UP AND IN FOR TWO POINTS

Matt Strong's basket helped Hope to a 98-68 win over Olivet last Wednesday. The dutchmen are now 4-0 in the league as the winter season moves into full swing.
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Still More Scandals Rock Student Governments

Two weeks after University of Chicago students, angered by election fraud, kicked all 50 members of their campus government out of office, student politicians at Yale and the universities of New Mexico and Missouri have come under fire for alleged campaign misdeeds. At Missouri, student legislators may impeach and replace all members of the student government, but the campus has not been convened in three years, sparing calls on to restructure the body.

"We need to give them a new chance, a new direction," said Greg Wright, the chair of the student government's operations committee. The court, which is supposed to review student elections, failed to ensure the electoral process was conducted properly during a recent contest, Wright said.

New Mexico student legislator Max Madrid allegedly violated election rules by campaigning in a restricted area, prompting calls for the student government to censure him.

At Yale, student government president-elect candidate Alex Mishkin has been blasted by other student legislators for allegedly making exaggerated and inaccurate campaign remarks. Mishkin claimed in campaign literature that he "led on the student constituency, more funding, open elections, the cleanup of asbestos in residential college housing, and the turn-over of funds to student control."

"Alex has definitely worked on things, but he's claiming full credit for things he's been peripheral in," said former student representative Byron Auguste.

Two University of Texas student legislators were dismissed in November from their posts because their grade point averages slipped below the minimum 2.5 required by the student constitution.

But Robert Nash and Alexis Arnold contend the student attorney general lacked the authority to remove them from office because of low grades. The students government's judicial committee is considering the situation.

At Chicago, a five-member student committee found some candidates had stuffed ballot boxes while others either didn't have enough signatures on their nominations or weren't registered as students. In response, all 50 student assembly members resigned, forcing a second campuswide election last November.

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A graduate of Vicksburg High School, Blough attended Hope College and earned a degree in mathematics in 1987. Currently 5,700 Americans of all ages are selecting backgrounds for Peace Corps volunteers in 61 developing nations.

According to Peace Corps Regional Manager Alice Cooper, the agency expects to place a Peace Corps volunteer overseas every month.

The Peace Corps, 477 Michigan Ave., Room M-74, Detroit, Michigan, 48226.
New Pledging Guidelines And Rules Made Public To Campus

Kaylene Shannon
anchor Feature Editor

Shortly before Christmas break, the Campus Life Board (working with the Greek Council) drafted a formal document that included statements of purpose from Greek organizations at Hope and new guidelines for pledging for the 1988 spring semester.

Some of the new guidelines set forth by the board include an official statement on hazing and the lengthening of the pledge period from two to three weeks. Also, in order to be eligible to participate in pledging, prospective members must maintain a GPA of 2.0, which was raised from the 1.7 requirement in past years. On Monday through Thursday, pledging activities may not begin before 7:00 P.M. and cannot last past 1:00 A.M. No pledging activities will be permitted on Sundays.

"One of the main purposes of this document is to try to get away from the idea that pledging causes a total standstill of campus life because of the unreasonable demands that were made upon students in the past. This document provides our (the administration's) expectations for pledge and rush this year as well as educates the participants," said Bruce King, director of Student Activities.

"In the past, pledges didn't always know what was going on and they were easily manipulated. This document is the first and necessary step of moving away from that arena and on to a newer, more positive one." King called the document a good foundation to what will hopefully be a lasting program at Hope; one more structured and less ambiguous than those in the past.

The guidelines presented in the document will only apply to this semester and will be reviewed at the end of the spring to assess its progress.

Fraters Regain Active Status As Greek Society

By A.C. Vanderkolk
anchor Staff Writer

After a semester of suspension, the Fraternal Society has regained its status as an active Greek organization. The fraternity had been on the campus of Hope College for more than 120 years, before being suspended for disciplinary reasons stemming from pledging violations in the spring of 1987. Plans to return as Greek society were contingent on reorganizing the chapter and its pledging program.

A plan of reorganization was initiated by a 10-member ad hoc committee consisting of Frater alumni, actives, and college representatives. Upon completion of the reorganization plan, it was submitted for approval to President Jacobson, Dean Beal, Bruce King, and other members of the administration.

The reorganization plan was aimed at getting the fraternity back on positive footing. While the plan has not been made public, its components include a new policy for internal discipline, and original, but positive pledging activities.

In general, both the fraternity and the administration look at the reconstruction process as a positive experience. President Jacobson, in addition to being "pleased with the positive and forthcoming response," remarked that "in times past the Fraternal Society and Hope's other Greek organizations have made strong and positive contributions, and hopefully they will continue to do so."

"Now that we're active, all the members are really enthusiastic," said Jim Van Eenenaam, OKE president.

"We're going to try to work with the administration and student body as much as possible to make a positive contribution to the campus." Dr. James Piers, faculty advisor to the Fraters, described the reorganization experience as creative, positive, and "exciting to participate in because the actives came up with the new ideas."

More communication with the administration and alumni are one of the keys to the reorganization plan. Getting away from negative traditions are a factor, too.

"I think if we stick to our plan things should run pretty smoothly. If we keep communication lines open...we can make the fraternity a strong organization on campus," said Van Eenenaam. "I'd also like to see us (the Fraters) have stronger relationships with the other fraternities and sororities."

While reorganization plans have been implemented, a number of issues have yet to be resolved. The fraternity still does not have an on-campus housing and expectations for rushing and pledging are unknown. Overall, much work will be in store for the "new" Fraternal Society. "First semester the reorganization committee worked really hard. We had to break away from tradition a little bit," stated Van Eenenaam.

"Trying to get back in circulation will keep us busy."
Arizona Students Seek Ways To Control Campus Preachers

Hoping to keep "extremely obnoxious" preachers away from students who don't want to listen to them, two University of Arizona students began passing out "complaint forms" to students on campus two months ago.

Students James R. Gillis and Keith M. Shachat hope to use the forms to get UA administrators to banish them to a proposed "speakers corner" on campus for anyone not directly sponsored by a university group.

Gillis called the zealots, who often are students belonging to UA religious groups, "extremely obnoxious and disruptive to students who want to relax on the mall."

A handful of preachers also travel from campus to campus around the country, seeking attention by verbally abusing passersby.

To control the disruption, several schools have tried to keep the preachers to certain campus areas. In 1984, for example, the University of Virginia — after a volley of threatened lawsuits — limited freelance speakers to certain days, hours and areas of the lawn, UV's central commons area.

Billis and Shachat essentially want UA officials to do something similar, but the evangelists promise to fight it.

"They will have to drag me from the mall," Robin Brand, a UA med center employee and occasional campus preacher, warned the Arizona Daily Wildcat. "I am here to preach the gospel, and I have freedom of speech to back me up."

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"The Dining Room" A Success At Theatre Festival In Indiana

The Hope College theatre production of "The Dining Room," which recently was performed at the American College Theatre Festival (ACTF) in South Bend, IN, was well received and favorably reviewed, according to John K.V. Tammi, the show's director and an associate professor of theatre at Hope.

"We had a great experience at the regional festival," Tammi explained. "The comments we heard from faculty, students, and professional artists at the show were encouraging."

The next possible step for "The Dining Room" in the American College Theatre Festival would be its selection to the national festival at the Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts in Washington D.C. this spring. The competition is stiff, though, Tammi said. Only five productions will be chosen from the nation's 12 regionals. The decision for the national festival will be made by the ACTF Selection Committee at the end of February.

As for Hope's four Irene Ryan Award nominees, only senior Barry Weller of Webster Grove, MO advanced to the audition's finals. Of approximately 90 students nominated for the Ryan Scholarship, Weller was one of the 12 finalists.

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Fantasia Tickets Sell Out As Expected For Grand Rapids Event

Winter Fantasia tickets went on sale Monday morning, costing $39 per couple. Tickets 1-300 were all sold for the Ambassador Ballroom and tickets 301-400 were sold for the Pantlind Ballroom of the Amway Grand Plaza Hotel in Grand Rapids, were the annual event will be held.

Two bands will be featured during the gala night. "General Assembly" is a 16-piece band featuring the best in the instrumental style of the big band era, jazz, and rock traditions. Dance lessons to learn some of the dances like the fox trot, jitterbug, lango and waltz will be held Thursday, Jan. 28 at 7:30 p.m. in the Juliana Room of the Durfee Basement. No fee will be charged for the lessons. "Skyline and the Backstreet Horns" will be the other band of the evening. They are a top midwest band exhibiting the latest sound in rock, funk and motown.

The dinner menu for the event will include a mixed green garden salad with two house dressings. The entree will be a mild smoked breast of chicken on a bed of broccoli with a white cheddar cheese sauce. Chocolate Mousse with Kirsch will be the dessert with coffee, tea or milk being the beverages. A soft drink bar will be available throughout the evening.

Only 38 tickets remained after the initial sale on Monday. The remaining tickets were all sold within 10 minutes yesterday. For those wishing to stay overnight at the Amway Grand Plaza, discount rates are available through the hotel registration desk.

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AIDS: The Story On Who Can Get It

It all started in 1975 — at least that was when it was first recognized as a new set of symptoms — a new disease without a name. Cases were found in California, New York, and France.

Researchers began testing and searching for clues. What is this disease, what made it happen, is there a cure? The disease virus was very fragile and was hard to work with but they finally found a way to grow it and preserve it. It took until 1981 before they actually identified the disease as a virus and could name it. By 1983 they found the cause of AIDS but as of late there has been no cure. Experimental drugs are being tested on AIDS patients and research continues.

In 1975 it seemed only gay homosexual men were contracting the disease, but shortly thereafter many hemophiliacs were contracting it also. The AIDS virus was unknowingly being passed through the blood transfusions and the hemophiliac patients were receiving.

Since March of 1985 better screening is being done and better blood tests have been developed so the virus is rarely passed this way. IV drug users, both male and female, were also contracting the virus as time went on by sharing needles with infected persons. Male and female prostitutes were added to the list since the virus is passed through semen and vaginal secretions as well. Many prostitutes are also drug users so they are considered a high risk group.

So the progression continued to heterosexual relationships. It has been found also that fetuses can be infected if the mother or father is carrying the virus, so we now have children being born with the AIDS virus.

In our society today there are bisexual relationships, i.e. those who fluctuate between homosexual and heterosexual relationships. There are people having sexual encounters with many different persons and so the AIDS virus spreads. IV drug use continues and so the virus spreads. To quote statistics from American College Health Association by 1991 we will be dealing with 300,000 to 400,000 cases of AIDS and will be the 7th and 8th most common cause of death in the United States. It will be the most common cause of death among 20-55 year olds around urban areas.

The number of college students who have the AIDS virus is still very small. For about 50-60 percent of the people with AIDS the incubation period is six months to six years after being infected. However for 20-40 percent of the cases the incubation period exceeds six years. This means we will be dealing with epidemics which will manifest themselves 7-10 maybe 12 years after transmission of the virus itself.

So what does this mean for you the student? If you are sexually active or an IV drug user you may contact the AIDS virus now and not have it show up for 6-12 years. You or others may unknowingly be passing the virus to others. The virus can be passed without symptoms being present. What you do now may have a great impact on your life, it may end your life.

The next article will deal with how to prevent the spread of AIDS. I also have video tapes relating to AIDS which are available for use. Just stop in the Health Clinic for further information. We are also offering in-dorm presentations on AIDS in January and February. If you have questions or concerns regarding AIDS feel free to call the Health Clinic.

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College Journalists In Two States Fight To Open Meetings And Public Documents

(Editor’s note: Since January is “Freedom of the Student Press Month” The anchor will run a special article each week. The following story is the second of a three-part series beginning with a story last week.)

The University of California-Los Angeles Daily Bruin and the chancellor agreed to work together to establish a document detailing which committee meetings should be open, ending a 16-month dispute over media access to university committee meetings.

“The objective of the document is to reach an understanding, to have some procedures that will be uniform and consistent. This is an agreement in advance to avoid having any controversy by a committee chairman,” said John Sandbrook, UCLA’s assistant chancellor.

The dispute involved differing interpretations of the California Bagley-Keene Open Meeting Act, which stipulates that governmental bodies keep their meetings open to the public. A 1983 amendment to the act made the University of California (UC) Board of Regents subject to the act.

UCLA administrators argued that the open meetings law only applies to the UC Board of Regents committees and not to committees on individual campuses. The Daily Bruin Editor Peter Pae, decided not to fight the matter through the courts, but work to establish guidelines on the campus.

“...Essentially we’ve each given up something,” Pae said. “We (won’t purse our right to) cover these meeting legally and they (UCLA) can’t arbitrarily close meetings.”

Faculty meetings at Hastings College of Law in San Francisco were closed to the public as the Bagley-Keene Open Meeting Act was narrowly construed in an appellate decision.

The case arose when three Hastings law students sought to prevent the faculty from meeting in private to discuss matters of educational policy, and approval of expenditures from appropriations, endowments and gifts.

Students argued that because the faculty was created by the Board of Regents, that it acts in an advisory capacity to the Board and that the Board is a state body within the meanings of the state open meetings act.

Freedom Of The Student Press Month 1988
Music And Politics

The Little Steven Interview

(Editor's note: The last few years have witnessed a resurgence of social consciousness and political activism in popular music.

One of the best known efforts to date is the organizing and distribution of the "Sun City" album, which strongly condemns apartheid in South Africa. The album, which strongly condemns apartheid in South Africa, has sold over $500,000 for religious, union, and human rights groups in South Africa.

The main performer behind the project was Steve Van Zandt ("Little Steven"), long known for his skill as a major album ("Little Steven"), long known for his skill as a major album producer, and as a guitarist for Bruce Springsteen's E Street Band.

In the final installment of a two-part interview, we listen in on one of America's most politically active musicians.

Q: On your latest album, "Freedom - No Compromise!", you have focused, among other things, on the struggle of Native Americans in this country. In concert, you've drawn parallels between the system of apartheid in South Africa and our own government's treatment of these people. Could you elaborate on those parallels and how they came to your attention?

A: There are several things happening, and they're all connected. That was how the album got started; I began to see parallels between the Native American situation in the U.S. and the Black situation in South Africa: the reservations here and the homelands there, and the relocations. Tribal governments here and township councils there, both imposed by government agencies that supposedly have their best interests in mind; which is, of course, a lie. Like the BIA imposing a white Anglo society-type government on Native Americans completely against their will. The same thing happened in South Africa. So I ended up going down there to complete my research, and that's how the album got started.

I feel that the indigenous people's genocide all around the world is directly related to the destruction of the environment. I see those two issues as one issue now. The more I investigated it, the more it became an issue. All indigenous peoples have the same philosophy, all around the world: that the Earth is sacred, that they're here to protect it; that the Earth is alive and that we have a relationship with it. And as the indigenous people all over the world disappear, the environment disappears. I don't see that as coincidental anymore, it's the same issue, and it's the most pressing issue of our time. It's the thing that need the most action of anything. As serious as racism is, which we're also always fighting, it's the most serious issue.

Q: South African students have been among the most vocal opponents of the Botha regime, at risk of torture and death. Students in France, Spain, Chile, Mexico, and Korea have demonstrated enough solidarity to bring their countries to a halt over unpopular education policies. Do you think it will take another war to unite students in this country?

A: That's a good question. It really seems very difficult these days to motivate people. Unlike people are dying, or until you turn on the water faucet and it comes out blue, it's difficult. I've been working on this for years; when I started talking about Latin America, I can't tell you how difficult it was to say, "We're murdering people in Latin America." Either people didn't believe me, or acted like, "So what? I've got my own problems." So it wasn't like their brother or their cousin was dying.

Part of it is the media, but part of it is reality. We do have a crisis situation on the campuses which is only now starting to change. I went to several college campuses around 1984, and I found everybody in business schools; liberal arts were dying or a thing of the past. And the questioning of the government, of your parents, of yourself, that I thought was happened automatically in college, wasn't happening. There was a priority to succeed, to get a job, make money, and not to worry.

We're just starting to come out of that a little bit with the divestment movement, a little bit on Latin America, a little bit of the CIA stuff. But, man, there were years where it wasn't happening, and it wasn't totally something that the media made up; it was the truth. I think maybe we've gone far as we could in that direction and now it's time to start turning around. It's gotta be, because I was very surprised — I thought rebellion was in the genes, you know? Seventeen, eighteen, nineteen.

Part 11

Q: Do you think Ronald Reagan is still as popular on campus today as when he captured a lot of the student vote in 1984?

A: When you think that college students and the black middle class helped elect this administration... I mean, it's bad enough for college students, but the black middle class electing a racist president? A president who voted against the Voting Rights Act, the Civil Rights Act, the Housing Act; who's been trying to get rid of affirmative action ever since he's been in; who supports tax breaks for schools that refuse to integrate... the cat is racist, there's no debating it. He bought the black middle class, and their memory — all those years of struggle, gone.

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Q: But his supporters say he improved the economy.
A: What is that? How obvious is it when he's buying people's values and morality? Buying their sense of justice and democracy? They're selling their souls — that's what went down. And they bought it pretty cheap, if you ask me.

Q: What obstacles did you encounter in organizing "Sun City"? What rewards did it provide, and what kind of advice would you give to students trying to organize on campus?
A: In the end, I was lucky, because for once in my life, my timing was right. Right at the time when the record was nearly finished, South Africa was in the news, so all of a sudden people who may not have been previously motivated got involved. We still had trouble with the record companies — everybody passed on it except the last one we went to. The way to do it is just start doing it — don't wait for a consensus or an agreement.

You've got to do your homework, check things out as thoroughly as you can until you know what you're doing is right, and then do it. The once it's happening people will join you. But to get a consensus, to have meetings and agreements before you do something, sometimes slows down the process to the point where it just won't happen. You'll get stuck before you leave the starting gate.

Q: You've been working very hard to get your message across, and have people like US and Peter Gabriel, and the veterans like Bob Dylan and Jackson Browne. The Grateful Dead have a new song about nuclear weapons, and the rejuvenated Crosby, Stills, and Nash have been singing about South Africa. Do you see your efforts taking hold?
A: There is no doubt in my mind that it's going to continue. Consciousness is a funny thing — there's no going back. You can't open your eyes and forget to see, and then suddenly forget it. Education doesn't work that way. It's a very dangerous thing. Once you've seen an injustice, you can't stop seeing it. I think more and more artists are going to get involved.

I'm not going to say that it's going to be like the '60s all over again, but it's going to be a taste of it. And I think it's a possibility that more is going to get done this time, because we can learn from the '60s.

You can't do everything at once; that was such a revolutionary time, so much changed. Just opening up ideas was accomplishment enough, to think that somebody could open up ideas, raise the question, and provide all the solutions at once is a little too much to ask. So we've got to do that now, a little bit at a time.

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On Friday night all the splendor the Big 10 conference had to offer invaded our beloved city in the form of the Michigan State University Volleyball Club. This is the same conference that has produced such greats as Laker star Earvin “Magic” Johnson and NCAA basketball Champion Indiana Hoosiers.

Here’s the scoop:

The Hope College men’s volleyball club, led by such stars as Curt Blankespoor, Chris Pieters, and Jonathan Tagg, was able to do what even the University of Southern California couldn’t do in the Rose Bowl. That is, beat the Spartans of Michigan State.

That’s right! The Flying Dutchmen downed the Spartans in a best of five match, 15-8, 15-11, 4-15, 14-16 and 15-8. Hope had a chance to sweep the match in three games, but the bench wasn’t quite strong enough. 

Think about the implications of this for a minute! First of all, how often does a Dutchmen down the Spartans of Michigan Michigan could do. And those schools have more than ten times as many students.

My winner of the week: The Hope Men’s Volleyball Club.

Certainly another winner, especially during the winter, has got to be skiing. Those of you who ski know exactly what I mean. Now you must realize that I don’t ski very often or even very well. I prefer something a bit slower, like basketball.

The last time I was on skis I was trying my hardest not to fall off the low-rope. I was also very appreciative of the man who thought to put the fence at the bottom of the hill. I was able to examine it very closely several times.

Before each trip to the fence I examine the architectural brilliance, I faced another problem, namely getting down the hill without wiping out.

At the top of one of the biggest hills at Mt. Brighton (near Detroit) I breathed one final prayer before going over the edge. I said, “Lord, if you help me get to the bottom safely, I will never say another bad words about the Lions.”

It’s a good thing I didn’t say which Lions, eh?

Dutchmen Now In First Place In League

“On the beat goes on,” said Hope basketball coach Glenn Van Wieren, following Wednesday’s expected 88-68 trouncing of the Olivet Comets.

Indeed the beat goes on as the Dutchmen have now won four straight, including three MIAA games in-a-row.

“Olivet really came at us up front and made us work for everything,” Van Wieren added. “Our defense was the key, especially when we made the run pull ahead.”

Hope trailed the Comets for the first few minutes of the game. Junior Jack Holman then ignited Hope’s offense with a perfect charity stripe despite, including six for six in the first half.

“They (Olivet) were giving us the outside shot. Our perimeter game had to be a big part because what they did on inside was very physical.”

Hope, now 10-4 overall and a perfect 6-0 in the league, will take their league leadership on the road to face the Adrian Bulldogs. “We’ve proved that we can win here at home,” said Van Wieren. “Now we’ve got to go out and do it on the road. Adrian is going to be tougher than tough. They have always been tough. They’re playing with momentum after blowing out Goshen on Tuesday.”

In other action Wednesday, Albion dumped the Calving Knights giving them their first MIAA loss and second loss of the season.

(At Adrian on Saturday, the Dutchmen won their fifth straight game, beating the Bulldogs 96-49 to take sole possession of first place in the MIAA at 4-0.)

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The Lady Dutch basketball team hosted the Adrian Bulldogs Saturday and came away with an exciting 74-70 overtime victory.

"We expected a tough game despite their record (0-3 in the MIAA and 1-12 overall)," said coach Terri McFarland. "I saw them play Hillsdale earlier and they came back in that one too so I knew we'd be in a fight to the end."

Hope opened up a 14 point lead but Adrian came barking back to tie the game 62-62 as regulation time ran out.

"Indecision on our part played a big part in their come-back," McFarland added. "They (Adrian) showed a lot of poise, but Adrian came through." Senior center DeAnn Knoll, averaging 10.3 points per contest, poured in 24 points to lead all scorers. "DeAnn played on of her best games of the season today," said McFarland. "She's learned our offense well and her offensive rebounding really helped us today."

Another key to the big win for the Dutch, now 7-6 overall and 2-2 in the league, was Adrian's poor inside game in the first half. The Bulldogs shot a mere 32 percent from the floor in the first 20 minutes of action.

Adrian senior Marcia Hall muscled in 19 points to lead the way for the visitors before injuring her ankle going for a defensive rebound. Hope was able to get the victory without senior point guard Sue Bulkema who is sidelined with ligament damage.

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1987: Year Of The Bimbo?

By Kaylene Shannon
anchor Feature Editor

Each year the American press seems to choose a pet female celebrity to follow. For instance, the public was bombarded with stories about the Year of the Child and features on getting in shape and weight loss during the fitness craze. A common attribute of these topics was their mutual goal of improving the lives of both their readers and those of society as a whole.

Unfortunately, over the past year the specialties of a select few women of this country have commanded excessive attention from the press and none of that attention has proved complimentary to womankind. Their names, all familiar to this time, are Donna Rice, Jessica Hahn and Fawn Hall. The shameless activities of these three individuals (especially the first two) could very well be remembered not as the year of the Raisa Gorbechev or Nancy Reagan clothes wars or the first two) could very well be remembered not as the year of the Raisa Gorbechev or Nancy Reagan clothes wars or the countless young people who were exposed to your attention has proved through the press and none of that attention has proved complimentary to womankind. Their names, all familiar to this time, are Donna Rice, Jessica Hahn and Fawn Hall.

Behind the first door is Donna Rice. As Joan Rivers would undoubtedly say, "this lady is a tramp." Frequenters of yacht called "The Monkey Business," Donna specializes in sexual escapades and advertised for a small fortune through her lawsuit against Baker and then went on to pose for Playboy magazine (Gasp! In her birthday suit!). She is now living in the Playboy mansion with Hugh Hefner and recently published her "No Excuses" jeans. Imagines were that Baker causing such corruption in so chaste a creature as Hahn.

Behind door number two, we have the last and perhaps least offensive bimbo, Fawn Hall. Recently, Hall has been attending several celebrity galas and has just shared her intentions of writing her autobiography. Since when is a secretary who shreds evidence deserving of celebrity status? Since 1987, when being a bimbo is the way to go if a woman wants attention through the press.

Looking ahead to 1988, the public can only hope that the press will find women more worthy of their attention than they did in the past year, such as Margaret Thatcher, Jane Pauley and Diane Feinsteins. And for Rice, Hahn and Hall, if they wish to keep themselves below respectable, let them do so in a more fitting setting; perhaps a mud wrestling match. Just as long as someone is not always there to print their dirt stays out of the papers.

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GAY-LESBIAN STUDENT UNION

Wrong Top 10

In response to Mr. Breen's article, "The Top Stories Of 1987," I was disappointed to read the commentary on the traditional fall event The Pull and not find corresponding and equal space given to other traditional events that take place in the fall also.

These events, (Nykerk, All-CollegeSingHomecoming...) certainly are just as newsworthy as The Pull. Admittedly, he and I may be prejudiced (him as a Pull participant, and I as a Nykerk participant) and our views may be narrow. However, it still seems to me there is a fine line between "news" and "events."

LAURA JOHNSON
STEFFANS COTTAGE

Alumnus Has Fond Memories Of The Anchor And Hope College

It was last Friday afternoon that the telephone rang at my home. As a rule, I don't answer ringing objects (including clocks) at the start of a weekend. But some of my roommates do, and when one of them yelled for me I decided to find out who was on the phone.

"Hello," I said. "Hello, is this Brian Breen?" the person asked.

"Yes, it is." "Are you the editor of The Anchor?"

"Yes, that's me. What could I do for you," I replied.

Actually, I may not have been that pleased. You see, I don't like discussing the newspaper at home. Especially when I'm in a hurry and it's Friday.

The man at the other end of the phone was Tom O'Brien from Providence, Rhode Island. He wanted to talk about the recent Supreme Court ruling on censorship and freedom of the student press.

Tom was on the editorial staff of The Anchor back in the early 70's. He said the news of the Supreme Court ruling brought back memories of his college newspaper days at Hope.

"Those were the days when Woodward and Bernstein were writing about Watergate," he said. "All of us on the staff were dreaming about working for the New York Times or the Washington Post," he added with a laugh.

He said he doesn't get back to Holland much, but still had a fondness for The Anchor and the college. We talked for around 25 minutes about the newspaper and Hope, and current issues in journalism. We talked about Cory Aquinos and Diane Feinsteins. And as for Rice, Hahn and Hall, if they wish to keep themselves below respectable, let them do so in a more fitting setting; perhaps a mud wrestling match. Just as long as someone is not always there to print their dirt stays out of the papers.

Letters To The Editor

Homosexual Support Group At Hope

Once again the call goes out to all homosexuals, both gay and lesbian, that a group exists here on Hope's campus just for you. The group's goals are three-fold: first, to inform ourselves on issues directly related to being homosexual; secondly, to share with each other from the riches of personal experience the tears, pains, and the joys of being gay; thirdly, to accept and support each other wherever we are on the sexual spectrum.

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