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PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE GEORGE BUSH and Dr. June Welch will share "Reminiscences and Reflections" on the Texas political experience at 7:30 p.m., May 7 in Lynch Auditorium in a program sponsored by the Library Associates. Mr. Bush announced his candidacy for President on May 1 and is scheduled to appear on "Meet the Press" on Sunday, May 6. A reception in the Haggar Center will follow the Library Associates program. The event will be open to the public.

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THE 1979 CAMPAIGN FOR GENERAL SUPPORT reached a total of \$247,934.36 on April 30. On that same day last year, the total was \$225,112.52. This will be the University's most successful annual campaign yet. For the last three years, our annual campaign reached and then exceeded its goal, setting a new record each time.

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"THE PRIME OF LOUISE COWAN" is the title of a feature article in the current issue of "D" Magazine. It provides an in-depth analysis of Dr. Cowan and her renowned teaching style. In the same issue, McDermott Professor Christian Norberg-Schulz discusses his research on cities and his ideas about place, the subject of his next book. Dr. Cowan recently presented a major paper at a seminar at The Citadel, joined by such other distinguished critics as Cleanth Brooks of Yale. Dr. Norberg-Schulz will soon become a member of our faculty here and has already taught at our Rome campus.

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LOUIS MAHER has agreed to serve as chairman of our Capital Funds Campaign. He will be assisted by a co-chairman and campaign committee, the latter consisting of board and non-board members. The tentative goal is \$15 million. Within the next year, the University hopes to have most of this goal pledged so that urgent needs can be met.

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AS MANY AS 2,000 local high school students recently visited the Haggerty Art Center and the University Gallery to view the Twentieth High School Art Exhibition and the Winners Open, a collection of current works by former winners in the annual exhibit. Growing support of the art program has encouraged the creation of a new organization, the Art Patrons, which will make many new friends for the University.

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DR. ELISE KIRK, General Studies music, will take a leave of absence in the fall to complete her research in the field of American cultural history under a recently awarded Smithsonian Institution Fellowship. In September, Dr. Kirk will spend three weeks in Australia, lecturing in several universities; she will read a paper entitled "The Musical Philosophies of Charles Koechlin and the Art Nouveau Movement" at the Third Symposium of the International Musicological Society in Adelaide. Her participation in the symposium was made possible through grants from the University of Adelaide and the American Council of Learned Societies. Dr. Kirk has also recently been appointed by President Carter to the Advisory Council for the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts in Washington, D.C.

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