The convocation series of Marian College will present its fourth presentation, "Synesthesia"—February 27—in Marian Hall Auditorium. "Synesthesia" is a multi-media concert that features the talents of photographer Chick and his wife, Anne, to bring home the victory. Marian narrowly won with 75 to 71, respectively. The National Ignition Project holds on to bring home the victory. Marian will present its fourth Multi-media program next on convocation list.

BY BOB MELEVIN

Rolling into the month of February, the Marian Knights looked ready and able to turn a disappointing start into a successful season. If this was to be the turning point, then Marian had to start off with a win on the road against Franklin.

The effort by the Knights proved not to be enough as they fell prey to Franklin, 90-82. Marian was paced by Stan Benge with 21, Brian Wallace with 18, and Andy Krakowski with 17.

On the very next night, a tired Marian team took on Ohio Northern University. In hopes of revenge over a loss to O.N.U. a year ago, the game turned sour as Marian took another one in the loss column, 80-73.

Taking a full week off, the Knights prepared for the next contest with Indiana State University. This time, victory eluded their grasp in the last minutes of the game.

Energy conservation needs help
BY MARK GATTO

Energy consumption at Marian College is measured by the amount of total energy consumed, consumption with the amount of degree days. A degree day is the difference between 65 degrees and the daily mean temperature, when that temperature is less than 65 degrees.

Through January 31, the amount of degree days of this year has been less than last year, yet energy consumption has increased in three out of four areas. This is despite an additional $17,000 which has been spent in an effort to improve the heating efficiency of the systems on campus.

During a recent meeting of the college's building and grounds committee, it was mentioned that something must be done about these increases through a combined effort of students, faculty and staff members. The institution is doing its part, but this is not enough.

Three types of energy are supplied to fill the needs of the buildings on campus. These are:

- fuel oil, natural gas and electricity.
- An increase in all three areas has been registered over that of last year.
- The Student Activity Center, Stokely Music Building, Admissions Center and the Physics and Art Annexes are all heated by natural gas. During the period from September through January, last year, 41,981.100 cubic feet of natural gas was consumed. This year, that figure has risen to 50,605-100 cubic feet, a substantial increase.
- Electricity is used in Doyle Hall, the Library and the Sisters' residence and consumption is again up. Last year 2.1 million kilowatt hours were consumed compared to this year's 2.3 million kilowatt hours.

Two queens reign at Sweetheart's Ball

Last February 14th, students attending the annual Sweetheart's Dance witnessed the crowning of, not one, but two Sweetheart's queens. The voting taken earlier in the day brought Donna Bruns and Debbie Stoll as the new "Sweethearts of 1974-75".

Donna is a junior from Millhausen, Indiana. Her major is biology and she enjoys horseback riding and playing the guitar. Debbie is a sophomore from here in Indianapolis. Her major is business administration. She enjoys ice skating and piano playing.

The two girls will co-reign and return next year to crown the new queen, or perhaps another multiple crowning.
Financial crunch

A great deal of concern has covered this spacious campus as of late about one of the most serious dilemmas confronting small colleges today, i.e. students, or lack of them. Here at Marian, I feel that lack of students has apparently brought about a severe financial crisis which has caused, and will cause, many cutbacks that affect the way we, the students, live and are educated. Various solutions have been offered to remedy this problem, ranging from a student, faculty, administration recruiting drive for prospective students, to cutting back on faculty.

Consequently, I propose, excuse me if I am leaving some out. The cutback of faculty is one that should be avoided if at all possible, mainly because diversity of the ideas brought forth by the faculty is an essential component of any educational institution. Also, the unemployment lines are already too long to add any more bodies.

The other proposal, recruitment, is one which would produce better results. In order for students to recruit others, the students themselves must be satisfied. It is essential for students to explain further what I mean.

I am not a student of students, I mean not only students, but faculty and administrators. Since everyday life is a learning experience, all three groups should be open to new ideas and realize their own mistakes. The student who breaks the rules of the college must be willing to accept his or her mistake; the teacher must admit mistakes made, and the administration must give just a little to avoid stagnation of their relationship between themselves, the faculty and the students.

Students must be given a greater voice in the college decision-making, because, as in "Carbon," who knows better the mood of the students than the students themselves? In order to gain this voice, we the students must begin to show greater responsibility in our own actions. Here are some suggestions.

First, an institutional voice, we the students must begin to show greater responsibility in our own actions. The student must be open to new ideas and realize their own mistakes. The student who breaks the rules of the college must be willing to accept his or her mistake; the teacher must admit mistakes made, and the administration must give just a little to avoid stagnation of their relationship between themselves, the faculty and the students.

Finally, an institution for the students. This is the area where the administration should work the hardest. If there is the feeling that the Dean and the President are "out to get" everybody, and I'm feeling that the administration is present, there will be a great deal of dissatisfaction. RA policing actions should be minimal and the students' personal lives should be respected. Any request for the RA to be in the room of a student, unannounced, is heard as a heart-wrenching with what has been written. If you do, let your disagreement be known. Maybe you will be able to come up with an acceptable solution to the problem state, that is, lack of students. The important thing, however, is to keep the channels of communication open.

—Steve Whitsett

EDITORIALS

Parking signs needed

Recently I parked my car in the SAC parking lot in a space I had been accustomed to using for the past two and one-half years. When I went to leave, a warning ticket had been given to me, stating that I was parked in an unauthorized area in front of a building.

Knowing that a warning is no great offense, I was not too upset. However, I called the Department of Public Safety and was told by a student that had received a warning for that. After consulting Carol Bean and Ron Schmoll, I discovered two reasons for the warning.

First, it is required by law that, when parking, there must be an absence of yellow lines directly in front of the Art Annex. The driveway to the SAC parking lot is wide enough to accommodate parked cars and leave plenty of room for vehicles to pass. In the past years, there have been lines there. The lack of lines was not an oversight. Rather, they have been purposely omitted, thereby making it illegal to park there. Thus, for offense, it is stated in the Student Handbook that cars will not be permitted to park except where yellow lines are painted and / or where signs indicate that it is permissible.

The second reason for the warning again refers to the space not lined. The area is needed for the oil truck to turn around in when it comes to make its delivery. Since I received my warning, on February 13, I have noticed cars parked in that same area, perhaps to be warned of the infraction. It is my understanding that the area was painted for safety and convenience.

Here we draw on the main problem. These people apparently do not know that it is an illegal parking area. Warnings are not given out often enough to warn these people, nor would they know without the warnings, due to a lack of a No Parking sign there.

I am willing to observe the parking laws and I hope these other drivers will. I hope by this article I believe that a sign should be placed in front of the Art Annex to validate the No Parking area. This will help clarify legal parking areas and prevent warnings and fines.

—Stacy Vereen

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Greeings! I bet you think I've decided to give up gossiping for Lent—certainly not! Well, in fact a group of names has been reported to me, I decided to tell this story in their honor. As salty tears were shed on the paper, I must relate to you one of the biggest tragedies of Phoenix history—Well, one of our staff spies finished off the Tequila and the Richter scale, it's a wonder.

If last week's Tanglewood party is any indication of gossip to come, I'll bet for the semester. Contrary to popular belief, the Tanglewood Club house is still standing; after all the vibes, Beach Boys, boogie, and the rules are slightly changed. It can depend entirely on these students. We need a plan to teach after graduation. Those particular Marian students who have pursued the rigorous teaching requirements over the past four years are at the point now where they can put to practice all of the methods and instructions they have received from those who have tried to prepare them for the classroom. As it has been a long listening effort, and a big effort to teach, even though student teaching is a two-fold process. The entire job of teaching, but that will only be known after not just student teaching, but actual teaching.

For right now, it's the idea of getting to teach. The students who have majored in both secondary and elementary education classes, the grades they will probably end up teaching, but that will only be gotten after not just student teaching, but actual teaching. Most of them are anxious and also nervous, but student teaching is the right step to achieving adaptability, and more than anything else, a test of patience and composure. If they can master those previously-mentioned qualities, their future as teachers has a very good outlook.
Hoosier Hysteria. There are 411 high schools in the state who will participate in the hysteria during the next three weeks. This weekend, these high schools will be sectionalized into 64 sectional areas around the state.

For Marian Knight fans who might still long for a good game, since our Knights have finished their season, there are several sectional sets nearby. Fans might also keep track of their alma mater to see if they will come back to town March 22 to vie for the state championship.

The city sectional will be held at Hinkle Fieldhouse at Butler University. Arsenal Tech High School will be sponsoring that sectional. Students can attend the Ben Davis, Brownsburg, Southport and Indianapolis sectionals will participate at the Hinkle regional site.

The winners of the regionals are affectionately named the "Sweet 16." On March 15, these winners will participate in the four semi-state contests. These will be held at Evansville, Fort Wayne, Lafayette and Hinkle Fieldhouse. On March 22, at the Market Square Arena in downtown Indianapolis, the four remaining teams will be paired in two matches in the afternoon, with the game between those two winners that night. That is when the hysteria is at its zenith; after three weeks of tense waiting, one school from those 411 participating will be the Indiana State Basketball Champ.

**Talents Search '75**

**Audition and Interview Schedule**

**Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania** - Fri., February 25, 1975
Cambridge Marion University, Student Activities Center Interviews - 3:00 P.M. Auditions - 4:00 P.M.

**Indianapolis, Indiana** - Sun., March 2, 1975
Steele's Indiana Ave. Balham Interviews - 3:00 P.M. Auditions - 4:00 P.M.

**Cincinnati, Ohio** - Turs., March 4, 1975
Steele's Cincinnati Inn, Brown Room Interviews - 4:00 P.M. Auditions - 5:00 P.M.

**Detroit, Michigan** - Thurs., March 6, 1975
Pardee Pavilion, 229 W. Jefferson Auditions - 11:00 A.M.

**Sandsky, Ohio** - Sat., March 8, 1975
Union East of Sandusky, Sandusky Point Centennial Theatre Interviews - 10:00 A.M. Auditions - 11:00 A.M.

**Sanidas, Ohio** - Sun., March 9, 1975
Union West of Sandusky, Point Centennial Theatre Interviews - 10:00 A.M. Auditions - 11:00 A.M.

More musical talent will be shown at another senior recital which will take place next Saturday, March 1, 1975. Constance Hardy and Leonard Petcavage will both illustrate their musical abilities on the piano. Len will also demonstrate his vocal talent. The recital will open with two double piano numbers from "Petite Suite" by Debussy. Connie and Len will also close with a double piano selection entitled "Malaguena" by Lecuona. Connie will play various selections by Beethoven, Bartok, and Khatchaturian, while Len will sing vocal selections from Handel and Mozart. The recital will be held at Stokely Music Hall at 7:30 p.m. A reception will be held after the recital so that the audience will have the opportunity to meet the performers.
Young alumni offer job-hunting hints

In an effort to maximize the opportunities available to the Class of 1975 concerning the channels available to them following graduation, the Alumni Association will present a seminar Friday, Feb. 28, from 2:30 to 4:30 p.m.

This program will be entitled "The Challenge of Change" and will hope to exhibit to seniors the best methods of searching for employment.

The seminars will be broken down into four categories and all seniors are encouraged to attend. Following is a list of the groupings and panels involved. It is hoped that the seniors will take advantage of this extraordinary opportunity and attend these seminars.

Job interview schedule listed

The following companies will have representatives on campus on these dates to interview students for employment.

**March 11 (Tuesday)** - Procter & Gamble, 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Sales
March 12 (Wednesday) - Farm Bureau Insurance, Louis Gudino, 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Claims, General Business and Liberal Arts, Program Analysis, Math
March 13 (Thursday) - Ludlow Realty, 9 a.m. to 12 noon, Sales
March 21 (Friday) - William H. Block Co., 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Management Trainee

Go to the Student Services Office to sign up for an interview time.

You should have at least four resumes on file before interviewing. Recent job openings are listed in the Placement Office.

**BUSINESS, ACCOUNTING** [Room 308]

- John Yaney '72
- General Accounting Supervisor
- Jim Leugers '74
- Cost Accountant, Kawneer Corp.
- Hank Richardson '74
- Staff Accountant, Irwin-Katz & Co.

**Jerry Leugers '74**
- Public Relations, Pioneer Title Insur.

**Roger Branigan '73**
- Management, IHOP Inc.

- Tom Ewald '74
- Retail Management, North-eastway Club

- Chris Everett '73
- Marketing

- Jay Farrell '74
- Sales Rep, Procter & Gamble Co.

**EDUCATION [Room 11]**

- Barbara Moll Branigan '74
- Soscina Memorial High School Administrator

- Debby Yunker Hammen
- Junior High Science

- Mary Anne Binzel '74
- Immaculate Heart School

- T.A. Schiering '74
- Junior High Physical Education

- Kristine Dove Thoben
- St. Simon School

- Agnes Baca '74
- Little Flower School

- Dan Hayden '73
- Soscina Memorial High School

**SOCIOLOGY, PSYCHOLOGY** [Room 251]

- Barbara P Mile '74
- Probation Officer, Juvenile Court

- Karen Foley '74
- Occupational Therapy

- Pat Aracdy '74
- Student Personnel, Miami Univ.

- Merle Tebbe '74
- Student Personnel, Miami Univ.

- Tim Ellinger '73
- Caseworker, Criss-Center

- Cathy Bailey '74
- Work Adjustment Supervisor

- Goodwill Industries, Inc.

**Ruth Merkel gives presentation of math honors project**

"Network Theory and Topology" was the title of the honors presentation given by Ruth Merkel on Thursday, Feb. 27, at 12:30 p.m. in Room 214.

The presentation included the discussion of several principles of physics, along with the explanation of mathematical topics. Network theory refers to the concept of crossing a network without having to retrace any part of the network. Topology may be defined as the branch of mathematics dealing with material which may be distorted in appearance while retaining certain properties.

Ruth's presentation describes her completion of the Honors Program. Of the project, she said, "I think the project wasn't a bad idea because it gave me the opportunity to go into one topic of math that really interested me and that I wouldn't have gotten anywhere else."

After her graduation from Marian in May, Ruth plans to teach high school math.

**Energy**

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recorded in one significant area, that of water consumption. An average shower uses 64 gallons of water at a cost of about 19 cents, equally divided between the actual water cost and the cost of heating it. With the installation of new shower heads, this cost has been cut in half. Total consumption of water is down from 14,258-100 cubic feet last year, to 11,668-100 cubic feet this year.

Students, faculty, staff and all should cooperate to help diminish the increasing consumption of energy. All four areas should be decreased, noting that the present decrease in water consumption had nothing to do with individuals. Volunteer measures and personal sacrifices are needed.

Most measures are purely common sense, but are being neglected. Turning off unused lights, closing windows and doors to keep heat in, taking shorter showers and cutting running water time are just a few measures that each individual can practice to help do his or her part.

If all do not participate now, all will pay in the long run.
Ball game is over' for senior cheerleader

BY CATHY LOUGH

After nine years of pom poms and saddle shoes, the ball game is over. Miss Patricia Baumer, a physical education major, from Centerville, Ind., will complete nine years of cheerleading at the close of the present basketball season. Miss Baumer became a cheerleader for the first time in eighth grade. In high school, she was on the junior varsity and varsity squads. Presently, she is completing her fourth year of college cheerleading and will be the only cheerleader that will not return.

"My training is a result of practice, summer camps and contests," stated Miss Baumer when she was asked about her background. Throughout the years, she participated in these activities in order to keep up with the style and trends of cheerleading.

"My liking for sports and my college major are two interests which keep me involved in cheerleading," she said.

Miss Baumer's goals, as a cheerleader, are to give the team support and to initiate school spirit. After nine years of dedication, she does not intend to stop fulfilling these goals. She intends to carry her objectives further by teaching physical education in high school.

"I would enjoy counseling a high school cheerleading squad or drill team," states Miss Baumer. She feels by becoming a moderator of a cheerleading squad, that she can share ideas on cheerleading. Miss Baumer also has the desire to be a counselor at a summer cheerleading camp. By this, she can keep physically fit and teach present cheerleaders the tricks of the trade.

The ball game might be over, but the cheerleader of nine years feels she has achieved her goals. She has kept physically fit, and she has supported numerous teams, whether they saw victory or defeat. "When playing goes, it doesn't matter if you win or lose, it's how you play the game," Miss Baumer said.

The key to the game lies in their consistent outside shooting and elimination of the "Wazuri" fast break, a task that only two teams have accomplished thus far.

In my book is considered a toss-up, we find the "Mother Truckers Revival" going head to head with the "Ladies Choice" at 12 noon. The "Fargos" have vastly improved with the addition of 6'3" center Russ Pawlik at mid-season, and cannot be cut out for them in their quarter-final bout.

Opposing the "Wazuri" five at 3 p.m. will be a promising group of freshmen in "The Perc." Led by 6'4" center Joe Mastredonato and 6'0" forward Dan Holzhauzen, "The Perc" will definitely have their work cut out for them in their quarter-final.