Student Senate Elections

By Jim Leininger

It's election time again. The candidates: Jessie Jackson? George Bush? Gary Hart? Wrong. Try names like Peter Hiller and Brian Mielke, Julie Godlewski and Amy Rolseth. Yes, the CSP Student Senate elections were this spring. There are no national conventions, no tax reform debates, and no sex scandals. Although these were not million dollar campaigns, the elections were important to CSP students.

The final elections took place on March 23-24th. The Student Senate Executive Board looks to be a well qualified group. Hiller defeated Brian Mielke for the office of the president, Dan Maser ran unopposed for the vice presidency. Julie Godlewski beat Amy Rolseth for the position of secretary, and Mike Cooper defeated Eric Johnson for the job of Student Senate treasurer.

Students participated in the election process more this year than they have in a long time. Incumbent President Ken Henke reported a very good student turn out at the election station. Henke saw this as a good step in increasing the student involvement at Concordia.

Although relatively small in scope, elections here at Concordia were not without a little drama. For the primary elections, Mielke was the only candidate for the presidency. All other nominees declined their nominations. However, according to Robert's Rules of Order, during primary elections, any candidate may be elected, even if he/she was not nominated. Hiller, during the primary elections, decided to run a "write in" campaign. Although he did not beat Mielke, Hiller did acquire enough votes to qualify for the final elections.

In the next month the old and new executive board will work together to make the transition as smooth as possible. "I am looking forward to a new and exciting year," said Hiller. "I feel very confident with all the elected executive board members and with God's help I'm sure we will have a very productive year. As of now we already are making plans for next year. I would like to encourage students and faculty to share their ideas and concerns with us."

Tuition Increases Again

By Krista Henning

Students attending CSP during 1988-89 will pay $6120 for tuition. This is an increase of $510, 9% of the current tuition.

The national average for increasing tuition at public and private colleges for 1988-89 is 8%. Even with the 9% increase Concordia will remain the lowest priced private college in the state.

The Rev. Robert DeWerff, Vice-president for College Relations, explains that costs for operating a college are high. "A student really only pays 66% of what it costs to be a student." The other 34% is provided by scholarships, donations, grants and government aid.

The tuition increase will be used to maintain the facilities at the college and to increase the salaries of faculty and staff members. Salary increases are the largest single item in a college's budget.

North Central Association for Accreditation recommended the college's reaccreditation this fall and suggested that Concordia raise their salaries. Using the North Central's formula, Concordia's salaries are currently below what they should be.

DeWerff expressed the need to provide people with competitive salaries in order to attract and maintain the best faculty and staff possible.

The tuition increase will also help the program budgets of different departments. Part of the budget will be used for making staff and faculty additions. Some of the additions include someone for the Dean of Faculty's office, a new faculty member in the communications and math / science area, and adding two or three people to the CSAL staff.

Renovations in Luther Hall, more computers, automated equipment, and expansion of office space are some of the areas that will receive funding for next year.

Minnesota House Approves $54-million Education Bill

By Kellie Baker

STATE CAPITOL, ST. PAUL, MN

"After four hours of floor debate, the MN House of Representatives unanimously approved supplemental budget and policy bill for K-12 public education on March 23.

Under the new policy, Minnesota school districts would receive $50 more-per pupil for the 1988-89 school year. "This is an across-the-board increase," said K. Nelson, DFL-Mpls. "Every school in Minnesota will get the same increase."

Besides increasing the per pupil aid, the new bill will:

* raise the compulsory attendance age from 16 to 18, beginning with the next fall's kindergartners;
* allow adults who dropped out of high school to return for their diplomas at state expense;
* require districts to set up individualized learning plans for teenage parents and pay transportation for these parents to and from their day care providers;
* permit school boards to offer community service, extended day and parental involvement programs;
* mandate AIDS prevention education;
* spell out guidelines for the State High School League and its operation, including audits, comparable worth and affirmative action requirements.

On the floor, the House amended the bill so that AIDS prevention programs would stress abstinence from sexual intercourse. It added a provision allowing schools to set up yearly programs on respect for the American Flag. And it gave parents, not the State High School League, the power to determine children's activities during the off season from school sports.

This bill will now go to the Senate for review."
More Parking for 1988-89

By Krista Henning
The problem of finding a parking space may not be quite as bad next year, but anyone who wishes to use a college parking lot will have to pay $20 per quarter starting September 1. Currently, Concordia is below the amount of parking required by St. Paul ordinance. To meet the law and the needs of staff, faculty and students, the college has been acquiring land for parking. The college has purchased the land between the soccer field and the First Animal Clinic. This land will be used for parking.

In order to help the college with the costs of buying property, tearing down buildings, and making the land ready for parking, the administration determined that the users will have to share in the costs. According to Dean Tesch, it costs over $2000 for each car space the college makes available. Those who park in the lots without paying the $20 fee per quarter will be ticketed and fined $10. This charge will be added to their account. Repeat abusers will be towed by a licensed tow truck and then have to work out the fee with the towing company.

Another change, will be the end of the secured parking lot. According to Tesch, this is all gait but its used because people decide to park elsewhere. In affect staff and people take up two parking spots. Not having a secured parking lot should open up additional parking spaces.

Temporary Employment Offers Good Way to Build Resume

By Kellie Baken

Countless college students have ventured nervously into their first job interview armed with resumes full of extracurricular activities and academic credentials.

To the untrained eye, the resumes are impressive, but more often than not, they prove inadequate to land a job. Why? Because they often lack the kind of business experience required by many employers.

"But how can I get experience if no one will hire me without it?" students have asked for generations.

Well, thanks to the shifting demographics and the widespread changes in large and small corporate staffing philosophies, many students are finding that temporary service firms are the answer to their need for experience.

The demand for temporary employees has soared, and the industry has problems on the supply side as well. The temporary service firms are the answer. "Temporary service companies simply can't find enough good people to fill the positions that are available," says Kristine McKibben, who manages the Roseville branch office of CDI Temporary Services, one of the country's leading firms. McKibben added, "We'd love to hear from as many college students as possible."

According to Paula Watkins, students are particularly wanted for employment with her firm during the summer. "Summer is a heavy vacation period when permanent employees are away, so we get a lot of calls for help for then."

The work that is available is varied, for example, CDI specializes in three areas: office services, marketing services, and light industrial work. Other firms have different specialties.

The temporary service firms do not charge students or other temporary employees a fee for finding them employment. And the firms pay well, certainly more than the traditional part-time jobs of college students.

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What's Happening to Centennial

By Krista Henning
Changes are taking place at Centennial Hall. Currently work is being done to remove the asbestos in the building and then the renovations will start, turning Centennial into a building for administrative offices. It was originally a dorm for students. In the past few years it has been used for student services including the offices of Dean Tesch and Sharon Krueger, are being moved into Centennial. "We hope to be into the unit in early July," said Tesch.

The primary purpose for the move is to open up office spaces in the administration building. According to Tesch, there are a lot of hallways that were used but there are seven new faculty people expected for the 1988-89 school year.

Renovations that are made in Centennial will not be structural changes. This will provide for the opportunity of turning Centennial back into a residential dorm if there is a need.

Tesch feels the situation is workable even though the location may be more inconvenient for some. "If we discovered after trying it that it is a severe handicap...we'd have to look at the move back."

Renovations in Centennial will include painting, carpeting some portions, putting in individual units for air conditioning the ground offices, and opening the building for computing.

Youth Gathering

By Angie Cairns
On May 6th and 7th, Concordia College will once again sponsor the annual Junior High Youth Gathering. This year's gathering is called "Hotline to Heaven." The youth are in the 7th and 8th grades from churches representing the five state area of Minnesota, North and South Dakota, Iowa and Wisconsin.

DCE student Matt Kuschel is in charge of this year's gathering under the direction of Dianne Lachmiller. Under Kuschel are a few chairpeople delegated to operate certain areas of the gathering. Heading worship are Matt Detmter, Andrea Harre, Paul Miller and Tom Nelson. Over music are Jane Accola and Vicki Stuber. In charge of recreation are Dean Frick and Bill Zuelsdorff. Chris Drager is head of public relations, Christine Ellison is in charge of counselors, Cindy Ellig over hospitality and Glenda Gerhardt is head of registration.

Aside from all these division leaders there are 45 Bible study leaders, 30 volunteer CSP counselors and 50 counselors in charge of individual youth groups from the various churches. Housing for youth will be provided in the gym and Union.

This year's youth gathering is promising to be one of the best ever. There are approximately 450 youth signed up for this gathering and some churches even had to be turned away. The agenda includes regular Bible studies of no more than 10 youth per group, listening to a special speaker, Cliff Winters (the played Isaiah during a national youth gathering in Washington D.C.), and meeting new friends together in a fun Christian atmosphere. The recreation activities that will be provided include games, sports, and swimming at Oxford pool.

With only a few weeks left before the eagerly awaited weekend, those in charge of this gathering are getting excited. Mark the days on your calendars -- May 6th and 7th. If you would like to help, we always appreciate in all areas of the gathering. If you think this is something you would enjoy, please talk to Matt Kuschel or the division head of the area you are interested in.
I'm Not an Aborted Woman

I recently sent a notice to be included in the Daily Bulletin, but it was never published. The notice was directed primarily to Lutherans for Life during the week that they ran items in protest of the Roe vs. Wade Supreme Court decision. However, I also want the wider Concordia community to be aware of my concerns. (This is not an announcement, although I used it in your recent Daily Bulletin announcements. I am a woman who had an abortion, I am not an aborted woman.

How shall I respond to your daily notices of grim statistics (often misleading) and graphic descriptions? Such pronouncements (not announcements!) fail to reach me, fail to reach out to me. Shall I excise my church's and my faith's living touches and Abortion may be the sixth leading cause of maternal death, however, childbirth is the first. You quote one statistic, but omit another in order to serve your purposes of intimidation and threat. What about the report that said some women experience "craziness?" What is that supposed to mean? Is it just another attempt to discredit women and their emotional stability? Craziness is not a clinical term, and your use of it is irresponsible.

Shall I put on a "scarlet A" so that my church can find another reason to exclude me from present or potential ministry? I challenge you to give me examples of single, pregnant women or single women with children born out of wedlock, whom the church has embraced and welcomed as professional church workers. Would the church be any more accepting of me if I publicly confessed my abortion? I doubt it.

Shall I punish myself with guilt--do you think that it's good/right that many women who have had abortions report nightmares and the like rather than expect you to respond as Christians with love and compassion, and the responsibilities given to professional church workers. Would the church be any more accepting of me if I publicly confessed my abortion? I doubt it.

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Shall I notice your lack of understanding, sensitivity, and compassion for the women who have made such a decision? Shall I accept your use of threat and fear and guilt and horror rather than expect you to respond as Christians with love and listening and care and grace? How do you demonstrate your "pro-lifeness" with respect to the life of the woman who is considering or who has had an abortion? I do not believe that Christ would have ever authored the notices that ran in the bulletin last January.

Sign me...a forgiven woman.

Only God Knows

Dear Editor,

Five days a week, twice on Monday and Tuesday, and once on Thursday and Thursday, chapel is offered at Concordia. The students on the campus know that it is not interesting, things during this time?

On Concordia campus, chapel is not a required class. If a person has something more important, they may do it. A paper may be due, some sleep needs catching up on, it's time for talking with friends, or perhaps the person does not believe in God. Nor do I believe in God, but I believe in God, on this.
Student Policies Committee
By Dan Maser

The Student Policies Committee (SPC) has been quite busy this past year. Serious consideration has been given to many of the college's policies. The SPC is a joint committee of the faculty and Student Senate comprised of six faculty members and three students.

The SPC is concerned with major school policies affecting students. These policies are referred to the SPC by students, the Student Senate, faculty, and administrators. The committees also work on matters which they themselves originate. Two of the hottest issues that the committees have worked on this past year have been the Substance Abuse Policy for athletes and the Disciplinary Review System.

The Substance Abuse Policy is in response to the National Athletic Intercollegiate Association (NAIA) requirements to satisfy the NAIA's requirement of drug screening, a survey that asks athletes to report their use/misuse of controlled substances. It has been implemented along with the proposed changes to the "Limited Testing Model." This requires urine testing only for post-season competition or if requested by the Substance Abuse Board on a referred student. The revised Substance Abuse Policy is now awaiting faculty approval.

The Disciplinary Review System was also given a serious look. Many proposed changes were reviewed and debated. One of the proposed changes that was voted down was the insertion of the following clause, "whether conduct occurs on the college campus or off campus." One of the major changes that was passed and will be implemented next year is the substituting of one Hearing Committee for the three that handle different violations (alcohol and controlled substances, visitations, and any other violations).

In addition, the SPC has also looked at quiet hours, library noise, student dress codes, and other Student Union sponsored programs. At the present, the committee is reviewing the 1988-89 Student Guide. A meeting to cover the Student Guide will be in the near future. If you or anyone you know has a question concerning a student policy whether it's Student Guide, parking, or any other student bank and campus wide smoking/non-smoking policy. At the last Student Union Board of Governors (SUBG) meeting it was decided that chewing tobacco products will no longer be allowed on Tier 2 of the Student Union. The reasoning behind this is that some people have been spitting their chew into the pool table pockets, into the water faucets, on the floor, and on the walls in the stairways. Penalties for the new policy include a five dollar fine for the first offense and a temporary loss of Student Union privileges if the problem continues.

If you have any questions or suggestions for an event, please feel free to contact a SPC member: Rhonda Behm, Kathy Fritz, or myself.

Vice President Report
By Brian Mielke

Another school year is quickly coming to an end. The Twins might repeat their winning streak and the Strikers are in first place. The 1988 Summer Olympics will take place this July in Seoul, South Korea. The Concordia Spring Fling Olympics will take place Friday, May 20, from 6:00 to about 8:30 p.m. It will be featuring a jello wrestling contest, an air-band contest, a pictionary contest, and many other events, so be sure to mark that date on your calendar.

The teams will be divided into dorm brother/sister floors, commuter team floors, commuter staff and local staff teams, and alumni teams. The prize will be a $100 pizza party. If you have any questions for an event, please feel free to either send it through inter-campus mail or talk to me personally.

Nursing Home Ministries
By Ed Accola and Chris Drager

A group of students feeling the need to make a difference in the lives of the elderly has formed a group called the Nursing Home Ministries (NHM) which is sponsored by Spiritual Life. The purpose of this group is to visit the elderly of Four Seasons Central (formerly Midway Manor) and spiritually encourage them in their everyday life within the confines of a nursing home setting.

Currently groups consisting of approximately five students go to the NHM either Ed Accola (#345), Kim Moritz (#448), Rob Krueger (#340), or Colleen Wilkinson (#401) walk to Four Seasons Central each Tuesday and Thursday. One of the group's goals is to expand to other homes in the area. A home in Minneapolis has contacted the group for them to share their ministry, possibly making this goal a reality.

The success of the group depends on its members. More members are needed to make this goal a reality. Contact any one of the leaders if you are interested.

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Former Baseball Coach Returns

By Stephen Krenz

Paul Roth is once again coaching baseball at CSP. He coached in 1978 and 1979 taking the baseball team to the National tournament in '78. Roth is thankful to be coaching baseball again at Concordia and he hopes to bring the program back to where it was when he left. Currently Roth teaches at De LaSalle High School where he is head of the Physical Education Department and assistant football coach.

The assistant baseball coaches for this year's team are Garret Kramer and Joel Schuesler. Kramer is Professor Roy Kramer's son and assistant volleyball coach at Concordia Academy. Schuesler is the Director of Administrative Computer Services at CSP.

The Comets began their season with a scrimmage against Carlton College in Northfield. The Comets were defeated in both games of the double header, both by a score of 5-7. The score does not reflect the fine pitching performance of Yahn, who pitched a complete game for the Comets. In the second game, the Comets captured the lead in the fifth inning and went on to win the game by a score of 7-5. Herrmann went the distance for the Comets by getting them out of a tough situation, preventing Northwestern from scoring in the sixth inning with bases loaded and no outs.

Coach Roth's squad had their first home game on the 9th of April against Viterbo. Snow was falling in the first game, but the conditions were good enough to play baseball. The Comets lost both games of the double header by scores of 2-11 and 0-15. Yahn and Herrmann pitched the first game. Herrmann had the only two RBI's (Runs Batted In) for the Comets. The Viterbo pitchers had a no-hitter until Chris Hahn hit a single in the sixth.

The Comets have five consecutive home games starting with Mount Senario on the 19th of April. "Our pitching has a ways to go," said Coach Roth. "We have got a good bunch of hard working guys who want to play ball and are willing to learn." 4.

Coach Tom Cross comments on the team's performance at practice.

Women's Tennis

By Diana Potratz

After only three days of official practice, the Concordia Women's Tennis Team opened its season with back to back meets. On Friday, April 8, the team traveled to Hamline where they handed the Comets a 9-0 loss.

On Saturday, April 9, the Comets took on Dr. Martin Luther College (DMTC), as well as the elements, in a meet plagued with high winds, rain, snow and 40 degree temperatures. Number one singles player Junior Jayne Wilkins defeated Amy Rahmow of DMTC 6-2, 6-4 and later teamed with Diana Potratz, also a junior, for a 6-4, 6-1 doubles victory. Number three singles player, Elizabeth Leckband, gave the Comets their only other win in the 3-6 meet, as she beat Betty Adams in straight sets, 6-2, 7-5.

On the Lighter Side of Men's Tennis

By the Men's Tennis Team

The CSP Men's Tennis Team is a collection of diversified talents, which include new up-and-coming prospects as well as the grizzled veterans. You may have noticed the clean cut image of the tennis team this year with their stylish uniforms by Wilson, and their ever-present smiling faces. Even though tennis takes up a majority of their mind and soul they still find time for the simple things in life, such as studies and donating blood as a team.

So far this season, the tennis team has gone above and beyond what has been expected of them, for they have won 27 games in singles and doubles combined. With only one loss on their record, the tennis team is looking forward to the rest of the season, which concludes with the Mequon Invitational Tournament, on beautiful Lake Michigan, in the beginning of May.

Coaches' Corner

By Marijo White

John Hendrickson: Soccer and Men's Tennis

For 15 years, Hendrickson has been the soccer coach and men's tennis coach at CSP. Before coming to Concordia, he was the coach and organizer of men's tennis at the seminary in St. Louis, Missouri. Hendrickson feels that he had good coaches who influenced him over the years.

He believes in helping players through their struggles in competitions. Hendrickson also tries to help develop a player's potential in areas other than sports. He feels that this is what a coach is supposed to do.

Starting his career in sports as a basketball player, he played at the seminary and also served as the coach. Before going to the seminary, he was a "backyard" player. The term "backyard" means that there was no coach nor the opportunity to play on a competitive team.

In the small town where he grew up, there was no tennis team. He began playing tennis at the seminary and during his senior year he became part of the team.

A team practices to win, says Hendrickson. The team does all of the work, and the coach organizes the team. Hendrickson says he enjoys competing for "crowns" (trophies and recognition), and watching the players improve, especially when a beginning athlete or a marginal athlete improves or becomes a starter.

Hendrickson states, "I hope that athletics can remain a fun place to be for anybody on our campus. I hope through the programs that I can have a team where the athletes can compete and have fun at the same time." 6.
The Children's Theatre class stories from the Bible, writing wrote the scripts using actual a short skit around the text in the 24th. Performances will continue through May.

show at Grand Forks, ND on the 17th, and an upcoming April were a show at Bethlehem Lutheran Church in St. Paul on the 10th, a performance in Ladysmith, WI, and a show through our example that faith need not be stuffy. It is exciting and alive. Soli Deo Gloria (To God alone be the glory!)

a more modern context, adding humor, as well as song and dance. During Spring Break, the twelve players (who are a new group every year) drove in a van for three days to New York City, and performed at Lutheran grade schools, sometimes doing two shows per day. At the end of their tour in New York City, they began driving back to Concordia, stopping in Akron, Ohio to do a Sunday morning church service. They concluded their tour by performing their stage show March 10-13 at the Attic Theatre in the science building.

Upcoming Events — — Mark Your Calendars

April 29—Parents' Weekend
3 p.m. Registration—Student Union
8 p.m. Coffee House—Student Union

April 30—Parents' Weekend
9 a.m. Meet the faculty—on the Knoll Continental Style Brunch
10 a.m. Spring Musical Experience
11:30 a.m. Free afternoon
6:30 p.m. Banquet—Dining Hall (guests $8.00)
8 p.m. Dance—LMC (gym)
11 p.m. Dorm devotions

May 1—Parents' Weekend
10 a.m. Worship Service—Graebner Memorial Chapel

May 20—6:00-8:30 p.m. — Spring Fling Olympics
May 21—7 p.m. — Spring Banquet

The Juicy Lucy

By Dan Mattila

If you have been looking for a great hamburger, I highly recommend dining at Matt's, home of the Juicy Lucy. The Juicy Lucy is one of the most unique burgers one will come across.

The Juicy Lucy is the famous hamburger of Matt's Bar and Grill, a cozy, neighborhood bar and burger place located at 3500 Cedar Avenue South in Minneapolis. The Lucy is a hamburger filled in the middle with cheese, hence the name Juicy Lucy. A representative of Matt's said the Juicy Lucy was named many years ago by a customer. It is definitely superior to any fast food hamburger around. Of course, the Juicy Lucy is not complete without an order of Matt's fries and a beverage.

Matt's Bar and Grill has a very unique atmosphere. For the most part, it is fairly old and has a lot of character. Matt's is dim and considerably gressy. However, this adds to the atmosphere. When a group of Concordia students and I went there, we were surprised to see that it was popular with the college crowd. The representative said that the restaurant has two rooms, one being a regular place "where college kids go for good hamburgers." Although Matt's is also a bar, their staff say that it is

Record Review

By Tim Schloe

"We bow down to worship God—He never speaks to me, I wonder if that's odd? And then He says, 'You're never listening!'" (Lyrics from "Lost"). Move over, Tammy Faye and Jim Bakker (The group used this phrase in their promotions). The Church's new album Starfish, is about to take over. This four-man progressive rock band from Australia is back after a two-year absence since their last album, Heyday. The Church is not a Christian rock band, but a progressive rock band that stands out from the everyday music we may hear. Starfish is only their second American release, since their previous albums (before Heyday) are only available as United Kingdom imports.

The overall affect of Starfish is more smooth and lyrically sound than their previous releases. Perhaps one of the most prevalent concepts of this band is their evolving harmonization in voice, along with the acoustic and electric guitar, which is most noticeable on the first few songs: "Destination," "Under The Milky Way," "Lost," and "North, South, East and West."

The Church sings songs about trying to find meaning in life, where you want to go, and what you are trying to become. In comparison to the second side, the first side is somewhat subdued (except for an uptempo "Blood Money"). In turn, the second side of the album is more upbeat and danceable, with such titles as: "Spark," "Antenna," "Reptile," "A New Season," and "Hotel Womb."

Having met The Church in person at Northern Lights Music on March 21, I can honestly say they don't mind talking with their fans and sharing their views of themselves or other groups. The Church's new album is well worth purchasing, and it just may make Jim and Tammy Faye Bakker jealous.

The Milky Way," "Lost," and "Hotel Womb."
The Mafia Squirrels

By Angie Cairns

God definitely has a sense of humor, but in some cases people may look upon it as actual cruelty. I suppose it all depends on which side of the humor you happen to find yourself. But in the squirrel-blows-the-electricity story, as we all chuckle or grimace a bit, the squirrel is not laughing (or maybe it is ...).

Over the past months of this school year and even further into the past, the campus of CSP has been sharing its pleasant surroundings with the vast squirrel populous. These furry little friends have become a part of the campus community and entertain quite a few people with their friendliness. But behind their cute little furry faces lies something none of us can see until put into action. It’s called the “humor of God.”

Most, if not all of CSP is aware to some degree of the sudden electrical shut-downs, spanning from the far reaches of the dining hall to the comfortable dorms of Luther. These electrical mishaps are not – I repeat – not an electrical fluke. No, in fact the culprits behind the sudden black outs, computer failures and general mayhem are those lovable so-called harmless squirrels -- or rodents. The very same cute creatures that occupy our lawns are the same animals that helped wipe out 10 hours putting onto the page report you spent two

squirrels have bushy tails. Point of fact: squirrels like to climb. The result, therefore, is some psychopathic, kamikaze squirrel placing its paws on one wire by the electrical transformer and brushing its tail against another. The result of this equation is dead or crippled squirrel and no power.

After viewing the evidence I’ve come up with, the conclusion is that there is a strange method to this madness. Behind those cute “rodent” faces (let’s call them as they are) lurks a hostile and troublesome lot. Somewhere on this campus is hidden the Mafia Squirrel Headquarters. Even now I’m sure they are mapping out their next hit – if not to the power lines, at least to the realm of garage healing by the union. But even so, I think you last several electrical shut-downs shook them up a bit, or at least shortened them one Mafia squirrel.

The event took place just before Easter break -- approximately March 22. It was a beautiful day on the campus of Concordia College as another harmless looking and unquestioned squirrel scurried to the scene of the crime. Quietly placing his little paws on one wire and tail on another the fireworks were set into motion. To innocent passersby, the event looked like a bad joke Show episode as the now dead squirrel was blown into the air and landed on the roof of the library. I’m sure the whole squirrel society was immensely shaken.

Since that time, Northern States Power (NSP) has put shields on the wires to prevent any more squirrel attacks. Now the only thing left for these mischievous rodents to do is to once again aimlessly wander the grounds and plan their next Mafia strike. But overall it does go to show that God does have a sense of humor. Whether we all laugh or not is all up to personal discretion.

"Man of La Mancha"

"Man of La Mancha" will be showing May 12-15 in the Music Building under the direction of Mike Charron. The play was written by Don Miquel Svatanes. He was thrown into prison by the Spanish Inquisition and in order to save his life, he and his manservant told the story of Don Quixote. The story evolves around the travels and adventures of Don Quixote (played by Dan Asmus) and his sidekick Sancho Pongo (played by Chris Drager). Quixote is a man who has gone off the deep end and thinks that he can save the world from evil. Tickets are free for students with I.D., and $3 for adults.

Showing Times:
May 12, 13, 14 at 8 p.m.
May 15 at 2 p.m. and 8 p.m.

Spring Banquet

Spring Banquet 1988 will be aboard the Josiah Snelling, a paddleboat from Paddleford Packet and Company. The boat will be docked at Hager Island May 21, 1988 at 7 p.m. waiting for Concordia students to board. The 4 hour "cruise" will include dinner and dancing. Students, faculty and staff are all welcome to attend. Tickets go on sale the first week in May at $12 per person. Spouses' tickets for students, faculty and staff are complimentary from Student Services with the purchase of one ticket.

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Correction from November 23 issue

George Spelvin, who wrote the review on Hamlet was our ghost writer, not Mike Charron. We apologize for any confusion.