12-10-1970

Current, December 10, 1970

Tim Flach
University of Missouri-St. Louis

Follow this and additional works at: http://irl.umsl.edu/current1970s

Recommended Citation
http://irlumsl.edu/current1970s/28

This Newspaper is brought to you for free and open access by the Student Newspapers at IRL @ UMSL. It has been accepted for inclusion in Current (1970s) by an authorized administrator of IRL @ UMSL. For more information, please contact marvinh@umsl.edu.
The four university campus presidents and a representative from the women's student government in Columbia are scheduled to meet Thursday morning with Gov. Warren E. Hearnes and members of the Board of Curators to discuss recommendations for appointments to the board next year.

Originally billed as a meeting between hearlars and the students, the scope was widened when the governor invited the curators to attend.

"From what I understand, most of the curators will be present," student president Barry Kaufman told the Current Tuesday.

The group will give Hearnes a final list of student recommendations on the four curators to be appointed next year. Preliminary nominations were submitted by district screening committees to the student Government Coordinating Council in Columbia last Friday.

Spokesmen for the council, which will determine what names will be submitted to the governor, said Tuesday that the final list is still not settled. Qualifications of many nominees were still being studied, the spokesmen said.

It was learned that approximately ten names had been submitted on Friday. The list of final recommendations will be made public at Thursday's meeting.

Both Gerry Benz and Pete Muckerman, campus representatives on the 1st and 3rd district screening committees, said that they did not submit any nominees to the council Friday. Both had previously expressed a hope to do so.

Benz said that he was unable to find anyone whom he felt to be interested in students who was willing to be nominated.

"The impression I got from a lot of people I talked to was that they considered it probable political suicide to be associated with a group of students who could appear to be in opposition to the governor," Muckerman stated that the recommendations will be viewed as meaningless by Hearnes.

He said that he felt the council will include "any and all com­mers" in its recommendations to the governor. He added that they would merely be "a rubber stamp" of the preliminary suggestions.

This approach would allow the governor to view student recommendations as scattered and ignore them, he claimed. "We should solidify our position behind four or five candidates," he said.

Kaufman added, "The only way I can see our recommendations influencing Hearnes is if the people we suggest are already being considered by him. If he is unfamiliar with them, I think he will ignore them."

"The meetings," he continued, "will serve as a precedent for future student input on decisions."

Four curators, no two from the same congressional district, will be nominated by Hearnes. The appointees must reside in the 1st, 3rd, 5th, 9th, or 10th congressional districts.

It is expected that Hearnes will nominate Judge William Billings, an old college classmate whose term expires Jan. 1, to replace Oliver Ferguson, who is retiring after completing four years of a six-year term.

Curators Doyle Patterson and president Pleasant Smith are also eligible for reappointment.

**The Young--A New Breed Of Voters**

18, 19, 20-year Olds More Aware Of, Interested In Politics

By JIM GURNEY
Current Staff Writer

The past week has seen many 18-, 19-, and 20-year olds register to vote.

Voter registration officials administered the required oath to students in the lobby of the Administration Building. The new voters will be eligible for any election in St. Louis County beginning the first of the year.

A suit has been filed in the United States Supreme Court testing the validity of the 18-20 year-old vote. The possibility that the law may be declared invalid met with a hostile response from most of the registrants.

"If we're old enough to die, then we're old enough to vote," this was the reason given by a male and female student polled immediately after they had registered.

They are more "aware" of what is happening in America, they felt. Educational facilities have improved since their parents went to school, and more high school graduates are able to go to college.

Mike Consers, 19, has a different idea. "I think that a maturity test should be given to determine whether a person is capable of making an intelligent decision," he said.

"Older people are especially unaware. They sit at home and listen to the propaganda on television."

Sharon Rosenberg, a freshman, wasted little time by registering on her eighteenth birthday.

"I'm glad to be able to vote now," she said, "but I'm very conserv­ative. I'm afraid that the leftist faction will gain control by electing more of their own group. I do, however, feel capable because I follow the issues."

Although they are satisfied by being able to register, most students feel that very few will take advantage of this privilege.

"There will be an overall increase in votes, but the percentage who vote is our age group will be just as low," remarked Chris McFerrin, 19, "because we're faced with the same situations as our parents."

"They all predicted they would vote because it will be a new experience, if for no other reason. However, McKenzie commented, "I think there will be a leveling out after the nowness wears off."

Grace Pizarro, 19, feels that her age group will continue to participate.

"Now is the right time for this to happen," she said. "College has stimulated our interests, and I think that we will continue to be interested."

Some think they can also show their interest by abstaining. Dave Landbeck, 19, stated that a person should not vote if he has no faith in the candidates.

"Why should I vote if I feel that the candidates aren't qualified?" he remarked. "It really depends on who runs."

Others maintain that they could express their dissent against the current political system by voting.

"I don't feel that I am capable," said Dan Wildhaber, 20, "because it is hard to keep up with everything. Since I'm able to vote now, maybe I will become more involved."

Some think that if a person can finish high school, he can make a decision.

**Meeting To Discuss Faculty Fines, Penalties Requested**

A proposal to form a faculty committee to discuss with the Board of Curators three previously approved resolutions opposing their decision to penalize four faculty members will be introduced to the Faculty Senate Thursday by Dr. Monroe Strickberger.

The previous resolutions, adopted by the senate Sept. 24, called on the curators to rescind the fines imposed on the four instructors who cancelled classes in support of the student strike May 6 and to reconsider their rejection of salary increases for the four. The third resolution branded the Sept. 5 policy statement issued by former university president John C. Werner with the curators' "concern" as "inappropriate."

The curators rejected the resolutions at their Nov. 13 meeting.

In a letter to the faculty, Strickberger, one of the penalized instructors, said that if the previous proposals are ignored, "the consequences will be disastrous to those very fundamental principles of morale and academic freedom upon which the health and growth of the University of Mis­souri depends."

The previous resolutions, adopted by the senate Sept. 24, called on the curators to rescind the fines imposed on the four instructors who cancelled classes in support of the student strike May 6 and to reconsider their rejection of salary increases for the four. The third resolution branded the Sept. 5 policy statement issued by former university president John C. Werner with the curators' "concern" as "inappropriate."

The curators rejected the resolutions at their Nov. 13 meeting.
Physics, Chemistry Programs Face Difficulties

Crumpled Facilities And Limited Funds Restrict Development

Construction of a $5.5 million physics-chemistry building is vital to alleviate the shortage of physical space we do have, not one to relieve the shortage of physical departments.

According to the chair of the physics and chemistry departments, Dr. William Edson (Physics) and Dr. Charles Armbruster (Chemistry) told the Current that their programs were being seriously cramped by the lack of space.

DespitE one of the largest undergraduate physics programs in the United States, Edson said, "we are quite literally being strangled by a lack of space, and of the space we do have, not one inch was set up to be used by physics."

He stressed that his department is forced to refuse thousands of dollars' worth of free equipment and supplies - made available by the closing of U.S. military and aerospace projects - due to the shortage of storage space.

The proposed physics-chemistry building would not only supply storage space, but also classrooms and laboratories for electronics, astronomy, and Physics I classes.

He explained that both the astronomy and introductory physics courses had to be closed early during registration due to lack of space.

In addition, the location of the larger astronomy course in a regular classroom requires that audio-visual equipment be transported back and forth whenever the class is scheduled.

The same crowded classroom, he mentioned, simultaneously houses three different electronics courses.

He added that there is no lecture hall here suitable for physics demonstrations.

Four rooms - one containing 1800 square feet, the other three with 900 each - must accommodate a graduate enrollment of 225.

Citing a survey of physics buildings built between 1961 and 1965 at nineteen universities, he said physics faculty here have only 25% of the space considered average.

Edson said they need four times the total service space now available to the physics department.

The area allotted to the machine shop and electronics shop required for construction, maintenance, and repair of equipment is about 35% of what it should be, he asserted.

He also cited the physics curriculum's relation to local industry. Approximately 150 of 225 physics majors are concerned with applied physics, and all of them hold at least a part-time job, according to a recent survey.

Every physics-related major company in the area has at least one employee who is majoring in physics, he should.

Edson added that his department must use space which otherwise might be used by Biology and Psychology departments, referring to accommodations in Benton Hall and Life Sciences.

The former physics amex, he explained, had an open laboratory where students could work on their projects at any time, with one security officer on duty. "We need something like that again," he said.

Armbruster described the situation of the Chemistry department as "an absolute impasse."

Citing numerous curriculum changes in the last three years, he said: "we have compromised curriculum rather than deny students."

He referred to the division of the introductory chemistry course into laboratory and lecture courses for non-science majors, since laboratory space was not available to accommodate all those wishing to take the introductory course.

Last year, a quantitative analysis course had to be reduced from two laboratory meetings a week to one, a measure employed this year for the organic chemistry course, required for chemistry and biology majors, as well as students in pre-medicine, pre-dentistry, and pre-veterinary medicine programs.

Declaring that UMSL awarded 40 per cent of the bachelor of science degrees in chemistry in the entire university system, he said the present 21,000 square feet in Benton Hall allotted to the chemistry department is well under the minimum norm usually regarded as necessary for chemistry faculty.

He added that no further faculty could be accommodated due to the lack of space.

The chemistry department has the approval of accrediting agencies to begin offering a doctorate program, he said, but lack of funds prevented the program from being instituted this fall.

The department probably won't be able to accommodate more than ten graduate students until more facilities are available.

Armbruster asserted that this early cramming of the Ph. D. program could prove disastrous.

Severe demands are already placed on space due to UMSL's position as the only university in the metropolitan St. Louis area offering an evening degree program in chemistry.

Local chemical industries have shown an interest in the program here, furnishing support in the form of money and equipment, with even more forthcoming if it weren't for space limitations, he said.

However, the proposed physics-chemistry building, as described, would only furnish an extra 25,000 square feet of area to each department.

This would double the space allotted to physics (11,830 to 25,000 square feet) and chemistry (21,000 to 46,000 square feet), but the chemistry department would retain its Benton Hall space.

Armbruster stated that, once the building was approved, its construction would require at least two years.

Edson estimated at least three years for completion.

The structure is also intended to house a combined technical reference library.

Funds to construct the building have been included in a preliminary proposal in the Missouri House for a $230 million bond issue for capital improvements.

U-Senate Bylaws

Given To Ratchford

The proposed bylaws establishing a U-Senate, as reviewed by administrative and legal offices and forwarded to interim president C. B. Ratchford, Ratchford will forward the proposal to the Board of Curators for final approval.

Dr. Donald Driemeier, chairman of the ad hoc Faculty Senate committee that wrote the bylaws, said that the legal office suggested a number of revisions to the proposal. The committee accepted a number of minor changes in the wording of the bylaws. The committee rejected at this time a number of suggestions that would have required the approval of the entire faculty, as too time-consuming, according to Driemeier.

"We wanted to do everything possible to expedite the presentation of the bylaws to the board," he said.

The proposed bylaws, which would seat 25 students on a 100-member University Senate, were approved by the faculty last spring. The proposal was forwarded to the former president John C. Weaver this fall. He submitted it to the administrative and legal offices for study.
Re-election Ends Today

The recurring problem of the Central Council, the consistent lack of a quorum of meeting, resulted this week in a decision to hold re-elections for day school representatives in which only eleven candidates filed for the eleven positions open. Balloting is scheduled to end Thursday.

George Wilhelm, chairman of the election subcommittee of the Appointments and Elections Committee, was forced to reverse his decision to cancel the election when the lack of a quorum prevented a ruling by the body on the situation.

Wilhelm had ruled last week that the eleven candidates would be seated automatically as day school representatives for the remaining four months in the terms.

The decision was subject to the approval of the Appointments and Elections Committee, which was scheduled to meet Friday to ratify his decision. No quorum was present, and the meeting was canceled.

"Wilhelm had no choice but to hold the elections since he could not get the cancellation approved, according to John Heithaus, committee chairman.

Incumbent representatives who have filed to retain their seats include Bob Baanslader, chairman; Jean Heithaus, secretary; Margie Kranzberg, treasurer; Susan White, and Connie Eliebrecht.

Several students who have not filed include Susan Morice, Linda Bredwell, John Heithaus, Greg Tye, Mary-Scottsman, and Debbie Wimsip.

The election ends a six month dispute with the Student Court. The conflict arose over the decision of a council election sub-committee last spring to invalidate votes cast on a voting machine that contained incorrect voting instructions.

After hearing a challenge to the sub-committee's decision, the court ordered a reballoting by mail. The mail vote failed to return the 90 per cent return required.

Chief Justice Herb Bitner has stated that the court then ordered a new election for day school representatives. The order was contested by some members of the council, who argued that there were apparently no records indicating any such decision.

HOSPITALITY

is offered to you by the Benedictine monks of the Saint Louis Priory, in the interests of peace. Share, if you wish, in the life of a Christian monastic community. Stay for a few days -- any time.

Call 434-3690, Fr. Prior or Fr. Benedict
The Saint Louis Priory
500 S. Mason Road, 63141

LSD May Cause Girls

SEATTLE (UPI) - Not chromo-
osome damage and deformities but girl babies are the end result of LSD-taking pregnant women, ac-
cording to a Washington University pediatrics professor.

Dr. David W. Smith discussed his theories during a recent symposium sponsored by the university’s School of Social Work. His findings came about as a result of a study completed by himself and Dr. John Aase (formerly of Washington, now living in Alaska).

In their research the two doctors studied 10 babies born to mothers who had taken LSD during pregnancy. As a control they also ex-
amined a group of 10 babies from mothers who had never taken LSD. Their findings showed that none of the 29 infants displayed birth de-
fects, nor was there any discerni-
bly chromosomal damage. The only outstanding difference between the two groups was that the "LSD-bab-
ies" were all girls.

"The mathematical probabilities of that occurring by chance are rather slim," said Dr. Smith. "But that doesn’t mean it couldn’t hap-
pen."

Dr. Smith said he was critical of past research done on the ef-
continued on Page 4

Drilling for oil? No, but the engineering consulting firm of Raymond International is making a geological inquiry into the amount of water leakage from Bugg Lake. The firm will make recommendations pending the results of the investigation.

Current Photo by Carl Duty

Council Fate Called Uncertain

The fate of the Central Council rests on its performance in the next six months, student president Barry Kaufman said Sunday.

"The next six or seven months will determine whether the council continues to exist. Unless people come out and work, there will be no council in six months," Kauf-
man claimed at a special council meeting called to discuss methods of improving the council.

Twenty people attended the meeting. About five of those attending were members of the council.

Kaufman asserted that student apathy is the source of the coun-
cil’s problems.

"Students on this campus don’t give a damn," he said. "Probably 20 per cent of the students don’t even know there is a Central Council.

Representative Bob Lamberg was unofficially appointed chair-
man of committees and was in-
structed to supervise all council committees.

The council’s constitution dele-
gates similar responsibilities to the student vice-president, Ed Farrell. Farrell has dropped out of school. There is no provision in the council’s constitution or bylaws for replacing the vice-

Farrell, who announced that he will resign his post a month ago, has not yet done so formally.

Two representatives made sug-
gestions to improve the opera-
tion of the council. Vera Barron encouraged the body to limit the number of projects it undertakes and to establish a list of priorities for those projects.

"We must find out what the

CONCERNED COLLEGIALS

AGAINST ABORTION ABUSE

Due to the difficulties people are experiencing in trying to obtain a legal abortion many profit making ventures have been founded to act as booking agents. These groups charge substantially for these services and naturally this costs more in other costs to the patient. Often these services are mail order houses or travel agencies with no medical staff.

As a public service we list the following out-patient clinics, staffed by licensed OB — GYN personnel and meeting all medical guidelines issued by N.Y.S.

To obtain an abortion a patient need only call any of the following listed facilities, and speak directly to personnel able to give pertinent information with regard to that clinic. IN NO CASE SHOULD YOU SEND ANY MONEY IN ADVANCE, IT IS NOT NECESSARY.

WRITE OR CALL

MICHAEL BERGMAN CLINIC
Irving Place
New York, New York
(212) 989-3707
10 weeks — $100 — $150

MONSEY MEDICAL CENTER
29 Main Street
Monsey, New York
(914) 365-6487
10 weeks — $200

NEW YORK INFIRMARY
321 East 15th Street
New York, New York
(212) CA 8-0800
10 weeks — $200

If you would like to assist us in our work call
(212) 80-8726

Turned off by orthodox religion?
We believe in freedom of thought.
We believe in being relevant.
Try us.

Thom. Jefferson Unitarian Church
315 S. Euclid Avenue
Flint, Michigan
We welcome people of all faiths.

Third and Main
Alton, Illinois 62002

Thom. Jefferson Unitarian Church
315 S. Euclid Avenue
Flint, Michigan
We welcome people of all faiths.

Third and Main
Alton, Illinois 62002

NEW HRS. FOR XMAS

12/11-70
11 A.M.
5 P.M.

JUST PANTS

<3 pants for $3

1st Unitarian Church of St. Louis
315 S. Euclid Avenue
St. Louis, Missouri 63103

1st Unitarian Church of Alton
Third and Main
Alton, Illinois 62002

Grievance Committee chairman Pam Schebenel announced that the freedom bell monument being con-
structed between Benton Hall and the Life Sciences building was donated by the Normandy Kiwanis Club and was not bought with stu-
dent activities funds.

She also said that her com-
mittee was seeking members in-
terested in investigating student grievances. Interested students should contact her through the Office of Student Activities, room 117 Administration building.
The New Voters
Continued from Page 1

"If a person is old enough to pay taxes, then he is old enough to vote," declared Marlene Machinski, 20. "These students know just as much about the world as any 21-year-old."

Rick Pits, 19, felt that the majority of his contemporaries are very knowledgeable.

"I think this is great," he said, "because now we can express how we feel."

This has also been an opportunity for older students to register. David Houser, 23, has been in the service and was unable to register before this week.

"I've served with many young men in this age group," he stated, "and I know that they are intelligent enough to vote. I don't think that more than 50 percent of this group will actually vote, but I think that they should be given the opportunity."

The voter registration officials—Mrs. Rosemary Kochner, Mrs. Lorraine Rauch, and Mrs. Irene Long—working through their Clayton office, remarked favorably on the students who had registered.

"The students are terrific," according to Mrs. Kochner, "despite what you read.

"How often do people get to come to a university to discover if what they read is true. These students are very much interested and concerned."

LSD And Girl Babies
Continued from Page 3

Effects of LSD on chromosomes and the unborn fetus because the actual evidence from these studies has been extrapolated far beyond what was actually observed. He stressed that the findings from his study were also quite rudimentary and conclusions should not be carried too far beyond the actual observations of the study. "With LSD you have a situation where everyone is so interested in finding as many things wrong with it as possible, that objective research becomes rather difficult."

The first research which concluded that LSD might cause chromosome damage in human beings was done with white blood cells in a "test tube" situation. Pure LSD was placed directly upon the lymphocytes and the result was "chromosome breakage" in some of the cells. However, Dr. Smith explained that the same effect can be achieved with aspirin, caffeine, and many other substances.

Soon after this study a doctor in New York published findings which showed that, out of five babies whose mothers had taken LSD during pregnancy, two had signs of chromosome damage. "About two percent of all babies are born with some type of malformation anyway," Dr. Smith said. "Without a baseline (comparison between LSD babies and total number of babies observed) it is difficult to make use of this type of information."

Dr. Smith said he became more interested in the results of his own study after he read an unrelated report on the offspring of schizophrenic parents. He said that in this study, all mothers who showed psychotic symptoms within one month after conception had girl babies. Because there are similarities between schizophrenia and the symptoms of having taken LSD, Dr. Smith said he thinks there may be a connection as to why they both cause the rejection of the XY (male) fetus.

Christian Science
College Organization
at UMSL
meets regularly on Wednesdays at 12:40 p.m. in 402 BENTON HALL

Aid For Stranded Motorists

As certain as the temperature will turn cold, a number of students will need jumper cables to start their cars this winter.

The Central Council recently purchased a set of jumper cables and donated them to the Traffic and Security office. Students can borrow the cables from the office, located in the Administration building.

Students borrowing the cables must present their school identification cards. The Traffic and Security office has lost a number of sets of cables in the past when students did not return them.

Suggestions for the purchase of similar items for student use have been requested by the council.

The tradition and the contemporary have been merged into a symbolic plea for peace in a Christmas wreath on display through December in room 117 of the Administration Building.

Looking for the Perfect Christmas Present? Give a Lasting Gift... Give a Book!

Come in and see our new selection of gift books for Christmas.

Picture books Children's books
Cookbooks Poetry books
Small Stocking Stuffers
See Them All At The UNIVERSITY BOOKSTORE
We will wrap your selection free of charge.
Debaters At Ohio State

The campus debate team, represented by Bob Hausladen and Mike Kruger, had a 4-4 record at the Ohio State Invitational Tournament last weekend. Over 100 teams took part in the event.

Hausladen and Kruger defeated teams from University of South Carolina, University of Detroit, Ohio University and Marietta College.

They were beaten by Bowling Green State University, Southern Illinois University, Edwardsville, Ohio Northern University, and University of Toledo.

The debate team's cumulative season record now stands at 43 victories against 31 defeats. They have won a total of six awards.

Mike Beatty and Dave Jim participating at the University of Arkansas.

The Midwest Model United Nations, which will hold its tenth annual session in Feb., 24-27, is the largest body of its type in the world. Nearly 1,000 students from 100 colleges will participate in the program.

A team, consisting of Barbara Kindor and Chris Hayden, will participate in the Southeast Missouri State Invitational Tournament the same weekend.

Driscoll Expects Completion Of Presidential Search Group Fri.

Chancellor Glen R. Driscoll closed Tuesday that he expects the Board of Curators to announce the completed membership of the 10-man university presidential search and screening committee at their meeting Friday.

The committee will consist of four faculty representatives, each from a different academic division; four deans, one from each campus; a representative of the Inter-campus Faculty Advisory Council, and a university-wide representative chosen by the board.

Driscoll said that he and the other three chancellors have already forwarded their recommendations for the deans to the board.

Although he felt his recommendation would probably be approved by the Curators, he declined to name his choice, maintaining this would avoid any possible embar-

---

"Christmas Happening"

want to see how people really live in poverty stricken areas?

We have actual slides, movies and Maryloch, all visions to answer any of your questions.

Can you take time out of your scheduled day to see how other peoples' lives are scheduled in the short time to live?

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 13, 7:00 p.m. at NEWMAN HOUSE

DOOMSDAY!

A CRAWLING VIRUS OF TERROR ENVELOPS EARTH!

No Blade Of Grass

TROPIC OF CANCER

NEXT GREAT ATTRACTION AT THE magic lantern cinema 6350 delmar 725-0220

ATTEND 75¢ 5:30 p.m. MON. thru SAT. $1.00 After 5 p.m. and All-day Sun. & Hol.

HENRY MILLERS

NOW SHOWING

F R S T T I M E I N S T E R E O S P H O N I C S O U N D! FIRST TIME AT LOW ADMISSION PRICES!

woodstock

starring paul.bowie • cee locker • country joe & the fish • rosie stills & nash • arlo Guthrie • richie havens • jim hendrix • Carmen • John Sebastian • Status Quo • Sly & the family stone • ten years after • the who • and 400,000 other beautiful people.

a film by michael wadleigh•produced by bob maurice

NOW SHOWING AT THE AMBASSADOR 7th & LOCUST 534-8330

THE HOUSE OF HITS!
To communicate is the beginning of understanding.
PART-TIME WORK
Walter or Waitress experienced, 11 am-3 pm.
Creve Coeur Racquet Club
Call 434-0347

DATE MATE
where compatible partners meet.
5 Dates...$6.00
781-6700 - Anytime

Professional typing of
thesis & papers.
TRANSCRIPT INC.
CE 1-6154
After 6 p.m. & weekends
BR 4-4082

Single 8-track tapes $3.50
Double 8-track tapes $6.00
tapes made from L.P.'s, 45's
other brand tapes and radio
Call Ray 388-1967

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING RATES
To order classifieds; use the form below. Fill in the boxes
allowing one box for each letter, space and punctuation mark.
Count two boxes for capital letters. Don't use hyphens at the
end of a line (which contains 30 characters). Use additional
form if more than 4 lines are required. Minimum size and
charge is 50¢ for two lines. For each line add 25¢. Multiply
the total by the number of weeks the ad is run. Mail the ad,
with payment (check or money order preferred) to: Current
Ad Dept., Room 210, Administration, 8001 Natural Bridge
Rd., St. Louis, Mo. 63121. Copy must be in the Monday be­
fore publication. No refunds can be made for advertising pub­
lished. All ad copy is subject to the approval of the Ad Man­
ger. The Current assumes no financial responsibility for
typographical errors in ads, but if at fault, will reprint that
ad in which the error occurs.

FOR SALE
'67 Ford Frln, 500 2-dr. htup $15, $5,000
mi., $1200. Phone 957-7894 after 6 p.m.

Snow skis - $15 good condition, black light with
posters (4 ft.) $15, call 741-6796.

Mossberg 20 gauge pump shotgun, $35; call Bill at
993-5653.

WANTED
Need 3 roommates (male)
for winter semester, U of Mo Columbia, call 839-3389.

Pep Band positions are open for interested and
qualified musicians. Call Mike VyrosteK at 423-7419.

Riders from St. Charles
needed, staff hours, 8 am to 5 pm Call RA 4-0409.

Small refrigerator at very reasonable price,
call 453-5175.

People to attend Coffee
House or will be discontinued. Please come, Steph.

Information leading to whereabouts of the
"Famed Green Monster"
Call 521-1016

HELP WANTED
Need a JOB? Come to the
University Placement Office, Room 211, Admin­
istration Bldg.

Machine Shop Work, 20
hrs. per week, see Mrs. Bolton in UPO.

Clerk-typist, 20 hrs.,
Clayton area, see Mrs. Bolton in UPO.

Sales, music store, 2 or 3
evenings and Saturdays,
see Mrs. Bolton in UPO.

Live-in babysitting for 10
days during Xmas vacation,
see Mrs. Bolton in UPO.

Lost & Found
Lost, vision while looking
at sun morning after
soccer party. If found,
call 781-0425

PERSONAL
PRINCE NAMOR SENDS
HIS CONGRATULATIONS
TO BRUCE & LINDA.
The Council's Self-Analysis: Anything Accomplished?

It is doubtful that anything constructive will result from the special meeting of the Central Council last Sunday. The meeting was billed as a "self-examination session" designed to help uncover the sources of problems facing the council.

A number of obstacles to improvement of the council surfaced at the meeting. A point was made that most of the representatives present could not comprehend them. Most of the meeting was spent considering new programs that the council should undertake. However, as at least one representative noted early in the session, the council has already undertaken more projects this year than it has the manpower to complete successfully.

The members of the council must learn that a few well-executed programs are worth much more than a large number of unfilled promises.

Despite the pronouncements of student presidents Sam Bommarito and Barry Kaufman over the last two years, the council's committee system might very well mean the death, not the life, of the council.

There are less than a dozen people on the council who are willing to devote the time necessary to make the council's programs succeed. If there were more such people, the committee system might work. But when only one or, at the most, two diligent people are on each committee, the system breaks down.

The very essence of "committees" tends to make people think that an actual committee, not a single person, exists. When three major projects, such as course evaluation and, especially by the press, the council's programs succeed. If it is trying very hard not to be effective, should not be criticized, especially by the press. The council will become effective only when students have a "good" image of it, it is claimed.

This fear of an unfavorable image seems to be a misplaced sense of vanity. If a council were actually energetic were directed at accomplishing the job the council is supposed to perform, the image problem would take care of itself.

The Young Voters

The comments of the 18-, 19-, and 20-year-olds registering to vote in the next presidential election on page 1 indicates that the extension of the franchise was a long overdue reform.

However, the newly won privilege is still unsure. Immediately after signing the bill authorizing the extension, President Nixon directed the Justice Department to challenge the law enacting the extension, claiming that it would be done by constitutional amendment.

Without commenting on the legal techniques by which the franchise was granted, it can be easily seen that the time of the 18-year-old vote has arrived. Those who argue that the 18-20 year age group is to immature and inexperienced to qualify as an educated electorate need only examine their older group to discover the same factors. The age of 21 is not a magical figure. Maturity and levelheadedness, two qualities imbued by a college experience despite what vote-hungry conservatives shout at election campaigns, are by no means restricted to those 21 and up.

Those who now enjoy the right of the franchise would like to keep it to themselves, fearing that a democratization of the voting public will dilute the political interests they have built. A sudden shift towards "radical" policies does not follow from the 18-year-old vote—only hindsight will provide that judgment.
FRIDAY, DECEMBER 11
8 am - 4 pm  BAKE SALE sponsored by Beta Sigma Gammas, in the Cafe, Admin. Bldg.
8:30 am - 5 pm  VOTER REGISTRATION for County Residents 18 or older, in the Lobby, Admin. Bldg. Sponsored by the University Program Board.
8 pm  ANNUAL MISTLETOE MINGLING. All School Mixer sponsored by Sigma Pi with music by the Free Enterprise. $1.60, in the Cafe-Lounge Bldg.
7 and 9:30 pm  FILM SERIES: OH WHAT A LOVELY WAR, a satire on World War I starring Sir Lawrence Olivier and Sir Ralph Richardson. Room 101, Life-Science Bldg. 60¢ with student or staff I.D., $1.00, all others. Sponsored by the University Program Board.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 13
3 pm  CHORAL CHRISTMAS CONCERT, room 105, Benton Hall. No charge.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 14
8 am - 4 pm  BAKE SALE sponsored by Alpha Phi Omega, in the Cafe, Admin. Bldg.
8 pm  RIVERMEN BASKETBALL. Rivermen vs University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, at Viking Hall, Normandy Senior High School.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 15
8 am - 4 pm  BAKE SALE sponsored by Beta Sigma Gammas, in the Cafe, Admin. Bldg.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 16
8 am - 4 pm  BAKE SALE sponsored by Sigma Pi, in the Cafe, Admin. Bldg.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 17
8 am - 4 pm  BAKE SALE sponsored by Angel Flight, in the Cafe, Admin. Bldg.
8 pm  RIVERMEN BASKETBALL. The Rivermen vs University of Tennessee-Martin, at Viking Hall, Normandy High School.

The Inner-City
Everybody talks about it, but nobody ever does anything about it.
HOW ABOUT YOU?
Volunteers are needed for Inner City Children's program Tuesday Afternoon from 3:30 - 4:30

FOR INFORMATION CALL
Mr. Jim Lewis, director of children's programs, 231-5138
Mr. Bob Harvey, Baptist Student Director, EV 3-2456

The Right Of Education

Dear Editor,

Every man should have the natural gift of an education. It is not only the duty of the United States to see that this is done -- it is her God-given prerogative. This country cannot afford the luxury of an uneducated society. Whenever social trouble of any kind develops, it comes down to the fact that the people involved usually are crying out for understanding, for education in the norms of the world. It is a fact, Mr. Middle Class America, that your brother wants the same thing that you want, but it is impossible for him. For if he has not the same set of values, how can you expect him to act and think as you do?

But I think this dream of a universal free education is exactly that, a dream. As long as there are those who cannot transcend the barrier of color, and these there will always be, then this country cannot become homogeneous in any respect. This country will never have domestic peace. This is pure fact.

Christmas Concert

The annual Christmas Choral Concert by the University Chorus and Missouri Singers will be presented at 3 p.m. Dec. 13 in room 105, Benton Hall. There is no charge for admission. The 60-voice University Chorus and 26-voice Missouri Singers are directed by Dr. Ronald Arnett, associate professor of music. The combined Chorus and Missouri Singers will perform a selection of traditional and contemporary Christmas carols.

But if this were to happen, let no man say that in America one could not go as far as his mental capabilities could carry him. It is a simple fact that the people who are under a tyrannical domination are constantly trying for freedom. And freedom to many people means a given chance to try.

A country that regulates who shall be given an education and who shall not is regulating its future power. In this case, it is the power to enforce democracy. And to those who say democracy cannot and should not be enforced, these are the people who will be forced, tricked, coaxed, or subjugated to accept totalitarianism in any form or disguise, be it extreme rightism or extreme leftism.

To silence a man will not silence his views. It is this country's obligation to see that a man's views can be made known. A country that allows dissent from within will be stronger from within. And conversely, a country that suppresses from within is no country at all.

William J. Moushey

It's not too early to think about
New Years Eve - Join Us -
Make your reservations early!
COMPLETE EVENING (for 2) $25.00
Drinks - Buffet - Live Music - FUN
Music by - The "In Crowd"
John Reno & Tim Cartwright
every Wed., Thurs., Fri., & Sat. Nites
Ze Left Bank
8454 Florissant Road
University Park Shopping Center

REGIONAL PRE-LAW CONFERENCE FOR MINORITY GROUP STUDENTS
SATURDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1970 9:30 - 4:30
ST. LOUIS UNIVERSITY KNIGHTS ROM PIUS XII MEMORIAL LIBRARY
ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI

SPONSORED BY:
University of Arkansas School of Law
Drake University School of Law
University of Iowa College of Law
University of Missouri - Columbia School of Law
University of Missouri - Kansas City School of Law
St. Louis University School of Law
Vanderbilt University School of Law
Washington University School of Law
Bar Association of Metropolitan St. Louis
Missouri Bar Association
Mound City Bar Association
Council on Legal Education Opportunity
Law School Admission Test Council

PANELS WILL CONSIDER:
Careers in the Law
Law School Curriculum and Study
Law School Admission and Financial Aid

PARTICIPANTS WILL INCLUDE:
Minority group lawyers from various areas of practice, law school faculty members and lay students.

Minority Group Undergraduates and Recent Graduates Invited.

A constant dialogue will be encouraged between panelists and students.
FRIDAY FILM SERIES

OH!
WHAT A LOVELY WAR

A musical satire of World War I,
starring

SIR LAWRENCE OLIVIER AND
SIR RALPH RICHARDSON

WITH

MAGGIE SMITH, VANESSA REDGRAVE, SIR JOHN GIELGUD,
KENNETH MORE, SIR MICHAEL REDGRAVE, DIRK BOGARDE
AND SUSANNAH YORK.

Color and Cinemascope
Friday, December 11th
2 Showings: 7 & 9:30 p.m.
Room 101, Life-Sciences

Admission: 50¢ with student or staff I.D. $1.00 for all others

Sponsored by the University Program Board
Mark Bernsen scores on a layup late in the first half of the Riverman game with Southeast Missouri. The shot helped UMSL build up an 11 point halftime lead over the Indians. SEMO won the game, 90-87, in overtime.

Current Photo

Rivermen Weather Defeat

Continued from Page 12 test. In 1969, the Indians beat the Rivermen by one point in overtime. This year, they overcame an 11-point halftime deficit and beat the Red and Gold by three in overtime.

The Indians trailed at one point by 12 points, but put on a strong rally. They hit the Rivermen with a full court press, and tied the game, 75-75, at the end of regulation time.

Near the end of the ensuing overtime period, SEMO's Jim Anderson was fouled by Carkhum as he was shooting. The basket was good, as was the free throw that followed, and that three-point play proved to be the arrow that shafted the Rivermen, 90-87.

A dejected Mark Bernsen offered an explanation for the loss.

"We didn't work like a team. We didn't play our game. We got into foul trouble and lost our game plan. We had very bad defense. Bernsen also said that the Rivermen were guilty of committing too many turnovers, which gave SEMO the chance to put points on the board.

The foul trouble Bernsen spoke of included head coach Chuck Smith. Referee Bob Murrey called a technical foul when Smith, in a moment of tense action, jumped up and onto the court. A free throw followed, tying it at 71-71.

Though the referee said he had warned Smith before penalizing him, Smith disagreed. "He never warned me," said the Rivermen mentor, and explained that he thought the call should have been for a jump ball, and stood up to signify this.

Road Trip Saturday

The Steamers Club has announced plans for a bus trip to Liberty, Missouri, this Saturday for the Rivermen basketball game with William Jewell College.

The bus will leave the university at 1:00 p.m. and return following the game. Cost for the trip will be $6. Reservations may be made at the cashier's office, Administration Building.
.500 First Week Highlighted By 'Gray Hair, Ulcers'

Sedrick Bell III, the flashy 6’3” Rivermen guard, sat in the visitor’s locker room at Millikin University Saturday night and summed up the first week of Rivermen basketball.

“Those are the kinds of games that give coaches gray hair and ulcers,” said Bell. “That’s why I’ll never be a coach.”

Bell was speaking of the two preceding games that had been decided by three points or less. In the home opener Thursday night, the Rivermen were beaten in overtime by Southeast Missouri State University, 90-87, and on Saturday, UMSL defeated Millikin’s Big Blue, 90-88.

Bell then spoke of the Millikin victory. “It was one helluva game. We kept our poise and that made all the difference.” Keeping their poise proved highly beneficial, as the Rivermen let three leads slip through their hands and had to battle to the victory.

Center Jim Buford added, “We kept our poise at the end of the game when it really counted.”

While Bell gave credit to poise, guard Clarence Slaughter gave credit to Bell. He (Bell) came off the bench and really did a fine job,” commented Slaughter.

SEMO coach Bob Cradic, meanwhile, was busy complimenting Ron Carkhum. “Carkhum played three ways. He played offense, he played on the boards, and he played defense. He took our 6’7” boy (center, Herman Hunt) and climbed his back, and he kept the ball from coming to his forwards (Andrew Reid and Larry Briggs).” Millikin coach Jerry Gray pointed out that Carkhum was the most impressive of all the Rivermen. UMSL held the lead at Millikin throughout the first half, but the Big Blue fought to within one point at halftime, leaving the floor trailing 45-44.

In the second half, Millikin toughened. They led at many points and prevented the Rivermen from getting any farther than five points ahead.

Near the end of the game, the lead continually changed hands and with less than a minute to play, a Millikin free throw tied the match at 88-All. Then Jim Buford hit on a lay-up with 23 seconds left to give the Rivermen that all-important two point victory.

The Rivermen weren’t so fortunate in the game against SEMO, which must have seemed to many to be a replay of last year’s contest.

Continued on Page 11

Double Trouble Hits JV Cagers

The junior varsity Rivermen suffered two setbacks last week, one to Florissant Valley Community College and another to the disabled list.

The Norsemen spoiled the JV season opener, 86-75, Dec. 2 at the PVCC field house, despite double figure scoring by five of the fledgling Cagers, led by Mike Pratt’s 17.

Meanwhile, 6’7” center Rick Schmidt suffered a hairline fracture of his leg in the game. Coach Arnold Copeland told the Current that Schmidt would be out for “several weeks” with the injury. Copeland feels that the loss of Schmidt will hurt the center more than it will the team, noting that “he had been playing more aggressively” and getting the hang of the UMSL system of play prior to his injury.

The JV mentor was anything but discouraged at prospects for the season, saying “This is the best...” Continued on Page 11

EVENING STUDENTS

you are cordially invited to attend
the next meeting of your
Evening College Council
Tuesday, December 15, 9:30 p.m.
Room 117, Administration Bldg.