for the Music Show. Michael Giovanetti seconded. Manny Cardozo called the question.

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Item Number 6 on the Agenda: OCA—(Off-Campus Activities). Mary Sheehan motioned to grant OCA \$75.00 for obtaining stationery, stamps, making long distance telephone calls, etc. Manny Cardozo seconded.

UNANIMOUS

Item Number 7 on the Agenda: Obelisk. Jamie Marrone motioned to give Obelisk \$2,055 for this semester to take care of their expenses. Noar White seconded.

UNANIMOUS

Item Number 8 on the Agenda: Honduras Drive. Nora White motioned that Student Government will provide the cost of rope, tape, and string to box the clothes for Honduras. Pam Giannetta seconded.

UNANIMOUS

Item Number 9 on the Agenda: Security Gates. Mary Sheehan motioned that a letter be sent to Dr. O'Sullivan requesting that the Security Gates in the hallways be fixed so as to alleviate some of the problems at the mixer. Dale Beardsley seconded.

UNANIMOUS

SPORTS



1974-1975 SOCCER TEAM—Front row: Imad O. Salih, Tim McCarthy, Charlie Ferreira, Manny Cardozo, Abbas Reza. Back row: Coach Charles Egervari, Kevin Nealon, Rich Nicholas, Bill Haggerty, John Cook, Maurice Berti, Felipe Reinoso, Martin Sebourne.

'Soccer Goals'

Sacred Heart University's Soccer team has certainly had its up and downs so far. While the team is sporting and improving 2-4 record, there have been numerous highlights for Coach Egaruari's Batters, as well as mistakes that can give a coach grey hair.

Charlie Ferreira has been all of the Pioneers offense, scoring 12 goals and three assists in six games. On defense Martin Sebourne has been outstanding at the goalie sport.

St. Peter's 4-SHU 3

Sacred Heart suffered a heart breaking defeat on opening day to St. Peter's of New Jersey by the score of 4 to 3. Charlie Ferreira had two unassisted goals while Manny Cardozo chipped in another on an assist from Ferreira. But it just wasn't enough as the Peacocks overwhelmed the Pioneer defense. Tim McCarthy and Manny Cardozo gave an all out effort defense as well as the entire team.

West New England 4

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Western New England's

DATE	DAY	TEAM	TIME	SITE
October				
12	Sat.	Central Conn.	11:00	Home
16	Wed.	American International	3:00	Away
23	Wed.	Fairfield Univ.	4:00	Away
26	Sat.	Quinnipiac	11:00	Home
30	Wed.	Eastern Conn.	2:00	Away
November				
2	Sat.	Jersey City	1:00	Away
6	Wed.	Stoneybrook	3:30	Away

steady offense and staunch defense was too much for our pioneers as they went down to their second defeat in as many games.

The lone score came late in the game as Charlie Ferreira booted his third goal of the season on an assist from Bill Loso. Goalie Martin Sebourne turned in an outstanding day turning away 31 attempts at the net by the opposition.

SHU Overwhelms Dominican

Charlie Ferreira tied a school record set by Joe McGuigan as he scored six goals in leading the Pioneers to their first victory of the season. An 8-0 shutout over Dominican College, Ferreira proved to be too much for the inept opposition. Charlie dodged and weaved through the defense three times to score unassisted goals. His other three goals came off assists from Bill Haggerty. Rich Nichols and Felipe chipped in one apiece with assists from Joe Avellino and Tim McCarthy respectfully. Martin Sebourne got plenty of

support on defense from fullbacks Manny Cardozo, John Cook and Kevin Nealon.

SHU Bows to Marist

In a bitterly contested game, where defense played a major role, Marist nipped Sacred Heart 2-1. Bill Haggerty scored the Pioneers lone goal off an assist from Charlie Ferreira. The Pioneers have now lost three games in four outings.

SHU Mauls Lehman

Sacred Heart proved to be too much for Lehman University. Charlie Ferreira scored two goals and had one assist on a shot by Imad Salih. Salih also scored another goal on a penalty shot.

In beating Lehman the Pioneers upped their record to two wins and three losses.

Ms. Basketball

At last girls at SHU will have the opportunity to participate in sports as "athletes" instead of just idle spectators. On September 11, 1974, Sacred Heart added another collegiate sport to its Athletic Department. On this momentous day the Girls Basketball Program officially began. Yes, Don Feeley, "Mr. Basketball", along with the assistance of Coach Diorio, newly appointed head of the baseball department, has entered a new page in the record books.

The girls basketball team will

Sacred Heart University, under the leadership of new head mentor, Pete DiOrio, opened its fall schedule recently.

I talked to Coach DiOrio after their debut against Fordham in a double header and he said quite bluntly, "We're gonna' be good, just wait and see!"

And this could well be true. Although the Pioneers are sporting a promising record of 5 wins and 9 games, Sacred Heart has been playing extremely well despite an over-abundance of youth.

Sacred Heart has been strong at the plate so far, displaying a well balanced hitting attack. Yet the defense has had its problems. A number of costly errors have produced unwanted unearned runs which resulted in the Pioneers 4 losses so far.

Leading hitters for SHU so far have been: Joe Rietano, .377, Mike Homkovics .357, Marcial DelGado .357, Jim Barrows .353, Dom Canavo .333, and Tom Riley .333. Gary Cormac and Frank Timmeny have been two fine utility players. Coach DiOrio also mentioned that Gehe DelGuidice, although not hitting well, has emerged as team leader and has been one bright spot in SHU's defense and could be an all-New England selection this year.

The mound has been anchored down by Paul Marciniak and Dennis Burke with Dave Scarpone also seeing action. Mark Walsh is still nursing that sore elbow and won't be ready till spring.

In their opening games of the season, SHU split a double-header with the Fordham Rams.

The second game was highlighted by the strong hitting of Jim Barrows and Jim Pullizzi. Barrows drive in 2 runs with a triple and Pullizzi laced a bases-loaded double driving in 3 runs.

In the opener, Denis Burke had a no-hitter for 6 2-3 innings, but 5 errors accompanied with 4 base on balls led to 5 unearned runs. Giving Fordham a 6-1 win.

SHU SPLITS PAIR WITH FAIRFIELD

After losing the first game of a double-header 2-1, as a result of two unearned runs, the Pioneers came back in the night-cap to win 4-3.

In the second game, Dennis Burke went 3 for 3 with a double and 2 singles. Dom Canavo had two RBI's with a game winning pinch hit single, which drive in 2 runs.

SHU VOWS TO NEW HAVEN

SHU suffered a heart breaking loss to the University of New Haven, the 3rd place team in last years NCAA College Division Tournament. Despite losing 5-4 in the 11th inning via another unearned run.

In that game Mike Homkovics let all Pioneers with 4 hits including a triple. Gary Cormac chipped in with 2 hits. In the bottom of the 11th inning with bases loaded, Dom Canavo made a spectacular diving catch that almost saved the game but on the succeeding play an error sent the winning run home to win the game.

SHU COPS A PAIR FROM ST. PETERS

After a rainout cancelled the game against Adelphi, the Pioneers traveled to New Jersey to play St. Peters in a twin bill.

In the opener, SHU pelted the Peacocks for 16 hits led by Joe Rietano, who drove in 5 runs with a triple and two home runs. Mike Homkovics, Jim Barrows, Dom Canavo, Frank Timmeny and Tom Riley chipped in with 2 hits apiece. Dennis Burke was the winning pitcher.

In the nightcap, Mike Homkovics highlighted the game with a tape measure home run and picked up 2 RBI's, while Paul Marciniak held St. Peters to only 2 hits.

ATTENTION - FUTURE GRADUATES OF DECEMBER 1974, MAY 1974 AND AUGUST 1975

It is required that you see Mr. Douglas J. Bohn, Registrar to register for graduation. Call our office, 374-9441, Ext. 270 hours 8:30 - 4:30 p.m. or come in to make an appointment during the month of October.

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