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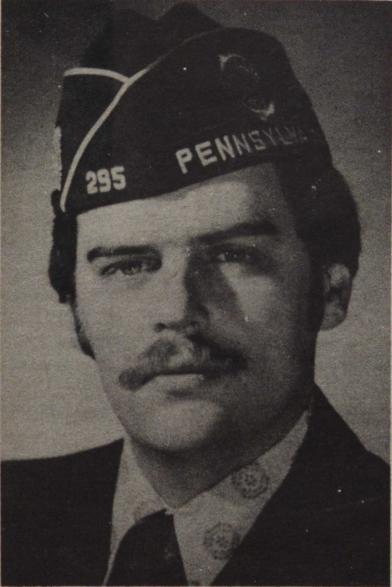
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Veterans' Day Luncheon



Malcolm Glasgow

The Veterans Club of California State College will observe Veterans' Day with a luncheon in Gallagher Hall on the CSC campus today at noon.

Principal speaker for the event will be Malcolm "Mac" Glasgow, former Veterans Club president at California State for three years and currently a national field representative in the member. representative in the member-ship and post activities section of the American Legion's Inter-nal Affairs Division.

Glasgow, a Greensburg native, headed the California Veterans Club for three years, following his discharge from

the Air Force in 1974.

During his college career, he was active in the National Association of Concerned Veterans, was listed in Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges and was selected to Alpha Mu Gamma, national collegiate foreign language honor society, and Gamma Theta Upsilon honor fraternity and the National Honorary Geographical Society.

He also served as a Veterans Outreach counselor under a work-study program with the Veterans Administration and has experience in radio and

Glasgow was appointed to his position with the American Legion's Internal Affairs Division by Frank C. Momsen, national adjutant, on April 1,

He will also serve as parade marshall for the Brownsville Veterans Day parade to be

held Nov. 11.
The 1978 officers of the Cal State Veterans Club are Mark J. Conte (Monongahela), president; Patricia Jordan (Donora), vice president, Paulette Dugan (Republic), secretary, and Linda Todaro (Port Vue), treasurer.

Warren Park (Charleroi) and Jack McLaughlin (California) are serving as councilmen

Senior class councilman is Jim Driesh of Sewickly; junior class councilman is Joseph Berg of Philadelphia and the freshman councilman is Calvin Beckwith of Philadelphia.

Elementary Ed Society Seeks **New Chapters**

Members of Lambda Epsilon Delta, the only national honor society for elementary education majors, are interested in forming new chapters among elementary education majors at colleges and universities nationwide.

The society was formed at Slippery Rock State College in 1963 and gained a national charter in 1977.

The purpose of LED is to encourage a high degree of intellectual and personal standards in the field of elementary education.

Membership is open to students majoring in elemen-. tary education and those with an elementary education concentration. Candidates for membership must have a cumulative grade point average of 3.0 or better on a 4.0 scale, and must have earned at least 60 semester hours.

Colors for the organization are gold, white and black, and the crest features the words "Praecepta Pueri," which means "teacher of the young."

Persons interested in finding out more about forming a Lambda Epsilon Delta chapter may contact Cinda McKinley, LED. Elementary Education Department, SRSC, Slippery Rock,

Antiapartheid Leader To Speak

On Thursday, November 16, Drake Koka, a trade union and antiapartheid leader in South Africa, will speak at 2:00 P.M. in the World Cultures Building,

Mr. Koka will relate from his personal experiences an account of the true state of affairs for black working people and youth in South Africa.

Mr. Koka has been named as co-conspirator in the trial of eleven leaders of the Soweto Students Representative Council. This organization is responsible for many of the mammoth protests that have swept South

Mr. Koka, himself, is now in exile from South Africa.

Mr. Koka's speech is to be a presentation of the Lecture/Arts Committee of S.A.I. All students will be admitted Photography by Dan Little



DR. NANCY J. TAIT, ESC'S DEAN OF WOMEN, displays the Certificate of Appreciation awarded to her by the American Cancer Society for "notable assistance in the Crusade to Conquer cancer." The award was given to Dr. Tait by the Washington County Branch of the ACS for her assistance in setting up a cancer screening program for women at the College Health Center last April. Another such program is being planned for next spring.

Honors Points Changed

To make equal Dean's List and Graduation Honor Rolls, the curriculum committee recently raised Honor quality point average requirements. Now, requirements for both Dean's List and Graduation Honor Rolls are as follows:

Highest Honors 3.75-4.00 **High Honors** 3.50-3.74 Honors 3.25-3.49

These new requirements eliminate the possibility of naming students to the Dean's list but not graduating them with honors.

"Heroes"

The Student Association will present the movie "Heroes" on Sunday, November 12, as its Sunday movie presentation.

The Student Association presents these films as a service to CSC students, who are admitted free with a valid ID card, and to all others who wish to attend at a charge of \$1.

The films are shown at the Steele Auditorium on campus

with showings at 7 and 9 p.m.

The SAI presents these fulllength features every Sunday

Blood Drive

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Rangers

November 13

11 AM-- 5 PM

Gallagher

Student Activities Association, Inc.

I, like James, however, object to the manner in which the nange was implemented.

of Directors simply renamed the corporation. I recognize that the board acted only after consulting its attorney.

body. According to the corporation's bylaws, we are the Studen Activities Assocition, Inc. The only way to change that name is b an amendment. All amendments must be voted upon by the mem

bership of the corporation, as per Article VI of the bylaws.

Like Jim Maddiex, I too am wondering why the students themselves haven't voted on a name change. Why is the name change not included as part of the history of SAI that appears in the hand

After all, we were the SAA, Inc. for 41 years. I don't know wha authority allowed this change without a student vote, but it occurs to me that whoever it was became so caught up in the word "Activities" that he forgot an even more important word

CSC: A Profitable Choice

Part II

feature article entitled "CSC: A Profitable Choice." In doing so. I had interviews with freshmen who served as their high schools' valedictorians. Therefore, I feel that it is noteworthy to add the following girls who were assets to their high schools.

Holly Celaschi was the valedictorian for the '78 graduating class of the Chapel Christian School in Belle Vernon. The choice of CSC was inevitable to Holly since she prefers a smaller college, a school located conveniently for commuting and the influential fact that her father is a CSC alumnus. Holly has chosen to major in Business Ad-

The number one position of Fort Cherry High School's graduating class was maintained by Mary Herbst. Mary has chosen to study Bilology. She selected CSC on the merits of location, college at-

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fourth in her class at Uniontown Area High School. Carolyn is a Secondary Education major and feels that CSC exhibits excellent qualities in her field of study. Carolyn informed me that she had considered enrolling at West Virginia University until she discovered that CSC had an eminent reputation in teaching. She had also discussed her future aspirations with many CSC alumni, who pointed her in the direction of Califor-

I thoroughly enjoyed meeting and talking with each of these students. I feel that they certainly are deserving of their honors and exhibit prominent accord with college life and future achievements. I sincerely extend my best wishes to them in all of their college endeavors.

One of these, the name change, is a good idea. Student Asociation. Inc. more accurately describes the corporation than

In an awesome display of its Godlike authority, the SAA Board

What really irks me is that the board did not consult the studen

Be proud, Cal State

by Rhonda Hartman

graduates. One of your number has made it to the top.
Wesley Britton, who earned an English degree at Cal State, is now president of Wesley Britton. Two weeks ago I wrote a mosphere, and high school eature article entitled "CSC: guidance. tton and Associates, an adver-Carolyn Shirky graduated tising company in Dallas, Texas. He has his own office, his own secretary, his name on the outside window, and his own business cards and personalized envelopes. Every morning the gets mail addres-sed to "President Wesley Brit-

Stephen J. Huss Policy On Letters

It's been a large step for Wes since he was graduated in the summer of '77. That summer was a traumatic one, but finally, in mid-October, Wes threw his final party, and left for Texas to find his fortune.

In Dallas, Wes and his stereo settled in his parent's home, and soon Wes was on the streets "looking for some benevolent soul to hire a blind man." His search was in vain until the State Commission for the Blind financed a Visual Tek machine which allowed Wes to

see what he was reading.

After "bombing out" in a short stint with the em-

Dave Maslanich
Claudia Fink, Rick Kramer
Chuck Cheresnye
Dan Little
Ann Miller
Dave Hulick

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William K. Bennett
Ann Miller

Letters to the editor must be accompanied by the author's name, address, phone number, and student number (if applicable). The Times reserves the right to edit letters for publication. Names will withheld upon request.

California Times Policy

Wes Britton Hits The Top

During the hours that the Health Center is closed you should use the emergency

room at Brownsville General Hospital. Expenses incurred there will be your

responsibility. In an extreme emergency Security can be called at 938-4299.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

As a result of the retirement of one of our nurses it is necessary to reduce the

FRIDAY, NOV. 10

Vet's Club Luncheon at Gallagher Hall; Coffeehouse at the Grill in the Union 9:00-12:00; California Jam III featuring area

SATURDAY, NOV. 11

Rugby HOME with Juniata, Football AWAY at Shippensburg; Men's NCAA Nationals Cross-Country at Indiana, Volleyball AWAY with Carnegie-Mellon 1:00 PM, "Snow White" in L.R.C.

SUNDAY, NOV. 12

Monday to Thursday - 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 P.M. (24 hours)

Karate practice in Gallagher Hall 6:00-8:00 PM

hours of coverage at the Health Center.

The Health Center will be open:

Friday - 7:00 a.m. to 11:00 P.M

The Health Center will be closed

Saturday — 3:00 P.M. to 11:00 P.M. Sunday — 3:00 P.M. on.

Friday - 11:00 p.m. to 3:00 P.M. Saturday

Saturday - 11:00 P.M. to 3:00 P.M. Sunday

"Heroes" at Steele Auditorium 7:00 & 9:00 PM, Shotokan

came approximately one month into this job when he was asked to read and tape some commercials for the company salesmen. The boss thought the tapes were ter-

> But so did Wes, and he told him so. "Nobody uses ten-second spots. They're useless and uneconomical." So Wes wrote his own commercials and produced them on his own

The following day, Wes was relieved of his telephone duties and installed as commanderin-chief of Wesley Britton and Associates. He was put in con-trol of all Nationwide Muffler's advertising (there are distributors all over Texas and some in Kansas), and given the freedom to search out adver-

tising campaigns of his own. He is currently writing radio and television commercials for Euro-American Collector Cars, Inc. (they sell vintage and new Rolls-Royces, BMW's, Mercedes Benzes, and Jaguars), and Papagayo's ("the ultimate new nightclub in Dallas"). Though most of the funds

ployment agency. Wes was hired by Nationwide Muffler Systems to do telephone public relations work. His big break acquired through these freelance campaigns goes back to Nationwide, Wes figures "the experience can't hurt."

'the experience can't hurt.''
Meanwhile Wes is still collecting records and reading tons of comic books. But the change of locale has had an effect on him. He drinks considerably less now, and "loves to watch the Dallas Cowboys - no kid-

'Tell everyone I've been so damn good, it's amazing. I'm even considering joining the chamber of commerce! Now if I could only make some money

FOA Essay Contest

A national essay contest, focusing on the use of animals in research and education programs, was announced today by Alice Herrington. president of Friends of Animals, Inc. (FOA). The best essay will receive a first prize of \$2,000. There will be three awards of second prizes of \$1,000 each and six awards of third prizes in the amount of

The question for this year's contest is: "Why should the Congress end funding of research and education programs that involve the use of animals and divert these funds to alternative methods?

The contest is aimed at encouraging American students to help in the development of a new ethic for the treatment of non-human animals. Now in its second year, the competition is made possible through a grant from Regina Bauer Frankenberg, a director and vicepresident of the national nimal welfare organization.

LETTERS

Frame's Views Criticized

I recently read with amazement Mr. Frame's article, "Did You Ever Think About Drugs?" I sincerely hope that the underlying inference in the article was the product of overzealousness on the part of the author.

It is nothing short of horrifying when a journalist advocates the control of social morality. Pot smoking by an adult is a victimless crime. Perhaps the practice can be damaging to one's health, but does any legislative and/or judicial body have the right to control my life in this manner? I fully endorse criminal prosecution for driving a vehicle while under the influence of marijuana or any other drug. As is the case with alcohol, underage use of the drug should incur some penalty, but factual education in this area would be of equal benefit to the welfare of elementary and secondary

students. As for pot smokers being "enslaved in a world of fantasy"; my personal experience dictates to me that the statement is grossly exag-

Perhaps if Mr. Frame has his way, after pot use is abolished, the legislative and judicial bodies might turn their attention to journalistic rights guaranteed by the United States Constitution that do not parallel these men's personal beliefs

Brad Ciotti Volpe And Stein Reply To Johnson

Dear Mr. Johnson, In reference to your letter concerning Jerks, Jackets, and Jocks, Oct. 27 issue, we would like to comment on several

1. If you are a concerned member of the student body, you should realize that the Student Activities Association, Inc. has been changed to the Student Association, Inc.

2. We would like to know where your information came from concerning the 80% of the Student Association fee allocated to athletics. Your information is inaccurate, and if you had taken the time to review the budget in the S.A.I. office, you would have found

your remarks invalid. 3. The \$20,000 deficit was paid to free the Athletic Program and its new director from paying \$4000 for the next five years in turn to S.A.I. Therefore, jackets could not be budgeted as a necessary ex-

4. The so-called hand picked students were ELECTED by

the entire student body. We would like to remind you that less than one-third of the student body voted in that elec-

5. Where is your pride in the college when you call it "Catastrophe State?" It seems to us that you are apathetic in that you don't seem to care about the betterment and growth of California State College when you degrade it.

6. A dollar here or a dollar there is the same concept as a vote here or a vote there. Our dollars represent our voice in the legislature in Harrisburg. The dollar is also your voice in Harrisburg. CAS is working PRIMARILY to keep tuition at a minimum. CAS also votes on other referendums in the 7. Useless health insurance?

The insurance policy is OPTIONAL and is to assure you protection on this campus

8. We too, feel that athletes work hard in their participation in school athletics and have pride in them. Athletes strive to achieve their goal as individuals and as a eam for the glory of participating and not for the glory of the "silver platter!

It appears to us, Mr. Johnson, that you cannot substantiate your letter with facts. Your negligence can be easily remedied by attending student government and S.A.I. Board meetings, which are open to ALL corporation members. By the way, did you know that students are corporation members? You have not only succeeded in showing your ignorance, but also the incompetent manner in which you gathered your so-called "facts."

With appreciation, Rosetta Volpe President **Student Congress**

Member S.A.I. Board of Directors Note: The writers of this letter have requested that the Times reprint Mr. Johnson's

Jerks, Jackets, and Jocks

letter, so here it is.

I would like to know who the jerks are who have instituted the policy of no longer awarding varsity jackets to jocks who have earned letters. How chintzy can our new athletics program get?

It can't be for the lack of money, since 80% of the student activity fee goes to athletics. It can't be for the lack of money, since a \$20,000 deficit was wiped out this summer (by some hand-picked students) so that the new athletic director could begin with a clean slate.

Now, isn't that cute? \$20,000 could sure buy a lot of jackets for jocks.

ters and jackets. They practice for the students; those who sided) hard after classes; they miss complain either cannot or will classes to participate and get heck from the profs

They work hard for CSC and get rewarded by having their jackets taken away from them. The jerks who have done this

just reflect the rip-off of the students that constantly goes on here at Catastrophe State. A dollar here, a dollar there

for CAS. Who needs the Commonwealth Association of Students? Mostly they care about abortion laws and lowering the drinking age. Then there is the useless health insurance. I wonder how

much someone got for landing that contract? I could live with most of that. but when the jerks take the

jackets away from the jocks, that is too much. Jim Johnson

Student Chides Lifeguard

Dear Mr. Klingensmith: I rarely think replies to let-

ters deserve replies, but I must take issue with your letter regarding the pool hours. In the first place, Ms. Babb and Mr. Dwyer did come to the pool at a "reasonable time" -hours before closing - they did not "wait until the last minute." But that should have nothing to do with it. If the hours are scheduled for 12:00-6:00 Saturday and 1:00-5:00 Sunday, then the pool should be open for all of those hours As for your time being im-

portant, I can appreciate that you feel that way. However, do you really "sacrifice" your time when you are working? As pointed out before, you are getting paid for it and you probably got your first check this past Friday the same time everyone else was paid for the first weeks of working. If you don't want to be bored for ten hours on the weekend, why don't you try to be transferred to another job? Try the library - we work when we're at work. (Maybe you have tried, I don't know.)

In conclusion, I hold that Ms. Babb and Mr. Dwyer were entirely justified in what they wrote. If a student chooses to come ten minutes before closing or chooses not to come at all, the pool should be open and the lifeguards should do what they're being paid to do.

Sincerely

It Isn't All That Bad

Sorry to batter your eyes with yet another letter about one person's views of the problems on campus, but here

The school offers a large and

not read the schedules of events.

On the matter of funding, I would like to thank the SAI for the allocation for the class "C" clubs, but first a note on the funding structure.

The academic clubs are last on the list and receive the least, while the "Sacred Sports" are on top and get the most — but still Mr. Cheresnye demands more money.

Does anyone out there realize that California State College is an academic institution and not a sports complex?

Last issue a jock lamented the fact that the school is not giving him a jacket this year. He quoted incorrect and irrelevant information for his justification.

Well, why don't va'all quit your bitchin' and look at the good the school has to offer that way the few bad points will be easier to accept.

Robert E. Weber

Student Defends Rangers' Float Prize

This letter is in defense of Reserve Officer Training teerers Clubs and Zeta's should Corps (R.O.T.C) winning homecoming. It really was not they who won, it was the Rangers and Orienteering Clubs Zeta's who won. So any bad feelings toward R.O.T.C. are unjust

You should be upset with the judges and possibly the administration.

People have been saying that the Rangers and Orienteering Clubs should not have been permitted to enter the homecoming events. The reasons given were that they are not a Greek organization.

If this is true, then why isn't there any say about why Johnson Hall was allowed to participate? The competition was open to all school organizations, which the Clubs are.

Another thing that I heard was that they received money from the government. I say hogwash. Why would the government spend money on a thing like a float? Just think of all the campuses with Rangers and Orienteering Clubs; if the government were to give them all money for floats, they would probably spend more on floats than they do on defense. I really don't think that they would do that, being as they are hurting for money right

Another thing that I heard was that all the Military Science students helped with the float. I know as a fact that this is not true. I myself, being a M.S. student, had nothing to do with the building of the float (I am

NOVEMBER 10, 1978 TIMES 3 Jocks work hard for their let- varied assortment of activities also a Greek, so I am not one

Many of my classmates are also Greeks who worked on their floats, so I don't think they would work on two floats. I was told by a realiable source that most of the people who worked on the float were from the two clubs and the Zeta's. only a handful were M.S. students.

Something else I heard was that the two clubs bribed the judges. This disturbed me very much. To think that your classmates and even your friends would do something like that is not what I would consider the act of a a good friend. Why would anyone go through all the trouble of bribing the judges just for a trophy?

The Rangers and Orienteers had no control over the outcome of the competition. In my opinion, some of the reasons that they won were that they were original and they put on a good prejudging show. They talked about the things that the judges wanted to hear.

Also in my opinion, most of the floats were too much alike, Two of the floats were very much alike: they both had a man watching football on TV. I also feel that when themes are submitted, only one organization should be allowed to do a theme if two are alike. It should be done by the first one to submit it.

There is, however, one point that I agree with, and that is that the Rangers and Orinnot have won the overall trophy. It is my opinion that Johnson Hall should have won. Johnson Hall had won a first for queen and a third for float. which is better than fourth for queen and first for float.

This letter is not to make people mad, it is just to get a few points out in the open. Please don't take offense. Thank you for listening

Marianne E. Stanisci

SAI Gets An F In History

The Student Handbook Rangers and Orienteering 1978-1979 reads: "... the corporation known as the Student Association Inc. was formed in

The 77-78 Handbook reads: .the corporation known as the Student Activity Association. Inc. was formed in 1937.

You notice that the word Activity is missing. Why distort the history of our corporation?

And if there is or was a name change, shouldn't the corporation members vote on any such change's

James A. Maddiex

Fred Kachmarik, Andy Michanowicz, Tom Rocher Submission Policy Any member of the California State College community may submit articles, editorials, columns, or reviews for publication. The Times reserves the right and submissions or to refuse publication of material deemed ubelous or otherwise legally ille telegraph

Think About It

Did You Ever Think About Yourself?

By RANDY FRAME

Reinhold Niebuhr begins his essay called "The Nature and Destiny of Man" with the following statement: Man has always been his own most vexing problem.

Think about yourself. Do you really know yourself? One way to learn more about yourself is to ask yourself why you do the things you do. What is the motivating factor behind even the most trivial of your actions? You get up every morning to the alarm clock's warning, but. . .why? To get to class on time, right? Why is it so important to get to class on time? Is it so that you can learn more? Oh. perish that thought. It is so that you can get on the good side of the prof, and this translates into good grades. But in the scheme of things. why is it so important for one to have good grades?

Try this same method with other questions. Why do you brush your teeth in the morning? Why do you stop when you come to a red light? Why do you like or dislike watching 'Charlie's Angels?" The ultimate answers to all of these why's are inevitably linked to the answers to such questions as "Where did I come from?"

Where am I going to?", and 'What am I doing here?" and 'How should I then live?"

By following this method of self-interrogation, you will become increasingly familiar with that person whom others call "you." and soon you will be able to place yourself into one of three categories: (1) numerous recitals in New Consistent Curt. (2) Seeking York, Indiana, Iowa, Ohio and Steven, or (3) Foolish Fred.

The Consistent Curt is a rare breed indeed. He is able to justify all his actions because of his underlying assumptions about the nature of the universe. To Curt, I say.

Seeking Steven is not so rare. He reaches a point in his self-

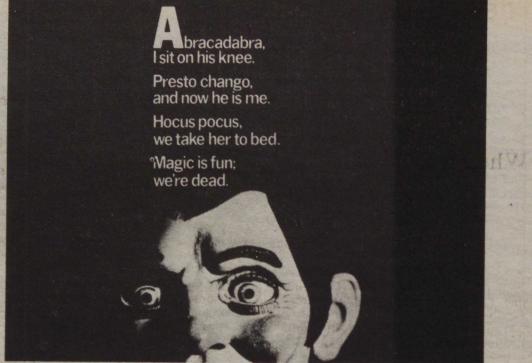


proclaim, "I don't really know. and, to tell the truth, I don't really care." To Fred, I say, 'Ignorance is this.

Anatole France said this: The whole art of teaching is only the art of awakening the natural curiosity of young minds. For education leaps a mile forward every time a voungster asks. 'Why?'.

I have an idea that most folks are Foolish Freddies. If I am right, we can expect to find this article lying crumbled in many a wastecan. I can also expect to find my picture pasted neatly on some restroom wall amidst some uniquely Californian graffiti. Maybe Fred is right. Maybe we shouldn't care. If this is true, the world will little note nor long remember what I've written here. The sad fact is that, even if it's not true, the same result will en-

Until next week, please think



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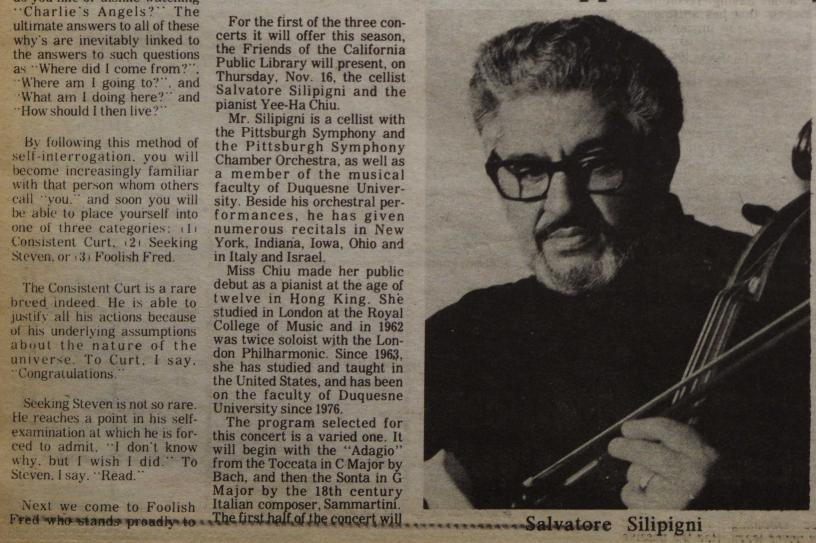
Cello-Piano Duo To Appear In Library Concert

For the first of the three concerts it will offer this season, the Friends of the California Public Library will present, on Thursday, Nov. 16, the cellist Salvatore Silipigni and the pianist Yee-Ha Chiu.

Mr. Silipigni is a cellist with the Pittsburgh Symphony and the Pittsburgh Symphony Chamber Orchestra, as well as a member of the musical faculty of Duquesne University. Beside his orchestral performances, he has given in Italy and Israel.

Miss Chiu made her public debut as a pianist at the age of twelve in Hong King. She studied in London at the Royal College of Music and in 1962 was twice soloist with the London Philharmonic. Since 1963, she has studied and taught in the United States, and has been on the faculty of Duquesne

University since 1976. The program selected for



conclude with one of the gran-dest works composed for cello and Piano, the Sonata in A Major by Beethoven.

The second half of the con-

cert will begin with a master-piece of contemporary cello literature, Paul Hindemith's Sonata for Solo Cello. The balance of the concert will consist of a group of smaller pieces, including Ravel's "Piece in the Form of a Habanera", Debussy's "The Maid with the Flaxen Hair" Bloch's "Nigun" and the Spanish flavored "Requiebros" of Gaspar Cas-

The concert will be held at the California Presbyterian Church, Liberty and Fourth Street. It will begin at 8 p.m. and will be followed by a buf-

Season tickets that include this concert as well as the two remaining concerts of Feb. 15 and March 29 can still be purchased, either at the California Public Library or at the door on the night of the concert. In-dividual tickets for this concert door on the night of the con-

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The Grammarian's Forum

When Minutes Seem Like Hours

by Connie Mack Rea

The Self-Evaluation Task Force minutes need to generate another Task Force to implement and integrate a functional and responsible policy to deal with the contingency of language arrest. Translation: The prose of the minutes requires scrutiny and

No one expects the minutes of any committee to soar to luminous heights nor does any one expect them to descend to

cavernous depths.

My comments apply to the September 17 minutes of the Self-Evaluation Task Force. (Why should any man who escaped the war without shell-shock want ever again to be a member of a task force of any kind?)

Scientific discoveries don't always follow a method; frequently the scientist blunders on them following his intuition or even a hunch. Scientific method can then be described as a "rape followed by a seduction.

The "rape followed by a seduction" method will never benefit the writer. He should not blunder after meaning unless blundering is acceptable by other blunderers (as it apparently is). The prose of the minutes is not quite holocryptic, for there are those who say no mystery therein lies.

I agree to a point. This prose is less semantically wrong than syntactically wrong. This prose is unemployed and unemployable. Thoreau said that a sentence should read as though its author, had he held a plow instead of a pen, would have worked

his way straight and deep to the end.

The vagaries of those who pervert good words to careless misuse seem more often ludicrous than narmful – guffawful.

The writer is saying "I don't really know much about writing. But the readers don't know much either. So what's the big hassle?" This is a formula which tries through candor and whining to minimize ignorance while claiming a kind of merit for it.

The hammer has pounded the ear's anvil once too often; otherwise the writer would have felt the ear ache, if not the mind scream: "having second thoughts about having, recommendations implementation, ongoing process that has an impact, have been implemented or in the process of being implemented, seems to feel free to get, seems to be to help, was pointed out that one recommendation was, responded by noting, focus for future advisorment situation." The advisement situation." That prose is felonious.

For Plato, the only way to the improvement of the writer's work was the enhancement of his soul. Soul-wise much labor remains. Here's the edited text.

(1) Co-Chairperson Pavlak called the meeting to order, and after correcting typographical errors the minutes were approved.
(2) Dr. Pavlak reminded the committee that a chart was prepared highlighting the Task Force.

(3) He reported some discussion to the effect that Spring would

(4) With respect to placement, Dr. Watkins said that CSC is very successful and supporting documentation is available.
(5) The committee responded by noting that evaluators will want some documentation or data concerning faculty morale.

To The Terantologies

(1) No one need ever repeat the epicenic "chairperson." It emmasculates Dr. Pavlak and does not placate any educated woman. This sentence is disorderly. Who is the subject of "correcting"? Dr. Pavlak? Other members? The secretary?

Who is the subject of the passive "were approved"? Who of the above? The false punctuation (comma) leads the reader to expect a compound as parallel structure, but obviously Dr. Pavlak is not the subject of "correcting" or "were approved."

No matter if we know or do not know the procedure for approving the minutes, no excuse will permit the sloppy syntax. To show the proper separateness, the sentence would read: "Dr. Pavlak opened the meeting. The members accepted typographic corrections and approved the minutes."

(2) (Most committees do need reminding.) Why must the educator abuse the passive; they never learn. Had the passive

educator abuse the passive; they never learn. Had the passive

"were approved" not been used in (1), we would know its subject. If we knew who made the "chart" in (2), the writer could avoid

the passive "was prepared."

"Highlighting" has sidestepped its referent "chart." It appears where the adverb does its work. Because "highlighting" is participial, the tie is to "chart." If the infinitive "to highlight" were acceptable, its position would be against the verb.

(3) "Reported some discussion to the effect that" is squamous. Translated and medicated: "He said spring (small "s") is

(4) This is a superlative example of what happens when we write like we speak. The sentence is about placement. But the writer permits the predatory preposition to aggrandize the rhetorical subject and relegate it to the diminished position of prepositional object.

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dence. The sentence is grammatically balanced, but rhetorically

(5) "The committee responded by noting" is more squamous language. Anyone using "document" and its derivative should be banished, but to pretend a distinction between "document" and 'data'' is dizzifying

This snub-nosed prose is incapable of generosity.

A Letter Of Horning

To The Self-Evaluation Task Force

LETTER OF HORNING

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Rugger Report

WVU Tops Cal State

By GARY M. HOFFMANN On Saturday. November 4. 1978, the California State Rugby Football Club faced a powerful West Virginia RFC before 3.500 fans at Mountaineer Field.

In their fourth consecutive road game, and on an artificial surface for the first time. California couldn't match a keyed-up WVU club. WVU dominated by a score of 29-0.

'We just weren't moving the ball," summed up Skip Yeich. club president.

The match was played before the WVU vs. Virginia football game and California players were forced to start with only two minutes of warm-up time. This had an effect on California, as they couldn't convert when they were within scoring distance during the first half.

One of the critical plays star-ted when fly-half Tom Stokes pop kicked to his scrum on their own five-yard line. The scrum came within inches of scoring but was stopped cold after WVU won the ball from the loose ruck and boote it out of trouble. Cal left the field at the half behind 13-0.

California's momentum was stopped again in the second half when a try scored by Neal. Bob Barch was called back because of a penalty. And that was about the way California's luck ran the whole afternoon.

California was introduced to a couple new twists during their stay at West Virginia. The first was the artificial surface, which impressed Cal's players in respect to added footing but proved to cost more injuries than it was worth. Many players found the traditional will compete against their rugby attire, gym shorts and a rivals from Indiana University shirt, lacking knee protection of Pennsylvania at 1:00 p.m. against brush burns. The The men look forward to the second new twist was a play- home match after a long by-play announcer from stretchonthe road. England who called the entire match over the public address
The day will be capped off with the Women's Tournament

they took on the Virginia trance to the college farm.



Rugby Union at Penn State University. Allegheny dropped the match 18-12 in some of the finest rugby action seen in Pennsylvania. John Mountford and Mark Keck were among players from Indiana. Erie, Pitt, and Penn State who combined efforts during the match.

Meanwhile, the California facing Pitt and Kent State at nament. Consider this. . representatives of California rugby were competing in three states Pennsylvania, Ohio,

The girls lost against Pitt in the first match by a score of 10-3 with Jeanne Kauffman wrestling and two years in track. His accomplishments in football and wrestling are scoring the only points for California on a penalty kick. In their second match against Kent State, the girls were overpowered 12-4. The game was tied at the end of the first half after Katie Scannapieco scored a try, but Kent State dominated the second half scoring twice.

This Saturday. November 11. 1978, should prove to be the best rugby action of the semester. A total of four different matches will be played at the College Farm during the

The opening game of the First Annual California Women's Rugby Tournament will start off the day at 11:00 a.m. If you've never seen women play rugby before, this is your chance. Women's clubs from WVU and Pitt will be on hand for the round-robin tour-

After two women's teams have played, Cal State's Men

Match following Cal vs. IUP. On the same day that Cal How do you get to where the was playing WVU, two of action will be? Just follow California's finest were Route 88 toward Brownsville playing on a select side from and make your first right turn the Allegheny Rugby Union as after the stadium parking enProfile.

Chuck Colborn

by Don Herschell

Chuck Colborn may be only a freshman on the CSC football team, but whatever he lacks in experience, he makes up for in talent and determination

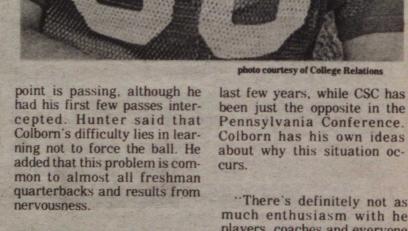
The 6'11", 185-lb. quarter-back came to Cal State early this semester from Ohio University where he was offered a full scholarship. When he got there, however, it was found that he had a bruised kidney. and he failed the physical. Women's Rugby Club were After spending some time in the hospital and missing a lot the Kent State Women's Tour- of practice, he returned to Western Pennsylvania and came to Cal State.

While at Beth Center High and West Virginia) at the same School. Colborn had a multisport career. He lettered three years in football, three years in especially impressive. In football he played for Beth Center's 1976 undefeated (12-0) Class AA Championship team and the 1978 Century Conference Champs. In wrestling he was W.PI.A.L. Champion once and runner-up twice. He was fourth in the state twice and runner-up once. He was also heavily recruited by Washington and Jefferson and Salem

> Colborn was sought by most colleges, more for his wrestling than his football ability. He said that he has been thinking about wrestling for CSC, but as yet he is still

After the first scrimmage of the season, Colborn was fifth in ine for the job of CSC quarterback. But, through a lot of hard work and determination, along with an injury to starting quar-terback Randy Baldwin, he has tie for first.

Coach Hal Hunter, who did the recruiting for Colborn himself, said, "Colborn and Baldwin are even, but Chuck's a freshman, and Randy's a senior. Baldwin is more accurate with his passes, but Colborn has a quicker release. Chuck would start (against Shippensburg) if it wasn't Baldwin's final game. Colborn will play at least half the



"The most important quality for a quarterback to have is to be able to think on the field and be aware of the situation at all times," said Colborn. This quality only comes with experience, however, and experience is probably the only asset that Colborn lacks.

Colborn, a communications major, is not really sure of what he wants to do after he gets out of college. However, Hunter does have a prediction about Colborn's future at CSC: "A lot of good games ahead on

powerhouse football team in ideas and his talent in making worked his way up to a virtual the Century Conference the it a better football team.

Colborn's difficulty lies in lear- Colborn has his own ideas about why this situation oc-

photo courtesy of College Relation

"There's definitely not as much enthusiasm with he players, coaches and everyone at Cal State as there was (at Beth Center). If we really got. more fired up for games and practices. I think it would

It has been said that college football is more businesslike than high school. But the best businessman is the one who is enthusiastic about his product. Perhaps Chuck Colborn's ideas need to be seriously con-

When Chuck Colborn takes over as quarterback of the Vulcans, as it appears he will next season, maybe he will be Beth Center has been a able to contribute both his

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will be Dr. Coleman. The class Skiing Class. Colborn thinks his strong will consist of demonstrations DON'T MISS IT!

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Skiing Class to be held in S.A.I. will soon be opening Somerset Lounge on Wed- the new Outdoor Recreation nesday, November 15, from 8:00 PM-9:00 PM Equipment Rental Center. This class will prepare you for its use. So get out on November 15, The instructor for the class and come to the Cross-Country



CSC's Women's Rugby Team

SENIOR CITIZENS SWIM — Area senior citizens are taking advantage of the weekly swimming sessions offered by the department of urban recreation at California State College. Taking time out from their Wednesday afternoon dip are (from left) Carl Bailey, Herbert Wright, Evelyn Stepho, Isabel Setaro, Josephine McIntosh, Myland McIntosh and Bill Childs. At top are student coordinators June Matus, Allen Kaizer and George Magatz.

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The Rugby Women

by KATHY JOHNSON KS backs and touched it down

On November 4 your women ruggers, the California State Nomads, travelled to Ohio to participate in the second Kent State Women's Rugby Tournament. The first game was played against Pitt and the second against Kent State. Though both games ended in a loss. Cal State Women played well and were greatly en-couraged that they held and scored against both teams. especially since they had been shut out by Pitt and University of Maryland earlier this season. They have definitely improved their games tremendously in the two semesters Farm. The men will play inthey've played.

The first game started Refreshments will be slowly, but moved into a hardsecond half. Nomad fly half Jeanne Kauffman scored three points by a penalty kick. Pitt women managed two touchdowns and captured a field goal for a total of 11

points. In their second game. Cal State women held Kent State well during the first half. Nomad loose forward Katie Scannapieco took the ball from SUNDAY NIGHT MOVIE

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over the goal line for a score.

However, Kent State's greater

experience shone through in

the second half and they won

three teams celebrated with

song and drink at the home of a

The Nomads wish to thank

the local supporters who ac-

companied them to Kent. They

would also like to invite

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Cheresnye On Sports

Grid Report

With the 1978 grid season rapidly heading to a finish, the young Vulcans have accomplished what Coach Hunter wanted them to. The squad has become competitive. That's just what the doctor ordered. Maybe I should say the "hun-

Against Clarion and Edin-boro the newly-found offense mustered up 46 points. It rings out to a whopping 23 points a game. It doesn't seem much if compared to an Oklahoma whose been getting over 40 points a game all season, but Vulcanville hasn't seen that many points on the board in quite a few years.

In Chuckie Fisher and Jimmy Floyd the Vulcans have two of the best big-back little-back combination in the PAC. Floyd will probably lead the squad in rushing this years of the page of th squad in rushing this year after his cunning mate, Fisher, did the honors as a freshman.

All-purpose Jack Durant. a pass against Clarion. But where there's smoke there's

In a conversation with Coach



We need some Junior College transfers and some big tackles." said Hunter.

The coach also praised his young offensive line. "Dom Franks and Matt Sever have really been doing a good job." he continued," and Franks has been our leading blocker the past few weeks." The secondyear coach also praised the offensive line work of senior Billy Michael.

Looking forward to next season already. Hunter said. "Our squad is still the youngest in the conference. Charlie Colborn is tough and he might just be our future.

Without a doubt the young Vulcans have begun to play some exiciting and competitive who's even handled the football. I can't remember a kicking as of late, didn't catch time when anyone scored 18 points so easily on a vicious Clarion team. So keep it up. 'headhunters." because you've paid your dues. Next Hunter. I was impressed with year is the time to collect some his enthusiasm towards this late dues from the "Rock" and

CSC Intramurals: A Bright Future

by JEFF OLIVER

There is an old saying that tise in improving and advising goes something like this: Hard the entire program." claims work breeds excellence. This idage is alive and well and living at Cal State these days under the names of Tselepis

Steve Tselepis is the Intramural Program Supervisor. He has been around for 20 years, starting as a part-time football assistant coach, from which position he worked his way up to a full-time instructor for first aid. CPR, and elementary health and physical

Floyd Shuler is the Director of Intramurals. He is a responde man with new ideas. But the IM program is not his only responsibility, for Shuler is also the Vulcans' golf coach. Shuler is in charge of the total operation of the program.

This is a joint venture we have here. I operate the program while Mr. Tselepis gives the program his exper-

"And don't forget Mr. (Elmo) Natali. He has taken the bull by the horns and has been instrumental in seeing that the program is updated. We're accountable to him because he is behind the program all the way."

Yes, the entire program has been updated to the tune of about a datase program of the state of the st

about a dozen new fields of athletics for the campus' students to indulge in. The IM schedule always includedsports such as touch football, basketball, volleyball, some tennis and golf (all for the men), and co-ed volley ball. But under the new system, other events have been instal-

led into the program.
"First of all, this year we are in charge of the women's intramurals for the first time. And we have a lot of new ideas.

CSC Ties Lock Haven

by ANN MILLER

It looked as though it was going to be another loss for Cal State in the first quarter, when Dan Young of Lock Haven put the ball up for three points.

In the second quarter senior Mark Hutchison, who was previously out with a knee injury, kicked the ball for three points. So at the end of the half it was CSC 3, LHSC 3.

The second half had the fans in suspense. Lock Haven attempted three times to kick the ball for the three points, but

The final score CSC 3, LHSC

Congratulations to Mike Kucerovy, who was named defensive player of the game. and to Jimmy Floyd, offensive player of the game. Kucerovy was also named NAIA District 18 player of the week.



CSC's CHARLIE COLBORN breaks free of the Lock Haven Defense. Unfortunately, the Vulcans couldn't move their offense across the goal line.



JIMMY FLOYD charges into the Lock Haven line, flanked by his blockers. Despite Vulcan aggressiveness, the score remained 3-3.

for participation. Our new additions are cross country, mixed doubles tennis, handball, billiards, and a bowling league. Next semester, we're planning co-ed softball, horshoes, swimming, wrestling, badminton, and a golf tour-

The key to the success of the program, according to Shuler,

Now there will be a multitude of sports for the campus to enjoy. But why is the program

"We feel that we haven't provided enough in the past. Our future goal is to provide a comprehensive program for ramurals for the first time. is the interest generated by the student body. We want to student body. "We hope the whave a lot of new ideas. We've installed a vast field students will get behind our different groups on campus.

program. After all, it is for them."

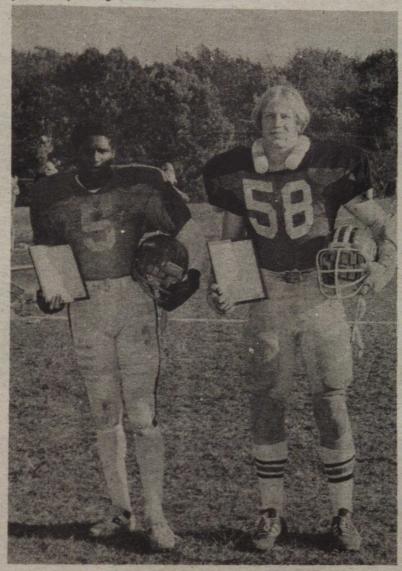
The winners in each sport receive individual trophies for their efforts."

Tselepis and Shuler are not alone in their efforts. There are four graduate assistants helping out: Dave Robey, Marilee Molk, Vincent McKeeta, and Greg Zigray.

Overall, it looks like the Cal State intramural program is going to be first class. And first class is defined as excellence

Vulcans Of The Week

photo courtesy of College Relation



VULCANS OF THE WEEK: Jimmy Floyd (left), sophomore halfback from Avella, and Scott Orndoff, sophomore linebacker from West Greene High School, were named offensive and defensive Vulcans of the Week by the California State College Alumni Association for their outstanding play in Cal State's game with Clarion State. The 5-10, 170 pound Floyd gained 74 yards and scored two touchdowns, despite losing two teeth early in the second quarter. Orndoff, a 6-1, 210 pound standout, had two fumble recoveries, two quarterback sacks and participated in nine tackles.



Jack Durant (right) and withs Lowery were named Vulcans of the Week by the California State College Alumni Association for their outstanding play in Cal State's 28-7 Homecoming win over Edinboro. Durant, a former Brownsville Area High star athlete, scored 16 points on two touchdown catches and four extra points, made another outstanding reception and also played defensive back, making several key tackles, to win the offensive award. Durant, a junior, was named player of the week in the NAIA's District 18.Lowery, a sophmore defensive end from Duquesne, won defensive honors for sacking the quarterback four times and blocking a punt which led to CSC's first score. Durant and Lowery are shown here displaying their certificates to Jim McCullough, athletic director at Cal State.

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Twenty Years Of Delta Zeta

THE DELTA ZETA'S in 1958, the year the sorority received its national charter.

Now a windowless wreck, this house on Second Street was home for the Delta Zeta's for nineteen years.

by Stephanie Nickman

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The Sisters of the Zeta Epsilon Chapter of Delta Zeta are proud to announce the celebration of our twentieth year as the first national sorority on campus. Formerly Delta Sigma Epsilon, a local sorority, the chapter received its national charter November 16, 1958.

Miss Patricia Henegham, Province Director, members of Province Director, members of the National Council of Delta Zeta Sorority, and students from the University of Pitt-sburgh and Indiana State Col-lege initiated the chapter. The initiation took place in the Colonial Room. A banquet was held at the Presbyterian Church

was held at the Presbyterian Church.

Miss Louise Davis, College Chapter Director, served as Toastmistress for the banquet. Dr. Michael Duda, President of California State College, addressed the chapter. Mrs. Duda and Miss Davis, who sponsored the chapter, were also initiated.

The chapter house was originally located at 631 Second Street (next to the Delta Sigma Phi house) and was the home of the chapter for 19 years. This fall the Delta Zeta's moved to 703 Cherry Way.





On October 23, 1958, Delta Zeta Sorority and Tau Kappa Epsilon pledged themselves to unite in brother-sister organization. Sorority and Fraternity President, Janet Brister and Dave Mead, together lit a single candle designating the union of the sorority and fraternity. With the lighting of the candle the sisters sang their sorority song and were answered by the fraternity with their song.
Delta Zeta National Sorority

was founded at Miami University of Ohio (Mother of Fraternities) on October 24, 1902.

Locally, Delta Zeta's have worked at the bloodmobile and Uniontown Animal Shelter, and send money or food to needy families. Last fall the sorority gave Clay, a puppy, to a blind woman to be trained as a

seeing-eye dog.

Delta Zeta participated
every year in Homecoming and
Greek Week, as well as other social functions on campus.
They also have functions with
sisters such as Christmas parties and Big Sis-Little Sis par-ties. The Delta Zetas are very proud of their sorority history, both locally and nationally, and are looking forward to many more years of Greek sisterhood at California State

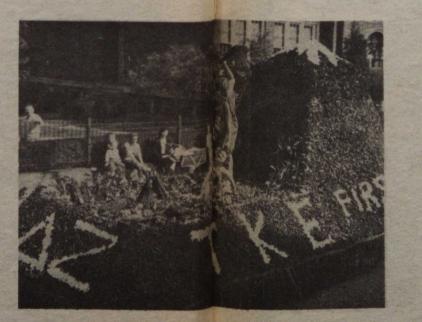


THE DELTA ZETA'S in 1978, celebrating their twentieth anniversary at CSC.

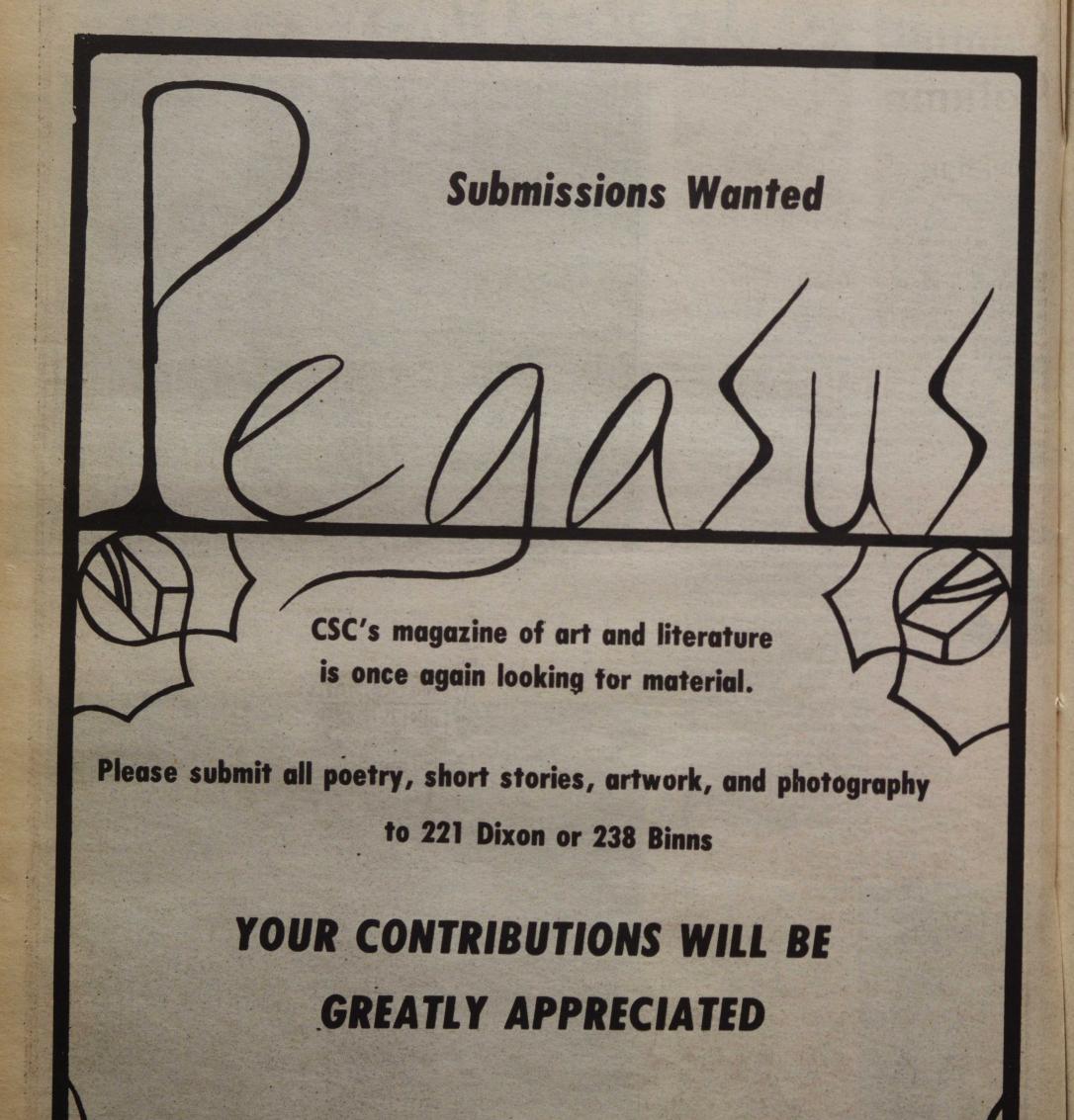
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The new Delta Zeta house on Cherry Way, occupied by the sorority this fall.



HOMECOMING 58: The yearthe DZ's became the first national sorority on the CSC conpus, they paired up with TKE to produce this stone-ageloat.



Art Editor - Jeff Harris

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Kevin's Comic Column

What If?

by Kevin McConnell

Greetings gang. This week, our discussion centers on two words: what if? How many times have we pondered these two magnificent words? How many times have we asked ourselves what if this? and what if that? These words can also be a source of great fun and amusement. For example: what if President Watkins' hair suddenly fell out? And on and

these words. No, approximately two years ago, Roy Thomas, a writer for Marvel comics, began to think ropriately entitled WHAT IF?



those outrageous stories that they could never do before.

The first issue of this title featured WHAT IF SPIDER-MAN HAD JOINED THE FAN-TASTIC FOUR? This first issue was written by Mr. Thomas and contained numerous surprises. As it turned out, the stories in this title being called the Watcher. The Watcher resides on our moon and has long been an important on it goes. Yes, the potential of figure in the Marvel these two little gems is mythology. The Watcher comes from a race of beings Obviously, I am not the first whose sole purpose for person to realize the value of existence is to watch and record the occurences of the cosmos. Galactic historians if

In this first issue, the Watabout what he could do with cher explains to us that there these words. He too realized are an infite number of earths the importance of them, and in existence, each of which is the result was a new comic in vibrating a micro-second out of the Marvel lineup, appr-time from the others. The result: a countless number of At last the Marvel madmen earths, each belonging to a difwould have a chance to do all ferent spatial dimension, and a



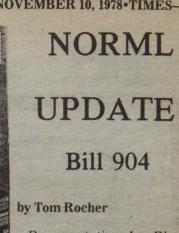
countless number of events occuring on them.

Because the Watcher is who he is, he is able to observe events on these other earths. which never occured on ours On one of these earths, he wat ched events which culminated joining the FANTASTIC FOUR. And thus we have our story, compliments of the Watstory, compliments of the Wat-

But that's not the end of it. Heck no, with all these earths floating around, why stop there? At last, all those crazy what if's? in the Marvel universe could be answered by the Watcher. To date, there! have been thirteen issues of WHAT IF? They have posed such interesting questions as: WHAT IF THE AVENGERS HAD NEVER BEEN?, WHAT IF THE WORLD KNEW THAT DAREDEVIL WAS BLIND?

and many others. The latest issue (13) asks WHAT IF CONAN WALKED THE EARTH TODAY? This particular issue is written by Mr. Thomas and is illustrated by big John Buscema. If you're a CONAN fan, or if you just want to read something a little offbeat and different, then I rantee you will enjoy this title. Well, I see that its midnight, so what if I stopped writing and went to bed? Good-

P.S. for those of you who have Mr. Cox for class, ask him about his experiences with pin-ups and explosive devices.



Representative Joe Rhodes n what NORML believes to be a political move, has attached House Bill 904 (decrimminalization) to Senate Bill 1425 in the hopes that it will help House Bill 904 pass the Legislature this November. Senate Bill 1425 proposes to move PCP up the schedule of drugs in the House Judiciary Committee.

NORML, while doubting Rhodes' motives, supports the bill. NORML has taken the stance that PCP is a dangerous drug, and that people should be educated to the dangers of it Also, NORML would like to see decriminalization of marijuana in Pennsylvania this fall.

A vote on House Bill 904 and enate Bill 425 is expected in late November, NORML urges you to write your State Representative and ask him to





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The sisters of Phi Alpha Psi The Theta Xi family doubled to contribute more, you can do so through Phi Alpha Psi by contacting Sue Folk, 402 Stanley, or J.D. Kreider, 605

Our other service project for October was going pumpkin caroling at Uniontown Hospital on November 1. The sisters dressed in costumes and took treats to the children in the hospital. The patients enjoyed it tremendously, as well as the

For November, Phi Alpha Psi will conduct a canned food drive through California. The food collected will be given to our relationship with them will needy families in the area at continue to grow Thanksgiving.

Pledging is going along fine with only one week to go. Pam Caskey, our pledge trainer, is doing a great job with the pledges. Although the pledges are rather wary of it, the sisters are looking forward to next week, which is hell week. We sisters wish all of you pledges lots during this next



The brothers of Theta Xi congratulate everyone who worked toward a successful Homecoming week-end.
especially the Vulcans for their
great win. It was a memorable time for everyone.

Special events at the Theta Xi House included a roast been made, thanks to our chicken and pig feast and our annual alumni-vs-brothers football game, won by the old men, 42-14. Let's keep that school spirit all year long!

want to say a big THANK YOU in size this past week with the to all the students who con- start of our new Little Sister tributed to our penny drive. program. We are truly proud of With your help, we collected this new group, which will be \$194.48 for Lilly Chao, the unique on campus in many foreign student who injured her ways. The girls who have back during Homecoming chosen to pledge are: Janet weekend. Since she has no in- Alberta, Crystal Burton, Gina surance, she'll be able to use Capriotti, Barb Carter, Wilma all of this money. If you'd like DeArmitt, Christa Dominico, Karen Eichhorn, Andrea Franks, Maggie Green, Barb Heckler, Denise Hensh, Annette Hunter, Leslie Johnson, Jerri Kurosky. Pam Lario. Patty LeDonne. Dena Loewy, Judy Lomago, Pam Lukatch. Ann Miller, Barbara Nicholas, Lisa Olsen, Kathie Santavicca. Jane Smith, Emily Urban, and

Sandy Ward. These girls have added a whole new dimension to our fraternity. Our Halloween mixer with them was a great success, and we're certain that



Congratulations to the I.F.C. champions, Sigma Tau Gamma. Way to go, guys! Also congratulations to your second pledge class.

One of our sisters, Louise," had a treat this weekend when her Delta Chi little brother Jacko came from New York to

We would also like to congratulate the Phi Kap's pledge class. So tell us guys, which hurts most, your bums or your lips? (By the way, no, you can't have curt trappies!) you can't have our trophies!)

Plans for our formal have social chairman, Terri. It's on December 2, at the Ramada Inn near the airport. All of us are looking forward to a great

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munications Department.

We have been patiently waiting for the Thursday night Theta Delta Chi parties, which they will be having now, upon completion of their new bar. You guys did a real nice job -it's a work of art.

GREEK NEWS

The sisters of Sigma Kappa would like to thank the brothers of Delta Sigma Phi for working with us for Homecoming. This Homecoming was very succes-

"retaliation night". Their

pledges never did find them!

Congratulations to the new

brothers who made it through

'hell week." And to all new

fraternity members. Welcome

special one, beginning and en-

ding with candlelight

ceremonies. Congratulations

go out to Marla Nauman, who

Gamma, and to Kim Jasulaitis

who was pinned to Henry

Congratulations are also exten-

ded to Terri Kline on her

engagement. Terri will be mar-

ried in November. Another

Alpha Xi bites the dust!! Best

wishes Terri, from all the

to Greek Life.

Congratulations to sister Carolyn Sue Maxson, for being selected first runner-up to Homecoming court, and also on her recent pinning to Cameron Brooks Kuhn. Cameron is a brother of Delta Sigma Phi. Because of Carolyn's being selected to court and our placing second in the float competition. Sigma Kappa and Delts are proud to announce that they placed second overall in the Homecoming competition.

The Sig Kap's are also proud to announce at this time our fall pledge class of twelve girls. They are Kathy Clendaniel, Karen Ecola, Lueann Galatic, Maureen Harris, Cindy Hoyle Lueann Petrucci, Sherry Phillips, Diane Propochak, Cindy Shaffer, Sue Sphar, Patty Staun, and Robbie Thompson. Good luck, uture sisters!

At this time it is with pride Finally, congratulations are that I announce our pledge, in order for two of our sisters Cindy Lucas. Cindy has been who were chosen to represent doing a terrific job pledging so the college in Who's Who. They far. Her enthusiasm is inwere selected from students all spiring to all of us. Liz Muir. Cindy's pledge trainer, has kept a careful watch on her across the state on the basis of scholastic achievement. They are sisters Rosetta Volpe, a since her pledge period began. communications major and Liz will be starting another President of Student Congress, pledge class soon. All girls inand Christine McKenzie an terested are welcome to join. Elementary Ed major. For more information, call the house at 938-9947.

The Alpha Xi's would like to extend a special thank-you to would like to thank George Tony Papoutsis of Delta Chi for Beshenich of Phi Kappa Theta arranging the fantastic hayride for installing anti-burglar Homecoming night. Everyone devices on all of our windows in the house. Those of you folhad a great time. We are still lowing the story know that the picking up pieces of hay around Alpha Xi house was the target the house. And we would also for break-ins a couple of weeks back. But thanks to Mr. like to thank you and your adorable sidekick, Mark Smida, for all the work you did Beshenich, the girls are on the float. We appreciate all sleeping much better at night. the time that was put into it. Thanks again. And Tony, from Because of the tight security now on, the sisters would like system at the Alpha Xi house. moonshine at all of our mixers the Sig Taus chose our house to with the Delta Chi's if you can hide out in during their pledges

We would like to congratulate Vickie Coulter and Darlene Madarish who were recently initiated into the Delta Eta Chapter of Alpha Xi Delta. These girls are now recognized as members of Alpha Xi Delta Sorority Tuesday's meeting was a

The sisters would like to was pinned on her birthday to thank everyone who con-Rick Gross of Sigma Tau tributed to the UNICEF drive Sunday night. The sisters collected in behalf of the Lakosky, a former Sig Tau of Methodist Church with the Tri-Point Park College. Sigs. All donations were greatly appreciated.
With the opening of hunting

season, we would now like to announce plans for our fall formal. Our social chairman, Barbara Newbould, has set plans in motion for the big event. Our fall formal will be held at the Mona Lisa Restaurant, south of ittsburgh, on December 1. Festivities include wining. dining, and general merry making. From now until December, the sisters will be eagerly anticipating the

The Alpha Xi's would like to congratulate Sigma Kappa and Delta Sigma Phi for placing second in the float competition. And to our Cal State Vulcans for their win over Edinboro. Great game, guys! And good luck with the rest of the season.

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By Alan Lynn

Rangers

On Saturday. October 28, the Ranger Club sponsored still another interesting activity Over 60 MS 100 students were transported to White Rock, one of the favorite rappelling spots for CSC Rangers.

Some of the things the students learned were the proper ways to cross a Traverse Line, a one rope bridge used to transport people and equipment, and of course, how to rappel down a cliff side.

A demonstration was put on by two of the senior Rangers to show the freshmen how soldiers would descend from a cliff under enemy attack. Pete Duklis and Steve Czepiga used the technique more commonly known to rappellers as the Australian style

A rappeller runs down the face of a cliff facing forward. This style enables a soldier to protect himself by being able o fire his weapon.

The MS 100 students also got a chance to taste Combat Rations or C-Rations. They were taught the correct way to cook their meals by using the box they came in as an instant

The day turned out to be very successful and some important learning took place.

remainder of the semester. If you would like to join us, Ranger meetings are at 4:00 p.m. every Monday at the ROTC building. Being a

Ranger gives you a great opportunity to learn new and interesting things, especially in the outdoors.

The Ranger Club is planning

some other activities for the

Physical Training Test

Cadets enrolled in the advanced ROTC program (juniors and seniors) are some of the most physically fit individuals who attend CSC. ROTC doesn't necessarily attract athletes. It does, however, train and condition students to prepare them for summer camp and their Physical Training Test.

A Physical Training Test must be completed periodically by the advanced cadets. The test includes the following events: Bent Leg Situps, Inverted Crawl. Horizontal Ladder, Two Mile Run, and the Run, Dodge and

Of a possible 500 points, the average student first time taking the test) will score approximately 325 points. Within one semester's time, that same student's score will gain 100 points or more because of

The modern Army puts a lot of emphasis on physical fitness. In fact, a service member or a noncommissioned officer can become ineligible to reenlist due to poor physical condition. An officer can't escape this policy either; he may receive a poor evaluation report that could jeopardize his

The ROTC Department is always improving its physical fitness program. Last year the Department set up an athletic training area behind LRC that has a Run, Dodge and Jump course and Horizontal Bars. A new physical education class called P.E. 256 was also star-

This year the cadets and the cadre are in the process of setting up a weight room in the basement of the ROTC building. Weights, a bench, a curling iron, and everything necessary to build bodies and fitness are being planned for

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I. HAMER GYMNASIUM

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M-T-W-H-F-7:00-9:00 p.m. M-W-F-10:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. T-H-12:00-1:00 p.m. Saturday-12:00-6:00 p.m Sunday-1:00-5:00 p.m

C. Sauna (Men only) M-T-W-H-F—12:00-9:00 p.m. Saturday-12:00-6:00 p.m. □ Sunday-1:00-5:00 p.m.

D. Swimming Pool (Co-Ed) M-T-W-H-F—2:00-4:00 p.m. & 7:00-9:00 p.m. Saturday-12:00-5:00 p.m □ Sunday-1:00-5:00 p.m.

E. Auxiliary Gym M-F-6:00-9:00 p.m Saturday-12:00-6:00 p.m. ☐ On Sunday, please enter Hamer on the Longanecker end of the building.

II. HERRON GYMNASIUM A. Swimming Pool (Co-Ed M-T-W-H-3:00-4:00 p.m. M-W-1:00-2:00 p.m. Friday-12:00-2:00 p.m.

B. Sauna (Women Only) M-T-W-H-10:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. Friday-10:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.

C. Exercise Room (Women Only)—Room 123 near Pool. M-T-W-H — 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. Friday—10:00 a.m. -2:00 p.m.

Handball Court M-T-W-H-F-9:00 a.m.-9:00 p.m. Saturday-12:00-6:00 p.m. Sunday-1:00-5:00 p.m

The gymnasium may be made available based upon the schedule in Hamer.

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CARTER, continued

Veterans' Update

Carter's Message To Congress

BY GARY M. HOFFMAN Veterans, and their unem-Because of its importance to CSC vets, I have asked the Times to reprint in full President Carter's October 10 message to Congress.

TO THE CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES:

I am submitting this Message to report on the progress of Veterans of the Vietnam era. and to describe the actions I will take to respond to the special problems a number of these Veterans still face.

Veterans of World War I. World War II and Korea have received the recognition and gratitude they deserve. They are honored and remembered as men and women who served their country. This has not always been the case for those who served during the War in Vietnam. In many ways, their service was more painful than in other eras: the selection process was often arbitary; the war was long and brutal: the changes in warfare and innovations in medicine meant that fewer soldiers were killed than in other wars, but a far greater percentage survived with disabling injuries.

Because the war did not have the full backing of the American public, neither did those who fought in Vietnam. Many civilians came to confuse their view of the war with their view of those who were called upon to fight it. They confused the war with the warrior. Yet I know that all Americans join me in stating that the courage and patriotism of those who served in Vietnam have earned them full measure of honor and

It is a tribute to the caliber of those who served that most Vietnam-era Veterans have aiready adjusted very successfully to civilian life. Still, in many ways, the effects of the war in Vietnam linger on. We have only begun to understand the full impact of the conflict. As part of healing its wounds. we have recognized our obligation to forget many arsh words and rash acts, and to forgive those who resisted he war. Of even greater importance is our determination o recognize those who did serve and to show our appreciation for the sacrifices they made.

I have directed the Secretary of Defense to honor the memory of all those who fought and died as well as those who are missing in action in Southeast Asia in ceremonies this fall at Arlington Cemetery.

As for those who did return. our review has found their personal and family median in-

ployment rates have been lowered. For the third quarter of 1978. Vietnam-era Veterans aged 20-34 had a 4.7% unemployment rate as compared to a 6.7% rate for the third quarter of 1977. Although rates vary from month to month, it is fair to say that most Vietnam-era Veterans have moved into the mainstream of economic life. Vietnam-era Veterans are making comparable or better use of their Veteran benefits than Veterans of previous wars. To date, nearly 65% gave utilized their GI Bill benefits. which is far greater than under the World War II or Korean programs. We should not fail to recognize the hard work and determination that typify most Vietnam-era Veterans who have been successful in their military to civilian transition.

But for many Veteransespecially minority and disadvantaged Veterans—the transition to civilian life has led to unemployment, poverty and frustrations. The key to era Veterans aged 20-39 had making our Veterans programs successful-and efficient—is to target them carefully on those who continue to need help. By using our resources more skillfully and coordinating our efforts more closely, we can aid those exservicemen and women who are most in need of government assistance

In my written State of the Union message to you last January. I indicated that my Administration would undertake a government-wide review of the status of the Vietnam-era Veteran and the programs designed to serve them. Since that time, the Veterans Administration, the Department of Labor, the Department of Defense, the Department of Justice, the Department of Health. Education, and Welfare, the Community Services Administration, the Council of Economic Advisors, the Office of Management and Budget, and the Domestic Policy Staff have reviewed the status of thse ex-servicemen and women and have prepared recommendations for improved government performance. On the basis of that policy review, I have ordered improvements in four areas of Veteran affairs:

EMPLOYMENT OPPOR-TUNITIES EDUCATIONAL OPPOR-

TUNITIES OTHER VETERANS SER-VICES AND BENEFITS

MILITARY STATUS In order to implement my decisions in these areas and improve delivery of services to omes our substantially higher - veterans. I have established an than similar-aged non- interagency Veterans Federal Coordinating Committee, comsistance programs so that they National Alliance for Business posed of representatives of eight agencies, operating under the direction of the Executive Office of the

I am also conferring upon the Veterans Administration the status of a Cabinet Agency, for the purpose of attending Cabinet meetings. The Veterans Administration is a large and important part of our government. Its presence at Cabinet meetings will be useful for other departments with overlapping responsibilities, and for the Veterans Administration itself, which will have a stronger voice.

To better understand some of the issues that will continue to confront the Vietnam-era Veteran, I am instituting a survey of public attitudes toward those Veterans. This study will help us identify the real areas of concern, as well as accurately portray the public's overall support of Veterans' benefit programs generally.

I. EMPLOYMENT OPPOR-

TUNITIES Most Vietnam-era Veterans are now doing better economically than nonveterans of the same age and background. In 1977, Vietnammedian personal incomes of \$12,680 compared to \$9,820 for similar-aged non-veterans. When compared by family income, the figures are \$15,040 and \$12,850 respectively. For Vietnam-era Veterans aged 20-34, the unemployment rate of 7.4% for September one year ago declined to 4.9% in Septemer, 1978. As in all other sectors, unemployment rates for Veterans are substantially ower than they were when this lministration took office. We have hired nearly 98,000 Vietnam-era Veterans in public service jobs as part of the Administration's Economic Stimulus Package. Jobs and training assistance for Veterans became a top domestic priority when the Administration took office; the

results are now clearly visible. But if the overall unemployment picture for Vietnamera Veterans is encouraging, the unemployment problems of minority, disabled, and disadvantaged Vietnam-era Veterans are cause for continued concern and attention. Black Vietnam-era Veterans, a significant percentage of whom saw active combat, face unemployment rates of 11.2% for the third quarter of 1978 compared to 15.9% for the third quarter of 1977. For the more seriously disabled Veterans, the unemployment rate is estimated to range as high as 50%. We have made great strides in every area of employment since the beginning of my Administration, but these jobless rates are still far too high. There is a clear need to better coordinate em. ployment and employment asare targeted on those Veterans most in need.

With that in mind, I have ordered a comprehensive review of the overall system for delivery of employment services to veterans. The review will yield further suggestions for improvement, but I have already initiated action to:

improve the participation of Veterans in all Comprehensive Employment and Training Act (CETA) programs. We have designed a number of ways of making sure CETA prime sponsors take account of the special needs of Veterans. They include: inspecting grant plans and monitoring local prime sponsor systems to assure consideration of the Vietnam-era Veteran and seeking to have better Veterans representation on prime sponsor councils

continue operation of a national Help Through Industry Retraining and Employment (HIRE) program at a \$40 million level, and supement it with a \$90 million HIRE II program, paid for with carry-over funds from the original HIRE effort. HIRE I is a national contract program operated through State Employment Services across the

It hires and trains Veterans, members of Veterans' families eligible for Veterans preference, and disadvantaged non-veteran youth for jobs in the private sector. HIRE II will decentralize sponsors to contract for and operate it in cooperation with State Emoyment Security agencies. HIRE II will be available exclusively for Veterans. Participants will also have access to all of the training, public employment and outreach services available through other CETA programs.

Secure from Congress authority to spend in Fiscal 1979 HIRE funds appropriated in 1977. Without this extension the unobligated funds would have reverted to the Treasury.

Continued support will be given for the special outreach programs for Veterans operated by the National Alliance for Business and selected community organizations. One of the most important contributions government can make to Vietnam-era Veterans is to support outreach programs. They extend Veterans services to those who are unaware of the availability of assistance or intimidated by

country, and through the Continued on page 17

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SUNDAY BRUNCH Eggs Benedict Fluffy Plain Omelette Peach Fritters Porcupine Meat Balls Thick Sliced Country Bacon Grilled Sausage Cakes Cottage Fries

MONDAY BREAKFAST Scrambled Eggs **Buttermilk Pancakes** Bacon Slices Grilled Ham Slice Home Fried Potatoes

TUESDAY BREAKFAST Fried Eggs French Toast Fried Country Scrapple Hash Brown Potatoes

WEDNESDAY BREAKFAST SPECIAL BREAKFAST

THURSDAY BREAKFAST Hard or Soft Cooked Eggs Hot Waffles Bacon Rasher Sausage Links Home Fried Potatoes

FRIDAY BREAKFAST Shirred Eggs Creamed Chipped Dried Beef Smoked Bacon Slices

Grilled Ham Pattie Garden Peas & Mushrooms Hash Brown Potatoes

SATURDAY BRUNCH Scrambled Eggs

Pancakes wAssorted Syrups Bacon Slices Frizzled Ham Home Fried Potatoes Sloppy Joe on Bun Fried Chicken Roll Sandwich

MONDAY LUNCH Minestrone Grilled Ham Sandwich Gourmet Casserole Baked Celery au Gratin

TUESDAY LUNCH Chicken Corn Soup Hamburger Deluxe wLettuce & Tomato Fried Fish Sandwich Shoestring Potatoes White Shoepeg Corn

WEDNESDAY LUNCH Philadelphia Pepperpot Egg Salad Sandwich on White or Grilled Cheese Corn Curls Sliced Tomatoes

THURSDAY LUNCH Cream of Tomato Soup Chili Dogs Hot Meat Loaf Sandwich Shredded Hash Brown Potatoes Baked Limas wTomatoes

FRIDAY LUNCH New England Clam Chowder Tuna Noodle Casserole Pepperoni Pizza Potato Sticks Mixed Garden Vegetables

SUNDAY DINNER Chilled Juice Stuffed Chicken Breast Supreme Baked Meatloaf wPineapple Sauce

Creole Wax Beans Chantilly Potatoes

MONDAY DINNER Soup DeJour Roast Choice Top Round au jus

Shrimp Newburg in Patty Shell Fresh Vegetable Medley **Creamed Onions** Oven Browned Potatoes

TUESDAY DINNER Chilled Apple Juice Roast Leg of Veal wDressing Baked Lasagna Italian Beans Harvard Beets Mashed Potatoes

WEDNESDAY DINNER

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THURSDAY DINNER Spiced Cranberry Juice Coq au Vin Stuffed Cabbage Rolls French Fried Carrots Brussel Sprouts in Butter sauce

FRIDAY DINNER **Tomato Juice** Baked Filet of Sole Almondine Grilled Chopped Sirloin Steak Stewed Tomatoes wCroutons Collard Greens wHam Chunks French Fries

SATURDAY DINNER Chilled Juice Fresh Beef Brisket Veal Cutlet Marengo Broccoli Hollandaise Lyonnaise Summer Squa New Potatoes w Chive Butter extended our outreach efforts through HIRE II program and Veterans organizations. The National Alliance for Business and 13 other private programs funded by the Department of Labor must have continued backing.

Maintain current funding levels for the Disabled Veterans Outreach Program (DVOP). DVOP was originally funded as part of the economic stimulus package, but the program deserves to continue as its current level of \$30 million. DVOP employs 2.000 disabled Veterans to help find jobs for other disabled Veterans. So far, 26.000 disabled Veterans have found work through the program and it continues to be targeted at those Veterans with the severest employment

improve coordination between Department of Labor and Veterans Administration employment programs. These programs will become more efficient as departmental policy links are clarified by a new high-level joint committee apointed by the Secretary of Labor and the Veterans Administrator. Money-wasting duplication of effort will be en-

order all Federal agencies to make greater use of the Veterans Readjustment Appointment (VRA) authority to bring Vietnam-era Veterans, especially the disabled, into government service. I have already submitted legislation to liberalize and extend the authority to June 30, 1980. The bill has passed both Houses of Congress and is now in con-

the idea of seeking it. We have II. EDUCATIONAL OPPOR-Vietnam-era Veterans are in the process of becoming the best educated group of

Veterans in our history. Already, 65% of Vietnam-era Veterans have taken advantage of the GI Bill. That comares to a final rate of some 51% for World War II Veterans and 43% for Veterans of the Korean War. The Nation has spent nearly \$25 billion on the Il Bill for Vietnam-era Veterans compared with \$14 billion for those who served in World War II and \$4.5 billion for Veterans of the Korean con-

But these readjustment as-

sistance benefits often have not been utilized by those Vietnam-era Veterans who need them the most. Many members of the minority groups and those lacking a high school diploma.have not taken full advantage of the GI Bill. For hem, outreach efforts must be intensified and eligibility expanded. At present, eligibility r most benefits under the GI Bill generally ends ten years after discharge. Although these provisions are more liberal than for Veterans of previous wars, we will:

-submit legislation to the Congress that would extend eligibility beyond ten years for these Veterans the Veterans Administration defines are in need or educationally disadvantaged.

-continue a VA program called "Operation Boost" designed to seek out Veterans who are unaware of the time limit that is fast approaching for many of them.

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Classifieds

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Alumnus' "Magic Shoes" Soars

by Rhonda Hartman

Michael Slavin, an alumnus of California State College, has recently launched his career into theatrical flight. A children's play. "Magic Shoes." written and directed by Slavin, is taking to the road to show itself off.

Slavin takes little credit for the play's originality, and says that he has borrowed the idea from an old Irish fairy tale.

Slavin prefers to call his playwriting "adaptation." although there are those who would disagree with him.

Besides "Magic Shoes" for elementary school audiences. Slavin has also "adapted" a production for secondary students entitled "Shakespeare for the Modern World.

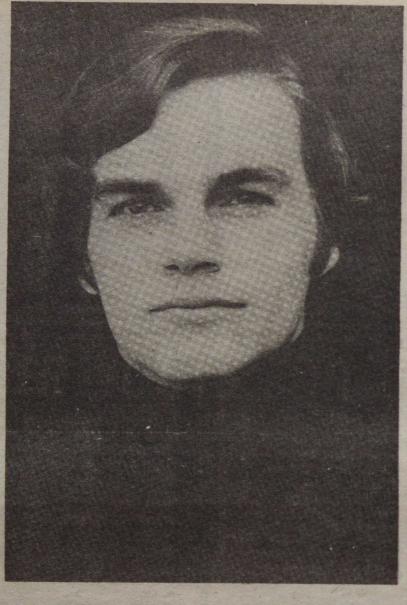
Derived from the old Irish fairy tale about elves who called their shoes magical to sell them more expeditiously. Magic Shoes follows a similar format.

Slavin is taking the play to the Theatre Association of Pennsylvania's (TAP) "Showcase: Pa." to be held at the Harrisburg Community College. The Actors and Artists theater director and his troupe will be featured for potential sponsors of TAP's spring performance tour across the Commonwealth

What "Showcase" means to Actors and Artists of Fayette County is the chance to have its efforts spotlighted throughout the Commonwealth as well as

its theater director the exposure they deserve on a their prestige and permit a true theater is that which wider audience for their excel- evokes creativity through

A native of Philadelphia. theater is natural," he added. Slavin came to this area as a



Michael Slavin

He had such feeling about It could give the group and drawing emotion and action from within," said Slavin.

"It is his influence which has broader level. It would expand led me to believe that the only imagination. That kind of

And that kind of creative instudent at CSC where he met volvement is what Michael be said that Michael Slavin Arthur Torg, the late associate Slavin brought with him when professor of theater arts who he accepted the position of specialized in children's theater director for Actors and suredly would have some cat-

That's the kind of creative involvement Michael Slavin will be taking to Harrisburg in several weeks.

That's the kind of creative involvement which would win him and Actors and Artists a place in TAP's statewide

If it doesn't, then it can only must truly be an artist ahead of his time, a time which most as-

CARTER, continued suffered a 300% greater loss of HI. OTHER VETERANS

SERVICES AND BENEFITS In general, Veterans benefits

have been generous for Vietnam-era Veterans, but these and other benefits to which they are entitled need to be targeted better on those who really need them. Among those benefits and services requiring improvement are ones relating

Disabled Veterans

Incarcerated Veterans

Readjustment counselling prove that program. and substance abuse treat-

Disabled Veterans

connected disabilities are ced, unstable and drugnam-era Veterans account for authority, together with the acespecially in need of greater assistance from the governassistance from the governout by available information.

dependent is simply not borne out by available information.

39% of all inpatients account for tivation of 20 new VA substance abuse treatment units in Available data suggest that

lower extremities than Veterans of any other war. Altogether, 512,000 have sustained some kind of

Our vocational rehabilitation programs must reflect our aramount concern for those eterans who have serviceconnected disabilities. The current VA program is based on a 1943 model and requires major updating. I will submit

for Vietnam-era Veterans, who well and the incidence of drug problems.

abuse, although greatly increased while in service. has for the most part declined to pre-Vietnam levels or lower. Nevertheless, there is evidence that suggests a significant minority of Vietnam Veterans have experienced problems of readjustment which continue even today.

Vietnam-era Veterans under age 34 have a suicide rate 23% higher than non-Veterans of tion to the next Congress ber of hospitalized Vietnam- proposal prior to adjournment. that will modernize and im- era Veterans identified as alcoholics or problem drinkers requested legislative authority Readjustment Counseling and Substance Abuse Treatment more than doubled from 13% in to contract for halfway houses in the treatment of Vietnam-Disabled Veterans
Individuals with serviceVietnam Veteran as unbalanVietnam Veterans and up in

sing these concerns, but more -The Administration has already proposed legislation

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which would authorize psychological readjustment counseling to Vietnam-era Veterans and their families. The proposal is aimed at those Veterans who are not classified as mentally ill but nevertheless need some kind of counseling. I

The Administration also ment. That is particularly true Most Veterans have adjusted the VA for drug dependence this coming fiscal year, should provide needed resources to

The government is addres- treat those with continuing alcohol and drug abuse

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-Finally, more research needs to be done into the problems of Vietnam-era Veterans. I am directing both the Veterans Administration and the National Institute of Mental Health to initiate studies in this area. A major study contracted for by the Veterans Administration to be the same age group. The num- urge Congress to enact this submitted next year should enable us to better identify the nature and extent of problems being experienced by Vietnam-era Veterans

Incarcerated Veterans

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Shroud Of Tears P. Gambol

This shroud of tears That covers my face Takes me back to that place

The place I had in my heart for you My feelings inside that only grew For if you only knew

Knew the way you really are The way that now makes its scar The shroud of tears has blackened that star

This cloak of sorrow That hides my face this day Little did I know The price I would pay

Pay for the times I held you above Losing a very precious love You wore my feelings like a glove The cloak of sorrow flies with the dove

Let this shroud of tears Flow for all to see You wanted what I couldn't be That is The chance to be a part of me

CARTER, continued.

there are about 29,000 Vietnam-era Veterans in State and Federal prisons. Many of these Veterans received discharges which entitle them to VA benefits. Unfortunately, we lack comprehensive information about imprisoned

tration (LEAA) to com- society, th asked the LEAA and the and humane treatment. Bureau of Prisons to develop an information dissemination program for criminal justice system officials aimed at informing Veterans of the benefits available to them.

IV. MILITARY STATUS Ninety-seven percent of all regional offices of the VA.

Vietnam-era Veterans received discharges under honorable conditions after completing service. It is only fair that those few individuals with discharged under other than honorable conditions be presented with the fullest possible justification for the action taken against them. Because of the serious harm such a I have directed the Law Endischarge can do to a Veteran forcement Assistance Ad- seeking a responsible place in government must pile accurate data about incar- assure that discharge review is cerated Veterans. I have also readily available to insure fair

> In this connection the Administration will:

-grant assistance to sense of respect. Veterans seeking discharge review. The Department of Defense has agreed to provide indices of discharge reviewcorrection board cases to selective

-submit legislation to modify the provisions of PL 95-196 which automatically barred VA benefits for combat Veterans discharged because of unauthorized absences of 180 CONCLUSION

No steps we take can undo all the damage done by the war. There is no legislation that can bring those who died back to life, nor restore arms, legs. eyes to those who lost them in service. What we can do is to acknowledge our debt to those these drugs throughout the who sacrificed so much when novel does not give the reader their country asked service of an opportunity to experience them, and to repay that debt Reality. He is forced to guess Philip K. Dick is a writer fully, gladly, and with a deep constantly whether or not the

THE WHITE HOUSE, October 10, 1978

SF. Forum: Book Reviews And Profiles

Philip K. Dick

by John H. Branch, Jr.

Philip K. Dick is one of the few science fiction writers who does not allow the concept of Reality to hinder him from telling a good story. Since the early fifties, he has been writing and publishing stories whose speculative content challenge the idea of everyday Reality. To Dick, Reality is nothing more than a stepping stone to realms of imagination in which anything can happen - and usually does.

One of Philip Dick's more important novels is The Three Stigmata of Palmer Eldritch. This peculiar. somewhat complicated work is the story of a group of Martian colonists whose lives are so harsh and intolerable that they must resort to the use of a drug called Can-D in order to withstand their tribulations. When chewed, this drug produces an hallucinatory effect upon the minds of the colonists, which allows them to think that they are living somewhere else, enjoying themselves in peace and

Into this society comes Palmer Eldritch, a space explorer who has just made a very important discovery. On his last voyage to the Proxima System he discovered a form of chen which, when ingested. allows its user to transport himself to another reality in which anything he desires can happen. While this new drug. called Chew-Z, is similar to Can-D, the most important difference between the two is that the former drug does not put its user into a trance-like state. but allows him, between one eye blink and another, to experience a lifetime in another

Needless to say, the use of

Another of Phil Dick's major works is The Man in the High Castle. This novel, for which Dick received the Hugo in 1962, tells the story of an alternate reality in which the Axis powers -- Germany and Japan -- won the Second World War. Set in the western United States, most of this novel takes place in a section of the country occupied by the Japanese. who rule their domain through a white puppet government

The Japanese are portrayed as decent human beings who have a penchant for collecting memorabilia of the American past: comic books, bottle caps

The "man" in the High Castle is an author who has written a book which tells what might have happened to the world if Roosevelt had not been assassinated and the Allies had won the war. Forced to hide from the Gestapo. he sets himself up in an impregnable for-tress in the Rocky Mountains; and he is thus compelled to spend most of the novel there in fear for his life.

The Man in the High Castle proved to be a very important work in the field of science fiction. It was the first time in the theme - a theme which dealt with the idea of alternate realities -- had been written well enough to beat out all other contenders for the best novel of the year. Up until this time, although the theme had been used extensively before in minor works, it had never been employed to produce a work of lasting importance. It took Dick and his lack of respect for reality to accomplish this

scene which he is reading is ac-non-ordinary realities has tually taking place, or is sim- given many readers of SF an JIMMY CARTER ply occurring in the minds of the opportunity to enjoy realms of characters. But therein lies the experience transcending those of everyday existence.

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