IUSB NEWSLETTER

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1. Advisory Board: A 13-member advisory board for Indiana University at South Bend has been appointed by President Ryan. The community-based board will be involved in all major policy decisions affecting this campus and will provide a direct communications link between the campus and the I.U. Board of Trustees.

   Eleven of the 13 board members are drawn from the North Central Indiana community. They are:

   Robert J. DuComb, Jr., South Bend attorney and 9th District State Representative

   Vernon F. Fladeland, factory manager of Uniroyal, Inc., Mishawaka

   Virginia Guthrie, executive director of the South Bend Civic Planning Assn.

   Stanley R. Hossler, labor representative for the Elkhart County United Fund

   Dr. David Pankake, Elkhart School Superintendent

   Samuel Raitzin, president of Tucker Freight Lines, South Bend

   Franklin D. Schurz, Jr., editor and publisher of the South Bend Tribune

   Frank E. Sullivan, South Bend insurance agency owner

   James F. Thornburg, South Bend attorney

   Barbara K. Warner, 1154 E. Colfax Ave., South Bend

   Bernard White, Jr., executive director of the Plumbing, Heating and Cooling Contractors Assn. of St. Joseph Valley

   The other two members of the board are Chancellor Wolfson and I.U. Trustee Richard F. Stoner of Columbus.

   The board will be called together for an initial meeting after the first of the year.

2. 'Serious Jeopardy': President Ryan told the Indiana University trustees at the board's December meeting that the University's mission is "placed in serious jeopardy by the budgetary reductions currently recommended by the staff of the Indiana Commission for Higher Education and by the even more severe recommendations of the Budget Committee of the General Assembly."

Although he said he is encouraged by the possibility of review and improvement of the recommendations, "if further action by the Legislature fails to eliminate these recommended cuts, the inevitable result will be either a reduction in the quality of our educational program or a reduction in the number of students who can receive an education at Indiana University."

President Ryan pointed particularly to "a fiscal inequity which... has become alarming" as a result of the recent legislative recommendations. "The six regional campuses of Indiana University now receive the lowest appropriation per student of any public institution of higher education in Indiana -- an appropriation that is 50 per cent below that made for the three regional campuses of Purdue University," he said. "The effect of the Budget Committee recommendation, rather than to correct this disparity, would actually decrease the per-student appropriation for our regional campuses by an additional 30 per cent.

"No distinction of program or quality exists among the state institutions that can justify discrepancies of this magnitude," he told the trustees.

In other action at the Board of Trustees meeting, the resignation of Trustee Donald R. Lash was accepted; Lash won election to the General Assembly in November.

The trustees appointed Charles H. Webb, Jr., associate dean of the I.U. School of Music, to succeed Wilfred C. Bain as dean of the school; the appointment becomes effective July 1.

The trustees also appointed Rex A. Stockton, assistant dean for research and advanced studies, as associate dean in the Office of Research and Advanced Studies.

3. London for $180: The Notre Dame University Club is sponsoring a round-trip flight to London in the spring for $180. The flight will leave Chicago on May 21 and return on June 8.

   IUSB faculty and staff have been invited to participate in the trip. Anyone interested may find details on the last-page attachment to this Newsletter.

4. Dr. Lewis: P. Helen Lewis, Education, has completed all requirements for the Ph. D. degree in early and middle education from the Ohio State University. The degree will be conferred Friday.

5. Recall: The Audio-Visual Department reminds faculty members to return recorders, projectors, and other equipment on loan from A-V so that the department may conduct inventory and inspection between semesters.

6. Faculty Notes: Dr. Glenn F. Chesnut, Jr., History, has been named one of seven Rosenstiel Fellows for the spring semester. He will participate in a research seminar at the University of Notre Dame on "Wisdom in an Age of Anxiety: The Understanding of Wisdom and the Characterization of the Sage in the Greco-Roman Period." The other six Fellows are James M. Robinson, Claremont Graduate School; Birger A. Pearson, University of California at Santa Barbara; Jonathan Z. Smith, the University of Chicago; William Schoedel, the University of Illinois; Robert Coughenour, Hope College, and Henry A. Fischel, I.U.-Bloomington.

Dr. Michael J. Esselstrom, Music, was guest speaker for the South Bend Chapter of the Association for the Rights of Children of Indiana, Inc., on December 2. He spoke on "African and Afro-American Music."

Dr. Patrick J. Furlong, History, spoke to the South Bend Rotary Club last week on the industrial history of the South Bend community.

Dr. Thomas L. Thorson, Political Science, will be guest speaker for the American Heritage Round Table this evening in the Mishawaka Public Library. He will discuss "The Theory Behind our American Democracy."

7. Meetings and Events:

Friday (Dec. 15)	--	"Two Evenings of Chamber Music," 8:15 p.m., recital hall, Northside West
Friday	--	Theatre IU at South Bend presents Howard Richardson's and William Berney's play, Dark of the Moon, 8:15 p.m., IUSB Theatre, Northside Hall
Saturday (Dec. 16)	--	Titan basketball vs. I.U.P.U. at Indianapolis, 7:30 p.m.
Saturday	--	"Two Evenings of Chamber Music," 8:15 p.m., recital hall, Northside West
Saturday	--	Dark of the Moon, 8:15 p.m., IUSB Theatre, Northside Hall
Sunday (Dec. 17)	--	Dark of the Moon, 2:15 p.m., IUSB Theatre, Northside Hall
Wednesday (Dec. 20)	--	Division of Business and Economics faculty meeting, 9:30 a.m., R149

Social Committee
University Club

The University Club, in cooperation with BOAC, the First Bank Travel Bureau and Student Services is sponsoring a round-trip flight from Chicago to London on May 21, 1973 (day after graduation) and returning on June 8, 1973. The cost of this Boeing 707 flight is the incredibly low amount of $180.00 a person!

A quick survey of some club members indicated that they would prefer a non-structured trip involving only air travel rather than a guided tour. However, the First Bank Travel Bureau will program you into any Continental flights or tours after your landing in London. If you wish low-cost travel from London to Paris, Rome, Costa del Sol, the Riviera, etc., the First Bank Travel Bureau will make individual or group arrangements for you. They will also arrange rentals of cars or campers for you at reasonable rates.

Perhaps a majority will prefer to remain in London to leisurely savour its history and enjoy its fantastic array of shows and musicals. For these discounted, reasonable rates can be arranged at a well-known mid-London hotel and baggage transfer. Armed with these advantages and "Europe on $5.00 a Day," you would have an enjoyable holiday at a low cost!

There is a time limit so you must submit a deposit of $50 per person before January 8, 1973.

If you are interested, please cut off the application blank below, fill out and submit to Bill Webster as soon as possible.

To: Bill Webster (phone 284-3221)
First Bank Travel Bureau
133 South Main St.
South Bend, Indiana 46601

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Address_____

Phone_____

I am interested in remaining in London for the entire period or I plan to follow this itinerary and I'd like some information on:

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_____Check for $50 per person is enclosed.