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The Crusader staff thanks you for your patronage and loyal reading during this past year.

Look for *The Crusader* this fall in a new format. Have a great summer everyone.

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For all you've done

NNC says goodbye to nine of its faculty members

At the end of this school year NNC is losing nine outstanding professors.

These nine professors represent someone from almost every department on campus.

Dr. Earl Owens and Dr. Karl Martin from the department of Language and Literature. Liz Murtland is retiring from the

Family and Consumer Sciences department while the Fine Arts department is losing both Prof. Mary Shaffer and Prof. Brenda Martin. Prof. Ernie Thompson is retiring from the Professional Studies department and from Information Services, Dr. Paul Miller, is leaving. Dr. Darrell Marks and Dr. Ken Watson are retiring from the Office of Institutional

Advancement and the Office of the President, respectively.

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years to thirty-nine years. Many were once NNC students themselves, others came because NNC was where they wanted to be.

Their absence will be felt keenly by the NNC community. Each professor has left an indelible mark on the lives of hundreds of students. For most NNC students, if not all, it is the faculty and administration that makes the college.

See Thank you... page 6

Charles Ruppert selected as new Chief Justice

by Amber Jerome
Staff Writer

Charlie Ruppert has been appointed as NNC's new chief justice. He is a philosophy major and is working to be a senior pastor. He heads the computer team for the Wesley Center of Applied Theology, interns for Techtronics, leads College Church's Bible quiz team, and serves as a T.A. in Williams Hall. Ruppert said his main goal as chief justice is to prepare students to assume the associate justice roles which will be opening up after the graduation of four seniors next year.

Ruppert had a wealth of experience before coming to college. Graduating early, he ventured to European Nazarene Bible College where he lived and studied independently on campus for a year. He also traveled



from southern Greece to the Arctic Circle, visiting monasteries, nunneries, and Catholic and Greek Orthodox religious services. "I got to speak with a Greek Orthodox Priest," Ruppert said. "I came to realize that Christianity is a lot more diverse [than I thought]." Viewing these different strands of Christianity has made him slow to judge something as not being Christian just because it's different.

One adventure

See Charles Ruppert page 3

"I think the media are bad, and they try to create controversy. That's the way I think the media work, and I think that's the way they are."

~Charles Barkley, athlete, 1995

Column One

I was up in this office until 3:00 last night (an early escape) only to return at 10:00 this morning after attempting to attend a lab. And I have only one important thing to say: "Shawn, Go home and go to bed! NOW!"

There. Now that that is out of the way, if you have better things to be doing you can just stop reading here. If you're anything like me, though, you're looking for something to distract you from that really big paper that you have to write because it's due tomorrow or the next day. This paper's for you.

It's the end of the term, heck, it's the end of the year (who says *The Crusader* doesn't provide useful and updated information?) and this is our last issue of the year. In two more weeks, this campus will be deserted and some people will be working at their jobs at home and some will be bumming around and the really lucky ones will be sleeping in. (No, I am not in that category.) There will be no classes, no tests, no deadlines and no all-nighters. Let the party begin.

Yes, summer is finally here and now that it is, I know that I'm going to be absolutely miserable. Because everyone is going home. And some people won't be coming back. (Really good article on pages 6-7 about that.) So let me just take this opportunity (not that you can stop me) to remind everyone that you've got about a week and a half left to let the special people in your life know just how much you're going to miss them in the next three months. And now that the sappy stuff is out of the way, have a wonderful summer, and everyone, try not to burn!

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Compassionate ministries

Part six of our series on our school ministry clubs

by Melissa Tennyson
Campus Editor

Compassionate Ministries encompasses four individual ministry groups: Turning Point, the Boise Rescue Mission, AIDS ministry and the Salvation Army.

The Turning Point is a shelter home for families. This ministry club works with the children who live in the shelter home every second and fourth Monday of the month. Students meet at the Student Center at 7:00pm and

"In the midst of so much hopelessness, it's amazing how much joy they [people living with AIDS] have. They teach me so much."

~Perla Aragon

return around 9:15pm. Activities include making crafts with the kids to taking them out to places such as the rec center or the zoo. This ministry focuses on relationships with the children more than outspoken evangelism.

The Boise Rescue Mission is an overnight shelter house for men. This ministry club visits the mission every fourth Sunday of the month and leads a service. They meet at the Student Center at 7:30pm and return around 10:30pm. During the service, students will share devotions and lead songs. After the service, the group will then help serve the food to the homeless people who eat there. It is an important part of this ministry to serve and share food with the people in the shelter. Perla Aragon shares, "The friendships we've built have been through the times we eat together." The students also do special things such as baking a cake on Father's Day and singing "Happy Father's Day" to the residents.

The AIDS ministry does not have a designated time or place when they meet. This is a special ministry designed for 2-3 students to be paired with someone who is

Who: Compassionate Ministry Clubs
What: Four separate ministries
Where: various locations
When: varies with ministry
Contact: Katrina Heinricks @ 8312 or Perla Aragon @ 8316

HIV positive, or living with AIDS. This process of pairing students with people living with AIDS or HIV takes a lot of time. It is important that those who commit to this ministry are comfortable enough to do this and faithful in meeting with the group. Consistency is a key factor to making this a successful ministry. Once a group is formed, they arrange a time to meet together at least once a week. As she has worked with people living with AIDS this year, Perla Aragon shares, "In



Compassionate Ministries reaches out to the needy people of all ages. There are many ways to get involved. Richelle Anderson shares a smile with the young friend she has made in this ministry.

the midst of so much hopelessness, it's amazing how much joy they have. They teach me so much."

The last compassionate ministry is the Salvation Army tutoring program. The students involved in this program visit the Salvation Army in Nampa on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of every week from 3:30-5:15pm. They help the kids with their homework. If you are interested, contact next year's president Katrina Heinricks or this year's president Perla Aragon.

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A mentor and friend

by Shawn Blenker
ASNNC Vice President

At a time in my life when I seek for competent people to find much needed advice, I and several others, find refuge in Carey Cook. I know it may seem hard to believe, but sometimes I don't always know what I am doing, or where I'm going for that matter. That is why it is so nice to have a person like Carey to advise me and steer me in the right direction. I would venture to say that he is the man I would most like to be like after I graduate. It would be an easy transition from what I already do.

In my effort to be

like Carey, I have compiled a few quotable quotes and some darn good advice I received from him in the past several weeks. For example, "When you're walking around aimlessly, change speeds every now and again to give the assumption that you have something very important to do." He corrected me once when I tried to do this during my office hours instructing, "If you're going to walk around pretending you're me, stop juggling those silly balls!"

Another round of great advise came during our Nazarene Student Leadership Conference that we held on campus a while back. Carey wisely instructed me saying, "Shawn,

when you're mixing with large crowds, point and wave over and past people you don't know. This will give them the impression that you are really important, not to mention popular." This seemed to work well and I have gotten a lot of use out of it since. Carey then told me after a "long, hard day," say things like, "I'm so tired, I can hardly spit!" This will make people think that you've been working really hard a deserve some sympathy.

All in all, I really appreciate Carey and his life lessons. Not to mention the great council I have the opportunity to work with. I am truly blessed.

NNC Notepad

Senate Notes:

It was discussed that the new weights purchased for the exercise room in the gym seem to be brittle and chip easily. Senator Norris will be looking into this concern to see whether the weights need to be replaced.

President Field brought up that, in 1996, ASNNC donated \$1000 to the library. Three subscriptions we funded run out this year, and we need to decide if we're interested in contributing again.

It was also discussed that more people

need to respond to the poll concerning the new ASNNC position for commuter students. Most likely, this person will be a commuter student.

The final budget for next year was presented. Senator Ketchum explained the budget, including the items that had been cut.

The new Chief Justice Charles Ruppert was sworn in. Also, Brian Porterfield was hired as Ad Manager for publications.

There was a first reading of a bill presented for the purchase of an ASNNC computer.

Charles Ruppert

from page 1

Ruppert recalls vividly is his narrow escape from Budapest as he traveled by himself. After visiting a missionary there, he attempted to leave the country. In the process, Ruppert's entire funds were confiscated by the country's ex-Communist officials. "I got on the plane with 10 cents," Ruppert said. During his travels he "did a lot of sleeping on trains and outside. Basically, I was a vagabond."

But he was glad for all his experiences in Europe, even for his diet, which Ruppert said consisted mainly of "bread, water, jam

and Snickers bars." Ruppert was so enthralled with his experience and the perspectives which it offered that he encourages college youth to take advantage of their freedom to go abroad. Yet his experiences also made him realize that we are living in an age in which Jesus is not known, in a cultural context that does not understand God's love. He strongly urges Christians to get into the Word and to remember that, "Ultimately, your best witness is the life you lead, 'embodied apologetic.' Too often when we try to convince others of Christianity, we argue against their beliefs rather than show the fire within us."

Revival comes to NNC



Many students gathered on Monday night to hear revival speaker Dave Perkins, international speaker for "Rock the Nations." Perkins urges students to "ignite the fire" of God's love in their own hearts. Revival services continue Tuesday and Wednesday.

NNCalendar

June 2 - 13	2 8:30a-12:00p ACT Exam - SLH 10:15a All- Campus Clos- ing Commu- ion Service	3 10:15a Chapel Investiture of Graduates 9:00p Time Out	4 10:15a Chapel Senior Slide Show Deadline: Int'l Students validate I-20 A Registrars.	5 10:15a Chapel Summer Sending Service Spring Classes end Chapman Hoop Classic	Weekend 6-7 Saturday: 8:00p Student Recital, AD Bldg. Sunday: 9:00p-11:00p ASNNC Procrastination Party
	8 Finals: Per. 2 9:00-11:00am Per. 6 1:00-3:00pm Per. 7 3:30-5:30pm	9 Finals: Per. 3 9:00-11:00am Per. 3L 1:00-3:00pm Per. 5L 3:30-5:30pm	10 Finals: Per. 1 9:00-11:00am Per. 5 1:00-3:00pm	11 Finals: Per. 1L 9:00-11:00am Per. 4 1:00-3:00pm	12 12:00pm Residence Halls close to students (except those graduating) Alumni Weekend - Golden Grad Celebration

Looking ahead in June:

- June 15:**
First summer school session begins.
12:00p Residence Halls close to graduating students.
- June 16:**
9:00a Grades due in Registrar's Office.
- June 21:**
Father's Day

Letters to the Editor

Letters are great. You love to receive them. I know this from experience.

However, when they cross a certain line, they cease to be a joy to receive.

Tim Wiegman has always been willing to voice his opinion, a personality trait of his I've always been grateful for. His regular letters to *The Crusader* editor have been, until now, based upon constructive criticism. He seldom failed to disagree with what I submitted to the Opinions section, but he was always very courteous about it.

That's why his May 27 letter peeved me so much.

In his complaint, Tim presupposes that the newspaper has a certain duty to be "clean." ("Clean up the newspaper for crying out loud!" was a pretty good tip-off.) We could go on and on trying to define exactly what "clean" means, but that would be missing the point, which is that *The Crusader* has no such duty.

This paper is not an organ of the Church of the Nazarene. Officially, it doesn't even speak for the college. It is very simply a vehicle through which students may express their views.

One of those views may displease a certain amount of students, such as Kent Rudeen's admission that he likes the Cherry Poppin' Daddies' music, but Kent's tastes do not mean the newspaper is suddenly leprously "unclean." It means one of the students likes Cherry Poppin' Daddies' music.

In October of '96, one student approached me with the exact same concern Tim expressed in last week's letter. The guy was miffed most of all at the new Metallica album review we'd printed the previous week, but he also mentioned the "R"-rated movie reviews we'd begun to run. I told him two things: 1. To review something is completely different than endorsing it. 2. If you can't help but feel concerned, fight back by writing a review you think is "clean." Lend some balance to our supposedly heathen staff. He agreed with me on 1., then proceeded to take action.

Also, Tim, there was no need for you to personally attack the people who put these pages together. You don't need to be describing these guys' and girls' effort with words like "downward-spiraling journalism," or sarcastically asking, "ever wonder why we have such a huge stack remaining at the end of each week?" In the past four terms of school, the staff has seen four editors-in-chief manage *The Crusader*. The work in that office is not as easy as it may seem. The staff could use a little bit of patience on their readers' part—until the fall term, at least.

Best of luck next year, guys. I promise not to write too often.

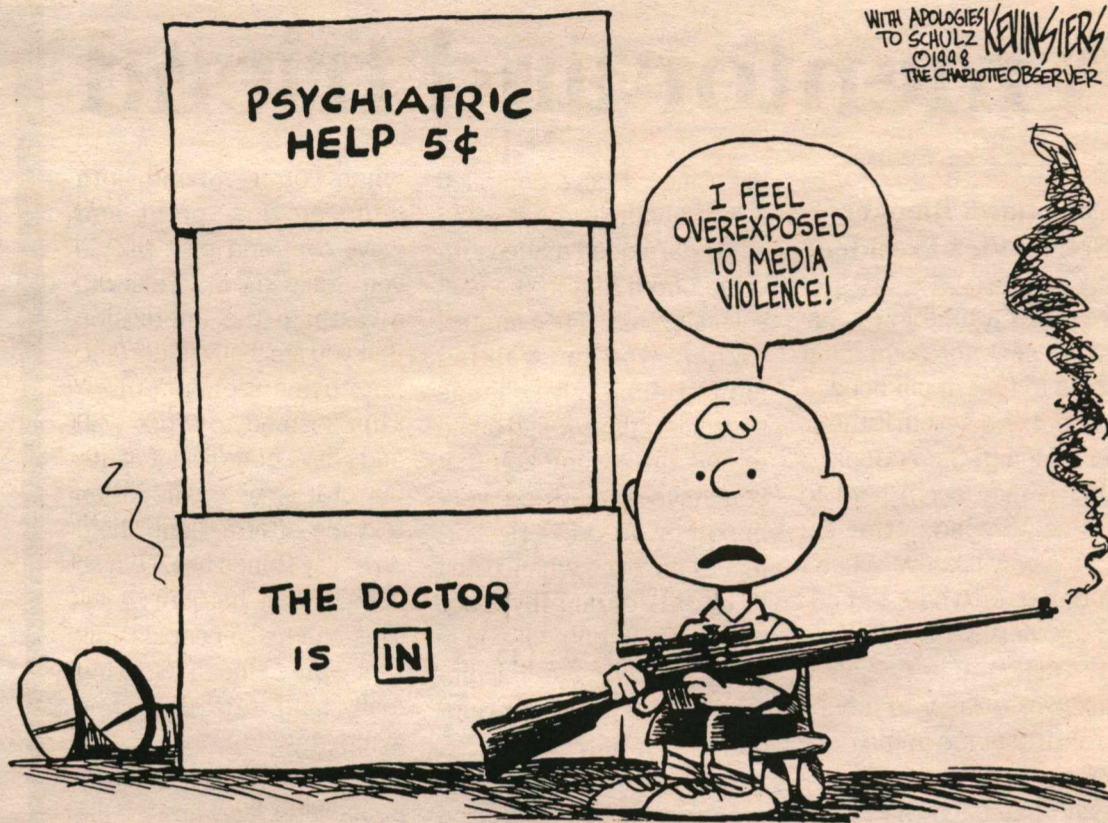
John Fraley

Editor-in-Chief, 1996-97

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Sometimes I just can't say no

SHAWN SHAFER

The year is almost complete. Most people are too happy to go home, relax and have an all-around great summer holiday.

This great chance for recreation, travel and just plain fun (as well as to make that extra dollar or two to buy books and food next year) is alluring to all. Getting to drop our responsibilities is so inviting. There seem to be so many these days.

Problem is, we don't know where along the line the individual responsibilities and commitments added up to the insurmountable lot that now faces us.

They seem to sneak up on us with surprising ease. A choir there; a play there; maybe a job here and there.

Soon enough, all that piled on top of classes and any attempt at social interaction and sanity becomes nightmarish.

After three terms of exhaustion its no wonder we are longing for some relief.

We must realize, however, that school starts again (except for those few escapees—graduates) in a mere sixteen weeks.

Next year the same thing is bound to repeat itself unless we are careful. But how can we be careful when all we are doing are those things we enjoy the most? Is that so bad?

Maybe. I don't know. Maybe it's better to keep doing everything—keep ourselves too busy to think straight. Or at least about things we should be thinking about.

Perhaps it's not so

strange of me to think that I wouldn't know what to do with all the free time I would have were I not involved in anything.

Granted, a personal life outside of this office would be nice. Sometimes though, it is precisely this job that keeps me going.

I know that if I was not involved in all I am, my academic performance would be doing much better. That's if I kept out of trouble and anything else that might get in the way

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of studies (ie relationships, etc.—but that's a completely different article.)

Maybe I would be able to enjoy life a little more. Maybe this, maybe that. It's all hypothetical. If I didn't do as much, maybe the life I would live couldn't be enjoyed as much because it wouldn't be as full. I don't know.

The college years are supposed to be a time of growing, experiencing. The very core of our existence here is based on that principle.

The atmosphere at a college for opportunities unique to the lifetimes of many.

Are we to let these opportunities slide by or, rather should we grasp tightly to them and let them enrich the fabric of our life?

I don't know. My prob-

lem comes in when I can't tell why I am involved in something.

Maybe I thought it would be fun or something. It certainly doesn't seem that way right now.

So much of the time it's not even what I am involved in, its the amount. For example, instead of limiting myself to one activity in which I could excel, I participant in ten different activities.

It would be impossible for me to enjoy all ten of these equally. Much less to be able to enjoy one of these activities as much when doing all of them, than if I had concentrated on that one activity.

This drain on my body doesn't go without notice. The other day I took off another inch in my belt. I am simply too exhausted to properly feed and digest my meals properly. My sleeping patterns are erratic at best—when I get sleep that is.

My point is not to complain because we each have our own struggles and concerns we face. Rather the life some of us live is doomed for failure. It is impossible for us to meet 100% of the expectations and still live.

So why do I do it to myself? The daily torture?

Like I said—I don't know. I think the answer may lie in the fact that I can't say no.

Perhaps the experience I need most in these college years is to be able to effectively assert myself. To say "no" to someone and not feel horrible remorse for doing it.

If I don't, who knows what my life may be like in ten or twenty years.

Crusader remains respectable

This article is in response to the letter written by Tim Wiegman published in last week's issue of *The Crusader*. Wiegman made the all too blunt point that *The Crusader* was trash and as he put it, we "need to clean up the newspaper for crying out loud!"

I have worked for *The Crusader* for two full years now and am currently the Opinions editor. To say that Wiegman's letter rubbed me the wrong way would be an accurate statement, especially since it was my section he was attacking.

Wiegman's main point of concern was a review written by Kent Rudeen the previous week. The band reviewed was the Cherry Poppin' Daddies. Wiegman read the headline, but by looking at his response, I doubt he read the story in it's entirety. If he did, he missed the point of the review. If he would have looked closer, he would have seen that Rudeen was trying to persuade readers away from the album. He told the reader that the record did contain bad language. Rudeen went as far as to say that lyrically, the album was trash. He wasn't promoting it, he was condemning it. Wiegman is under the false impression that if we talk about something, we must be promoting it.

As the Opinions editor, I find it important to address all kinds of issues from all perspectives. We make it a point not to print anything satanic, blasphemous or profane. Although we take in to consideration every letter that we receive, the opinions policy isn't dictated by any one person. If it was, then every editorial in *The Crusader* would be fairly similar and very boring. It's our job to make people think about things differently and maybe see things in a different light.

The way I see it, if I don't make at least one person mad every week, I'm not doing my job. Everybody shouldn't agree with a review or a letter. If they did, it wouldn't be an opinion and it shouldn't be in the opinions section. As long as we keep receiving both positive and negative comments, we're doing something right.

Wiegman stated that *The Crusader* has more or less morally crumbled over the years. He stated that *The Crusader* began reviewing "R" rated movies last year. This is the part of the article where I tell the readers to check their facts and do a little research before they sit in front of a monitor and start typing away. Unlike Wiegman, I decided to check the facts.

NATHAN HYDES

Here's another piece of advice to all of you who are interested in writing letters you want published. If you want to be taken seriously, it usually isn't a good idea to use quotes from slapstick movies. Wiegman used two quotes from the movie, *Tommy*

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Boy. As much as I like this movie, I wasn't sure if Wiegman wanted to make a point or a joke. After all, *Tommy Boy* is a movie which portrays marijuana smoking, drinking, swearing, masturbation, makes references to promiscuous sex and contains crude and sexual language. Wiegman finds it acceptable to write about some indecent movies, but others are not acceptable. I'm a little confused about what he finds OK and not OK.

Back to the main idea. What my research showed was that we have been reviewing "R" rated movies since *The Crusader* started doing reviews. Wiegman said that *The Crusader* is no longer the quality news journal that it used to be... I was curious as to when this "quality" era was. I went into the back issues to see if things had, in fact, changed.

Wiegman may have been referring to the time when he was an employee for the newspaper. During Wiegman's first term working for the newspaper, 11 movies were reviewed, three of those eleven were rated "R." That means that about 27% of the movies reviewed with Wiegman were "R." Two of those three movies were rated with an "A" and the last one was given a "B+." Was this the quality Wiegman was referring to?

Curious, I checked the newspapers of this term to see if we were that evil, to publish three "R" movies in one term. This term we have published seven movie reviews. Of those seven, only one has been rated "R." That brings the percentage down from Wiegman's 27% to the new and improved (and less trashy) 14%.

I looked back even further to see if things had always been this way. I checked a 1994 issue of *The Crusader*. Sure enough, I found an "R" rated movie was reviewed. I checked 1993, and I found the movie *When a Man Loves a Woman* was reviewed. This movie happens to be rated "R" as well. That was the oldest movie review I could find. This was before Wiegman was a student here, so I figured 1993 was a safe place to stop.

Just to be safe though, I looked as far back as 1991. I couldn't find anymore movie reviews, but oddly enough, I did find a review that was written on Bogies, the dance club which is forbidden to NNC students. Maybe this was the quality that Wiegman was referring to. I'm not exactly sure.

If you want to compare this year's paper with last year's, you will see that we have cut the number of "R" rated movies reviewed and the number of secular CD's reviewed.

One last thing that I would like to comment on is the personal attack made by Wiegman. He asked the question, "Ever wonder why we have such huge stacks [of papers] remaining each week?" Then he cleverly answers his own question with (Hint: maybe no one wants to read them).

Once again, I decided to do a little research before I started typing. On May 20, we placed 1,100 newspapers around campus. By the end of the week, every single newspaper in the student center was gone. There are only about 800 students on campus, which means that *The Crusader* is not only being read by most of the students, but outside parties as well.

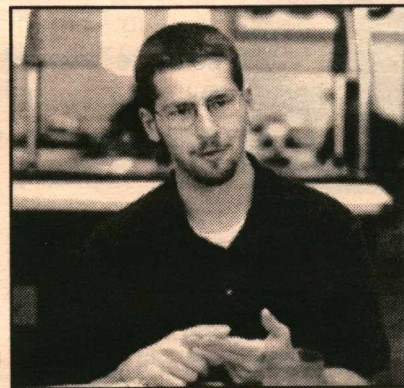
When there are extra papers laying around, one needs to take into account that the minimum amount of papers we can print is 1,000, and that is 200 more papers than there are students on campus.

As much as we appreciate Wiegman taking the time to write to us, it gives me much comfort to realize that it's only his opinion. And I expect Wiegman to make the same realization when he reads the opinions of others before he writes to a respectable paper again. Keep the letters coming.

Your Turn

Random answers from random people on random issues

How has the death of Phil Hartman affected you?



Wyatt Werner
Sophomore
Religious Studies
Salem, OR

"There's no more Lionel Huts or Troy McClure from *The Simpsons*. I mourn the loss of those guys, but I don't miss Phil Hartman."



Jody Lanham
Sophomore
Business
Chugiak, AK

"I hope that Norm McDonald is the next Saturday Night Live star to die because he is gay."



Paul Reynolds
Freshman
English
Salem, OR

"I'm going to miss him in *The Simpsons*."



Nathan Shafer
Junior
Social Science Ed.
Spokane, WA

"Not as much as the death of Andre the Giant or Frank Sinatra."

For your years of service to NNC . . .

... From front page



After thirty-eight years of service to NNC, Dr. Earl Owens has had ample time to affect the lives of students. Dr. Gaymon Bennett and Marilyn Thompson are two of Dr. Owens' former students. Dr. Bennett spoke of Dr.

Owens' dedication to his students, of his passion for his field and of his incredible knowledge of that field. Thompson spoke of what a demanding professor Dr. Owens was, but how, because of his coaching, she was greatly motivated to excel in her field. When Thompson returned as a faculty member in the language and literature department, Dr. Owens became her mentor and colleague.

Thompson recalled one day where she was required to attend a department meeting after everything had been going wrong. After being asked to read the scripture to open up the meeting, Thompson found she was too emotional to continue. The next thing she knew, Dr. Owens had taken the Bible she was reading from and continued where Thompson had been unable to. That memory epitomized who Dr. Owens was and what he meant to her and to his students. There is a vitality to Dr. Owens' teaching. His "go get 'em" attitude and his servant's heart have made him the mentor for many students and colleagues.

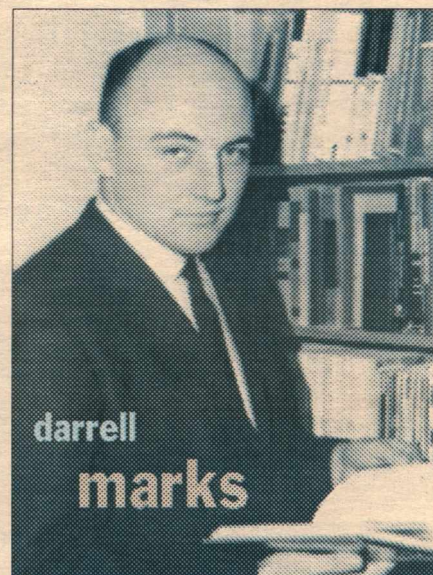


Liz Murtland helped the division of Family and Consumer Sciences to gain a strong reputation at NNC. Though after first term

this year, the department of Family and Consumer Sciences was phased out, it was not because of a lack of credibility. Murtland is affiliated with many national organizations. She was, in fact, the treasurer of a National professional organization for Family and Consumer Sciences.

Laura Rodgers, one of the last graduates with a Family and Consumer Sciences degree says that Murtland is a "true woman of God. [She has been a] real blessing to so many lives. She gives her time and advice both inside and outside of the classroom. She is someone you can call a teacher and a friend."

Murtland has not only been an active faculty member at NNC, but also with the community outside of NNC. As a compassionate ministries participant at College Church, Murtland served as an example to her students that learning must extend beyond the classroom and beyond the required learning courses mandate. Through her many years as a teacher, Murtland also furthered her own knowledge through programs that took her all over the world.



Dr. Darrell Marks began working at NNC in the science department as a physics professor and as the premed. advisor. "Dr. Marks is

awesome," Robin Day said; "he is one of the reasons I decided to come here. He talked to me and my mom for three hours on what I needed to do to get into medical school. He gave us financial aid information, answered questions and just gave a lot of really good advice. Then the next year my dad and I came and visited, he remembered who I was, where I was from and both of my parents' names. And then he gave us a mini tour of the campus."

When Dr. Marks traveled with the NNC extravaganza to Colorado several weeks ago, his love for the college and its students was obvious. Dr. Marks shared with the Colorado congregations of the spiritual life at NNC, the passion the students have for Christ and how proud he was of the environment he saw NNC students creating on their campus.

Dr. Marks retires from the Office for Institutional Advancement after thirty-nine years of service to NNC.

These nine professors represent over 175 years of teaching and administering at Northwest Nazarene College.

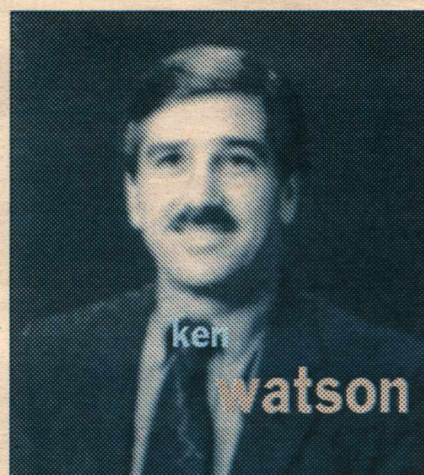


Ed Media has had the presence of Dr. Paul Miller for many years. In fact, Jessica Curtis, who has worked for Ed Media for three years, says that Dr. Paul Miller is Ed Media. Curtis said that many students who come back to visit NNC stop by to see how Dr. Miller is doing.

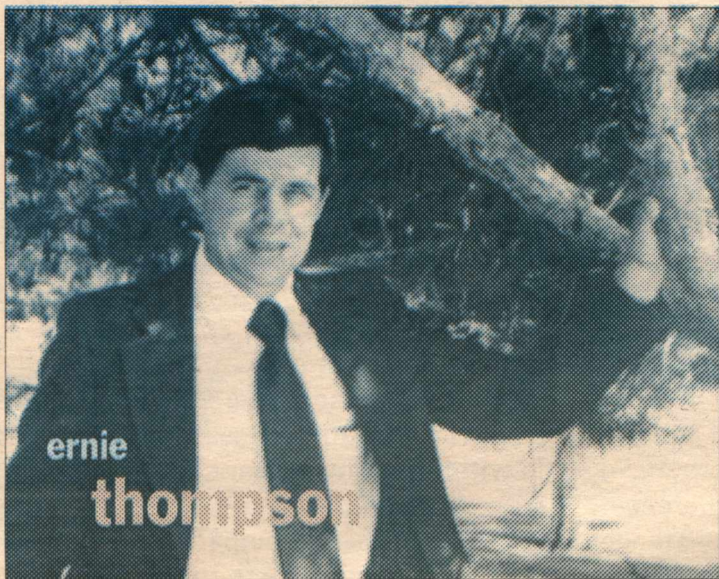
"He just helped out everybody

whenever they needed help. He was a really great guy to work for because he always encouraged you and helped you...he would take time out of his schedule to help you out" Curtis said. She further commented that "Ed Media and Dr. Miller just went together." Curtis shared how Dr. Miller has, over the years, offered his basement to student employees to live in. Dr. Miller is willing to help students in whatever way he can. Curtis said that Dr. Miller was even going to help her find a tire for her car when she needed a new one in order to travel home.

Dr. Paul Miller has been the director of Ed Media for many years. With Dr. Miller retiring "it will be like a part of Ed Media is missing," said Curtis, "he has been Ed Media."



At the retiring faculty chapel Dr. Redfield spoke of how greatly Dr. Watson will be missed by all who had the chance to work with him. Though Dr. Watson has worked with the Office of the President he began as a science professor. Dr. Redfield said that he will always be considered a member of the science department. Dr. Watson's expertise allowed him to be both an outstanding professor and administrator, influencing both the students and the college.



ernie thompson

department of professional studies for this year, and he was voted excellent teacher of the year several years back. While introducing Prof. Thompson at the excellent teacher of the year chapel, JoLyn Payne spoke of Prof. Thompson's devotion to, and care of, his students. She spoke of how Prof. Thompson encourages his students to read the scripture and hold it in their hearts, as he does. His door was always open to students needing to talk, and when he asked how things were going, he really wanted to know. Thompson sin-

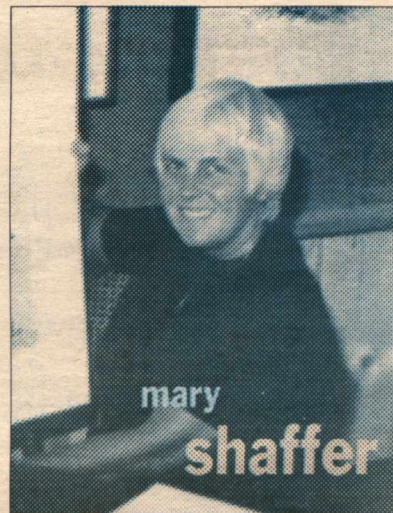
Ernie Thompson has been a part of the NNC education department for over two decades. Before he came to NNC, Prof. Thompson was a principal and teacher in the Treasure Valley area. His contacts and credibility with the educational community of the Treasure Valley have been invaluable resources to NNC education students.

Prof. Thompson was honored as the outstanding teacher of the year for the

care for his students was only part of what made him an outstanding professor.

Prof. Ernie Thompson has been an integral part of the education department for these last twenty-four years. The quality of teachers that NNC has sent out into the educational community, in part, is a reflection of the excellence that Prof. Thompson demanded and demonstrated for his students.

As Dr. Mary Shaffer was announced by Dr. Jim Willis during the Faculty Retirement chapel, he spoke of how involved Shaffer has been throughout



mary shaffer

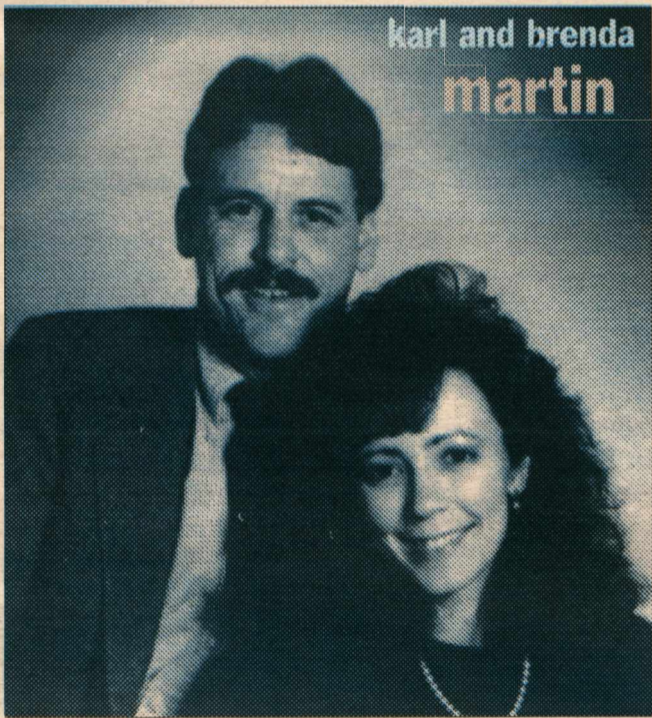
her years at NNC, not only as an art professor, but as an outstanding tennis player.

Shaffer has been a driving force behind the Friesen Galleries in the new Brandt Auditorium and she was also instrumental in gaining the boiler room for the Art Department. Shaffer has been an outstanding professor at NNC because of her love for art and her own artistic ability. Dr. Willis shared that Shaffer will be working on over seventy oil paintings after her retirement to keep busy.

One professor can touch a life; together they can change it completely.

Martins prepare to teach at Point Loma next fall

Dr. Karl Martin has been at NNC since 1989. Some of those years were spent back in Arizona while his wife, Prof. Brenda Martin completed her masters of art program.



karl and brenda martin

compassion also extended beyond the classroom as Dr. Martin's involvement with Habitat for Humanity epitomized.

During the Divisional awards, professor Dennis spoke of how greatly Dr. Martin would be missed. Dr. Martin brought the complex into the language of everyday. Dennis concluded his comments by saying that he preferred to think of the Martins taking a sabbatical. "We'll see you in three years," Dennis said. A response which was greeted with cheers.

Several NNC students took as many Martin classes as possible because they knew the 1997-1998 school year would be his last at NNC. Sophomore Whitney Hanson signed up for summer school specifically because she wanted to take a Martin class. The English department and students taking English classes will miss

Dr. Karl Martin was a beloved member of the English Department. With an emphasis in African-American literature, Dr. Martin has taught most of the modern American literature classes.

Dr. Martin was the recipient of the excellent teacher of the year at NNC this school year. When he was introduced by his TA Ellie Merrick, Merrick spoke of how a student who had Dr. Martin for the first time as a Professor commented on his kind eyes. Merrick further commented that it was not only Martin's knowledge of English that made him such an outstanding professor, but his compassion for his students. This

Dr. Martin's connection of baseball with life and his knowledge with helping complete the English department baseball crossword. His music will also be missed, playing in the classroom and in the office.

Teaching piano in the music department, Prof. Brenda Martin has shown a dedication to her students that has often caused her much physical pain. As Dr. Karl Martin accepted the

honor of excellent professor of the year, he shared how his wife, Prof. Brenda Martin, was an inspiration to him as a teacher. He spoke of her love of teaching and for her students, a love that brought her back to her classroom or studio no matter how intense the physical pain she was suffering from.

Prof. Martin will be missed by students and faculty because of the person she is and also because of her vast knowledge of music performance that she has been able to share with many students over the past years.

Prof. Martin has been offered a position at Point Loma Nazarene University in San Diego, CA. She and her husband Dr. Karl Martin will begin teaching at PLNU next fall.



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May, 1993

Another American Traedy

Nuclear tests in Pakistan bring condemnation

The recent test last Saturday brings on fears that tensions could escalate into a nuclear conflict

by Joshua M. Dooley
World News Editor

ISLAMABAD, PAKISTAN -- Pakistan detonated yet another nuclear device last Saturday in the remote southwest despite the international calls to halt further tests and further escalate the nuclear arms race in South Asia.

Earlier reports claimed that Pakistan had detonated two nuclear devices last Saturday. The latest nuclear detonation follows Pakistan's tests of five nuclear devices this past Thursday as a response to their rival, India's, nuclear tests earlier in May.

Foreign Minister Gohar Ayub Khan stated the test was carried out in the remote hills of the southwestern province of Baluchistan near the Thursday test site, about 700 miles southwest of Islamabad.

When Khan was asked if they'd test more nuclear devices last Saturday, his reply was, "Yes, by the grace of God."

There were conflicting reports, however, as to the strength of the nuclear

blast. Sources at Pakistan's Kahuta Research Laboratories described the tests as fairly small.

Still other reports came in suggesting that it was more powerful than the one on Thursday.

Pakistani Prime Minister Nawaz Sharif is to travel later Saturday to Lahore, the capital of Pakistan's Punjab province, where he plans to hold a news conference. The last time Sharif made an appearance publicly was on national television Thursday to announce that nuclear tests had been conducted.

Further tests were said to not be ruled out and could occur.

Saturday's test brings the total detonations to six for Pakistan. India also had conducted six tests since 1974. Pakistan's most recent test raises fears that tensions in the region could possibly spiral into a nuclear conflict.

There was no doubt that tests such as these would bring condemnation.

Britain condemned Saturday's test saying Pakistan is acting irresponsibly and

in defiance of international opinion. British Foreign Secretary Robin Cook said the test does "nothing to enhance Pakistan's security environment. [It] further escalates tensions and heightens concern about an arms race in South Asia."

Britain also claimed Friday that it would withdraw its ambassador to Pakistan and will likely impose sanctions.

A Japan news agency reported that Japan may recall its ambassador, as well, to Pakistan in response to the country's latest nuclear test.

On Friday, the Security Council declared in a statement that it deplored the tests and urged Pakistan and India to keep from any further testing and sign nuclear arms control treaties -- unconditionally and immediately.

The United States hopes to follow the declarations with a meeting of the foreign ministers of the five permanent members -- the United States, Russia, China, Britain and France -- to discuss further steps to halt the nuclear arms race that is taking place in South Asia.

This Week in History

Historical facts that may or may not deal directly with you

Dating June 1 - June 6

June 1, 1966 -- *Surveyor 1* makes a soft landing on the moon and is able to send back TV pictures.

June 2, 1886 -- the first White House wedding of a president is held for Grover Cleveland and Frances Folsom.

1933 -- The first swimming pool for the White House is built.

June 3, 1990 -- Talks are held in the U.S. between President Bush and Mikhail Gorbachev concerning nuclear arms reduction.

June 4, 1917 -- H. B. Swope becomes the first newspaper to receive the Pulitzer Prize.

1990 -- Dr. Jack Kevorkian helps an Oregon woman commit suicide, which in turn sparks a great deal of debate over a patient's right to die.

June 5, 1852 -- Members of the Delta Kappa Epsilon fraternity build the first fraternity house in the U.S.

1968 -- Robert F. Kennedy is assassinated during the Presidential Nomination Campaign.

June 6, 1716 -- The first African American slaves arrive in the French Territory of Louisiana.

-- Compiled by Joshua Dooley

Tornado devastates a small town

Everything seems to have been destroyed in Spencer; not even trees stand

by Joshua M. Dooley
World News Editor

SPENCER, SD -- President Clinton has issued a disaster declaration for Spencer and surrounding McCook County in the aftermath of a devastating tornado that killed six people, injured 150 and crushed the community.

Vice President, Al Gore, is expected to travel to South Dakota some time today to tour the area and inspect the damage after a previously scheduled stop in Minneapolis this afternoon.

The violent storm system that triggered the tornado Saturday night also made its way through the upper midwest where it killed three in Wisconsin and left at least 900,000 people without power in those two states and Minnesota.

On Sunday, storms that remained from the same system plunged its way through the Northeast, destroying homes, knocking down power lines and killing two people in Massachusetts and one each in Ohio, Pennsylvania and New York State.

"There is nothing here," South Dakota Gov. William Janklow said from Spencer, a community of 300. "Every tree is destroyed. Every telephone pole is destroyed. Every light pole is destroyed. Ninety-two percent of the houses in this town are gone, literally destroyed."

The tornado's path of destruction could be followed for 21 miles. The twister rated between an F3 and F4 on the Fujita scale of measuring tornadoes. It's estimated that the wind speed may have been up to more than 200 mph.

Only a dozen homes were spared by the massive tornado. The post office, fire station, library, bank, all four churches and the grain elevator were destroyed.

The town's 120-foot-tall water tower was ripped right up from its metal legs and overturned as well. Cars were hung suspended 5 feet off the

ground in the tower's mangled legs.

The twister made touchdown on the west side of town, but on the east side, lights were still standing at a ball field. Outside town, however, fence posts were ripped out of the ground and wire fencing was spun up in a spiral.

Finding safety in time was hard because the warning sirens didn't sound because the storm had knocked out electricity, but the governor said it still didn't make much of a difference.

Highway Patrol Superintendent Gene Abdallah said that 20 state troopers were working 12-hour shifts to enforce blockades and prevent looting.

The storms were triggered when a cool, dry air mass from Canada collided with hot, moist air over the northern plains, midwest and Great Lakes.

Winds gusted to 107 mph in central Wisconsin, to 92 mph near Grand Rapids, Michigan and to 70 to 80 mph around Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minnesota.

In a state-by-state look at the storms effects, Kentucky was hit by thunderstorms that knocked out power for about 13,000 people in Fayette County.

In Massachusetts, two men were killed in Winchendon last Sunday when a tree fell on a mobile home. Schools were closed on Monday and more than 5,000 customers were still without electricity by the afternoon. A state of emergency was declared Monday by local officials in Worcester, Shrewsbury and Charlton.

In Michigan, severe thunderstorms packed winds of up to more than 90 mph, which possibly triggered tornadoes in northern Michigan knocking out power to about 850,000 homes and businesses.

Many other states including New Hampshire, New York, Pennsylvania, Vermont and Wisconsin were hit by this storm. Probably none had it as bad as it got for South Dakota, though.

We see the end of Intramurals

Team Field is softball champion; soccer tourney still to happen

by Robin Day
Sports Editor

Intramurals are over, almost. There are still a few soccer games left to play this next weekend, but everything else is over and done with. This is a good thing.

The second championship softball game (ask a player for the reason) was played on Monday evening between last year's champions Blitzkrieg and the challenger Team Field.

Blitzkrieg went into the first championship game with no losses, but Team Field with one tournament loss managed to pull an upset on Thursday, with a score of 12-10, that extended the tournament to one more intense game.

It was a perfect day for a game. The sun was shining, a breeze rustled through the grass. Two teams met on the field and prayed before the great contest. Only one would emerge the victor. That honor would go to Team Field.

Having successfully ousted Blitzkrieg 14-3, Team Field began a celebration, of all places, on the field. All members of Team Field are to be awarded the standard and oh-so-coveted intramural champion t-shirt. Congratulatory cards may be sent to team members via campus mail. A complete team rooster is still posted on the intramural board.

Also posted on the intramural board outside of Marriott is a sign-up for an all-star softball game. There are two teams and spots for about 30 people on each team. Players who feel that the season ended just too quickly still have another chance to play.

For other non-intercollegiate athletes around campus, whose thing really isn't softball,



Blitzkrieg tries to get the out at home. The attempt fails and Team Field scores another run.

the last intramural event of the year will be a six on six soccer tournament. Sign-ups are, where else, on the intramural board downstairs in the Student Center. The tournament will take place next weekend before finals.

Intramural MVP's of the year were Kyle



A view from behind the plate. Blitzkrieg pitches with Team Field up to bat. This one looks like a ball. *all photos by Shawn Shafer*

Fletcher for the men and Jamie and Richelle Anderson for the women.

The Crusader would like to say thank you to all the referees and umpires who volunteered their time over the course of this year. Your knowledge was greatly appreciated and without you, intramurals couldn't have happened.



Blitzkrieg made a valiant effort to win, but even strong batting wasn't enough to subdue Team Field. Monday's game brought one of the largest crowds ever to watch the championship ball game.

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Dan Carew

Dan just spoke at junior/senior retreat, so he has his message already prepared and practiced. Unless he decides to change it, which is possible. All people should go to hear him speak, even those who don't need the chapel credit.

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Science Lecture Hall

REVIEWS

Don't waste your money on Chris Farley's final effort

For those of you out there with a few extra bucks to spend (I know that there aren't many of you), you may want to find something better than *Almost Heroes* to spend it on.

This supposed comedy starring Matthew Perry and the late Chris Farley is a let-down when compared to other Farley movies.

Captain Edwards (Matthew Perry) is bent on beating Lewis & Clark's expedition to the Pacific. To do so, he employs "expert trapper," Mr. Hunt (Chris Farley) for \$150, to guide him. Edwards is an ideological, spoiled rich boy that wouldn't last 5 minutes in the wilderness.

It is up to Hunt to guide the expedition safely across the country and beat Lewis & Clark, who conveniently have a two week head start. The plot winds its way up the Missouri River, where Hunt and Edwards defeat Spaniards, get attacked by bears and cross the Rockies.

The greatest let-down was simply the fact that you could see everything coming. It was as if the original movie was only an hour long, and they had to add all this goofy stuff to make it longer.

Finally, the expedition makes it to the Pacific, beating Lewis & Clark only by a few moments due, in part, to a very brave and heroic act by Mr. Hunt. Edwards isn't done yet, and we leave the band of explorers as they head toward the Bearing Straight as they get the chance to become the first Americans to walk to

Asia.

There was just a bit of irony that I noticed in this movie. Mr. Hunt is gross drunkard with no friends whatsoever.

The movie begins with Hunt being hanged for public drunkenness. Is Farley trying to tell us something? Later on in the movie, Farley wins a drinking contest in order to save the Indian girl that is with them.

Upon his victory, we hear this: "You see, drinking has its benefits." I think Chris Farley is trying to make a statement. Perhaps he is predicting his

death. It is my feeling that this depressed man was crying out for help through this role. Yet, he kept reaching for the bottle and the vile of cocaine.

Other than the irony that I managed to catch amongst the follies, there is only

one good reason to go see *Almost Heroes*.

The only reason that I can come up with would be the previews. The previews were awesome. There are some really great movies coming soon. Look for *Wrongly Accused* starring Leslie Nielsen, a hilarious looking parody of *The Fugitive*, *The Truman Show* starring Jim Carrey, *Leathal Weapon 4* starring Danny Glover, Mel Gibson, Joe Pesci, Rene Russo and Chris Rock. There is also a parody of *The Godfather* with some references to *Forrest Gump*.

As for *Almost Heroes*, the movie poster says it best. "Almost History ... Almost Legends ... Almost Heroes ... MOSTLY RIDICULOUS!"



ALMOST HEROES

Almost Heroes

Chris Farley
Matthew Perry

Reviewed by
Brian Koenig

Crusader Rating



Der Heidelberg offers good eats and no crowds

I was asked to review the restaurant Casa Ole. Well that restaurant happened to not open until June 2, which was too late for this review, since it needed to be turned in by the first.

After racking my brain for a new restaurant to review I thought of Der Hiedelberg. It has been open for some time now, but the more people I talk to, the more I find no one knows about it, which is really strange because even up to my higher standards I found it to be a very enjoyable dinner.

Der Hiedelberg is a restaurant with a German theme. It is located on 12th Ave. just north of Stinker's convenience store where the old Jimmy's café was once located.

Before you read the critical analysis of the restaurant, know that I lived in Germany for six years and have gone back on a couple of trips since that time. So after having the real thing from the homeland, I held Der Heidelberg up to higher standards than the average person would. We also happen to have the best German restaurant this side of the Atlantic in Black Hawk, Colorado (Black Forest Inn).

When we entered the restaurant, the first thing that caught my eye was all of the posters of Germany. It took me back to places we visited in our time overseas. The room looked to hold about 60 to 70 people. I have a feeling that there will always be ample space.

The decor, for the most part, was as close as you can come to Germany. There are artificial plants and German theme pictures on the walls. All that was needed was more neon signs of German beers and less Budweiser ads. When we were there on Monday, seating was not a problem, which

explains why most people I talked to didn't even know the restaurant was there, and that is a shame.

We were seated by a very friendly host/waiter in booths which had pictures of Route 66 on them. Route 66 happens to be a transcontinental road across the U.S., and I have no idea why those booths are in a German restaurant.

Der Hiedelberg

Located on 12th Ave. in downtown Nampa

Reviewed by
Scott Timm

Crusader Rating



The prices were very fair for the meal size that was offered. Prices of appetizers ranged from four to five dollars. The lunch specials were, for the most part, about five dollars and dinners ranged from

nine to sixteen dollars. Dinners come with choice of three soups, sauerkraut, dumplings and veggies. Choices are more than ample. There must have been at least 30 choices ranging from several schnitzels to duck and other beef choices.

I had the jaeger schnitzel meal which happens to be my favorite German meal. It is a cut of veal served with a mushroom sauce over the top. The sauce was lighter and not as thick as I remember having in the little village of my childhood, but still very tasty.

My companion had the paprika chicken. I was told that the chicken was very good. I thought the jaeger schnitzel was great.

The food was up to par with the homeland, and the service was exquisite. The waiter was there when we needed him, but at the same time, was not breathing down our throats.

The restaurant is great for the Friday night date. Nice enough to have a nice evening, but not so nice that it will destroy the budget for the rest of the term.

CRUSADER REVIEWS

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- ✓✓ GOOD STUFF.
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Dave Barry

A TITANIC SPLASH (AGAIN)

I finally finished the script for the sequel to the movie "Titanic." I am calling it — and let the legal record show that I thought of this first — "Titanic II: The Sequel."

I am darned proud of this script. I have been working on it, without sleeping or eating, except for two grilled-cheese sandwiches, for the better part of the last 35 minutes. I realize that sounds like a lot of work, but bear in mind that writer/director James Cameron spent nearly twice that long on the script for the original movie, which was entitled "Titanic I, the Original Movie."

As you know, "Titanic I" garnered a record 56 Academy Awards, including Best Major Motion Picture Lasting Longer Than Both O.J. Trials Combined; Most Total Water; Most Realistic Scene Of Bodies Falling Off The End Of A Sinking Ship And Landing On Big Ship Parts With A Dull Clonking Sound; and Most Academy Awards Garnered. The movie has made a huge star out of Leonardo DiCaprio, who has shown the world that he is not just a pretty face; he is a pretty face who, if he had been in my high school, would have spent a lot of time being held upside-down over the toilet by larger boys.

The phenomenal success of "Titanic I" has also served as an elegant rebuttal to the critics of writer/director

Cameron, although this has not prevented him from going around Hollywood physically hitting these critics on the head with his Oscar statuette. Cameron was especially angry at Los Angeles Times film critic Kenneth Turan, who said Cameron's writing was trite and devoid of subtlety; this prompted Cameron to take out a

Sir! We're getting reports of gigantic icebergs directly ahead! Shouldn't we go slow?

quote, "Bite me." I certainly don't want to take sides in this issue, other than to say that James Cameron is easily the most talented human being in world history including Michelangelo and Shakespeare and all four Beatles combined. I say this out of a sincere desire to have Mr. Cameron pay a hefty sum for my script for "Titanic II: The Sequel." Here it is:

(The movie opens with the Titanic II, getting ready to sail. As the ship's horn blasts a mighty departure toot, up runs spunky young Jack Dawson, played by Leonardo DiCaprio. There is seaweed on him.)

JACK: Whew! I just made it!
ROSE: Jack! I thought you had drowned! To death!

JACK: No! Fortunately, the bitter North Atlantic cold was unable to penetrate my protective layer of hair gel! Who are you?

ROSE: I'm Rose! Remember? You gave your life for me in "Titanic I."

JACK: But Rose was played by Kate Winslet!

ROSE: She didn't want to be in another movie with

you, because your cheekbones are so much higher! So the part went to me, Demi Moore!

JACK: Whatever. (The scene shifts to the ship's bridge.)

CAPTAIN: Ahoy, First Mate! Commence starboard computer animation! Full speed ahead!

FIRST MATE: Sir! We're getting reports of gigantic icebergs directly ahead! Shouldn't we go slow?

CAPTAIN: Don't be silly! What are the chances that we're going to hit another ...

(There is a loud crunching sound. Big pieces of ice come through the window, along with several penguins.)

CAPTAIN: Dang!
FIRST MATE: Sir! The computerized sinking animation has commenced!

(The scene shifts to the Poop Deck, where the water is rising fast. Jack and Rose are helping women and

children into a lifeboat, when an evil villain appears with a gun.)

VILLAIN: Out of the way! I'm taking this lifeboat all for myself!

JACK: It's Kenneth Turan, film critic for The Los Angeles Times!

TURAN: That's right, and I shall stop at nothing to get off this ship, because the dialogue is terrible!

JACK: Is not!

TURAN: Is too!
(They commence fighting.)

THE LATE BURGESS MEREDITH: You can do it, Rock! Watch out for the jab!

JACK: Hey! You're in the wrong sequel!

MEREDITH: Sorry!
(This distraction enables Turan, by cheating, to gain the upper hand.)

TURAN: I have gained the upper hand! Whatever that expression means! And now, pretty boy, I'm going to ... OHMIGOD! NOOO!

(Turan is torn into raisin-sized pieces by an irate horde of young female Leonardo DiCaprio fans.)

JACK: Whew! That was close! Uh-oh! The ship is almost done sinking!

ROSE: This is it! I hope I don't end up as an old bag in this movie!

(As the two lovers start to slip beneath the icy cold computerized waves, they embrace. There is a cracking sound.)

JACK: You broke my ribs!

ROSE: Sorry! I have tremendous upper-body strength since starring in "G.I. Jane!"

JACK: Don't worry! As long as my cheekbones are OK!

(The water slowly closes over them. In the distance, we hear two crew members on a lifeboat, looking for survivors.)

FIRST CREW MEMBER: What's that sound coming from over there?

SECOND CREW MEMBER: It sounds like ... Oh my God! It's Celine Dion!

FIRST CREW MEMBER: Let's get out of here!

(THE END)

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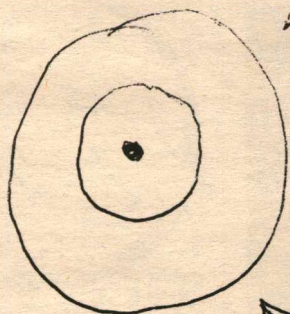
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Poorly Drawn Man

by David Stillman

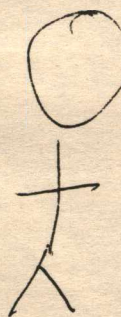
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Buy my new collector's plate

Try my dishwasher soap



Say, Spot, how do you make those plates?

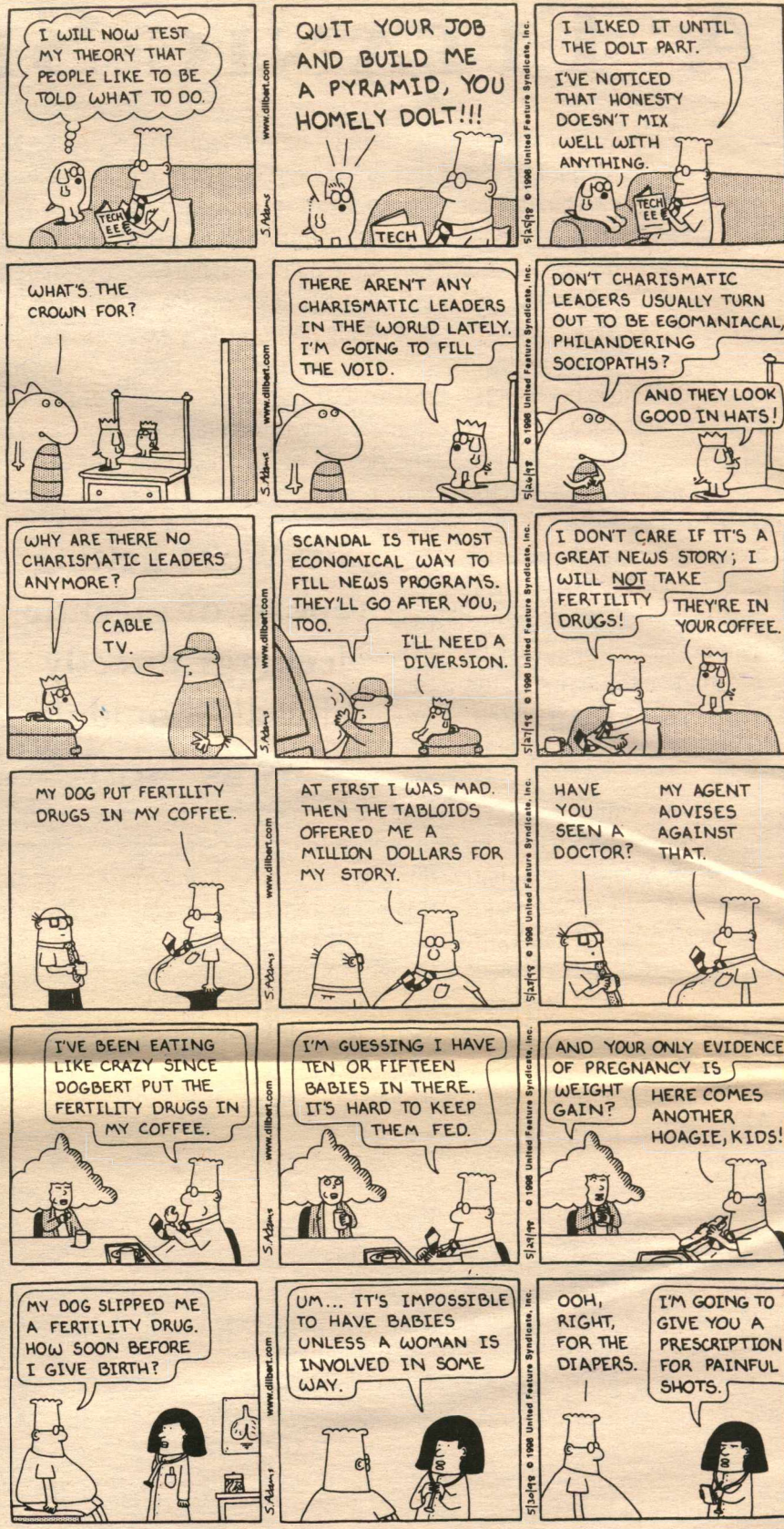
I steal Marriott plates and wash them in my dish soap

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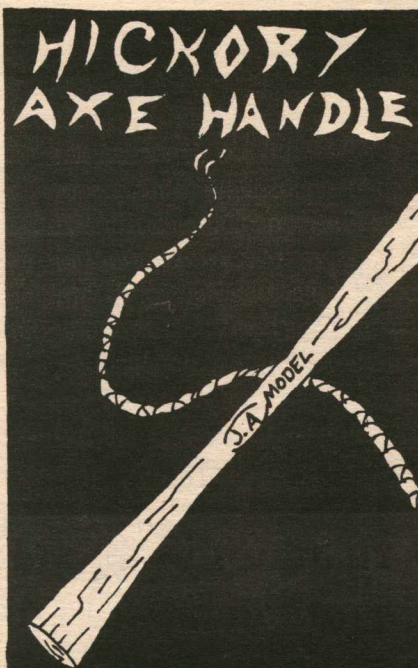
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