

# Up yours, down theirs

FRIDAY 22 OCTOBER--Dr. William Marra at 8 in the Library Aud. on "The Failure of Catholic Education (appropo?); Coffee House in SAC Lounge sponsored by Music Club -- only 50 big cents; Theatre production, that is "All the Way Home"

SATURDAY 23 OCTOBER--Little Sis Registration this morning -- make sure yours is legitimate; clean up the lake area with the Biology & Conservation Club; Indiana Philosophical Association meets from 9 to 5 in the Library Aud. (and I thought this was a "cultural lag" institution) 10 to 11:30 pm in the Perc is the Little Sis Hootenanny & Sing -- popcorn's free, bring your own sister; then again there's always Midnight Mass; don't forget the Little Sis Shopping Trip (can I help you, little girl? heh, heh, heh); Theatre Production again

SUNDAY 24 OCTOBER--Theatre Production: "All the Way Home"; MANASA Halloween Party at LaRue-Carter. Leave Clare Hall at 6:15 pm. Call Ruth Miller ext.387 for info.; Student Board meeting at 7:30

MONDAY 25 OCTOBER--Academic Affairs meets at 4:30 (your monthly report's due, Pam); World Famous WAA Volley Ball teams perform before a crowd of thousands

TUESDAY 26 OCTOBER--Marian Lecture: "Your Ancestors"; Cross Country vs Franklin (at least they got someone they can beat: a syphilitic 250 year old man) THERE

WEDNESDAY 27 OCTOBER--Senior Pictures--show parents and friends your true self; Study Commission on Governance (less study, more action!); WAA Volley Ball; Social Council Film: "Inside Daisy Clover" (so that's why I've been taking those allergy shots!)

THURSDAY 28 OCTOBER--Senior Pictures (Mirror, Mirror on the Wall); Auditions for Homecoming Variety Show; Placement Program --"What's it Gonna Be: Job Satisfaction of Unemployment?"; Get a head start on the looong weekend!

*Cowgirl in the Sand*

# Carbon

## TO STUDENT SERVICES The Wolf in Sheep's Clothing

A Wolf dressed himself in the skin of a sheep and, so disguised, was able to go among the flock, and kill and eat many of them.

At last the shepherd found him out, and to punish him, hanged him from a nearby tree. Some other shepherds, passing by, stopped and exclaimed:

"Surely you are not hanging a sheep?"

"No," replied the first shepherd, "but I always hang a Wolf if I find it in sheep's clothing." And when he showed them what he was really hanging, the other shepherds agreed that the punishment was just.

### MORAL

The advantage gained by lying only lasts until the truth is found out.

## TO THE STUDENTS The Lion and the Four Bulls

Four Bulls in a field always kept near to one another, and fed together. A Lion, watching them from a distance, wanted to eat them, but while he could have attacked any one of them alone, he dared not risk it whilst they were all together, because he knew they would defeat him. So he thought of a plan. He started unkind rumours about the Bulls, and spread them about as though they had been talking about each other. The Bulls heard the rumours, and became so distrustful of each other that they separated, and each fed by himself. The Lion then fell upon each one in turn, and ate them all up.

### MORAL

We are stronger when we stand together!!

## AESOP'S FABLES

FROM THE MASSES:

Editors and the Marian Community:

In last week's Carbon, the people of MC were asked to "respond" and "react or something". This week I am responding.

The above quotes were taken from an editorial, the same article which has prompted me to react.

In three years at Marian, I have sparingly expressed my opinion on most all matters. Not being a Catholic, I subconsciously feel at most times that the school and I have little in common, so I have reserved my comment. (Perhaps I'm just a bit apathetic.) But comes a matter that all Marian College students, and all those concerned with the college, whether directly or indirectly, should stop to reflect on.

First, I will react to a specific instance (though not a first of its own). That again is the same article which has motivated me. (Carbon, 10-15-77, From The Editors, page 1) You may want to reread it, then again you may not, it's probably fresh in your mind. That instance being the poor language and lack of respect to the college in which a point was presented. True, the views expressed in the Carbon are not those of the institution but those of individuals. However, the manner in which these views are expressed do tend to reflect to others (and to ourselves) favorable or unfavorable impressions of the college, whichever may be the case. I cannot agree more with the principle and purpose of the article, but the procedure in which it was handled is disgusting. Most people will agree to that. In this instance, need you stoop so low to make your point?

In general, the paper and its information are essential to the college. But censorship has been one thing that is lacking, or lacking in sufficient controls in this paper in the past. (Who knows what this issue may have?) Having been motivated, my reaction is not limited to any one article or publication. The editors of any campus publication may or may not have control over what they print; this I don't know. But they do control what they write. And as long as they are reflecting, in public, the image of the college they have chosen to represent, they should use a little dignity to reflect a favorable cultural atmosphere, of which most of us belong. As for those writing in, as well as the editors, I don't mean to impress that criticism and truthfulness concerning the college shouldn't be printed, whether bad or good. But I as well as many others, would appreciate a tactful approach in any letter rather than resorting to low-down, deplorable public blasphemy, whether slamming the school (Student Services, Dean Brames, etc.) or writing a letter of praise. What you and I say to each other is a different matter than when making it public. The paper does echo Marian's status, the Marian you and I will graduate from someday. Let's try to clean it up a little, huh?

P.S. Chris

I got up off mine, after you showed yours. (Tactful!)

Dan Taylor

This is your answer: to meet vulgarity with vulgarity. You said exactly the same thing that I did without using 3 nasty little letters. Yes, we will both graduate from Marian soon. It's easy to see where you place importance -- diplomas. I happen to place it elsewhere. Congratulations on being manipulated by last week's Carbon, if you understand how it was done. Glad to see that you got off yours long enough to write this letter. Now, are you going back to sitting on it? CW)

(P.S. Is this better Nancy and Jim?)

FROM THE EDITORS:

The thing that has upset me most in the hassle that followed last week's Carbon is that, though people did get upset, they got upset for the wrong reason. They got up off theirs to complain about the language used, and then back down on the reason why it was used. The first issues of the Carbon were "clean" in the "untactful language" matter mentioned by Dan and I think few people paid any attention to what was said. Do you have to be untactful to get any reaction at Marian?

The second point I would like to make concerns the hypocrisy which surrounds much of the criticism. Maybe poor language doesn't reflect a "favorable cultural atmosphere"; what it does reflect is the actual language of the people in this college. Believe it or not, "poor language" has become "good language" in many cases of everyday conversations. It is accepted by almost everyone as being able to say something which can't be said better in any other way. I think the height of this hypocrisy was reached when one person in a semi-official capacity first reprimanded us for our language in the last Carbon, then two minutes later replied to someone's explanation with the words "that's just bullshit". Who is reprimanding whom?

The criticism hasn't just been leveled at untactful poor language but at mere suggestion of certain things. According to some people we should have censored the last remark from Dan's letter. I am not willing to do that.

Finally, some people reacted strongly to the way we were criticizing institutions or persons. They said it was too direct, too harsh. They said that the Carbon should follow standards of journalism used by professional newspapers and tone our attacks down. First of all the Carbon is not a professional newspaper. It is an informal newspaper. Secondly anyone who has read the Indianapolis Star, Indianapolis' professional newspaper, during election time knows to what levels of personal attack even a professional newspaper will go. In cartoons, editorials, and even articles they over-exaggerate and do the best back-stabbing I know. If the Carbon lived up to these standards it could only get worse.

We welcome criticism of the students and faculty but maybe some people better think things out a little better first.

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# November elections ?

In order to stimulate interest in the November 4th election, the following are points in Mayor Richard Lugar's platform and Mr. John Neff's platform. The key issue for both candidates is Uni-gov. The question of busing is uninvolved in the Mayor's race because it is a school board issue.

## RICHARD G. LUGAR

Incumbent, Republican Candidate for Mayor

- How is Uni-gov different from the previous system?
  - a) elimination of duplicate offices and wasteful overlapping.
  - b) brings the government closer to the people
    - 1) 4 councilman-at-large
    - 2) 25 single member districts, each representing his own neighborhood.
- Was governmental reform really necessary?
  - a) "eliminate the inefficiency and wasteful overlapping of scores of non-elected, non-coordinated government agencies..."
- How did Uni-gov come to be?
  - a) Mayor Lugar formed the Citizens' Task Force in the summer of 1968 on Improved Governmental Structures- all segments of the community were represented. The Task Force conclusions were drafted into a bill in 1969.
  - b) It was presented to the General Assembly and was signed by the Governor.
- Why was there no referendum?
  - a) "Under the Indiana State Constitution, cities are created by the state legislature."
- Who has authority under Unified Government?
  - a) The Council passes laws and appropriates money.
  - b) The Mayor carries out the laws.
- Could a future Mayor put an end to Uni-gov?
  - a) Only the Indiana General Assembly can make a change in Marion County government
- Does Uni-gov. reduce Black voice in city affairs?
  - a) "...representatives will understand the black voters specific problems because the the representatives will be from predominantly black districts.
  - b) "In voting for Mayor and other county-wide offices, the black share of the vote retains the same force as before, not large enough to win an election on its own, but unquestionably large enough to command the respect and attention of all serious candidates."
  - c) "More blacks are currently involved in administrative positions..."
- Did the City-County Council cut the budgets of the health and hospital corporation, the Welfare Department, and the Human Rights Commission?
  - a) "No." "...the budgets of all three agencies were increased."
- Has the tax rate increased?
  - a) Taxes have stayed the same and there are no new taxes forecasted for the future.
- Where does the money go?
  - a) 54.7% → to schools.
  - b) Protection of Life and Property → 14.3%
  - c) Health, Sanitation, Flood Control → 13.5%
  - d) Other (Welfare, Recreation, etc.) → 9.7%
  - e) Operation of Government → 7.8%

For further information contact:

Lugar for Mayor  
144 N. Delaware  
635-8881

## JOHN F. NEFF

Democratic Candidate for Mayor

- In order to discredit the Uni-Gov Act of 1969, Mr. Neff has pointed out failures in the Lugar Administration's policy-making.
- On Tuesday, Sept. 21, Mr. Neff announced that he sympathizes with the ideals of women's rights. If elected he plans:
  - 1) to actively seek out and encourage women to participate in the Neff administration
  - 2) to expand these policies to the Indpls. community at large by refusing with the cooperation of the City-County Council to let any contact or expend public funds to any business or organization which practices discrimination of any kind
  - 3) to encourage the Manpower Commission to change its priorities by devising a more equitable division of funds to include on-the-job training for women in more areas
  - 4) to examine and provide solutions for the problems presented to women whose responsibility is divided between work and home by supporting day care centers, federally funded
- On Sept. 24 Mr. Neff attacked Mayor Lugar for the "touchy and difficult situation" which he created through Uni-Gov. The boundaries of Uni-Gov incorporated all schools. According to Judge Dillin, these schools had to be racially balanced. Mr. Neff agrees with Mayor Lugar on supporting separate schools, but his method of implementation is different. Mr. Neff's method is to repeal Uni-Gov instead of spending tax dollars to fight busing in an appeal to the Supreme Court.

Reasons for Candidate Neff's disapproval of Uni-Gov are:

- 1) that it is a political coup instituted by Keith Bulen
- 2) that it jeopardizes the future of independent school districts

Another area which John Neff is disappointed in is the Public Service Commission. He disapproved of the raise in rates and condemned Mayor Lugar for lack of interest and failure to represent the citizens of Indianapolis.

If further information is needed concerning John F. Neff, please contact:

Neff for Mayor  
124 N. Pennsylvania St.  
639-5116

Submitted by  
John Felter

**Carbon's**  
up your a week  
award of the week  
goes to: "da da da da da da"  
**Rat Already**  
as "Miss Congeniality"

## NEFF CONVOCATION

This past Tuesday, Democrat mayoral candidate John Neff spoke at a 12:30 convocation in the Library Auditorium. He stressed his criticism of Uni-Gov. There was no referendum taken to see if the people in the newly incorporated areas wanted it. Besides being able to vote for the mayor of Indianapolis, the people in the suburbs have not received any benefits from Uni-Gov. Recent court decisions have decided that all the school districts must be combined, ending local control of schools. Neff also attacked Mayor Lugar's priorities. First of all there was the Conference on Cities for which, among other extravagant expenses, Lugar spent \$30,000 to put up a park on the circle. It took only a couple of weeks while needed repairs and services around the city are neglected. Then there is the new sports arena with an original bond issue of \$13 million. On the whole Neff was very enlightening.

What was more enlightening however was to see the level of political awareness and interest of Marian College. There were approximately thirty people attending the convocation! All day students will be able to vote in the Indianapolis elections this year and many dorm students have decided to vote in the city also. The meager number of students present out of the large potential of new voters shows nothing of the supposed desire of the youth to vote. Yet it wasn't just a case of youth apathy, the faculty was just as poorly represented.

It only proves how great Marian's concern for the community is. Long live the ivory tower!

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## FEATURES of the WEEK



"The Oblong Box"  
starring \* Fr. Coffin

"The Great Escape"  
starring \* Don Sartino

"Sweet, Sweet Rachel"  
\*starring our beloved Registrar

KENNY ROGERS SCHOLARSHIP  
Student Board

The main motion at the last Student Board meeting was a proposal to donate \$1000 to Upbeat to help fund a Kenny Wayne Rogers Scholarship. The scholarship will be given to students who will attend Marian and who have gone through the Upbeat program. The scholarship is a memorial to Kenny Rogers whose service to Marian and the Upbeat program was well known.

The main controversy revolved around whether the Board could pass the motion in such a way as to make it an annual contribution. After many amendments the motion passed donating the \$1000 for this year alone. It was also arranged so that the Upbeat student coordinator be the official representative of Upbeat to the Board each year so that he or she would be able to annually apply to the Budget Committee for a similar donation.

The next Student Board meeting is this Sunday at 7:30 in the Social Council Room. Nominations are open for members of the Teachers Education Committee and the Library Committee. A motion for the allocation of money for cheerleader uniforms will be discussed. Rah, rah, rah!

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## "PERC SPECIAL"



OCT. 25 - 30

# Buy a Yearbook!

# SPORTS

Due to no reason except that Hammerle didn't write it, we don't have any sports this week.

QUESTION: IS MORE SPORTS REALLY THE ANSWER TO INCREASED ENROLLMENT AT MARIAN?

Let's see what Indianapolis sees about Marian's sports:

"Marian College Athletic Director Cleon Reynolds was asked by some students this fall to start a cross-country team. He agreed, and not being able to find anyone to coach the squad, he reluctantly took on the duties himself.

Before the team's first meet with Rose-Hulman University, the opposing coach phoned Reynolds to ask if it would be all right to bring along more than the usual five runners.

Reynolds said to bring them along.

"I've got 17 runners," explained the Rose coach.

"Bring them along," Reynolds repeated.

Last is last no matter how you measure it; but when all 17 Rose-Hulman runners finished ahead of all five Marian runners, Reynolds was heard to mumble that there are degrees to everything.

On top of that, Reynolds had to take his car out to find one Marian runner who got lost somewhere on the two-mile course."

"Indianapolis Star"  
Thur., Oct. 21, 1971

## BIOLOGY & CONSERVATION CLUB

CLEAN-UP

LAKE MARIAN

SATURDAY

9:00 - 12:00



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## CARBON HISSES:

- Roger Neuman's hangup with semantics
- Marian's "Cultural Lag"
- Attempts to compare informal publications to professional newspapers
- People who miss the point

## CARBON APPLAUDS:

- Steve Buffington for a touchdown two weeks ago. (Thanks Hamm, for forgetting to put it in.)
- Walt's "Wild Weekend"
- Minnie's egg salad sandwiches
- Alson Wright for putting up with Adrienne Jamar
- The Publications Board for so graciously letting us go to press this week
- The first amendment of the US Constitution -- Freedom of the Press

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FRIDAY OCTOBER 22

10-11:30

SAC LOUNGE

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