Authorization brings faculty strike one step closer

By Frank Rosa

The council of NJ State College Locals, the union representing the faculty at MSC and eight other state colleges, voted 1,303 to 254 for a strike authorization, at their meeting last week. As a result, the council now has the power to call an emergency meeting to set a strike date.

The strike authorization vote was provoked by the state Board of Higher Education's (BHE) proposed amendment to reduce the number of advanced notice days for lay-off and tenured faculty from 195 and 180 days, respectively, to 45 days.

Dr. Catherine Becker, president of MSC's faculty union, said the union is now in a "holding pattern." "We're waiting in good faith for the actions of the colleges and the board to change," Becker said.

"We're trying to talk to the [state college] board of trustees, the Board of Higher Education, the chancellor [T. Edward Holland], and the presidents of the colleges to get them to see the light," Marco Antonio Lacatena, president of the union, said.

At a meeting of MSC's board of trustees last week, Dr. David W.D. Dickson, president of the college, also announced his opposition to the amendment.

"I've reflected a lot on this," Dickson said, "and, although I deeply respect the financial problems that brought us to this, this is not the best solution." Dickson said he was opposed to the amendment for several reasons.

"A cut from 195 days to 45 days is a most drastic cut," Dickson said. "I don't think the civil service standards [also requiring a 45-day advance notice period prior to firing] apply to faculty. With faculty, it's a once-a-year hiring, rather than a frequent hiring."

"I'm also concerned with paying people a competitive situation. I think we'd be in a most disadvantaged position for recruiting and maintaining people," Dickson said.

"I'm further concerned that there have been drastic cuts in resources in other public institutions. We must look at the other alternatives that state colleges in other parts of the country have used to combat financial hard times," Dickson said.

Dickson said the strike threat contributed little to his decision.

"We want to maintain the morale of the faculty," Dickson said. "That is most important to me."

Although the board did not call for a vote on the matter, Dickson said five of the seven members he's spoken to are also against the amendment.

Dickson said he would reiterate his stance on the amendment at the Council of State Colleges meeting on May 17. Although the council may approve a resolution to withdraw their support of the amendment, the ultimate decision as to its fate lies in the hands of the BHE and the chancellor.

According to Lacatena, neither has "loosened his position" on the matter. According to Dr. Richard Draper, a psychology professor at Northampton Community College, the "other avenues" the union has taken are applying to the courts for an injunction of the amendment's publication in the NJ Register and filing an unfair labor practice charge with the Public Employment Relations Committee.

"They want to be proud of their affiliation with a first-rate institution," Becker said. "They realize you must protect academic freedom," Becker said. "They want to be proud of their affiliation with a first-rate institution."

Although he would like to have the Reductions in Forced Regulations (BHE law which allows state colleges to reduce their faculty, tenured as well as untenured, in the case of a fiscal emergency) rescinded also, Lacatena said he would be satisfied at this point to have just the proposed amendment retracted.

"It's like asking me which I would rather have to save my life: my legs cut off or a cure for diabetes? I'd much rather have the cure. But I'll accept the amputation, if it means survival," Lacatena said.

Neither Becker nor Lacatena would say what the chances of a strike occurring this semester would be. However, Becker said, "The possibility of a strike this semester is good if negotiations deteriorate."
Lynn Mesuk
for
Vice President

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"DEFINITELY... DESPINA!!"
Central America is called a playground for superpowers

By Cathy Clarke

"Public dishonesty, secrecy, and patronage have surrounded the entire situation in El Salvador," said Bob Ostertag, of the Salvadoran Solidarity Committee.

Ostertag, along with Guadalupe González, of El Frente Democrático Revolucionario, and Leonor Hupei, Consultative Director of the Nicaragua Committee, spoke during a program entitled "Central America: Playground for the Superpowers." The program was sponsored by LASO, CINA, Students for Social Responsibility, and the Spanish Club. It consisted of a film, "El Salvador: Another Vietnam," followed by a lecture and discussion.

Ostertag spoke on the battle between the extreme right, the oppressors, and the extreme left, the oppressed, mostly poor people of El Salvador. He said there were many myths concerning the situation, such as that the Soviets are plotting to take over El Salvador. This, he said, is an American excuse to send military aid and money to El Salvador.

According to Ostertag, there are many myths about the war between what is happening in El Salvador and what happened in Vietnam. The U.S. government is being very secretive about its involvement in El Salvador. He said in 1981, President Reagan sent 56 military advisors to El Salvador. These advisors were supposed to return home in six months, but they are still there. Meanwhile, Reagan has been asking Congress for more money for El Salvador.

Ostertag said most Americans are unaware of the situation, but this information is available. "We don't claim, like we did with Vietnam, that we disagree with what is happening here," he said. Hupei said that she wants to "expose what has been going on in Central America for the past three and a half years, ever since an American reporter was killed there." She said, "Before that, no one cared." According to Hupei, the U.S. government is afraid of a revolution in Central America because "for centuries we have been a cheap labor force for the U.S. We buy your products for whatever price you say." She said the U.S. is worried that if it doesn't keep giving aid to the Central American countries, it will drop buying from them.

Hupei concluded by saying that "when the people of Nicaragua have made up their minds to be free, there is nothing that is going to stop them."

Students' failure to repay loans makes funding difficult

By Beth Hainlan

MSC has been cut off from federal funding for its National Direct Student Loan (NDSL) program because some students have not paid their loans. The federal government has denied NDSL funds to schools with default rates in excess of 10 percent. By the end of this month, MSC will lose its NDSL funds.

According to Dr. Randall Richards, director of financial aid, "The financial aid office and business office have made real efforts over the past few years to get students to return their loans. It has been to the point that we have had to write to all the former students to get them to repay their outstanding loans. Thirteen delinquent students are involved in the Student Loan program at MSC."

Nationally, more than 400 schools have default rates of higher than 10 percent. A few NJ colleges and trade schools have a default rate of 25 percent or more including Keen College, Glassboro State College, Essex County College, The Plaza School, Robert Walsh Business School, and The Sawyer School.

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All the billing procedures for NDSLs are currently out of Wachovia. Students receive their bills from them, mail in the monthly payments to Wachovia, and they, in turn, forward the payments to MSC. The college then lends this money out to another needy student.

The college will initiate litigation with former students to get them to repay their debts. In addition, MSC will not release transcripts to students with outstanding loans.

The state has also recently initiated a program which withholds state income tax refunds for delinquent borrowers. In New Jersey, who have been delinquent for at least 90 days, the state withholds state income tax refunds for those with delinquent student loans. Thirteen of these 36.000 federal employees have outstanding loans and delinquent taxes. In order to qualify for an NDSL loan, you must demonstrate financial need. NDSL is a need-based program administered by local lending institutions (banks), rather than the college.

Earth Day stresses care and management of the environment

By Darrell Nittl

Earth Day, a nationally based movement concerned with the preservation and conservation of the environment, will be held at MSC on Tuesday, April 26.

Founded 13 years ago, Earth Day is an annual, day-long program that brings groups to organize programs to educate and to provide solutions regarding environmental issues.

The conservation club is serving as the main coordinator of the day and is responsible for arranging the schedule of events including films, displays, slide shows, and on-campus speakers. Bob Barnes, president of the conservation club, noted that a highlight will be an appearance by the Clearwater Singers.

Barnes said the main point that the conservation club would like to bring out is "the importance of our finite natural resources." The science club is in charge of setting up geological displays that are representative of the many different minerals and fossil formations that are found in NJ, including fluorescent stones.

Bob Sulyma, a senior geoscience major and representative of the science club, said his club is concerned with "making people aware of the diversity of geology in NJ and its proper management." He said that "a lack of proper management" would be the protection against "indiscriminate exploitation of natural resources it is informed capitalists." The biology club will be in charge of a display that concerns a local issue: the toxic waste dumping in Newark Bay. Test information and posters showing the effects of this dumping will illustrate the results of a case-study evaluation. A special feature will be the use of a computer facility set up to simulate the effects of various input conditions to a "typical sample of the ecosystem." A fact sheet which serves as a sort of brochures and pamphlets distributed by the sylvanian, federal marshals are seizing automobiles in an effort to collect delinquent student loans. Thirteen of these cars, including a Porsche and a Lincoln, have already been impounded, and marshals expect to tow away at least 30 more.

The 1982 Debt Collection Act will permit federal agencies to refer the names of delinquent debtors to collection agencies and require federal loan applicants to supply their social security numbers for tracking purposes. It will also allow the government to deduct any money delinquently owed from the salaries of federal workers. It has been estimated that 36,000 federal employees have outstanding loans and delinquent taxes. In order to qualify for an NDSL loan, you must demonstrate financial need. NDSL is a need-based program administered by local lending institutions (banks), rather than the college.

In appreciation for the clubs' participation in Earth Day, the conservation club organized a rafting and camping trip recently. Forty MSC students participated and Barnes said he will try to make the raft trip a yearly event.

The conservation, biology, and geoscience clubs comprise the main body of MSC's newly formed Earth-Care Coalition, according to Barnes. "These are on-campus groups that are concerned about the care and future environment of the earth and participating in Earth Day," he said.

Earth Day will be held from 9 a.m. until 9 p.m. in the Student Center Ballrooms, the Student Center, Room 126, and the Math/Science Building, Room 120.

Music fee approved

A $150 music fee was approved by the board of trustees last Thursday. This fee will pay for the professional instructors that teach music classes at MSC.

Dr. Jack Sacher, head of the music department, said that this fee was a necessity if the program was to remain and keep its high quality. He did not wish to burden the students, but he said that there was no other alternative.

Angel Ramos, acting board of trustees student representative, asked the board to reconsider this fee. He said that it would be too much of a financial burden on some students, and even with the tax money that the college would use to pay off the fees, who claim they will not be able to afford this fee, the board passed the fee unanimously. However, the board is now considering a possible tuition waiver for those who can prove financial hardship.
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SGA election profiles

Howard Leon bares it all to get students voting for election

By Rob Thibault

Howard Leon, candidate for SGA president, is serious about the position, despite his rather unorthodox method of campaigning. "I'm the underdog, because I can't afford some of the things other candidates are using—tees, posters, and so forth. To make up for this, the controversy in my campaign is hopefully making the association between my name and the position," Leon said.

Leon hopes to bring the same innovation used in his campaign to the position of president. "There's been very little imagination shown by the SGA and not to the rest of the student population," Leon said.

Leon cites, as an example of imaginative thinking, the serving of coffee, donuts and soda to students standing in line at registration. "We can't do anything about the lines, but we can at least make the students more comfortable," Leon said.

Leon is not unfamiliar with the SGA or its organizations. A junior broadcasting major, Leon is an assistant general manager and DJ for MSC-FM and is on the staffs of the yearbook, Class of 1983, and the Quarterly as well as a SGA legislator.

Because of his experience with the SGA legislature, Leon said he has come to believe that many of the policies of the SGA are misguided. "A good example of the misguided energies is the referendum," Leon said. "We knew we needed the extra money and the SGA organizations knew it, but for some reason, the SGA couldn't get that message across to the students. This is symptomatic of the lack of awareness on the part of the SGA toward the needs of the students," Leon said.

In addition to making the SGA more responsive, Leon said he hopes to bring imagination and creativity to it. "There is very little to be proud of on this campus," Leon said. "Students don't run home telling their parents about all the exciting things going on here."

One idea Leon has to bring notoriety to the campus is an attempt to enter the Guinness World Book of Records. "We could try to break the record for futsol playing," Leon said. "We could sign up teams and have the Rat stay open for an entire weekend, serving alcohol during normal hours, but only food and soda at other times. I think students would enjoy it and get a sense of school pride."

It is this kind of enjoyment that Leon thinks is lacking in the SGA. "I'm serious about the SGA and its functions, but there are some people who take it too seriously," Leon said.

Carol Lynch’s priority is solving MSC’s asbestos problem

By Celeste Caffasso

Carol Lynch is a junior political science major, and one of the candidates running for president of the SGA.

Lynch is vice president of the International Fellowship, an organization with student participants on the major issues that were to be discussed at the rally. "This trip was a definite success," Lynch said, "and I believe undeniably that the students’ presence on Capital Hill has made a great impact on Congress’ vote toward the budget."

According to Lynch, who wants to become an attorney after graduating, "If elected, one of the first things I wish to see taken care of is the asbestos problem on campus. The problem is definitely hazardous, and is present in almost every building." Lynch is also concerned with the high percentage of car thefts at MSC. Lynch said the parking attendants who work the teachers’ lot should also be spread out in the quarry to ensure better protection for the students’ cars. "I will work on this," Lynch said, "until something is done about it."

Lynch voiced her disapproval on the Ratskeller issue. Lynch said the Rat would hinder its business if it did not serve liquor until 5 p.m. next semester. "I believe students are responsible enough to handle their liquor and should have it with their meals if they so desire."

Finally, Lynch expressed her views on the importance of bill 893, which would enable a student to be a voting member on the board of trustees. "It is very important to have a student on the board who will help make decisions which directly affect us all," Lynch said.

Lynch said she joined SGA "because I love it. Since freshman year I've been on SGA and have enjoyed it very much. It's a lot of work," Lynch said, "but it's worth it!"

Despina Katris feels experience is her most important asset

By Frank Rosa

Despina Katris, candidate for SGA president, is a native of Greece who came to this country in 1979. She is a junior political science and economics major.

In her second year at MSC, Katris was very involved with the NJ Student Association (NJSA), a student organization representing all state colleges. While a member of that group, she went to Washington for the National Student Lobby Day rally to fight against the financial aid cuts.

As a member of the Extended Affairs Committee of the SGA, she coordinated a phon-a-thon in March 1982 to ask federal and state representatives their views on the cuts. "It was very effective," Katris said.

"In Nov. 1982 we got a letter from Senator [Bill] Bradley, stating that he voted against the cuts and thanking us for our concern. In the 1982-83 school year, Katris became treasurer of the SGA. Her duties include making sure all Class I organizations follow SGA procedures, helping other student organizations raise funds, preparing the SGA's operating budget (budget which finances services rendered to students such as the pharmacy and legal aid programs and the Board of Transportation Affairs, which aids students in appealing parking tickets), and handling the financial investments of the SGA.

She is currently a voting member on the board of trustees of the Faculty-Student Co-op, a former member of the Appropriations Committee of the SGA, and a member of the SGA president's cabinet.

Katris said she is running for SGA president because she wants to bring the SGA "closer to the students." Katris said it would be impossible to improve the parking problem at MSC. However, she said, as president, she would work to make the shuttle bus system move more efficiently. This would be done, she said, by drawing up a timetable so that all three buses would be in operation during the rush hour.

On the asbestos problem in Sprague library and other building on campus, Katris said she would do everything in her power to resolve it. As well as serving full-time undergraduates, Katris said she would work with Dr. Rolland Garrett, vice president for academic affairs, to develop a dean’s list for part-time students and will "strengthen the bond between the SGA and the weekend college students."

"I can't guarantee drastic changes," Katris said. "I can work only on the problems the students face now. I can guarantee that the rights the students have at this point will not be decreased in any way. If elected, I'll try my very best to increase them."
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CLUB is a Class One Organization of the SGA
Lynd Mesuk wants to improve the image of the SGA

By Cathy Clarke

"I feel that I have the experience, ability, and dedication to be an excellent SGA vice president," said Lynn Mesuk. Mesuk, a political science major, is running unopposed for SGA vice president.

Mesuk has been involved in student activities and the SGA for three years. She was a SGA legislator for two years, and is presently director of public relations. She was coordinator of the Student Directory and Alcohol Awareness Day, was vice president of the political science club, and is treasurer of Pi Gamma Mu, a social science honor society. Because of her involvement in the SGA, Mesuk said she is "well aware of what the position of vice president entails," and believes she has "the ability to handle it."

Mesuk said she worked closely with the administration before, especially as coordinator of Alcohol Awareness Day. She said, "I am aware of the problems, and I would like to work very closely with the SGA president to make a stronger SGA," and to improve the image of the SGA.

According to Mesuk, the $500 campaign cap is a bad idea because a candidate shouldn’t be limited in the amount they want to spend. "You win on hard work and dedication, not the money you spend on a campaign," she said. "I’m spending the same amount of money on my campaign as I would have spent if I were running against another candidate, Mesuk said.

After graduating, Mesuk plans to enter law school, and eventually specialize in women’s law. For now, however, her main goal as SGA vice president is "to always be there to help other students."

candidate for treasurer

Dorothy Spinelli hopes to continue active role in SGA

By Lidia Willmberg

Dorothy Spinelli, unopposed candidate for Secretary of SGA, is a junior communication major with a paralegal minor. She plans to go on to law school and become a lawyer. She has been a College Work Study worker in the SGA office for three years. Spinelli is active in SGA, and the senior committees, and is a member of CLUB.

"I'm a hard worker, dedicated, assertive, and open-minded," she said, "and I plan to increase the efficiency of the SGA office by implementing new office procedures so the services offered by the SGA can benefit students to a further extent."

Spinelli’s campaign will include speeches, flyers, public contact, and help from campaign members. All but $25 is financed by the candidates themselves. "I don’t feel it’s necessary because federal and state campaigns are not restricted," she said.

She has been a part of SGA through three different administrations. "I am capable and experienced in managing the office and dealing with people. As secretary, I will have more say in what goes on," Spinelli said.

This year, there is only one male running for a position on student government. In response to this, she said, "I think it’s great, because it shows that more women are active in SGA."

Spinelli concluded, "I know the other candidates and feel I can work well with them, and I hope through this election that the students will get the chance to know me and the SGA a little better."

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Howard's the one, he'll bear it all for the students of MSC

The SGA elections have a fresh bend...er, face, this year. He can be found stretched out on a bearskin rug all around campus. He's got nothing to hide. He's Howard Leon, the first innovative SGA candidate to run in years.

Leon's posters and campaign tactics are not what MSC students or the SGA are accustomed to. But behind his bizarre way of presenting himself, there is an intelligent, serious, hard-working candidate. Leon isn't focusing on the traditional campaign issues, but instead has taken an interest in realistic student concerns, and combined it with a fresh new attitude.

Leon believes that to get the students involved, a different approach must be taken, an approach that students can relate to. Leon's posters and campaign tactics have certainly done that, but more importantly, his personality is one that the students can relate to. He wants to change the formal image the SGA has had in the past, and make it a more "down to earth," yet upbeat, student organization.

One of his proposals to help make registration at MSC more bearable is to serve coffee, soda and donuts to students on the registration lines. Leon believes that since nothing can be done about the registration lines, he can at least make the students more comfortable.

One unorthodox, but innovative, way he plans to bring notoriety to MSC is to enter the Guinness Book of World Records for fusbol. These ideas may seem simplistic, but Leon believes they work. He has the rare quality of being able to handle the bureaucracy of the SGA, without losing sight of the needs of the student body. Howard Leon is also one to speak his mind; he's not afraid to take chances. Most importantly, he'll fight for student interests, despite opposing views from the administration.
Students speak

By Patricia Winters and Chris Garcia

Does the alleged potential unsafe levels of asbestos in Sprague library deter you from frequenting the library facilities?

Vennie Bordfeld
Senior/marketing

The high levels of asbestos wouldn't keep me from going to the library. If it is a necessity to use the library, you have no other choice but to use it.

Tonya Scott
Sophomore/bus. admin.

Asbestos is bad for you. You don't know what you're breathing. Knowing that there keeps me out of the library. I go as seldom as possible.

Denise Furman
Sophomore/fine arts

People involved with the asbestos problem should be concerned with Bohn Hall, because they are living there. I don't go to the library too often, but I wouldn't stay there long if I did.

No, some teachers require you to go to the library. I go as seldom as possible. However, so many things cause cancer today that it is impossible to be too careful.

Michael O'Connor
Freshman/undeclared

I'm referring to an incident last week, when after the concert in the Memorial Auditorium on Wed. evening, an unknown individual or individuals destroyed a newly installed sculpture outside the main entrance to the Calica Arts Building (as well as smashed windows and other campus property). Not only was it a work, in my opinion, both as the artist and as a human being, a positive contribution to the aesthetic of our NJ environs; it was the result of many hours of dedicated planning and physical labour for an assignment in a sculpture class of the Fine Arts Department. I hesitate to draw obvious analogies in terms of the worth of papers and final exams in other disciplines, but I would go one step further and appeal to the notion of what an institution of higher learning is all about. It is, in my esteem, a wonderful forum for open, constructive discussion and criticism; it is a place to ask questions, although not always receive answers; and above all, it is a framework for self-exploration.

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Margaret Robinson
Sophomore/marketing

I don't spend a lot of time there to begin with. I feel that the levels of asbestos won't affect you for the amount of time you spend there.

If the levels of asbestos are that dangerous, the college would have done something about it. The problem doesn't keep me from going.

Jeff Jaffe
International transfer student

Student wants asbestos removed

To the editor:

We all come in contact with recently developed substances that are having detrimental effects on our health. One common material is asbestos. This type of material has been affecting us for decades. The extent of this problem (in schools, offices, modeling clay, etc.) shows the current failure of current laws to protect our health.

For years, the problems of asbestos have been known at MSC. Yet, little action or advice has been given to the college on handling the situation. It seems that through everyone's hands as it gets tossed around. No particular person is at fault; the laws are either lacking or are too vague.

The responsibility now belongs to each of us to recognize this problem. We must be reminded of our part in contributing to this hazard because it's our health that is at stake. "Eventually" taking care of this problem is too far off. The steps in controlling exposure are insufficient in eliminating cancer risks and other damage.

Using special vacuums and respirators will only remove fibers that have already floated past us and succeeded in landing. Purchasing these vacuums acknowledges the danger of asbestos.

Andrew Ellis
Freshman/undeclared

If you walk in the library, Bohn Hall or several other buildings, and wave your arm, or turn a page in this newspaper, you could stir up these fibers, which can remain airborne for as many as eighty hours. It only takes one or two fibers to destroy a life. It may take decades for the cancer to show up from these fibers that are embedded in lungs or other areas.

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Shocked and disappointed I most certainly remain! However, an act of closed minded violent crudeness such as this can only be treated with sympathy (and perhaps a little therapy). Sympathy, now that the anger has subsided, will perhaps make minimal contribution to make as an international student here at MSC.

Nevertheless, I appeal strongly to anyone who has suffered or is currently suffering from a case of "esthetipophobia" to stop by the art department and talk to the "weirdos in the "artsy-fartsy world." Ask questions, be curious, challenge us—the chances are, you'll leave here a better person (perhaps a certain will!). I believe that we all can be of intellectual benefit to each other, but only with respect and consideration for one another's chosen directions in life.

I, unfortunately, now have to create further pieces of work with severe limitations to consider. But I guess that is what comes from living in a world and society that is so very scared of itself; a world that builds the bombs aimed at its own destruction, and a world that controls its own people with guns and war.

Of what consequence is a little outdoor sculpture at MSC in the state of New Jersey in this giant cosmos? Only you can answer that!

Jeff Jaffe
International transfer student
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Letter’s claims were not justified

To the editor:

I would like to address the response written by Howard Leon, to Diane Carter’s letter (The Montclarion, April 14) on the group which meets to discuss race relations on campus. The letter left me very puzzled to say the least, because of Mr. Leon’s misconceptions. In his letter he states that he was informed by myself about the group. This statement was true. He later states that he told him he was unwelcome and forbidden from attending the group. This statement was untrue. Mr. Leon was not a victim of racism, as our group is Interracial. Religion is irrelevant to the group’s performance.

The main requirement to join our group is that the individual must believe that a positive change is at least possible. From his statement “that (our) group has any significance or will, in any way, shape, attitude or form, affect race relations on campus,” I gather that Mr. Leon is not a candidate for our group. We must and can not allow our group to become another battleground for the racists in our society.

The racial problem is an issue, whether we acknowledge it or not, and as a candidate for SGA presidential office, I hope that Mr. Leon’s attitudes and decisions won’t be based on assumptions like the ones he stated in his letter.

Karen Dyton
Sophomore/broadcasting

SGA: We’re people not just votes

To the editor:

Did you vote for the referendum? During the days when the voting was taking place, I was quite disgruntled at the methods used by the vote-getters. These students were there for the sole purpose of getting the vote out. They were not trying to vote, not to harass or coerce a student to vote. They became so infatuated with this task that it was impossible for anyone to walk into the Student Center cafeteria without being asked if he/she had voted. If one’s answer to their question was “yes,” then a sarcastic “sure you did” could be heard as one walked away. However, if “no” was the answer, then they would go through a lengthy dissertation explaining why voting was so important to the college.

Perhaps one would think that they were doing a good job. But in reality they deterred numerous voters from casting their votes. I myself being one of them. Hopefully, in the future the SGA will use people who see an individual rather than just another vote. Could this be why the referendum has failed in the past few years?

Mark Velthoven
Freshman/industrial studies

General ed courses are useful

To the editor:

This letter is in response to Josephine Paternostro’s letter to the editor (The Montclarion, April 14) in which she questioned the value of the general education requirement. The letter seemed to be indicative of the idea that colleges are really job-training factories in disguise. They will only produce students with specific, marketable skills, all ready to get a job as soon as they graduate.

Ms. Paternostro wrote, “Why should students have to work so hard for something that isn’t absolutely necessary...?” Because, above all, college is an institution here to educate. There is more to college than job training. Hopefully one will become a more rounded individual in the process.

The courses one takes at MSC may seem to be boring, annoying and futile, but they will, directly or indirectly, teach students how to write, communicate ideas, compare opinions, interact with other people and think. I defy anyone to survive in today’s highly competitive job market without a modicum of these skills. And also, a general education can give our lives the aesthetic experience we sorely need.

Like many other students, I’ve sweated through classes that aren’t remotely connected with my chosen career plans. But I’m glad I was given the opportunity to take such a wide variety of courses. If I didn’t want to take them, I could have gone to vocational school. I appreciate the professors who have imparted their knowledge, opinions and skills to me in the thirty-odd courses I’ve taken at MSC. I won’t remember it all, but I couldn’t have learned a fraction of it by myself.

Yes, Ms. Paternostro, time is precious to students, and some general education courses are extremely demanding, but this isn’t high school, and when you graduate there will be other things you’ll find taking up as much time, and which will be just as demanding, if not more so. That happens to us all.

College prepares people for more than a job—it prepares them for life.

Karen L. Meyer
Junior/philosophy

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Tenure: there's trouble in paradise

By James S. White Jr.

"There was a time when denying a person tenure didn't mean he or she was consigned to selling shoes for a living," said Dr. David W.D. Dickson, president of MSC, as he sat—more of a recline, is, according to Dickson, eternally vexing: tenure.

One can see this as Dickson reflects. His conversation glimmering with the wealth of illusion one expects from a Harvard man. He speaks with the nostalgia of a founder of a company on the decline, reminiscing about the expansion years: "would you believe, young man, there were people to fill them. Labor and university teachers proliferated. There were more jobs than they were ready to take.

Academics see teaching (all exceptions admitted) as dirty work, similar to playing one-night stands for musicians; after you've paid your dues, learned your craft, why bother with cheap honky tonks when you can play Nashville?

No. Tenure: or not he will eat at all. Like the small-town girl who journeys to New York to become an actress, he learns to live with the dread which comes with the realization that no matter how hard you work—five, maybe ten years of life put on the chopping block—you will probably come up empty.

Dr. Steve Seegmiller, chairman of the linguistic department, tells what it's like growing up in hard times:

"I went to graduate school at NYU and finished my dissertation nine years ago. There are people there who are still students, who were students when I was a student. There's little incentive for them to finish because there are no jobs for them. Most of them are finished with their courses, but there's no reason for them to write their dissertation because then they're unemployed PhD's. "So we're living here in Allentown, and they're tearin' all the factories down."

"Allentown" from Billy Joel's The Nylon Tenure, Dickson. Selling shoes. As the final arbiter in tenure decisions, Dickson possesses Zeus-like powers, heretofore wielded only by Hollywood studio heads, Joseph Stalin, and 16-year-old girls holding back-seat court at the drive-in. He can make your dreams come true, give you a desk where you can exhale and stop looking over your shoulder, or he can deny, summarily execute aspirations, and consign the young scholar to a hell of parking cars and pumping gas, as the song goes, before driving back to San Jose.

Life: the metaphor for probation. A fledgling scholar must endure a five-year probationary period before he can be considered for tenure (see Amar, Anatomy of tenure). Each year he is scrutinized by his peers and students, their appraisals recorded in his "file." His performance is judged in five separate categories—teaching, scholarly achievement, professional responsibilities, contributions to college and community, and long range contributions to the department.

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Professional responsibilities—here you find yourself bombarded with acronyms: professor X is active in ORSA and so on—carry no real weight.

Contributions to the college and community—brownie points—after-school activities, like working on the prom float when everyone else is out getting world student guide to courses said of a faculty member, almost universally acclaimed as a distinguished teacher, that in his classes "attendance" is not compulsory, either for the student or the professor. It is common practice, in Ivy League schools, to reward good teachers by cutting their teaching hours. Academics see teaching (all exceptions admitted) as dirty work, similar to playing one-night stands for musicians: after you've paid your dues, learned your craft, why bother with cheap honky tonks when you can play Nashville? Scholarly achievement—"publish or perish"—is an axiom in higher education. It isn't easy to put this in the proper perspective. Thomas Cottle of MIT recalls how the "publishing imperative" reduced him to a comical figure haunted by the threat that someone might publish more than he.

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drunk, carry no weight. Young scholars who take this seriously are naive. Here is an excerpt of a letter from then, professor of business, to Dr. Suresh Desai, dean of the school of business administration, denouncing Amar’s efforts to contribute to the college administration, deriding Amar’s efforts.

"...as you well know, Dr. Amar volunteers for all kinds of assignments to window-dress his Form B..."

Long-range contributions to the department, simply put, are a matter of luck and timing. If you require tenure in a department where, say, 70 percent of the professors already have tenure, forget it. The MSC policy statement on tenure decisions speaks plainly on this issue. The report made two recommendations for improving the selection process:

1) Inform new faculty members as to the standards of performance required for success. A realistic appraisal of the tenure possibilities should be made annually with candidates, considering both enrollment trends and the ratio in each department.

2) Pay greater attention to the section of the recommendation form entitled "contributions to the plans of the department." Recommendations here must show that the particular individual fits into enrollment patterns and into the numbers of tenured faculty in the department. Still, these requirements should not be taken seriously because, as pointed out earlier, they are used to justify actions most would consider unjustifiable. Here is an example taken from Amar’s annual evaluation:

E. In what significant way will this appointment contribute to the long-range plan of the department?

"Dr. Amar’s continued growth and series of accomplishments is a credit to the department. We expect that if this trend continues he will become a leading senior member of the department."

That was 1980. The next year, under the same category, his peers wrote:

"Dr. Amar has rare talents of being able to teach courses in both areas in finance and quantitative methods. He is also very interested in conducting research in the related fields. His continued service is needed to enhance our curriculum and improve the quality of teaching."

At this point, dean, of the School of Business Administration, Dr. Suresh Desai, joined the chorus:

"It is the general consensus of all—students, colleagues and department chairperson—that Dr. Amar’s teaching effectiveness can be rated as very good or excellent. He brings impressive credentials—engineering, finance and quantitative methods. His rare ability to teach courses in both areas, finance as well as quantitative methods, has been alluded to by the department chairperson."

His expertise in the area of production is extremely valuable to the School of Business Administration. Inadequate exposure to production within the required course work of business majors was one of the deficiencies cited by the AACSB in its response to MSC’s application for accreditation in 1980. His work, which is consulting in focus is also on the problems of production and technological change. His active participation in various professional organizations is indicative not only of his professional growth, but of the recognition he brings to the department.

Here’s what they wrote about Amar after he committed an indiscretion:

"...in what significant way will this appointment contribute to the long-range plans of the department?"

Amar’s peers responded:

"We feel reservations about his long-range potential contribution to the department in the areas of:

1) relations with colleagues
2) capacity to handle interactions from senior faculty members
3) lack of documentation of advanced training in finance, especially beyond the undergraduate level
4) his full-time academic experience

Note how the last two charges provide cover so that the president can act on the first."

See Tenure p. 21
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Student Center Main Floor
Comedians leave 'em laughing

By John Connolly and Denise Newman

"Last night I dreamt that all the babies prevented by the pill showed up...boy were they mad," said Steve Wright, one of three performers at Club's first annual young comedian show held Monday night in Memorial Auditorium.

The contrasting styles of Harry Anderson, Steve Wright and Bob Nelson formed a superb trio that won the near-sellout crowd's laughter. Anderson, although he headlined the show, is well-known for his portrayal of a man on NBC's "Cheers," failed to be the main attraction. Nelson's pure energy performance and insane humor seemed to be the favorite of the audience. Wright, with his calm exterior and laid back delivery, bombarded the crowd with his unique brand of comedy. "My ultimate goal is to kill someone with laughter," confessed Nelson following the performance. He feels that energy is the key to his style. "I want to do so much, but I can't do more than my body will let me."

Nelson did a variety of creative skits including The Dance of the Joyous Moose, and The Morning Song, during which he managed to get the audience to sympathize with an imaginary baby duck. Crazy, bizarre, and perpetual motion are words that could describe Nelson's brilliant act.

Wright told the stage in casual, average attire, which closely matched his personality. He overwhelmed the crowd with his subtle and quick, running off one-liners such as "If I didn't know you, you would think I was a street person." He developed his straightforward, serious delivery because he said that as a child he was so afraid to give oral reports in school that he presented them without facial expressions. He received positive feedback from this style and incorporated it into his act.

During his act, Wright told of how he mapped in calculus anthropology, which is the study of milkmen. One of his friends is a radio announcer and when he walks under a bridge you can't hear him talk. "One morning, I woke up and everything in my apartment was replaced with an exact replica. I couldn't believe it." Wright said, "So I woke up my roommate and told him about it. He said, 'Do I know you?'

Harry Anderson used gimmicks and illusions to dazzle the audience. He proved the hand is definitely quicker than the eye. Using the audience throughout his act, the young comedian (he's actually over 30) received a great deal of applause for his sarcastic humor. His humor was often directed at the crowd with such remarks as "I hope your kids have buck teeth!" and "wake up and smell the toast burning." Anderson was glad to be at MSC, calling it "the gateway to Presea." Anderson combined both straightforward and forward jokes and visual humor in his nothing short of hilarious routine. His skills ranged from dropping his trousers, to explaining a magic trick, to sticking a needle through his arm. He said it best after he followed Koval's introduction. He adjusted the microphone to his height, he said, "Let me move this to an adult level."

Steve Wright (left) delivers a one liner. Harry Anderson (right) performs a trick he learned from "Wild Bill," a carnival geek.

Photo by Kim Squatrito

SGA election committee chair censured for removing posters

By Dianne Seabo

A vote to make Lisa DiBisegile, chairperson of the SGA election committee, step down from her position, failed at last night's SGA meeting. The grievance pertained to the tearing down of Howard Leon's campaign posters by DiBisegile. After a three hour debate, the legislature voted to censure DiBisegile for the action.

Bill Solomon, NJSA representative, reported that a pre-recorded debate between Pete Connelly, NJSA president, and Gerald Solomon, author of the Solomon Amendment, will be broadcast on WRFM on Sat. April 24. The Solomon Amendment would prevent any male who has not registered for the draft from receiving financial aid for college.

Solomon said, "The Solomon Amendment was voted unconstitutional by the Minnesota Supreme Court, and the US Supreme Court in turn, issued a temporary injunction against the bill in all states until the ruling is appealed."

Mark Spinelli, SGA president, said that the SGA would have to form an ad-hoc committee in order to prepare plans for the 75th anniversary of MSC. All Class I Organizations are asked to participate in the celebration with promotional activities.

Through a consensus vote, the organizations of Alpha Phi Omega, Jewish Student Union and the conservation club were granted permanent offices on the fourth floor of the Student Center. The MSC marching band was granted temporary office space.

Jim Caci, another donor, and a freshman business major said, "I knew people were in need of blood and since I was able to give, why not."

Dean DeJice, president of APO, said the blood drives are only one of the major events APO sponsors. "We support a foster child, run food drives, bake sales and a used book store."

Contribution given to accounting program

The Accounting Education Fund received a $500 contribution from the law firm of Robert DePiro, Partner, Marwick and Mitchell of Short Hills.

The presentation was held on Wednesday, April 13 at the Montclair Country Club in West Orange. The contribution will be deposited in the fund, which is used for the promotion of the accounting program at MSC.

Compiled by John Connolly, Mona Sehgal and Celeste Cafaeso
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*note: This is a problem of logic, not theology.

*award: Whoever gets it right wins a free deluxe pizza. ONLY those who never heard of the problem or a similar one are eligible. We trust you.

The answer will be announced Thursday, April 28, at Chi Alpha and May 5 in the Montclarion. Chi Alpha meets at 7 p.m. on Thursdays on the fourth floor of the Student Center.
Greg Kihn rocks sell-out crowd at Memorial Auditorium

By CC Ryder

It takes an exceptional group of musicians to succeed as a warm-up band; serving the audience a tasty appetizer of music before the major act comes on stage. Greg Kihn could not have asked for two more qualified groups of musicians than John Eddie and the Front Street Runners and Robert Ellis Orrall to open for his performance last Wednesday night in Memorial Auditorium. The diversity of both these performers helped to create an immediate excitement among the sold-out crowd, which built to explosions by the time Greg Kihn and his band hit the stage.

With two guitarists, a drummer, and an organist backing him, John Eddie took hold of his audience and never let go. The energy that this band produced got the crowd so loose, that dancing in the aisles became a ritual by the end of their set. With an obvious Dave Edmunds influence in both sound and vocals, John Eddie swiveled, rocked, and ground his way into the audience's hearts. His performance was a complete show-stopper, especially when he belted out such rockers as "Sweet Little Sixteen," and some of his own music. This band was tight and sure of themselves, and they proved this by delivering 100 percent of fun music that was sweet and hot.

Robert Ellis Orrall invested in the crowd's energy and it paid off. The strong pulsating sound of this musician was just another delicious delight for the audience to savor. Backed by superb musicians, Orrall sang such songs as "Senseless," "Facts and Figures," and the more popular, "Uh Oh Song." His variety of music and stage antics kept the audience in a good mood, which was not easy considering John Eddie was a hard act to follow.

Wearing jeans, sneakers, and that clean-cut, all-American look, Greg Kihn took center stage and delivered one of the best shows Class One Concerts has brought to MSC this year. Opening with "Fascinations" off his last album Kihnspiracy, Greg Kihn gave the audience a quality performance when his diverse talent made its way up to the surface.

Kihn chose a repertoire which included such hits as "They Don't Write 'Em Like That Anymore," "Happy Man," and "Testify." Kihn's vocals were superb, especially when he performed such songs as "Curious," and "Can't Stop Loving You," which were filled with fantastic lead and bass guitar solos by Greg Douglas and Steve Wright, respectively.

Greg Kihn took a risk by including music by other groups. He performed "For Your Love," by the Yardbirds, "Just My Imagination" by the Temptations, a Rolling Stones tune called "Dance Little Sister," and "Road Runner," by Modern Lovers. His spontaneous rendition of these songs enabled him to reach new heights as a musician and as a performer.

There was no limit to his body movements. He was full of energy as he danced around the stage. During his encore, which came too quickly, Kihn slipped into his version of "I Fall To Pieces," an old fifties tune. It was a perfect ending to a perfect show. His performance was so hot that the air in Memorial Auditorium was still sizzling hours after the show was over and the doors were closed.

Photos by Barbara Bell
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—Folk Group: Sponsored by the Newman Community at 3 p.m. in the Newman Center.

—Public Relations Meeting: This meeting, sponsored by WMSC-FM, will be held from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. in the Student Center Annex, Room 110. All are welcome. Come join the fun!

**Fri., April 22**

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—WMSC: General membership meeting will be held at 1 p.m. in the Newman Center.

—Anorexia Workshop: This workshop, sponsored by the Drop-In Center, will be presented by Dr. Susan Kirsch at 2 p.m. in the Student Center, Room 419. For additional information call the Drop-In Center at 893-5271.

—Supper: Join the Newman Community for a wine and cheese party at 5 p.m., with guests from Trenton State College and Young Adults from Carteret. Pizza will follow at 6:30 p.m. There is a $5 admission price.

**Tues., April 26**

—Earthday '83: This daylong festivity sponsored by the Conservation Club will present many exhibits, films, games and lectures. It will be held from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. in Student Center Ballrooms A, B, and C and in the Student Center Annex, Room 126.

—Good Works: “The Helping Professions & You!” This discussion on information concerning positions in “helping agencies” will be presented from 1 to 2 p.m. by Career Services in the Student Center Annex, Room 206.

—La Campana: All members intending to participate in Marching Band next season is invited to attend this meeting at 4 p.m. in Richardson Hall, Room W-117. For more information contact Prof. Gideon Nettler at 893-4294/5132.

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—Job Group: This series of on-going group sessions designed for intensive job hunting will be held from 1 to 3 p.m. by Career Services in the Student Center Annex, Room 206.

—Conservation Club: General meeting will be concerned with planning Earthday '83, from 2 to 3 p.m. in the purple conference room on the fourth floor of the Student Center.

—Film: “The Workplace Hustle” sponsored by housing runs from 7:30 to 9 p.m. in the Bohn Hall Lounge. Admission is free.

**Thurs., April 28**

—Meeting: Anyone interested in participating in Marching Band next season is invited to attend this meeting at 4 p.m. on the fourth floor of the Student Center, Meeting Rooms 1 and 2.

—Lectures: “Developments in Telecommunications,” by Prof. Edward Jang, MSCColloquium sponsored by the Dept of Math & Computer Science at 3 p.m. in Richardson Hall, Room W-117. For more information contact Prof. Gideon Nettler at 893-4294/5132.
Judgments... represents by far the most bational period, though, is that it leaves the police are doing a fine job, while the brutality... subscribed to. A true responsible professoriat would be taking steps to make sure the firings are just, not just a disguised form of academic suppression. But instead of facing reality, they threatened to strike. What can a strike accomplish? The only way to protect academic freedom is to leave tenure intact. This can be accomplished by magically transforming the demographic reality, or by reducing faculty size until a practical student-faculty ratio exists. If business continues to slump, there will have to be laid off fewer and fewer... but not unjust. The firings will be unjust only if the faculty allows them to be. And the way they're going now, they might be unfair to the company as a whole to keep them on. Teachers need to spend a little time on the other side of the tracks and see how the working stiffs live.

The truth of the matter is that a good portion of the faculty should be fired. anything less would amount to the dough. a tweed-jacketed boondoggle. A truly responsible professoriat would be taking steps to make sure the firings are just, not just a disguised form of academic suppression.

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**DRINKING BEER IS LIKE PUTTING TOGETHER A BASKETBALL TEAM. START OFF WITH A COUPLE OF TALL ONES.**

Red Auerbach
Golf team takes second loss from Ramapo

The undefeated Ramapo golf team was almost handed its first loss since May 12, 1979, and its first conference loss since April 18, 1977, when the tough MSC golfers came within one stroke of overcoming the only team in the conference to have scored 394, Indians 395.

Despite cold weather conditions and winds up to 30 miles per hour, both teams had fine performances, with 80 strokes being the highest score of the day.

The Indians kept up stroke for stroke, except in the contest between Mike Knight of MSC and Barry Evans of Ramapo. Evans edged Knight out by one stroke with 80. and Jim Shubert scored an 81.

Taking second place in the MSC conference was not achieved by McCormick, as he had a good day with 77 strokes, followed by Knight with 74, Shubert with 75, Martino with 78 and Jim Shubert scored an 81.

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Other MSC scores came in the second half. Kevin Oxley and Bruce Murray scored two apiece and Pet Judge scored one.

The game lowered the Indians' record to 3-4.

Golfers sweep last three

The MSC golf team swept their last three matches to bring their overall record to 6-2, their only losses being to Ramapo State College.

Last Tuesday, MSC took on Kean College in what turned out to be an easy contest for the Indian golfers. MSC romped to a 367-444 victory.

Men's lacrosse falls to Rutgers, 35-6

The men's lacrosse team took a devastating defeat last Wednesday at the hands of Rutgers University, Rutgers, led by Chris Hefferman, who scored six of Rutgers' goals, won the game quite handily by a score of 35-6.

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Long jumper Clark qualifies

MSC freshman Harold Clark qualified for the NCAA Division III Track and Field Championships in the long jump.

Clark jumped 23'6" to qualify and earn a second place in the long jump event. Jim Wardle of Widener edged Clark out by an inch to win the event. Clark was also a part of the winning 400-meter relay team, joining Tony Fleming, Joe Banaciski, and Ed Chavis, to clock 45 seconds flat. Earlier this month Clark had qualified for the nationals in the 200-meter dash.

The Division III nationals will be held in Naperville, Ill., from May 23 to May 28.

Temple (11-0) won the meet with 91 points, Widener (6-3) took second with 53 points, and MSC (0-4) took third with 42 points.

Other MSC winners in the meet were freshman Andrew Ellis, in the shot put event, throwing 45'8". Mark Burroughs, who took the javelin event with a 137'6" discus throw to take first for the Indians. Mark Griffin's 173'4" javelin throw was good enough for second place behind teammate Burroughs, and Daniel Wiggins' 16:01.9 in the 5,000-meter run earned him second place.

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After a lot of throwing and batting, the number of men was narrowed down to 18, including Andy. The players then played a game against each other and afterwards were asked if they were going on to college. "If you go to college they really don't do much about it anymore for a while. If they ask me to try out again after college, I want to give it a shot," Andy said. The team's record is now 2-3-1. Due to the bad weather of late, the team has had some games postponed. "The biggest thing we need right now is the chance to play some games," Giancola said.
Tennis team gains three straight, Villanova ends streak by one point

By John DelGuercio

The men's tennis team defeated New York University by a close score of 6-4, and 4-6, and 6-1, to give MSC the victory.

In the singles matches, the two teams split two decisions apiece Lawrence Davidson, Tom Leslie, and Randy Stein gained the wins for the Indians. Lawes won 6-0, and 6-3, Leslie won 6-1 and 6-1, and Stein went to three sets, 4-6, 7-5, and 6-1, for the victory.

The doubles victory was won by Lawrence Davidson and Leslie. Last Tuesday the team traveled to Mahwan to play Ramapo College for a match MSC won with little difficulty. After losing the first singles match, MSC went to sweep the rest to take an 8-1 victory.

Lawes, Leslie, Stein, and Staunton were the victors for MSC in singles. Leslie had the best performance, shutting out his opponent, 6-0 and 6-0.

In doubles matches the Indians took all three victories. Davidson and Leslie won 10-5, Lawes and Stein won 10-3, and Russell and Staunton won 10-5. NJITs best effort was against Villanova Monday. Russell joined Joe Staunton for their record is 7-2 overall and 4-0 in the conference.

The talent of the MSC Junior varsity baseball team is ever apparent at their games—where the action and excitement are abundant.

At one point, in a game against William Paterson College (WPC), the team was down 7-2. The Indians' Tim Jones hit a three-run homerun that made the score 7-5. Later in the game a player from WPC hit a homerun. The score now was 8-5. When the Indians came up and Jones came to bat, he belted another three-run homerun that made the score 8-8. MSC's Chip Sgro, a freshman infielder, hit a grand slam homerun that made the final score 12-8. No one could ask for more action than that and no one could ask for a better team.

Although the team lost their first two games to Ocean County College (OCC) (9-2) and Brookdale County College (14-2), they have beaten their big rivals WPC, twice. Also have tied with Princeton University. Coach Rich Giancola feels that, "Our players are as good as the players on Ocean County College and Brookdale. In the two games we lost we made 16 errors. We've given up so many runs so early, that we are always playing catch-up baseball. We can keep our mistakes to a minimum, we could play even with anybody.

The Indian laxmen crushed the Drew University Rangers Monday with an impressive 20-3 victory. Although the Rangers were looking for a win after defeating Stevens Tech last week, the Indians out-played and out-hustled Drew to take the win with ease.

The Rangers opened the game by scoring in the first few minutes of play. The Indians were unphased by the quick goal and came back with three by Jerry Jacob, Jerry White, and Bruce Murray. Murray scored again a few minutes later with Jacob and Sal Guastella adding to the Indians' growing lead. Drew closed the period with a goal and wasn't heard from again until the second half.

The Indian laxmen shut-out Drew in the second period picking up four more goals by White, Strazza, and two from Kurt Sahstrom. Tough defense by John Gafa, John Lamela, and Steven Sona, as well as fine goal tending by Steve Dudask and Mike Rhodes kept the Rangers scoreless, ending the half with a dominating 12-2 score in favor of the Indians.

The third period brought Drew's last goal of the game and Murray's third for the Indians making the score 13-3. Goals by White, Sahstrom, Jacob, Guastella, and Andy Brown put the Indians over the top.

At one of Andy's games in high school a scout from the Detroit Tigers was there watching someone else. In that game Andy hit two homeruns and a single. Two weeks later the scout saw Andy and went to Andy's coach asking for more information about him. He

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