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# FAZE 1

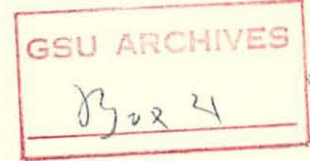
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Nothing is as easy as it looks.  
Everything takes longer than you expect.  
And if anything can go wrong--  
It will...at the worst possible moment!!

- Murphy's Law -  
(or optimist creed)

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GSU CAST INTO DARKNESS...At 7:44 p.m. Thursday, July 14, the lights went out at GSU. Mike Foley, Chief Engineer explained what happened. "An underground gas leak outside the building seeped into electrical conduits and traveled into the main high voltage distribution switch resulting in an explosion and fire."

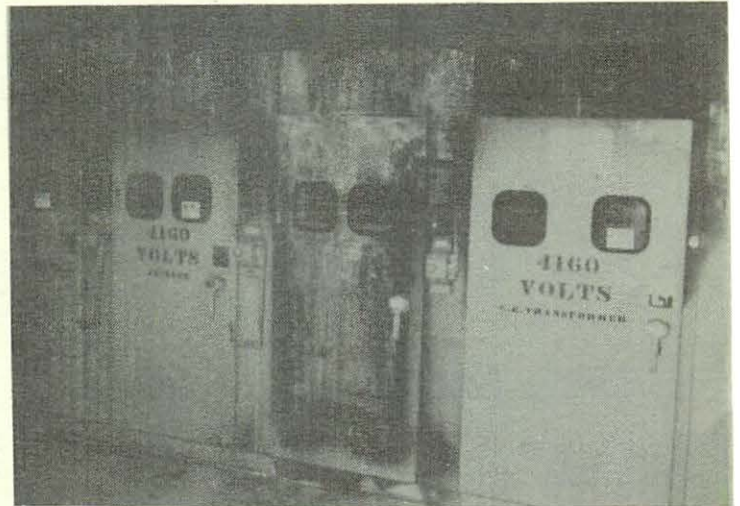
Narrowly escaping injury were Mike Hassett and Mike Mahoney, engineers on duty at the time. Foley praised their cool-headed thinking in notifying the Park Forest South Fire Department immediately and evacuating the swimming pool and gym area. "Their quick action prevented the damage from being more extensive," he said.

Foley extended thanks to the entire B&PO crew who worked long hours above and beyond the call of duty to put the University in operating condition, and to Bob Childs who also kept the recorded phone message updated.

"The Department of Public Safety did a terrific job keeping people away from the dangerous area so that work could progress," said Foley. Other helping hands were Block Electric, Commonwealth Edison, Morrison, Inc., and Advance Glass Co.

"I really appreciated the J.B. & Sons janitorial service; they pitched in immediately to help clean up the mess."

CANCELLED...Due to last week's power failure, University Assembly elections have been cancelled, to be rescheduled at a later date.



Door charred in Thursday's explosion and fire.

FAZE I SAYS THANK YOU TO: the Mailroom handling backed-up mail deliveries... Business Office staff distributing pay checks from the non-air conditioned Planning Building in 98° heat...devoted members of the Administrative staff who worked around the clock during the emergency.

"HARLEQUIN" DELAYED..."The Adventures of Harlequin" will be presented at GSU as originally scheduled July 22, 23 and 25 at 8:00 p.m. Additional performances will be given July 29-30, due to cancellation of last week's program. Tickets for the cancelled performances will be honored at either of the above dates, but advance notice of attendance must be given; call ext. 2416.

# EVENTS

## SATURDAY, July 23

8:00 p.m.

"The Adventures of Harlequin" (Theatre)

## SUNDAY, July 24

8:00 p.m.

"The Adventures of Harlequin" (Theatre)

## MONDAY, July 25

9:30 a.m.

ICC Production Meeting

10:00 a.m. - 12:00 Noon

SCEPP (D1120)

1:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Operations Committee (D1120)

2:00 p.m.

R & I Staff Meeting

## TUESDAY, July 26

1:30 p.m.

Academic Council

7:00 p.m.

Region IX Health Systems Meeting (EH)

## WEDNESDAY, July 27

1:30 p.m.

CCS Academic Affairs Committee

2:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

HLD Faculty Meeting (C3324)

3:00 p.m.

CCS Faculty Meeting

## THURSDAY, July 28

9:30 a.m. - 12:00 Noon

HLD Administrative Council Meeting (C3324)

10:00 a.m. - 12:00 Noon

EAS Faculty Assembly (A1102)

3:00 p.m.

University Assembly (EH)

## FRIDAY, July 29

10:00 a.m. - 12:00 Noon

Administrative Council (PCA)

8:00 p.m.

"The Adventures of Harlequin" (Theatre)

## SATURDAY, July 30

8:00 p.m.

"The Adventures of Harlequin" (Theatre)

## SUNDAY, July 31

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A Smoking Clinic will be held at GSU, August 8-12, 7:00 - 9:00 p.m.  
For reservations, call ext. 2464.