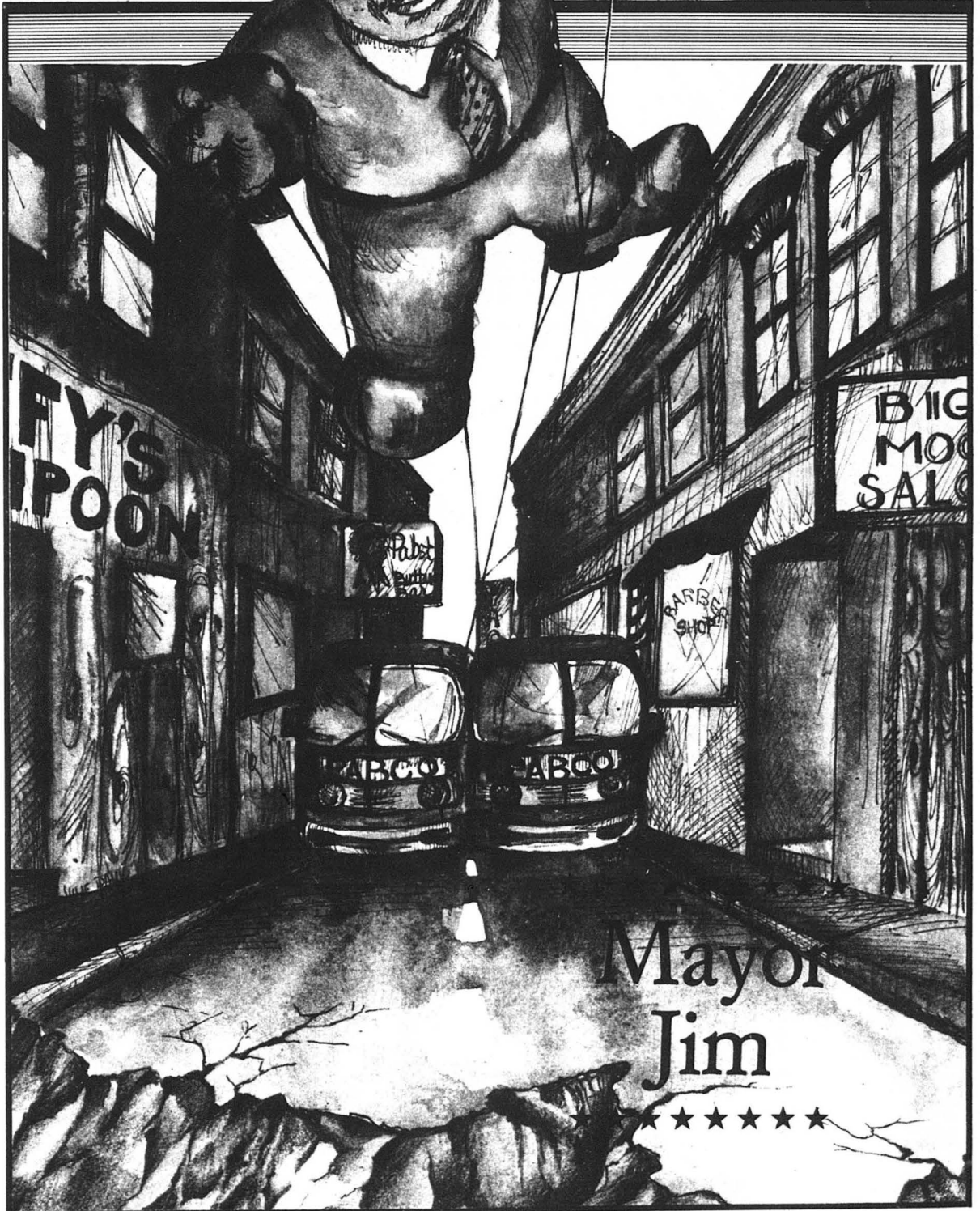


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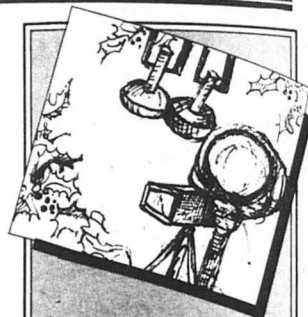


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VIEWPOINT

Examining the athletics price tag

By Leo Pieri, Sports Editor

Down in Alabama, football coach Bear Bryant could probably run for senator and win. Out in Oklahoma, football coach Barry Switzer is as celebrated as the Roger's and Hammerstein's musical about the state. (He has also been accused of having as much power as the Dean of his university).

All over the United States universities and colleges face the controversial issue of whether or not college athletics should have as much power as they do. The balance of power is becoming shaky due to the spiraling athletic budget needs of many colleges. With the rising inflation costs, especially in the area of transportation and equipment, university athletic financial requirements are skyrocketing.

A major issue involved is whether or not athletic spending is becoming so important it is taking precedence over other student concerns. College football is as traditional as apple pie, but is as expensive as a fine wine; crushing tackles can be as costly as crushing grapes. Football makes up the major part of the UWSP athletics budget.

According to Athletic Director Dr. Paul Hartman, inter-collegiate athletics here at UWSP has the main goal of providing an educational experience in as many varsity, junior varsity, and freshmen sports as possible. Through this experience it is hoped that participants and spectators will find that common bond which makes the college years a significant and cherished era of a person's life.

SPBAC budget deliberations recommend funding inter-collegiate athletics here at Point at around \$55,000 for the upcoming year. That breaks down to roughly \$7.00 per full time student. The budget isn't definite yet, but that's a plate price many students don't want to pay.

The athletic income has increased in recent years. That has to be attributed to ticket and

gate receipts and special projects such as clinics, summer camps and raffles. Athletic department heads should also be credited with the increased income.

The problem with the athletic budget is not with the purpose of it, rather it is with the actual needs. Cutbacks are essential to make the budget more acceptable in the eyes of many. Certain unneeded expenditures should be cutback to try and save money during times when money goes fast.

SPBAC recommended to athletics that individual participants purchase their own personal clothing. Debatable proposals by athletics included about \$3,700 for shoes, \$1,500 for film processing, \$125 for undershirts, \$72 for socks, \$36 for travel bags and \$30 for vinyl tape.

SPBAC also questioned why wrestlers are supplied with gum. The reply was that gum is given to wrestlers when they are losing weight for matches. Thanks to Phil Wrigley for being a dietician.

Also questionable was the amount of student input in the budget. SPBAC advised more student input in the preparation of the budget.

If the athletic department is sincere in its efforts to increase athletic education, especially in the area of women's athletics, money should be channeled more effectively and diligently to insure that educational goals are met.

Obviously athletics does hold great esteem in this institution, as proven by the participation. But let's try to make the money as useful as possible.

"It takes money to make money" is an adage used by Hartman referring to athletic progress here at UWSP. But let's not allow power and money to swallow up athletics here at UWSP like it has at so many other colleges. Competition and desire are fine as long as the real goal behind college athletics is not brushed aside. The real goal is education. Too many college sports are becoming professional pass-times.

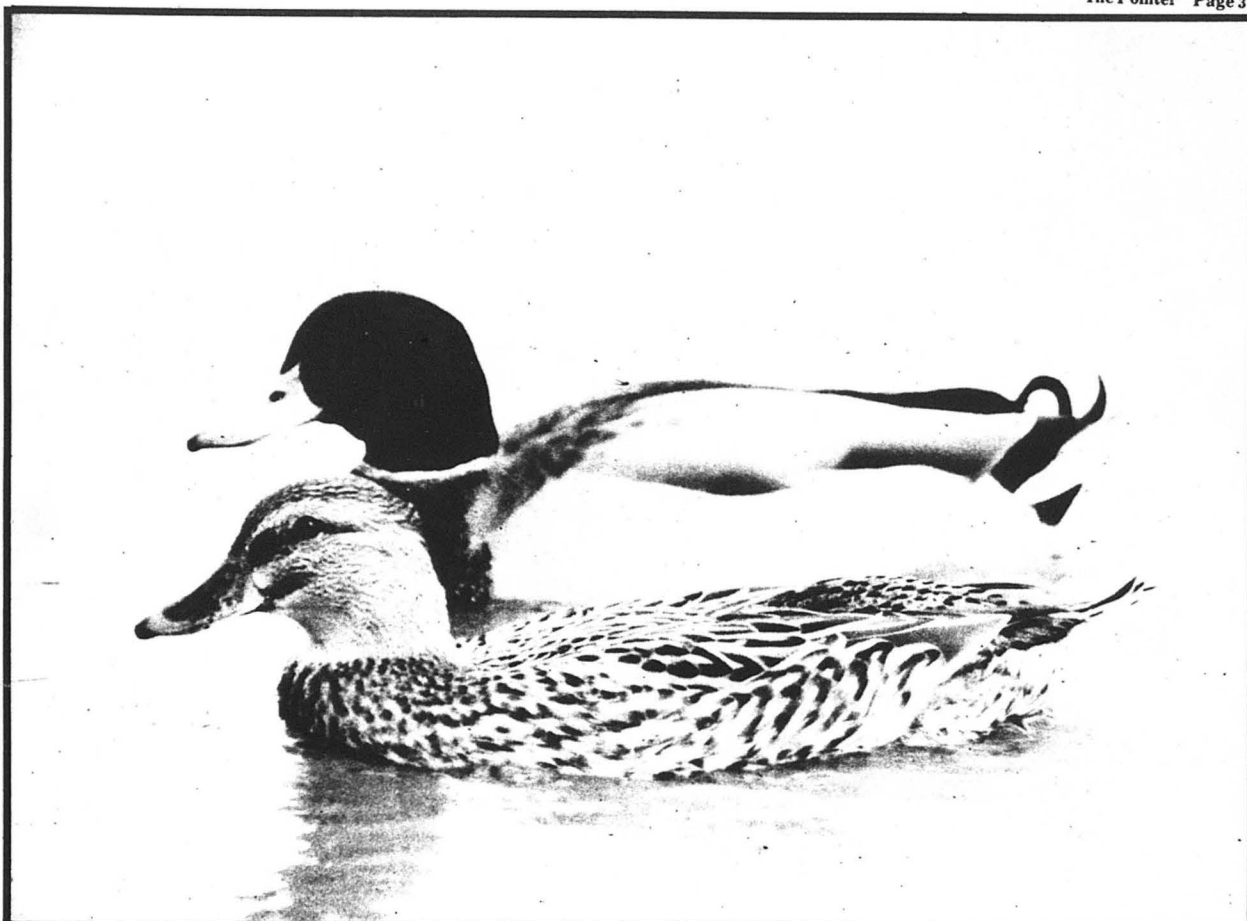
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C O R R E S P O N D E N C E

To the Pointer,

In response to the letter from Darrel Jaeger and "name withheld upon request."

First of all, let me say that Henry Kissinger was mainly invited to speak at the "7th Annual Melvin Laird Youth Leadership Workshop," not to the students of UWSP. You also mentioned that the speakers are "nothing but right-wing propagandists," and that "Teddy Kennedy or George McGovern should be invited to speak."

Well, what will Kennedy tell us: How to cheat on an exam, or will he tell us, "When I returned, MaryJo and the car were gone."

People do make mistakes like T. Kennedy and so does Mel Laird, Henry Kissinger, and most importantly—Richard M. Nixon as you have pointed out.

Speaking of Mr. Nixon, I think that you better take a closer look at your historical dates to find out when the Americans joined the Vietnam War, and who was in office at that time. It was Henry Kissinger and Richard Nixon, along with countless others who on the American side did end the Vietnam War.

This University and these people involved with setting up such fine speakers as: Bill Buckley, Howard Jarvis, and Henry Kissinger, should be praised and honored. How often does a college student get a chance to see some real live VIP's? And they must be VIP's or you and I would not be writing about them and Quandt Gym would have been empty—instead of being packed with students.

One final note, having Richard Nixon on the agenda to speak

next would be one of many outstanding contributions given to the students at this University.
Allan J. Brixius
Baldwin Hall, Rm.107

To the Pointer,

Dear Darrel Jaeger,

Oooh, goodness gosh and golly, Mr. Jaeger. Your letter in the Pointer last week sure gave me a big case of Happy Feet. Why, if it wasn't for you, I'd never know the truth. That it was Nixon and Kissinger that got us into the Vietnam conflict.

Well, son of a gun! And here all this time I thought it was like who 1st sent "advisors" over there. (Before Milhous was the Veep). And that JFK sent still more advisors and that LBJ really went to town by trying to draft the entire male campus population during his terms.

If you don't believe me, just ask Jerry Rubin and Abbie Hoffman. I hear they sell insurance now. You're in good hands with...

But now, lo and behold, I find I was being lied to, because according to you no one was in Vietnam until Milhous and Super K got us there.

Oh goodie. Then the MyLai massacre never occurred, the Let Offensive, and Hamburger Hill never happened. And those POW's and MIA's until Jan. 20, 1969 were just figments of our imaginations.

Don't you think someone had better write to the Glad Bag and Handy Bag companies. They'll have to rewrite their income statements until 1969, because after all, they couldn't have sold

body bags that were never used.

Gee whillickens Mr. Jaeger, the things a person learns when he grows up and goes to college.
Bon Scierpko

To the Pointer,

This letter is in reference to the behavior of a number of students who attended the RHPS (Rocky Horror Picture Show) this weekend.

As members of this audience, we were disturbed by the apparent usage of this film as an excuse for vandalism on the part of the students.

It is very sad that throwing beer cans through the screen in the PBR is the only outlet some UWSP students have for their energy.

In all honesty vocalization can be taken in the spirit of audience participation but violence and destruction do not fall in the realm of the intended reaction to the film.

We congratulate University Film Society for bringing an entertaining film of this calibre to our campus. It is our understanding that UFS is being billed for damages sustained during the showings. We feel that since the students caused the damages, the students should pay for them through University funds.

The responsibility for student behavior does not lie with any organization, it lies with the individual. The unfortunate results of the behavior of a few students will deter other groups

from sponsoring events in the future, which might have been fun. We regret this.

David Malm
Shelly Long
Cinema Center, Comm. Bldg.

To the Pointer,

Contrary to what SPBAC and The Pointer may believe, and contrary to what the "SPBAC Makes Budget Allocations" article in the November 30th issue of The Pointer might lead readers to believe, the Environmental Council's "virtually no programming" this semester has consisted of: 1. Undertaking the effort of getting a Stevens Point bottle bill referendum on the September ballot; and though the proposal was defeated (though not by so much considering that the Council was prohibited from spending any of its funds to enlighten and educate the electorate about this "political" issue, while industry-baked opponents just threw in a few thousand dollars, and changed the name of the town on their scare propaganda to Stevens Point), many people were educated about the concept of the bottle bill through the personal efforts of Council members; a sometimes difficult and frustrating task when confronted by the obfuscation, misinformation, and outright lies disseminated by the "waste is saving" anti-bottle bill forces.

2. Bringing Dudley Riggs, a very fine, provocative, and thoroughly enjoyable theatre group from Minneapolis to UWSP. They put on a delightful and thought-provoking performance for those who took the initiative to attend.

3. Organizing and successfully staging what was perhaps the largest anti-nuclear power rally ever in Wisconsin, in addition to informing many people who didn't participate about the failures of nuclear technology.

4. Carried on the UWSP paper recycling program, which the university will not do itself because, while it is environmentally and logically the right thing to do, it is "economically unfeasible." It is only the volunteer efforts of the faithful recycling crew that enables UWSP to escape being guilty of what would otherwise be another example of the criminal waste that we (as people and a society) engage in.

So when I hear complaints, as I did at the SPBAC budget hearings, that the Environmental Council is not "benefitting the students," I have to wonder how many SPBAC members ever looked at an ECO-TAC, thought of attending a Council meeting, attended Dudley Riggs or any of the lectures, workshops, films or performances during the Environmental Council's Alternative Energy Conference last semester, or even give a shit about the environmental

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TELETHON '78



Operation Bootstrap

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ENTERTAINMENT

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 9TH

12 p.m.-4 p.m. UWSP Jazz Ensemble

- Sue Busse
- Wayne Jaworski
- Iola
- Abbot & Costello
- Skit "Who's On First"

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4 p.m.-8 p.m. Brian Sexton

- Karie Soiney
- Shady Grove
- Betsy Godwin
- Peter Reese

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8 p.m.-12 p.m. Tom Miller

- Karina Leana—(Belly Dancer)
- Aliceson B. Hackett
- Leuman Bairami
- Entropy

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12 a.m.-3 a.m. Scott Neubert

- John Booth
- Greg Orlowski
- Cody

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SUNDAY, DECEMBER 10TH

8 a.m.-12 p.m. Newman Choir

- Pacelli Singers
- Town Clown
- Suzuki Violinists
- Animal Show
- Puppet Show
- Wisconsin Dells Swing Choir

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12 p.m.-4 p.m. Norm Dombrowski & The Happy Notes

- Don Greene Trio
- UWSP International Folk Dancing
- SPASH Jazz Ensemble

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4 p.m.-8 p.m. Bill Rohrer

- Joe Ebel
- Wheatstone Bridge
- George Kidera

*

8 p.m.-10 p.m. Nina Kwiek

- Blue Mountain Bluegrass Band

consequences of their and our actions.

Though it is true no ECO-TAC has been printed this semester, many hours of thought, planning and work have gone into this effort. Unfortunately, problems both logistical and philosophical arose which had to be resolved before any ECO-TAC could be published. Unfortunately, working to try to preserve the environment which sustains our lives is not always a cut and dry thing, such as bringing rock and roll bands, movies and football games to the students. The realm of ecology is complex, subtle, intertwined, synergistic, far-reaching, all-encompassing, and sometimes bafflingly mysterious. It is not surprising (nor do I feel particularly undesirable) that the program falters occasionally. Sometimes issues are so complex that the correct path is not apparent. Sometimes it all seems hopeless and not worth the effort. But every year The Environmental Council manages to make the effort, and I think has been successful at raising the collective level of awareness on this campus.

When I look at the functions of some groups that get funded, I think it is an egregious travesty that SPBAC has seen fit to slash the budget of the one student group at this supposed institution of learning that is attempting to learn about and educate others in the application of the ecological approach to humankind's problems and existence. Perhaps SPBAC thinks that ecology is a fad that went out with the '60's. If so I pity them.

Peter Sievert
Mike Victor
Stephan Arndt

To the Pointer,

There is one thing you have to say for Stevens Point Mayor Jim Feigleson. He may be a very bad mayor, but at least he is consistent. Consistently bad that is.

What is wrong with Mayor Feigleson? Well, I could write several paragraphs describing just how bad a mayor he is, but instead I will suggest something more convincing and educational. Simply attend a common council meeting sometime, and judge for yourself the Mayor's performance. Seeing him in action should show you just how arrogant and incompetent this man is. He is without a doubt an embarrassment to the city of Stevens Point.

I hope also, that the students at the UWSP realize just how anti-student Mr. Feigleson has been. He seems to regard students as second class citizens, and has consistently shown his contempt for them. He has taken anti-student positions on student housing, mass transportation, and a host of other issues.

There is a mayoral election coming up shortly, and the UWSP students can play a big part in the outcome of it. There are over 8,000 student votes in Stevens Point, and they can be very significant in any election. Lee Dreyfus won big in this area and elsewhere, due in large part to student voters. Now the UWSP students can be a big help once again, this time in booting Mr. Jim Feigleson out of office. He certainly would deserve it.

Darrell Jaeger

To the Pointer,

With the upcoming Christmas vacation fast approaching it is the time of year thefts of student,

and university property increases. This is to remind all students, faculty and staff to be extra cautious in safeguarding personal and university property. May you all have a joyous Holiday Season.

Protective Services

To the Pointer,

A few weeks ago I was involved in a discussion on 90 FM's "Two-Way Radio" forum with Emily Post from the Oshkosh Women's Coalition concerning my stand on abortion.

Russ Hoelscher, in the Nov. 30th issue of *The Pointer*, characterized my point of view as being dogmatic, and accused me of being ignorant and inexperienced on the issue of abortion.

First off, let me just say that I still believe that the Primary Right to Life is the greatest gift that was given to mankind. I also feel that the right to experience life should be cherished, and no one has the right to deny a potential life the right to experience life.

The majority of abortions today are performed as a matter of convenience; a couple conceive a child that they don't want to take the responsibility for rearing, a woman has a child she doesn't want to conceive since it will stigmatize her in the eyes of society, etc.

My argument boils down to this. Abortion is an issue focusing on the unspoken right to life of a fetus versus the convenience of a woman or a couple involved with the conception of that child. I feel that the right to life is the more critical consideration.

In any argument with a pro-abortionist, the one issue that always comes up is the case of a rape victim. I personally feel that rape is one of the most grueling and senseless crimes that exist, and I extend my deepest sympathies to any woman that has been forced to experience it.

As a pro-lifer, the case of rape presents a difficult argument to contend with, and it is hard to be critical of an abortion in this situation. However, it would be hypocritical to make exceptions concerning abortions in these cases, since I still don't feel that the innocent fetus should be held responsible.

Rape is a very unfortunate crime, but to abort an innocent fetus is just as much a crime. Two wrongs don't make a right. I doubt the trauma of an abortion will ease the trauma of a rape.

In closing I would just like to say that I believe everyone is responsible for acting according to their own morals and standards. Although I stand on one side of this issue, I respect those people who truly act on their own set of beliefs.

I regret that my position at this University prohibits me from signing this letter.

Name Withheld
Upon Request

To the Pointer,

A couple weeks ago you might have been one of the 103 people we surveyed on the evils of smoking. This survey was done in conjunction with a project for our Communication 101 class. Our project was aimed at smokers and their attitudes toward smoking; nonsmokers were also encouraged to state their viewpoints.

What we wanted to find out was if smokers felt there should be a P.E. credit given if they could successfully stop smoking. We felt that since the University is pushing their physical fitness program this semester our idea

might be another way to help smokers to quit to improve their health. Some of you who filled out the survey expressed an interest in the outcome of our survey, so we have compiled our results and will now present them to you.

Out of the 103 people we surveyed 56 were female and 47 were male. There were 24 who did smoke (14 male and 10 female), 9 who quit smoking and 70 nonsmokers. We figured that the average years for length of smoking was 5 1/2 years. The average pack of cigarettes smoked a day was 3/4 of a pack. Out of the 24 who smoked 15 tried to stop and 9 never tried. Thirteen out of the 15 used cold turkey but with no luck. Of the 33 who smoked, 25 had members of their immediate family who smoked, and of the nonsmokers 32 said "yes" and 34 answered "no."

The second part of the survey and 9 attitude statements to see how you felt about smoking. We used a scale of 1-5, 1 being strongly agree, to 5 being strongly disagree. Some of the more interesting results are as follows.

Our first statement was, "Smoking should be banned in ALL public places." Of the 67 nonsmokers who answered, 46 strongly agreed or agreed, of the smokers and quitters 6 strongly agreed and 10 agreed.

Another statement was, "Laws governing the purchase of cigarettes to minors are not being enforced." Fifty-nine nonsmokers strongly agreed or agreed, and 12 smokers and quitters strongly agreed or agreed. This is ironic because of the 24 smokers there were some who started at the age of 13, 14, and many at 15. It is interesting that so many smokers should feel this way about the law.

"If I smoke I hurt no one but myself." As we of the groups suspected, there were 59 out of 67 nonsmokers who disagreed or strongly disagreed with this statement. But what was surprising was that although the ratings of the smokers were pretty equal there were just a few more who disagreed than agreed. There were 15 smokers and quitters, 27 also strongly agreed or agreed.

We are sorry to say that with our statement concerning our project, "I would give up smoking if there were a good incentive such as a P.E. credit, our results were not in our favor. Of the 24 smokers, 13 disagreed or strongly disagreed. But our survey was not a waste because the data we did acquire was helpful to our project. If you have any comments concerning these results please feel free to write back.

Dave Custer
Karen Balisll
John Captain
Mike Vogel
Barb Adowski
P.S. Smokers remember that it's not nearly as difficult to quit smoking as it is to believe that you would actually smoke in the first place.

To the Pointer,

Last week as concerned students we took a survey to find out what makes people smile, and what happens if they don't (including other questions pertaining to this topic).

We discovered that many thought this campus was friendly, but not too many would take the initiative. This is a campaign we've chosen for our communications project and would like you all to continue to cooperate. During this week we have put up posters which we hope were read and put into thought and action; the campus radio station has been announcing this project so you can understand our motives better.

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State defaults on student grant program

By Kurt Busch

A massive miscalculation on the part of the administrators of the Wisconsin Higher Education Grant (WHEG) program will result in financial cutbacks for 1,950 students at UWSP, seriously affecting as many as 125 of them, according to Phil George of the UWSP Financial Aids office.

Students currently receiving Wisconsin Higher Education grants will have their awards slashed by \$50

next semester due to overspending of as much as \$4,000,000. Students whose claims were adjusted in late November may be receiving more substantial cuts.

In a letter dated November 27, the Higher Education Aids Board (HEAB) informed UW-System Financial Aids offices that the program would be terminated for the remainder of the '78-'79 academic term. Those students receiving aid from

the program were to have awards reduced and no new awards were to be processed or adjusted.

Indications of the problem arose when one student brought the matter to the attention of the Student Government Executive Board. The student, whose claim had been adjusted to \$1,070, was informed in late November that he would receive none of the previously announced adjustment. The student, who

had planned his finances around the expected grant, is currently planning to withdraw from school due to the loss.

George, who stated he was greatly upset by the problem, said that initial estimates from his office as early as April of this year indicated that the overspending would occur. George informed HEAB of the matter but saw no results.

Prior to this year, George stated, aid claims were

processed right up until the end of the second semester. This year, however, the funds are no longer available to do such.

Financial Aids will be notifying all WHEG recipients of their financial status sometime during break. Student Government is currently investigating the matter. According to George, however, few if any avenues of recourse are available to students attempting to secure the funds promised earlier.

Committees to select Chancellor, Graduate Dean

By Al Peters

When Governor-elect Dreyfus' resignation as chancellor goes into effect at the end of the year, the positions of Chancellor as well as Dean of the Graduate school will be vacant at UWSP. To fill these positions, two search and screen committees will solicit applications from qualified and interested persons from within this university and on a nationwide basis.

As of yet, the search and screening committee for the selection of UWSP's next Chancellor has not been decided on. Edward Young, President of the University of Wisconsin System Board of Regents, hopes to appoint the committee at the next Board of Regents meeting in Madison on December 8th and 9th.

Following the selection of the Chancellor's Search and Screening Committee, the committee will advertise the availability of the position on a nationwide basis. The committee will then screen the applicants and select those with the most experience and qualifications. These nominees will be interviewed by a committee of Regents and Search and Screening Committee members. The final decision concerning the selection of the new Chancellor will then be made by the Board of Regents.

Since the retirement of former Graduate Dean, Dr. Winthrop Difford, currently Professor of Geography at UWSP, on August 31, 1978, the position of Dean of UWSP's Graduate School is open. A Search and Screening Committee appointed by Committee Chairperson, Dr. Francis Schmitz, Head of the Physics and Astronomy Department at UWSP, is presently screening applicants for the position. The Graduate Dean Search

and Screening Committee will submit a list of nominees to the chancellor by March 1, 1979. The chancellor will then make the final decision from that list.

The Graduate Dean Search and Screening Committee consists of Dr. Schmitz, representatives from each of the four colleges of the University, and other selected members of the UWSP community. Dr. Schmitz expressed a desire that one or two graduate students sit with the committee, however, thus far none have come forward expressing any interest to do so.

Currently, the Committee consists of Dr. Schmitz, Chairperson; Dr. Fern Horn, Home Economics, representing the College of Professional Studies; Dr. Helen Corneli, English, representing the College of Letters and Science; Dr. Ken Williams, Communications, representing the College of Fine Arts; Dr. Daniel Trainer, Natural Resources, representing the College of Natural Resources; Dr. Charles Johnson, Mathematics; and Dr. John Larsen, Admissions.

The Committee is advertising the position in educational journals, and the University of Wisconsin System Newsletter so as to receive a wide range of applicants from varied backgrounds. Dr. Schmitz emphasizes the fact that UWSP is an Equal Opportunity, Affirmative Action Employer.

In order to apply for the position of Dean of the Graduate College, an applicant must have an earned doctorate from an accredited institution, have administrative experience, have exhibited significant scholarly attainment through publications or other appropriate alternatives, have experience in the acquisition and administration of extramural funds, have

graduate research, with further experience in the area of faculty development.

The candidate must also have an open attitude to new structures, ideas, and fund sources. The salary for the new Dean of the Graduate College is negotiable depending upon the

experience and qualifications of the candidate.

The Graduate School began as a cooperative program between the nine then State Teachers Colleges in 1960. In 1966 UWSP was accredited with its own graduate college. There are currently 589 graduate students

actively taking graduate courses. To receive a graduate degree, the student must complete 30 credits within a seven year period. The administration of this part of the university promises to be challenging for the new Dean involving many changes.

Native American Center funded

By Tim Rossow

That dream of one tribal Indian for a place dedicated to preserving the ideals, culture and heritage of Native Americans will soon become a reality on the UWSP campus. UWSP has received a federal grant of \$88,000 for the funding of a Native American Center.

The Center will act as the primary receiver for requests to UWSP from Native American tribes, tribal and inter-tribal organizations or individuals. Such requests will include research on tribal customs and technical assistance.

The Native American Center will identify, focus and coordinate resources used to resolve those requests. Resources for this purpose include, but are not

limited to UWSP, or the UW-system. The center will initiate and seek support for programs related to Native American needs and the surrounding region. It will facilitate development of UWSP's staff, courses and related resources in order to increase the ability to respond to Native American needs. The center will also host meetings and conferences as well as educational programs related to Native American concerns.

The center will act as the fiscal manager for all federal, state and private contract-grant requests and awards for the Native American Programs related to UWSP. Lastly, it will serve as the main link with the proposed tribally controlled

Great Lakes Native American Center and other Native American groups.

In addition to the various services it will provide for the Native American, it will also benefit the students of Stevens Point. The center will provide part-time jobs for various students, depending on the request of the tribe.

The center is currently in search of a Coordinator and Project Director and a Development Specialist for The Tribal Access to Institutions project of the Native American Center. Both jobs are now being done by Jack Messing of the Pride Office until permanent people can be found for the jobs.

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90FM names new manager, goes stereo

By John Harlow

There will be two significant changes in the campus radio station next semester. The first is Dan McGinnity taking over as WWSP Station Manager, and the second is as of January 17, 1978 WWSP will begin broadcasting in stereo.

Dan McGinnity took over as station manager last Friday, filling the position vacated by former manager Glen Gaumitz. Gaumitz could not find the time to fit the job as manager into his busy schedule, due to a very heavy course load and a desire to graduate quickly.

McGinnity feels "few people realize that this campus has one of the finest

college radio stations in the country," and that at a recent convention in Chicago many people expressed the fact that they were very impressed with what has been done with the WWSP organization over the years. Due to the "already high quality of the station," McGinnity said he does not foresee any changes that will be apparent to the listener.

The position of manager and all other executive positions on the station's staff are paid, but the positions of announcers and newscasters are all on a voluntary basis. This poses a problem says McGinnity, "When we get someone who is real good in many cases WSPT (of

Stevens Point) picks them up for a wage and we lose them. It is hard to compete when we can't offer them any pay."

The change to stereo will begin sometime next semester says McGinnity, the hopeful target date being January 17, 1979. All of the equipment has been purchased, it is now just a matter of getting everything hooked up and running.

The switch to stereo required the purchase of a new transmitter and other related technical equipment. But because all the labor estimates have not been submitted the total cost of converting to stereo has not yet been determined.

SGA moves on funding homosexual groups, SHAC, and registration

By Cory Block

At the Sunday, December 3rd meeting of Student Government, Resolution FY9-5, dealing with SGA's funding of homosexual organizations, was unanimously defeated. The feeling of the Senate was that this resolution would set a negative precedent and is not in the best interest of the student body.

The resolution reads as follows:

Whereas: Homosexual acts in the state of Wisconsin are illegal,

Whereas: The Student Government Association does not fund student organizations who are in open violation of the law,

Whereas: Funding an organization implies advocacy of that organization's activities,

Whereas: Homosexuals exert a negative influence on the morals of university students in general,

Be it Resolved: That in the future, the SGA will not fund homosexual organizations.

Be it Further Resolved: That the SGA will not fund organizations who are in violation of the law.

Two other resolutions were presented to the Senate this past Sunday, and will be voted on next semester. These resolutions are FY9-6

and FY9-7. Resolution FY9-6 deals with the election process, the appointment of the Executive Board, and the first meeting of the newly elected Senate. In essence, this resolution moves election day from registration day second semester to the first Monday in April, so that the newly elected Senate and Executive Board can better facilitate the transition in membership.

Typically, the newly elected President and Vice President have one day to nominate their choices for Executive Board, with approval of their choices to come a week after their election by the current Senate. Thus, the new Senate does not get to elect the Executive Board with whom they will be working, and also, there is not always a lot of assistance in the transitory period.

Resolution FY9-7 deals with the Student Health Advisory Committee (SHAC), and its income from the Lifestyle Assessment Form. The resolution reads as follows:

Whereas: SHAC is a student organization and should be treated and funded as such.

Whereas: Students are now being charged \$7.50 for filling out the Lifestyle Assessment

Form.

Whereas: There is \$5.00 of this charge going to SHAC to finance its activities and programs.

Be it Resolved: That Student Government Association recommend that the LAF charge be reduced from \$7.50 to \$2.50 per form.

Be it Still Further Resolved: That SHAC apply for Student Group Monies for funding their activities and services, as is required of all other Student organizations seeking funding.

Student Government is also looking into the current registration process. For as long as the present registration process has existed, there have been numerous complaints dealing with its inequity. Some students have voiced their concern that the process is far from equitable, and that the entire registration process needs to be revamped.

By far, the vast majority of complaints center around the pulling of cards. It has been argued that certain professors with hard-to-get classes can be ear-marked for a high percentage of pulled cards, and that without connections it is nearly impossible to register for these classes.

If this is so, shouldn't there

then be a system instituted to deter such acts? Many other complaints are directed toward the practice of favoring athletes, who previously have been allowed to register at the head of their class so that they can leave time for practice. Should athletes be favored over students who have to work to go to school, or over individuals who are involved in extra-curricular activities?

Other complaints leveled against the registration process range from the claim that some classes are already closed at the very beginning of registration, to the alleged practice of closing sections of classes — only to be reopened at a later date (thus not operating on a first come-first serve basis.)

In order to change the existing registration process, there would need to be proven that either there are a lot of people abusing the system, or that there is a vast amount of inequity inherent within the system. Changing the registration process would be a very timely and expensive procedure.

SGA needs student input on this matter. Students who would like to see the present registration process changed are advised to stop in the SGA

office located in the Student Activities Complex, or to call the office at 346-3721.

Native American Center cont'd

The Coordinator and Project Director's job will consist of reporting to the Associate Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs while coordinating all Native American Programs of UWSP. He will also manage the day-to-day operations of the center, along with assigning appropriate staff members to specific projects as HEW Grant 1 39 600 6461 A9 specifies.

The Developmental Specialist will work with the Director and tribal representatives on the Native American Education and Developmental Training Council to provide orientation and training programs for staff and Council members; design and implement methods of developing interaction models that will foster maximum self-determination by tribes, develop workshops and training programs in response to council recommendations, and monitor ongoing activities to insure that the original needs which prompted these efforts are being met.

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The reason for this change is that between DeBot, Allen and University Center approximately \$75.00 per month in newspapers is being lost. The newspaper machines operate on an honor system of access to all papers with payment for one. Because of the loss of student monies through theft, future newspaper sales will be handled through the Student Manager's Office in DeBot, the Materials Center at Allen, and the Information Desk at the University Center.

Veterans and their families may now call and obtain information from the Milwaukee Regional Office without long distance charges. Telephone service is available Monday-Friday 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Veterans should dial toll free 1-800-242-9025.

Off-campus students must have their walks shoveled within 24 hours after snowfall, or the city of Stevens Point will send out contractors to shovel walks at a fee of .15-linear foot.

Over Thanksgiving, the city allowed a reprieve to students, but over the Christmas holidays they have expressed that they will not. In the past some landlords have taken the shoveling costs out of student security deposits, so it is advisable that students who live off-campus make arrangements to have their walks cleared over Christmas vacation.

The three students from Nicaragua who attend UWSP at least for the last few weeks — lost touch with their families because of hostilities in their Central American homeland.

For the youngest of the three who was almost entirely dependent on financial assistance from her father, the lack of communication has become particularly difficult. Professor Marcus Fang, adviser

to foreign students at UWSP, said it is possible the students will receive letters, but mail out of Nicaragua is "very sporadic."

Opponents of the Somoza family, which has ruled the country about 40 years, have been locked for months in spurts of violence with government troops in attempts to gain new national leadership.

Fang said the Nicaraguan in greatest need is a young woman in her junior year as a biology major who has earned academic honors throughout her collegiate career. It will be difficult for her to continue her studies next semester, he explained, unless she is able to find living accommodations within walking distance of campus where she can assist with family chores in exchange for room and board.

People interested in offering such arrangements to the student may contact Fang at his home or office, he said.

There are two graduate students from Nicaragua — a man and a woman who formerly taught there. The man is accompanied here by a wife and four children. Both of the graduate students are on scholarships from Nicaragua and both have part-time jobs, and Fang is hoping the civil unrest will not put their continued scholarship support in jeopardy.

The Department of History is announcing the awarding of the annual departmental scholarships. The Rhys W. Hays Memorial History Scholarship is given in memory of the late Professor Hays, a prominent scholar in the field of medieval history. The monetary value of the award is approximately \$600. The Herbert Steiner Scholarship is awarded as a memorial to this longtime member and chairman of the Department of History. The value of this award is \$50.

Both of the above scholarships may be awarded to graduate or undergraduate majors in history. Applications can be made by any qualified student, or nominations may come from the faculty of the Department. Details may be obtained from the office of the Department of History, 422-424 COPS Building. The deadline for applications is December 15, 1978. Awards will be announced at the beginning of the second semester.

In addition, the Department will grant The History Recognition Award, a \$50 grant to a freshman or sophomore student who shows unusual prominence in historical study. In this case, however, nominations must come from a faculty member of the Department of History.

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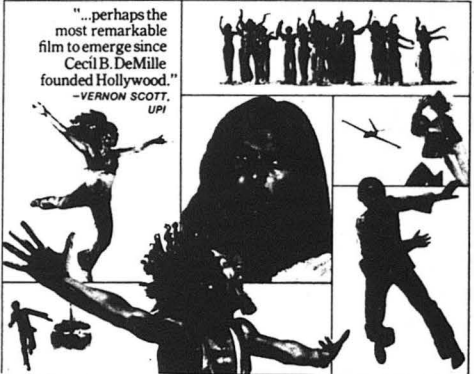
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ENVIRONMENT

Mediators find middle earth

By John Faley

The Wisconsin Center for Public Policy became involved in environmental mediation in January, 1978. At this time the Ford Foundation funded a six month feasibility study to determine if there was a need for environmental mediation in Wisconsin. Almost immediately the mediators found themselves involved in a number of cases — cases in which they received favorable success. So promising is environmental mediation, that the Ford Foundation terminated the feasibility study one month early, and replaced it with a two year demonstration project which began in June.

Environmental mediation is a process for making decisions in disputes over the use of natural resources. It voluntarily brings together groups of different interests, to find ways to resolve these differences, in a fashion agreeable to all parties concerned. The mediators are neutral, non-judgmental

Environmental mediation is an alternative to the delay, expense, and narrow legal technicalities of litigation in cases where a compromise settlement can be acceptable to all concerned parties. It gives clashing groups a chance to come up with new solutions with a series of agreements covering an array of environmental concerns. In comparison, a court or agency ruling may not invoke the entire range of issues in question or incorporate as many parties as the mediation process can.

Parties involved may actually save money, because mediation avoids costly legal proceedings. The Wisconsin Center for Public Policy does not charge for its

landfill site, a highway, and a dam, have included: final site selection for a new facility; modification of project design; special provision for use of the facility; land use controls in the areas surrounding the facility; establishing a planning council or an implementation group; ties to other related projects; a temporary plan for dealing with the situation until the project is completed; and provisions for monitoring a site which included environmental safeguards during constructions.

Environmental mediation settles discordances on an individual basis. One case does not set a precedent for the next. However, it cannot be used in some cases. Where

The following information is taken from material provided by the Wisconsin Center for Public Policy.

The Center's environmental mediation project is involved in three specific kinds of mediation; 1. Policy Debate: A mediator paves the way for discussion and analysis in a dispute over broad policy judgment. Instead of trying to reach an agreement on a single course of action, the purpose of mediation here is to clearly define the issues and areas of disagreements, and to reach the consensus on as many points as possible.

2. Chronic Disputes: There are some environmental disputes which involve the same parties in recurring conflicts

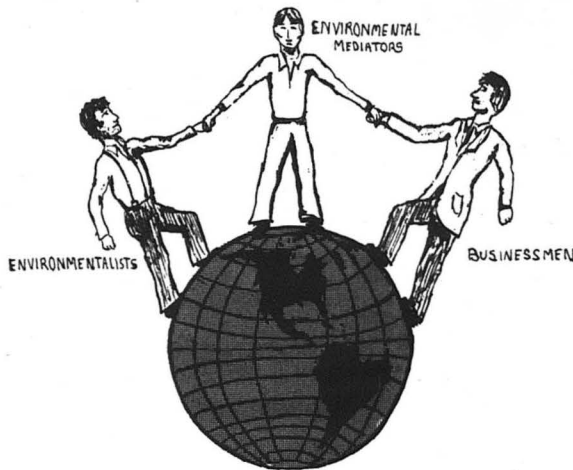
tenant relations.

Prior to joining the Center in 1976, Mr. Bellman was a Commissioner on the Wisconsin Employment Relations Commission. His experience as a mediator began at the Commission in 1965.

Edward B. Krinsky, an economist, is mediator with the Environmental Mediation Project and Associate Director of Employment Relations Studies at the Center. He has recently been involved in training new arbitrators to serve under Wisconsin's Municipal Employment Relations Act, and has done research on citizen access to public sector labor negotiations.

Prior to joining the Center, Krinsky was a lecturer and administrator at the University of Wisconsin and a mediator and arbitrator on the staff of the Wisconsin Employment Relations Commission.

Cynthia Sampson has recently joined the Center as Project Coordinator of the Environmental Mediation



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people, or a team, who assist in defining and narrowing areas of dispute, and help in successful communication between groups in their venture to reach an agreement.

Anyone (business, industry, local groups, landowners, or private citizens) involved in an environmental crisis may contact a mediator. However, all parties concerned must agree to mediation before it can be used.

Mediation can be used in instances which concern location, or relocation of a major facility, such as a landfill site, dam, highway, or shopping mall; cases concerning air quality, water quality, energy, wetlands, wildlife, wilderness, historic preservation, and aesthetics.

A mediated agreement could cover such considerations as final site selection, modification of project design, specified provisions for use of the facility, establishment of a planning council, or an implementation group

mediating services.

Mediation can also reduce the costs of delay by cutting staff or volunteer time, reducing agency and court workloads, and in some cases, expediting the start of new facilities.

Conditions which make a case ripe for mediation include: clearly defined issues and parties which are visible and highly involved; participation by whatever authorities have the power to implement or undermine the settlement; the realization that none of those concerned can unilaterally achieve all of their objectives or win at a reasonable cost; an understanding by all parties that mediation will result in a compromise.

Typically the agreement is a package which addresses a variety of concerns. Mediated settlements in the states of Wisconsin and Washington involving a

there is no middle ground such as a nuclear power plant decision, or where one is trying to set legal precedent or broad policy, a courtroom must be used.

The obvious advantages over litigation is that environmental mediation creates a forum for adversaries to explore new solutions, giving it a problem-solving dimension rather than being strictly adversary.

Mediation gives some interest groups an opportunity for influence in cases where they might not have the resources for a long and costly lawsuit. It also produces a solution that is acceptable to everyone, rather than one with a winner and a loser. Mediation can address all issues at hand, while some court decisions are based only on technicalities or litigious issues.

over an extended period of time. The dynamics between the parties are often a contributing factor in these disputes. In such cases, the mediator from the center serves to ease the chronic conflict and provide for continuous negotiation.

3. Site Specific Dispute: Disputes arising over a specific site involving parties which may have a continuous relationship comprise the majority of cases for the Environmental Mediation Project.

Members of the Wisconsin Center for Public Policy Environmental Mediation Staff include Howard S. Bellman, an attorney, who is Vice President of the Center, and Director of the Environmental Mediation Project. His other Center projects have included dispute resolution experiments and research in employment and landowner-

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Project. Previously she worked as a consultant in group process and public participation, and as Director of the Wisconsin Citizens Environmental Council, a state-funded advisory council.

Environmental mediation is still an experimental technique. Its proponents recognize that it may settle only a fraction of the disputes over the use of natural resources, but the successes to date have indicated that it does offer a problem-solving approach in situations where parties are willing to compromise and to participate in reaching a consensus on a solution.

Even though the Environmental Mediation Project is less than a year old and much of the early activity has concerned introducing the concept to groups around the state, the increasing requests for information as well as the growing number of mediation cases suggest the Environmental Mediation Project is gaining recognition as a powerful tool for resolving environmental disputes.

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Enviornmental advisor warns of unchecked suburban growth

America's small towns are in danger of becoming "suburbs without cities" unless they prepare for population changes already under way, an environmental adviser to President Carter told the American Society of Landscape Architects at their recent conference in Atlanta, Georgia.

"All the mistakes we've made while our cities sprawled into suburbs may be repeated in our rural areas if small-town residents don't plan for population growth instead of just letting it happen," according to Jane Yarn, one of three members of the President's Council on Environmental Quality.

Mrs. Yarn was appointed to this position by President Carter and was confirmed by the Senate on September 18. Her areas of responsibility at the Council include public lands, water resources, land use and wildlife.

Such "mistakes," Mrs. Yarn said, include the conversion of prime farmland into low-density housing developments and shopping centers, the destruction of woodlands needed to control soil erosion and replenish water tables, and a sudden demand for schools, hospitals, sewage treatment and other public services in communities unprepared to supply them.

"We may wind up with 10,000 parking lots and not a single boondock," said Mrs. Yarn.

Her predictions were based on what she called "a major shift in American population growth patterns since the beginning of this decade."

"The migration from country to city that began in the early 19th century, intensified after World War I and continued into the 1960's has halted," Mrs. Yarn said. "Since 1970, our fastest

population growth has been in rural areas.

"Between 1970 and 1976, while population in our metropolitan areas increased by 4.1 percent, the nonmetropolitan population increased by 6.6 percent — more than 50 percent faster.

"Perhaps the most striking reversal is that the highest population increases have occurred in counties with the lowest population densities — those with 10 people or less per square mile, and no town with more than 2,500 inhabitants," Mrs. Yarn said.

The principal reason for this growth is not higher birth-rates in rural areas, but the migration into the countryside of retirees and young families, as well as workers seeking new jobs created by coal and other mining activities, retirement and recreational communities, and the dispersal of government agencies and colleges into rural areas, according to Mrs. Yarn.

"In the last decade, our suburbs began learning to cope with sprawl through zoning and other land-use controls," Mrs. Yarn said. "But most of our small towns, accustomed to slow growth or even decline, lack mechanisms for managing growth that threatens their rural character."

Jane Yarn of Atlanta, Georgia, is the owner and former manager of a working farm. She joins the Council with a background in environmental and conservation affairs, serving on a number of boards at the state, local, and federal level. These include land preservation organizations such as The Nature Conservancy, and coastal zone preservation organizations to save marshlands and islands.

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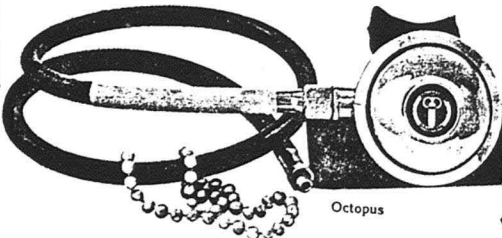
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UWSP students participate in AWRA Convention

The UWSP chapter of the American Water Resources Association (AWRA) recently sent two students, Tony McKarns and Renee Barta, to the national AWRA convention held in Orlando, Florida.

The convention consisted of a conference entitled "Water - Energy, Environment, Economics" and running concurrently was the National Symposium on Wetlands. Both the conference and symposium consisted of a morning of opening statements and theme presentations followed by 2½ days of technical papers and panel discussions. Discussed were such topics as Remote Sensing and

Hydraulic Measurements, Wetlands evaluation and Regulation, Water Resources Legislation and Public Opinion, and The Role of Water Resources in Coal Based and Solar Energy Developments.

There were over 800 people at the convention including specialists in various areas of biology, hydrology, engineering, economics, and law. The variety of specialties present at the convention shows the diversity of talent needed in water resources.

In addition to attending technical sessions, the student representatives took part in a committee meeting having to do with the business of the national organization.

Supercorporations accused of environmental irresponsibility

America's largest private companies have become "private governments" whose top decision making bodies need "a healthy dose of democracy," according to a member of the Council on Environmental Quality.

Gus Speth, one of three members of the Council, proposed that the largest corporations be required to choose a portion — perhaps a third — of their board directors from "public communities" that are affected by corporate decisions, but do not now share in making them.

Such communities would include environmentalists, employees, consumers, and citizens from plant towns,

Speth said. Each "public director" would have to be qualified in some area of social responsibility, but each would also share responsibility for maintaining the profitability of the company.

He also proposed that major corporations be required to prepare a periodic "social audit" for its shareholders and the public. The audit would require corporations to disclose "the information needed for determining whether the company is a good citizen," such as information on the company's environmental impacts and clean-up record.

Speth spoke at a conference of the American Bar

Association's Natural Resources Section on November 28 in Washington, D.C.

Speth was also critical of the current business effort to convince the public that government regulation is "out of control." He stated that regulation is "essential to national goals of paramount importance — to controlling cancer and protecting health, to preventing consumer fraud and deception, and to cleaning up air and water pollution."

Speth stated his view that reforms such as those suggested could head off issues that would otherwise prompt increased

government regulation. "Business cannot responsibly call for less government regulation without also addressing those social issues and needs that prompt the calls for more regulation."

Speth based his proposals on repeated instances of improper corporate decisions that injure the environment or employee health, as well as abuses in other areas. He noted that these abuses have traditionally led to increased government regulation. However, he added, "both sides — business and government — stand to gain from a new approach which supplements traditional regulation with a new focus on efforts to improve corporate governance."


Alaska discussion cancelled

The roundtable discussion on the Alaska wilderness controversy scheduled for this evening in the CNR has been canceled, due to panel scheduling conflicts.

Discussion sponsor Xi Sigma Pi, natural resource honor society, is rescheduling the roundtable for next semester.


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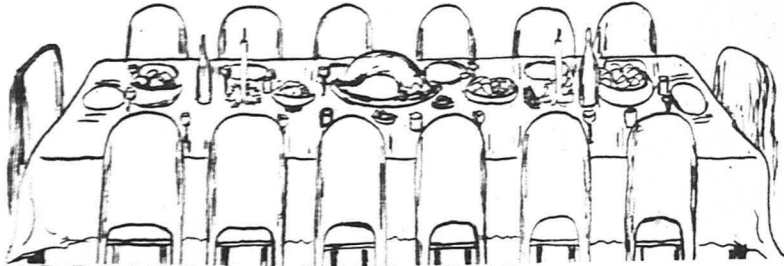
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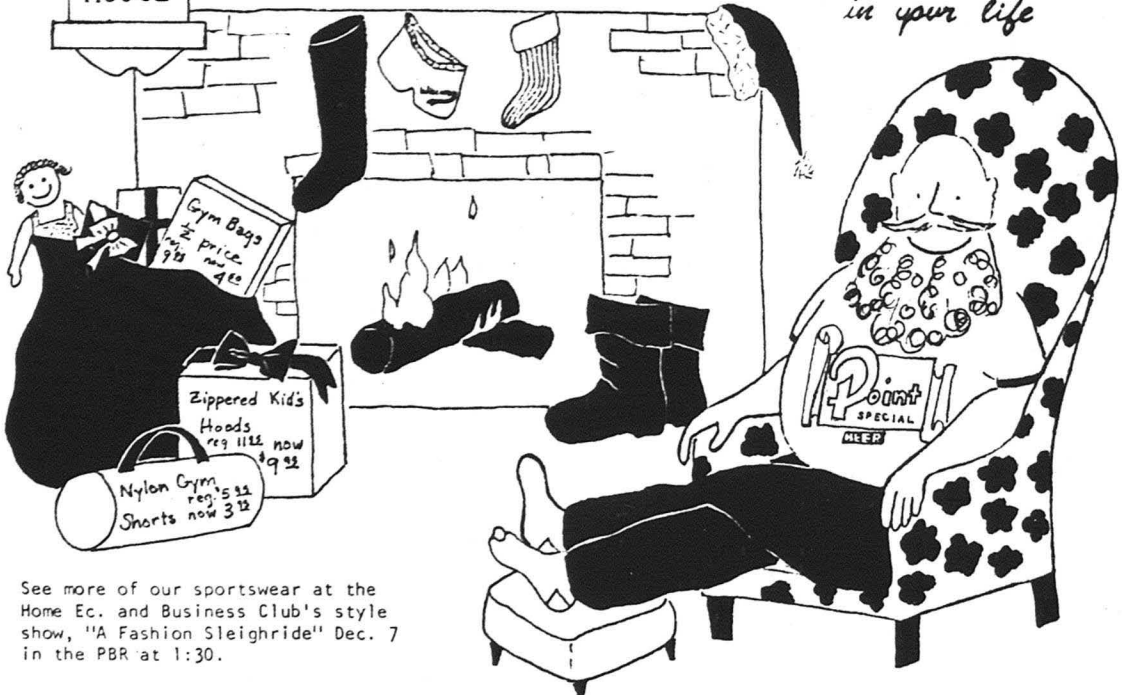
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Hey boys and girls, meet Mr. Mayor—

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Jimmy Good-guy in the marble palace

By Diane Walder

Have you ever wondered what the mayor of Stevens Point does during the day? Neither did I—until I spent a morning with him in an effort to find out. Now I do wonder. I wonder because in all my pages of notes, I can't seem to find anything that suggests the mayor does anything at all. I have no idea what the mayor does. And I was there.

Maybe I picked the wrong day to observe the romance and intrigue of the fast-paced world of high finance and city government. On that Tuesday morning there didn't seem to be any labor disputes, garbage strikes or budget disagreements, or anything that scarcely resembled a sizzling controversy.

I wanted to see a mayor in action, issuing directives, dictating memos, organizing big deals. A tough administrative boss. I walked into the mayor's office at 8:15, just in time to hear someone pick up the phone and say "Hi this is Jimmy good-guy in the marble palace."

Jimmy Good-guy? The marble palace? I checked the

door to see if this was really the mayor's office and not the set of "Let's Make a Deal."

It was no mistake. There he was, sitting on his royal throne like the Cheshire cat, Jimmy Good-guy, alias Mayor Jim Feigleson, former manager of Jim's Legion Lunch.

I spent the next three hours with the mayor. A timetable of my visit shows this:

8:15-9:00 . . . at the office,
9:00-10:00 . . . at the city garage,
10:00-10:30 . . . visiting Lloyd Berner of Wis. Public Service,
10:30-11:30 . . . at the office.

On paper everything looks to be in order. Now consider this: The mayor spent the first 45 minutes of his day engaged in pointless tittle-tattle with another young city employee on, among other things, the merits of preserving city parks. (The mayor took a firm stance. "I think we should have neighborhood parks.")

The council meeting of the night before was rehearsed, but not without a healthy share of mockery and criticism from the good-guy. He took on a Polish dialect

and went into a monologue re-enacting a scene from the meeting. He likes to entertain. Hire him for a party sometime.

The young employee decided he had to go to work and escaped more of the mayor's recitations. The mayor had now lost half of his audience. What now?

Would the mayor have been in his office if I hadn't been in his office to supervise his activities? He seemed at a loss as to what to do with himself. He played with the phone frequently, dialing, getting no response, dialing some more. A visit to the city garage was on the agenda. Big business to attend to there. But first, call. Busy. He looked at the phone, looked out the window and watched cars roll by, looked at the phone again, dialed a number or two, smiled, yawned frequently. The morning was off to a tremendous start.

Feigleson likes to get out of the office. "I don't like to sit on my butt all day. You know, since I've been mayor I've gained 50 pounds." Another phone call was made, the connection completed. "Let's go."

On our way out, the mayor checked his mail and introduced me to the city clerk's office. Surely, this is the place where things get accomplished. There were two women in the office who were busy with work, clearly the ones who make the "wheels of city government" rotate. "Well, I'll be leaving for a while," the mayor announced, as if to say "Can you hold down the fort while I'm gone?" The women were unimpressed and not paying much attention to him, as if to say "So what?" They had things to do. The mayor said goodbye and a faint grunt of acknowledgement was returned.

We climbed into an enormous van and the mayor drove over to the city garage.

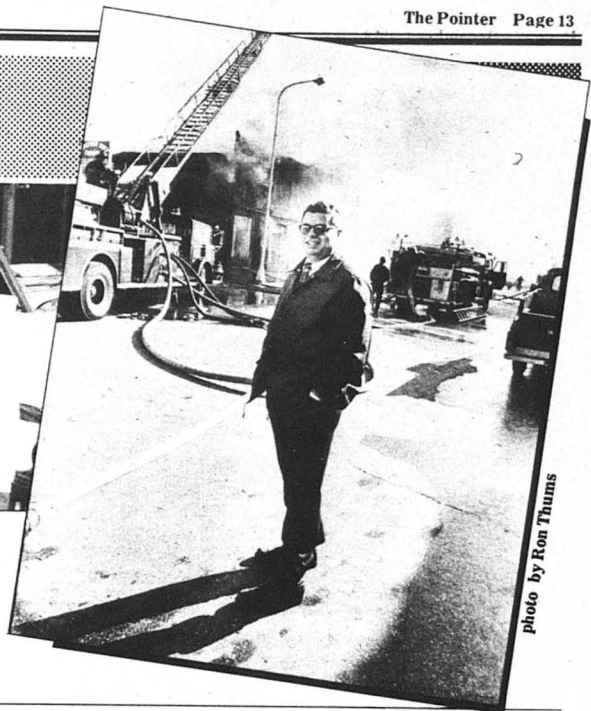


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He told me I'd meet the "number two man in parts." It's a very important job, he said.

I couldn't wait to meet the parts man. Maybe he could give some insight into the mayor's daily activities. A potentially exciting visit. It wasn't. But the emergence of Burning Issue No. 1 was: The Red Christmas Tree problem. Why hadn't that tree been erected yet at the Main and Division intersection! Find out who owns that property and let's get that tree up.

Burning Issue No. 2, the purpose of the visit was discussed: What kind of snow removal machine should we buy and from whom? A simple phone call to the number two parts man telling him to go ahead and purchase would've done the trick, it seems. But the mayor needs to get out of that office—health reasons. Got to keep that weight down.

So. Once again there are yawns, once again the mayor reels into a lively talkfest. The city garage employees weren't that busy anyway. Most were away deer hunting. Within minutes the snow equipment matter was taken care of, but the mayor stuck around for another 45 minutes presumably to . . . I don't know.

At 10:30 we're back in the van and heading for the Wis. Public Service to visit Lloyd Berner. Only the mayor knows why. Lloyd Berner certainly didn't. I have a feeling that Feigleson wanted to inform Berner of a meeting, but then again, his fingers could've done the walking . . .

Mr. Berner shuffled around and cleared and tidied his desk a dozen times, twiddled with a cigarette and juggled with a book of matches forever before finally lighting the cigarette while Mayor Feigleson pontificated on the dangers of having a bar occupy the Wards building downtown. The tide of topic

turned to the "square problem." Mr. Berner likes the square. He wants to see it salvaged. It's a part of the character of Stevens Point. But, says the mayor, there are young people, not necessarily students (for my benefit?) continually throwing things, making messes, breaking things. But, he says again, I like the square too (for Berner's benefit?) The square is unique, but the taverns are awful.

The issue is parleyed back and forth. And I am wondering what are we doing here? Surely, maintaining good working relations with local businessmen is important, but to fill an entire morning with it seems over-indulgent, wasteful, and unnecessary.

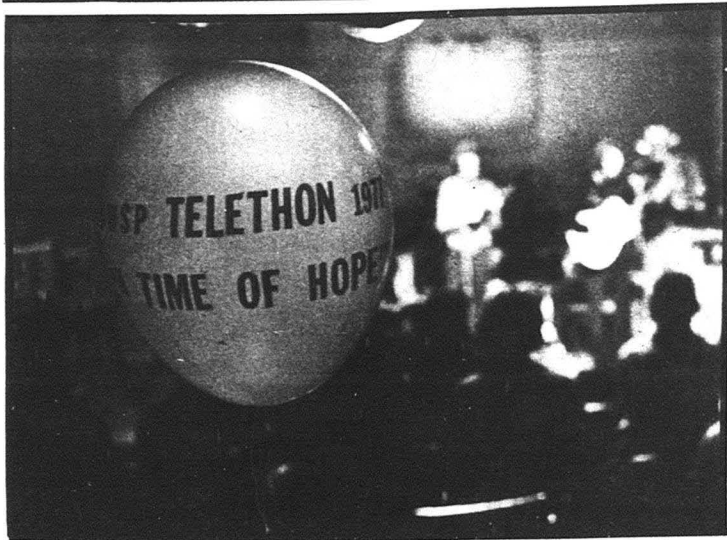
Back in the van a half hour later, heading for the marble palace, Mayor Feigleson drove through the square, giving me a short history of its buildings and talking political philosophy. "I'm gonna run for re-election because my people want me to. I'm the second mayor in the history of Stevens Point that says yes or no and let's the chips fall where they may. I think the office picks the man, not the other way around, and if I ever get around to doing something for myself instead of the taxpayer, I'll send a letter out." Please don't send one to me.

We're back at the office about 10:30. A member of the transit commission comes in to discuss PABCO business. I listened intently for an hour until it was time for the mayor to meet with "his people" to discuss his re-election. I was not invited to attend. It was a closed meeting. I thanked the mayor for allowing my visit.

I was ushered out of Mayor Feigleson's office at 11:30. As I walked away I could hear the phone ring. "Hi. Jimmy Good-guy here. What can I do for you?"



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By Susie Jacobson

The year 1978 is beginning to look like the year of "getting things back into the hands of the people." Not only was our chancellor elected governor on the promise of bringing government back into the hands of the people, but this year's Telethon chairperson had decided to follow the same trend in steering the 1978 Telethon, scheduled for December 9th and 10th, back into the hands of the students and CTV and Telethon executive staff.

Rather than broadcast from the television studio in the Communication building as in the '77 Telethon, this year the continuous 30-hour production will be broadcast live from the University Center Coffeeshouse.

"We wanted to draw a large student audience," said Linda Peterson, Telethon Chairperson, "and although the TV studio has better facilities and equipment, the atmosphere there is too sterile."

For the past several years (1978 is Telethon's 11th annual production) the Telethon was held in the coffeeshouse, drawing overflow crowds, telethon groupies, and curious spectators passing through the grid, creating a good partying atmosphere and adding to the excitement. But the location of last year's Telethon was moved from the coffeeshouse for several reasons.

At the time it was hoped that the switch to the studio would improve cable TV, as well as provide the facilities and resources more conducive to a professionally run show. The '77 Telethon was also to serve as a sort of "grand opening christening" for the newly completed \$500,000 University Telecommunications Studio.

The intentions of the '77 chairperson were good, but those few students who did manage to find their way to the TV studio were required to view the production from audience seats, which meant no smoking, food or beverages—a far cry from the almost carnival atmosphere created in the coffeeshouse in past telethons.

"This year Telethon will be an entirely student run

home: Telethon '78

Operation Bootstrap



producton," said Peterson, a senior majoring in Communication, "and the entire Telethon and CTV executive staff had some input on where the money raised during Telethon would go."

Telethon has traditionally been a marathon production providing local and professional entertainment with the intent of drawing donations from viewers. The money raised is used to fund needy charity organizations within the community.

Last year's proceeds, roughly \$4800 (\$5400 was pledged, but not all of the pledges were delivered), went entirely to the aid of earthquake victims in Managua, Nicaragua through The Central Wisconsin Partners of the Americas Organization. The Partners of the Americas is a program which links Managua with Stevens Point, Marshfield, Wausau, and Wisconsin Rapids with the people in Managua, a city devastated by an earthquake six years ago.

Evidently last year's Chairperson was having problems locating a local organization that would meet the criteria established for a worthy charity.

In the past the money raised had gone to local charities such as Operation Bootstrap (the charity selected this year), the Child Learning and Care Center, Portage County Association for Retarded Children, Mexican-American Self-Help Organization, and Catholic Social Organization.

"We were looking for an organization that was not religiously or politically affiliated, and was not funded by the United Way," said Chip Baker, CTV advisor, "But in retrospect, the decision to fund Nicaragua seems to have been ill-advised in light of the recent political upheaval in that country." Baker added however, that it was never the intent of CTV, the administration, students, or UTC to seek money for political reasons.

Baker said that time was running out last year, so the chairperson went to Acting Chancellor Dr. John Ellery, who was then Chairman of the Partners of the Americas

Central Wisconsin Managua Committee. Ellery suggested donating the money raised at the '77 Telethon to the Partners project.

Dr. Ellery also emphasized that the money raised through last year's Telethon was not used for political purposes. "Not a nickle of that money went to Somoza," Ellery said, "The money paid for the two bus convoy that carried \$150,000 worth of medical and school supplies that were donated to the Partners project in January of last year. Those supplies were delivered directly to the people through the Managua Committee in Micaragua."

machines, 2 medical examining tables, 6 typewriters, 4 school clocks, 5 oscilloscopes (medical equipment), 28 boxes of medical supplies, and 6,000 pounds of disinfectant paint. All of which was donated to the Partners of the Americas Program of Central Wisconsin.

Operation Bootstrap was one of 15 charities that applied for funding from Telethon this year. The chairperson said that funding an organization not funded federally or through the United Way knocked out many of the charities who applied from Stevens Point.

inadequate housing and clothing," said Noel.

Noel said that last year during the Christmas holidays Bootstrap provided 21 boxes of warm clothing to needy families in rural areas of the county. "People don't realize that many families within the county are not only poor, but destitute."

The goal of this year's Telethon is to raise \$6000. Each hour of the production will be broken down to 15-20 minute slots with a host introducing the entertainment, interviewing the talent, and coordinating the auction of various gifts that have been donated to Telethon. A 40 channel CB radio worth \$200, and a Lee Sherman Dreyfus red vest are among the prizes that will be auctioned during the Telethon. During different hours of the show auction items will be displayed, and the highest bidder of the hour will receive the prize.

Local bands such as Entropy, Cody, Wheatstone Bridge, and the Blue Mountain Bluegrass band will also be on hand to provide entertainment. A belly dancer and dance marathon are also planned. This year's Telethon staff is composed roughly of 150 people, but Peterson estimated that with the talent close to 500 people will be involved.

Dawn Foster and Susie Schneider work on the publicity for Telethon; Paul Landgarf is handling the special events (the dance marathon and auction); Matt Foster is serving as business manager; Dan McGinnity is in charge of the hosts; Julie Barns is production manager; Connie Chapman is in charge of the telephones; Terry Theison is Telethon's secretary; Jeff Keating is Telethon's entertainment coordinator; with Mitch Moss and Tom Jones working on set construction.

Linda Peterson expressed her deep appreciation to all the members of the executive staff, adding that the energy and long hours devoted by all those involved in this year's Telethon will result in a success for Operation Bootstrap, as well as the entire student body.

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Everyone supported last year's cause,

but not everyone was behind it

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There was quite a bit of friction around this campus over last year's decision to donate all proceeds to Managua's people. "Everyone agreed to support that cause," said Peterson, "but not everyone was behind it."

Ellery said he was touched by the reaction of the Nicaraguan people, and that letters of thanks and donations of medical supplies are still coming in. While Ellery seemed supportive of Operation Bootstrap, his guess is that this Telethon will have a problem drumming up the support for Bootstrap that came last year for Nicaragua.

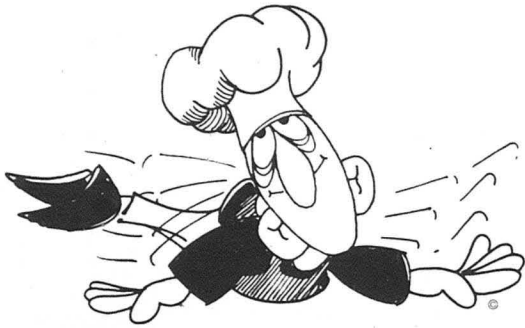
The two bus convoy heading for Managua encountered some problems enroute, but after an expensive engine overhaul and some political payoffs in order to get through Mexico the volunteer delivery men were able to get the supplies to the people in that country.

The buses were loaded with a refrigerator, 5 dental chairs, dental lighting fixtures, 2 boxes of dental supplies, 2 dental X-ray

Patty Noel, a Bootstrap volunteer, said the organization will be able to greatly expand its programming because of the extra funding Telethon will provide. Bootstrap is a non-profit community organization dedicated to meeting those needs of the community not fulfilled by other service organizations.

Operation Bootstrap provides services such as supplying food to needy families at Christmas time; maintaining the Bootstrap House on Division Street, which houses up to two families in need of temporary housing; providing financial assistance to needy families within the county in the form of loans or direct payment of utility bills; and providing warm underwear, such as mittens and boots, for needy children.

"Our organization is dedicated to helping the families in Portage County through the year, but during the Christmas season we are especially able to help provide those with



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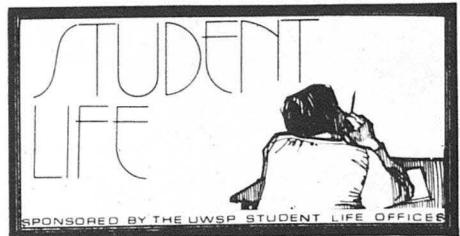
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By Robert M. Nicholson
"Fill the seats of justice with good men, not so absolute in goodness as to forget what human frailty is."

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There have been several rumors and a couple of incidents in the past month or so on our campus which warrant some discussion. To relate them specifically would be of no consequence other than to report them as examples of man's inhumanity to fellow man.

Races, creeds, colors, religions, sexes. The vitality of our lives is created by the differences among us. There is no small irony in the fact that these same differences for some people also create fear, disparity and loathing. By what manner do these differences serve to create a point of contention? What is the make-up of persons who create antagonism from

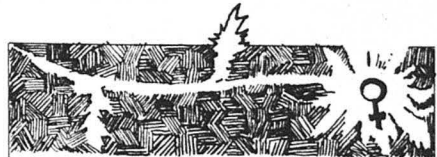
human differences?

Or, more specifically yet, on what basis of logic do racists or sexists decide they are in a position to judge?

How is the inferred fear or anger toward different individuals going to make anything manifest? — beyond the human degradation of the individual.

When I ponder my feelings about blatantly prejudiced behavior on campus I arrive first at a personal sense of sadness, almost despair. Much of who I am and certainly much of what I want in the world is so different. I believe in justice and our human potential. Incidents denigrating individuals are so far removed from what I want for myself and others. This sadness, however, is productive for neither myself nor the situation.

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Women's Resource Center

Way back in 1960, Norm Dombrowski was putting together a band that would eventually play the biggest dance halls Wisconsin had to offer. On their way, Norm Dombrowski and the Happy Notes would record six albums and many more 45's for Gold Records, including all-time favorites like "Sweet Violets" and "Astronaut Polka."

Today, Norm's band is enjoying more success than ever, and thanks to the Center, everyone can see this first class polka band at Skipp's Ballroom tomorrow night (Dec. 8), from 8-12 p.m. Tickets are only \$1.50 and you can get them at the WRC or at the door. Yet there's more. Around 9 p.m. several door prizes donated by area merchants are going to be given away. You could win a genuine ruby necklace, a smoke detector, gift certificates and much more. And in between dancing and winning prizes, you can drink all you want at a cash bar. Don't miss this opportunity to have some fun and support the Center at the same time.

If you'd like to see a movie at Campus Cinema between now and December 19th, stop by the Center and pick up a coupon that'll get you in for just \$1.25. The theater is especially pushing "Girlfriends" by Claudia Weil, which begins on Dec. 8th. Oh, we'd like to thank SPBAC for giving us \$18,900 more than we requested, or was that a typo?

Editor's note: The allocation of \$21,000 to the Women's Resource Center was indeed a typo — ours, not SPBAC's. The actual figure should read \$2,100.



coop cook

By Katy Kowalski

STUFFED GREEN PEPPERS

- 6 large green peppers
- 1 cup dried lentils, cooked
- 1 cup cooked brown rice (or any other cooked grain or mashed beans)
- 2 tablespoons olive oil
- 1 medium onion, diced
- 2 stalks celery, diced
- 10 medium mushrooms, sliced lengthwise
- 1 cup mung bean sprouts (or any other sprouts)
- Thyme, several pinches
- Parsley, several pinches
- Salt and pepper to taste
- 1 cup smoked provolone cheese, grated
- 1 - 15 ounce can tomato sauce
- 1/2 cup water

Wash green peppers. Cut off tops of peppers; clean and throw away seeds. Save tops from green peppers for salads or something else. Set

cleaned peppers aside until filling is made.

In oil, saute onion and celery until transparent. Set onions and celery aside in a bowl and sautee mushrooms in same pan. Add more oil if needed.

In a large mixing bowl, mix together cooked lentils, cooked brown rice, sauteed onions, celery, mushroom; the bean sprouts, seasonings, and 1/2 cup of the grated smoked provolone cheese. Stuff the well-blended mixture into the prepared green peppers.

Place peppers in a roasting pan. Mix 1/2 cup water and 15 ounces of tomato sauce together. Pour over stuffed green peppers. Bake at 350 degrees for 35 minutes.

While baking, make sure the green peppers are covered well. After 35 minutes, uncover peppers

and sprinkle with remaining cheese. Return to oven for 5 more minutes. Bake for 5 minutes with pan uncovered.

This is a good recipe to use when you have left-over brown rice or any other grain.

LENTIL - MUSHROOM SANDWICH SPREAD

Use the green pepper stuffing for a tasty sandwich spread. Omit the green peppers and the tomato sauce. Add more spices or cheese to taste. Spread mixture over slices of bread and eat cold with slices of tomato and leaves of spinach. Or spread mixture on slices of bread, sprinkle grated cheese over sandwich and broil under flame until cheese is melted.

Shape mixture into patties and roll in wheat germ. Sauté in sesame oil and brown on the both sides. Eat like a burger.

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There is however another part. After dispensing with the sadness which creates almost complete impotence, I arrive at a feeling of anger, resentment...almost outrage. I know that little which is said or done to an individual, in and of itself, can remove the dignity and human spirit of the receiver. To be called a "nigger," "whop," "whore," or a "racist" certainly does not make it true. However, verbal intimidation and other physically non-harmful behaviors are more than I want people to have to deal with, especially folks who for whatever reasons are different from me.

I think of the many fears and self defeating behaviors I create for myself and I don't want others adding to those already difficult-to-handle personal doubts. You see, I believe part of being human is sharing with others a frailty - of doubt and fear - rarely arriving to conclusion and therefore some assurance, but rather always traveling-processing where we've been and trying to determine where we are going. From my point of view, no one needs more intimidation than they already supply for themselves. And mostly I get angry by those who presume to think they know any better.

Leo Rosten said it better in his April 7, 1964 "Look" magazine column:

"Here is the summation I wrote of my own (and therefore Captain Newman's) creed: 'In some way, however small and secret, each of us is a little

mad...Everyone is lonely at bottom and cries to be understood; but we can never entirely understand someone else, and each of us remains part stranger even to those who love us...It is the weak who are cruel; gentleness is to be expected only from the strong...Those who do not know fear are not really brave, for courage is the capacity to confront what can be imagined...You can understand people better if you look at them - no matter how old or impressive they may be - as if they are children. For most of us never mature; we simply grow taller..."

So my sense of irritation or anger or outrage gives me the power to at least write a letter to share some of who I am and some of what I care about. Those R.A.C.E. trainers on campus who promote responsible relations among us have said essentially that those of us who are in the majority are culpable when we don't make an active effort in behalf of human dignity for all. If that is true, and I have a feeling it is, I and maybe some of you are racist or sexist or pejoratively prejudiced, if we maintain the status quo and do not confront even slurs or verbal intimidation.

Carole King's recent song makes the point:

Poetic phrases come to mind

Whenever I find injustice being done

And I wonder, what am I gonna do

What can one do except be one

Talking to two, touching three

Growing to four million
Each of us is one-all of us are one

I go through phases when I realize

It wouldn't be wise to try and bring it down

And I wonder, what am I gonna do

What should one do except just be around

Staying alive, putting out love

Growing to five billion

Each of us is one-all of us are one

Open your heart and let the love come shining through

And you will do what you need to do

To know just where the other "you" is coming from

He is one-she is one

A tree is one-the earth is one-the universe is one

I am one-we are one

It just amazes me that I can be

Part of the energy it takes to serve each other

And I wonder what am I gonna do

What can one do

Except be one

Each of us is one-all of us are one

We are one

What am I gonna do

Be one

Leo Rosten concludes his column, and I conclude my letter.

"Happiness comes only when we push our brains and hearts to the farthest reaches of which we are capable...The purpose of life is to matter, to count, to stand for something, to have it make some difference that we lived at all."

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POETRY

Judson reviewed

By Richard Behm

Twenty-five people heard the poet John Judson read selections from his work last Thursday. It was a good reading: well-crafted poems that voiced important and interesting vision, read in a quiet, dramatic manner. The stupid question I can't shake is why so few showed up for the reading.

Judson the man is husband, father, teacher, fisherman, former star athlete who once had a shot at the major leagues, literary man, and by his own words, "a man sometimes screwed up with the world."

Judson the poet writes of simple things: snow, mushrooms, freshwater clamshells, fishing, gathering cat tails, camping, hanging bluebird houses, his family. His poems are straight-forward, precise in their diction, clear in their imagery, carefully rhythmic. As reader or listener, one senses that a gift has been given in the poem, something small but of great value, an insight into the truth of how things really are, arrived at only after an arduous journey, a diligent pursuit. One example, the poem "Fisherman: Below Genoa," suffices:

Fisherman: Below Genoa

River into island; the bent weed hovering by the scow, the broken oarlock chafing like a cricket in hot sun, the air stirred as he stops. All his voyages are the same; the man, the vehicle remains, changing with each cast. Over his shoulder a bluff looms like a carp's head, half buried in sand, the jaw-bone bleached as his thought, exposed by the River in its ancient move west. It left its strand in him: a spirit that casts, and casts again, like a lone monk fasting in a hunger eternal as fish.

way poetry is non-received by both the university community and the larger, general populace. For instance, after twelve or sixteen years of a typical education, very few of us have ever really read or experienced a poem, unless by accident perhaps. It's the nature of our educational system to take living things, such as art, poetry, human beings, and treat them as if they were frogs stretched upon a dissecting board. To borrow from the poet John Berryman, by the time most

other ways of knowing and understanding the world than logic; it involves a process that necessitates, as C. S. Lewis says, "the unmaking of your mind." It's not comforting or comfortable to discover, as one does in poetry, true religion, physics, that the world has meanings that resist logic and common sense, dimensions that can be explored only in radically different modes than that to which we are conditioned and accustomed.

And then there are always other things to do: write

silly enough to attend a poetry reading by someone they may have never heard of or knew little about? Why should student funds be spent on such inconsequential events, of interest, apparently, to so few?

The answer to this question is even longer and more complex than to the original. One thing has been touched on, though not satisfactorily: wisdom and beauty are vital and necessary for a fulfilled human life. Beyond that, there is a simpler answer. I've been to many poetry readings, many memorable. The same holds true for books, I've read, plays, concerts and sporting events I've attended.

This reading of Judson's, however, was one of the good ones. As I told a friend after seeing Rocky Colavito hit his fourth consecutive homerun, you shoulda been there.

Our campus has been visited this semester by figures of considerable national reputation. But Judson's poems have more sustenance for the human spirit than the sanctimonious wit of Buckley, the well-heeled vacuity of Kissinger, or the sis-boom-rah of Howard Jarvis. Yeah. You shoulda been there.

You shoulda been there

Judson's reading was, by any standard, very good. It was obvious he had planned what he was going to read, had rehearsed the poems, though not to the point that they became artificial and bland in their recital. It was a dramatic reading without resorting to the theatrical trappings of poets such as Bly and Ginsberg.

All of which brings me back to my stupid question. There are, I know, many contributing factors to the

of us have had done with literature through education, our attitude is: "Peoples bore me, literature bores me, especially great literature." We come out convinced that not only is poetry beyond our understanding, but it is also irrelevant; it's an esoteric activity of no more personal, human significance than tiddlywinks.

Also, poetry, particularly much of modern-contemporary poetry, presents problems for many of us since it insists there are

papers, study for an exam, watch TV, sleep, go out on the town, shoot some buckets, write that long-delayed letter. There is always one of these good reasons for not going to a poetry reading, even if one reads and-or writes poetry.

I guess that satisfies me. I have enough explanations to account for the fact that so few people were at the Judson reading. The stupid question, of course, can and should be turned around: why would even 25 people be

Jane Briggs

Philip Venzke

To Men With Tender Egos

October 31

Sorry.
There will be no nurturing of egos here today.
No positive strokes.
No compliments.
I've grown tired of your ego trips
at my expense.
Reciprocal measures
are in order.
You complain of bruises
while I bleed.

Entering,
we are met at the door
by the air of an attic
and an old lady believing in
the alterations of generations.
Shedded skins
clinging to the wire coat hangers,
wait patiently.
Catwalking the aisles,
I push back their adhering attempts,
and cocoon my body in a grey trench coat.
Suddenly,
my hands find the pockets,
my mouth becomes serious,
and my eyes begin to squint.
I drift away,
but you call me back:
"What
are you going as?"

SPORTS

Women's basketball has high hopes

The 1978-79 UWSP women's basketball team should be a very different squad from that which coach Bonnie R. Gehling molded last year.

The height which was so evident on last year's team is no longer present but has been replaced with good overall team quickness.

Gehling is also hoping that the 1978-79 season record will also improve upon last year's disappointing 8-8 ledger. She feels her hope is a very real possibility for a number of reasons.

Last year's team was plagued by turnovers, but Gehling feels the 1978-79 team will be vastly improved in that area because of added maturity to last year's returning letterwinners. That maturity has led to improvement of skill and added knowledge of the game.

The bulk of the height which is now gone was tied up in Sue Brogiard and Becky SeEVERS who just happened to

be the two top scorers on the team. However, the frontline people back for this campaign are quality players.

Forward Julie Hammer was the third leading scorer last season and center Lynn Koehler the third top rebounder. Also returning up front are Sue Linder and Sue Bulmer.

The situation at the guard position is more questionable with sophomore Sue Davis the only returning letterwinner. Sophomores Mary Schultz, Annmarie Tiffe and Roxanne Mallum have moved up to the varsity and are joined by freshman Mary Linder.

Gehling notes that her squad has no individual standouts and is one which must depend on balance to be successful. She adds that last year's letterwinners will be looked to for leadership and the bulk of the starting lineup.



Lady cagers have big aspirations

Swimmers whip Stout, 5th at Minnesota

By Jay Schweikl

The UWSP men's swimming team had a busy weekend on the road, facing UW-Stout Friday and participating in the Minnesota Relays Saturday.

The Pointers had an easy time swamping Stout, 73-40. The highlight of the meet was the performance of freshman Lael Martin in the 200 butterfly. Martin broke the Stout pool record and the UWSP varsity standard with a clocking of 1:59.5.

Martin had plenty of support from his teammates, as the Dogfish won a total of ten events. Picking up first place finishes for the Pointers were:

400 medley relay (Steve Bell, Dan Jesse, Gary Muchow and Mike Pucci); 1000 freestyle — Mark Randall, 10:55.8; 50 yard freestyle — Brian Le Clux, 23.7; 200 medley — Dave Kaster, 2:10; One meter diving — Scott Olson, 234.55; 500 freestyle — Muchow, 5:04.3; 200 breaststroke — Jesse, 2:18.2; three meter diving — Olson, 227.45; 400 freestyle relay (Martin, Mark Randall, John Randall, Jerry Phillips).

Coach Red Blair felt that the Pointers had good swims from Martin, Mark Randall, and Muchow. He also cited the improved efforts of Scott Olson in the diving events.

UWSP finished fifth in the 14 team field at Minnesota. The host Minnesota Golden Gophers swam away with the team title. Wisconsin-Eau

Claire was second, followed by Bemidji Southwest State and the Pointers.

Coach Blair wasn't totally satisfied with the team's performance, noting that "We didn't swim that well in this meet, and it's difficult to pinpoint a primary cause for the letdown." Blair said the main thing that hampered the Pointers was the huge Minnesota advantage which took the wind out of his swimmers' sails. "We began

'It's difficult to pinpoint a primary cause for the let down'

to lose intensity, and may have been looking ahead to the meet this week," explained Blair.

The top UWSP efforts were a second place in the 3x500 freestyle relay by Lael Martin, Muchow and Ken Wurm, and a third place in the 400 medley relay by Brian Botsford, Jesse, Martin and Kaster. Their time was 4:46.1.

Blair cited Martin, Jesse and Mark Wojcik as the top Dogfish of the meet.

The meet the Pointers may have been pointing for prematurely takes place this weekend, as the annual Conference Relays will be contested at Eau Claire.

Pointers drop WSUC opener to Whitewater

By Leo Pieri

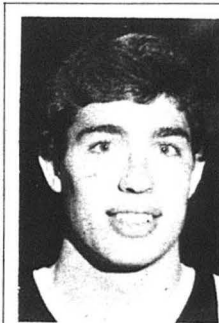
The UWSP men's basketball team played one bad half, and one good half at Whitewater on Monday night. But the good half wasn't enough, as the Pointers bowed to the Warhawks 69-62.

The loss started the Pointers off in a bad way in WSUC conference play. The loss dropped the Pointers to 0-1 in the WSUC and 1-2 overall.

"The problem was our first half," said discouraged Pointer mentor Dick Bennett. "Specifically, we lost track of all our game plans at crucial times in the first half."

An explosive Whitewater squad made things uncomfortable for Point, making the Pointers play their kind of game. By doing so, Whitewater took a commanding lead in the first half and forced the Pointers to play catch up ball the rest of the way.

The Pointers had five turnovers in the first three minutes of the game, and suddenly they were trailing 14-2. The Pointers suffered through some other let downs in the first half, and Whitewater's surge by 6-6



Frosh Center, Tim Skalmoski

Skalmoski for a fine offensive performance. Skalmoski had a solid game leading the Pointers with 18 points and 10 rebounds.

Bennett also noted that sophomore forward Phil Rodriguez had an excellent second half. Rodriguez finished the game with 8 points as did forward Bob Schultz and guard John Miron. Overall the Pointers shot a cool .397 percent while Whitewater had a .456 field goal percentage.

The Pointers' next contest will be at home against UW-Oshkosh this Saturday night at 7:30 p.m. in the Quandt fieldhouse.

Coach Bennett says Oshkosh is a very powerful, and physical team. "We'll have to hold our own on the boards," he said. Bennett said the Pointers will try to come out with something different to find continuity with the players who are in the game. Bennett said he plans to unveil the "Gold Gang" to pick things up, but he wouldn't elaborate on the plan.

The game will be carried by WWSP, 90 FM, with Paul Kohorn and Ed Karshna broadcasting.

Michael Gutter and company left the Warhawks in control 45-31 at the half.

The Pointers came back in the second half and threatened to mount an unbelievable turnaround. But the Warhawks dispelled that notion and left Point coming up short.

Said Bennett, "We did play an excellent second half, but I was disappointed that we didn't assert ourselves earlier." Bennett praised freshman center Tim

the pigskin prophets

By Rick Herzog & Kurt Dennison

Week Fourteen in the NFL is not the end of the regular season. The Prophets' record was 11-3 which brings the season tally to a 128-67-1 giving us a .656 percentage on the year. This shows the unpredictability of the league this year.

PITTSBURGH (12-2) over BALTIMORE* (5-9) — Chuck Knox pulls the Steel Curtain shut on the Colts. Don't worry Baltimore fans, Colts grow into Horses. Steelers by 10.

MINNESOTA (8-5-1) over DETROIT (5-9) — The Prophets and the Packers would like to see the Lions win this one, but they are declared. Fran Tarkenton will drive away in a brand new GM car. Vikings by 6.

NEW ENGLAND (10-4) over BUFFALO (4-10) — The Bills won't trick the Pats like Dallas did last week. We would hate to be in a blue and white uniform for this game. Patriots turn it on by 15.

DALLAS (10-4) over PHILADELPHIA (8-6) — The Eagles will slowly fade out of the play-off picture. This contest could be a blow-out for the Cowboys who will win by 13.

GREEN BAY (8-5-1) over

CHICAGO (5-9) — This is a must game for the Packers. Last week they proved they can win on the road so Grin and Bare it. The Prophets have Packer fever. G.B. by a touchdown.

HOUSTON (9-5) over NEW ORLEANS (6-8) — The Oilers are real head-knockers. The Saints got permission from the American Medical Association to have the local hospital on call for the whole game. Houston hammers by 10.

DENVER (9-5) OVER K.C. (4-10) — Three in a row for the Chiefs is impossible. The Broncos will rap up their division with this win. Broncos will be a mile high for this one. K.C. falls by 9.

N.Y. JETS (8-6) over CLEVELAND (7-7) — The Jets are still in play-off contention. The Jets are the biggest surprise this season, and will continue on their course with a victory over the Browns by 5.

MIAMI (9-5) over OAKLAND (8-6) — Wave your white handkerchiefs Dolphin fans because Miami will be giving 100 percent. The Raiders fall short by only giving 75 percent, and lose by a field goal.

ST. LOUIS (5-9) over N.Y.

GIANTS (5-9) — This will be the "Battle for the Cellar Dweller." Jim Hart and the Cardinal defense will put the Giants in their rightful place — last. Cards by 7.

SEATTLE (8-6) over SAN DIEGO (7-7) — Jim Zorn could run for the governor of Washington state and would probably win it. The Seahawks are as sharp as ever. Chargers get nipped by 6.

SAN FRANCISCO (1-13) over TAMPA BAY (5-9) — Having the number 1 draft choice is not that important. The Bucs are still recovering from the rugged and mean Packer defense. Tampa cannot mend the injured in time and lose by 3.

WASHINGTON (8-6) over ATLANTA (8-6) Wild card contenders will be in heavy action this Sunday. We would like to see the Redskins pluck the feathers from the Falcons by 4.

L.A. (11-3) over CINCINNATI (2-12) — Why doesn't Howard Cosell have the Packers on a Monday Night Football game for once. After all, ABC could not have picked a poorer game than this is going to be. Poor choice all together. Rams by 12.

Wrestlers struggle at Parkside, and on the road

By Tom Tyrone

The cards certainly seemed to be stacked against Pointer wrestling Saturday. It all started with a poor week of practice. Then there was the bus ride to Kenosha that had the Pointers arriving only fifteen minutes before the first round matches began.

The performance of the Stevens Point grapplers in the UW-Parkside Invitational left the Pointers even less to smile about. "Everything was just miserable. We wrestled poorly because we weren't mentally prepared," said discouraged Coach John Munson.

Thirty UWSP matmen traveled to the Parkside Invitational and only two were able to place in a field that was not as tough as the UWSP Open. Freshman Greg Carlson finished in fourth place behind two All-Americans in the 142 pound class. Sophomore Dave McCarthy lost in the opening round to the eventual winner at 158 but fought back to capture third place.

"We were as bad this time

as we were good last time," said Munson comparing the efforts of his charges in the last two weekends. "But this is one of those things that you have to learn from. We all talked about that on the way home." The Pointers had plenty of time to discuss their showing. On the way home they were forced to seek refuge in a hotel because of hazardous road conditions.

Munson stated that his squad has to realize the importance of being mentally prepared. "This showed the guys that if we wrestle good we will win, if we do bad we'll get killed."

Hopefully the Pointers will be able to regroup and perform up to potential in their first dual meet of the year. The meet will be against Northland College on

Wednesday. The Pointers will also compete in the Warhawk Open hosted by UW-Whitewater. Munson

expects the competition to be highly competitive and hopes his team will bounce back and begin their season with a dual meet victory.

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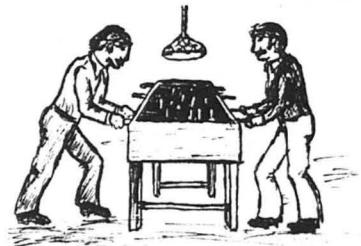
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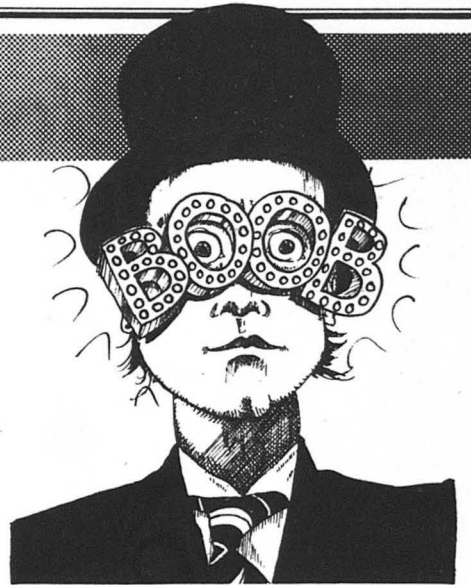
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A Single Man
Elton John
MCA-3065
Reviewed by Mark Larson



When I first heard Elton John's new album *A Single Man*, I really couldn't believe my ears. Here is a guy who worked himself up from a small time rock 'n' roll piano player into a multi-million dollar Top-40 success, took an early retirement, purchased a football team, and came out of the closet, yet still has the audacity to subject the public to another dose of sugary-sweet, overblown, pop fluff. I realize this is sounding a bit brutal, but with good reason. At last I've heard an album that has absolutely no redeeming songs whatsoever on either side.

Side one of this zeppelin starts off with a cotton-candy song about love, "Shine on Through," which provides us with provoking lyrics like:

Oh my love

I have cursed the stars above
That lead my heart to you...

This tune is followed by "Return to Paradise," a slick, south-of-da-border flavored piece that might have worked if not for the overworked production and lackluster vocals by Elton.

The next two cuts, "I Don't Care" and Elton's ode to the gay community, "Big Dipper," are too trivial to even mention except to illustrate the fact that no matter how much electronics, overdubbing, and orchestral mush a producer uses, technology simply can't cover up a real turkey.

Side two opens with Elton's prime, under-four-minute Top-40 tune, "Part Time Love," that continues where songs like "Philadelphia

Freedom" and "Lucy in the Sky" left off. Donny and Marie, move over. "Georgia" is the most ridiculous cut on the entire album and features Elton, the South Audley Street Girls Choir, and Elton's Watford Football Club gleefully singing the praises about gettin' a parcel o' land and settlin' down in good ol' Georgia, and offering bits of English insight like:

When it's springtime in Georgia

It's wintertime up in Maine
You can go from snow to sunshine

If you board a southbound train

The album closes with a couple of keyboard dominated elephants called "Reverie" and "Song for Guy," which EJ and co-producer Clive Franks

proceed to bury under a barrage of synthesized, syrupy string arrangements and an electronic rhythm track that sounds like a cross between Kraftwerk and a Hammond (You, yes you can learn to play any song in only three minutes with no practice or previous experience!!) "Genie" rhythm box.

The real fault in Elton John's music is not so much his ability to write contrived, bouncy melodies or his knack of writing crisp keyboards, but in the lyrics of newly acquired lyricist Gary Osbourne. He seems to have come from the moon-june-spoon-honeymoon school of song writing, and his lyrics often get overly sentimental and sing-songy.

A perfect compliment to Osbourne's saccharin lyrics are Paul Buckmaster's lush

string arrangements. This guy apparently won't rest until he scores an overblown, oozing string chart that can transform even the most uptempo song into pre-sweetened pabulum. If records were cereal, this one would be a box of Fruit Loops.

This certainly is not one of Elton John's better efforts. Back when he was writing things like the "Friends" soundtrack and "Honky Chateau," he still maintained that essential edge to his music that helped give it a rock identity. On this latest release, he seems to have lost his earlier visions and succumbed to the superstar pop syndrome that afflicts people like the Carpenters or Captain and Tennille. Elton, considering the music on *A Single Man*, have you ever considered going into insurance?

Yes we have no Santana

Santana
Inner Secrets
Columbia FC 35600
Reviewed By Fred Brennan

You're having a party. The record just ended and you're searching through vast piles of albums trying to find music that will keep all your friends cruising along into the night. Fleetwood Mac? No way.

'Inner Secrets equals instant party...now all you need are the people and the beverages.'

You're fighting hard enough to keep from losing it. What with all that beer you've inhaled through the evening. Hey'y'y! Deep

Purple's, Made In Japan. How about some "Smoke On The Water"?! Absolutely out of the question. It'll guarantee getting the neighbors all riled up. And besides, you've played that album so much you can practically see right through it. Problems! Problems!

You wouldn't have had them, those problems, if you had gone into any local record store and picked up on Santana's new LP, *Inner Secrets*.

Inner Secrets equals instant party, for the most part. The beat and sounds are there. Now all you need are the people and the beverages.

Santana pioneered the Latin-rock scene back in the early seventies and Woodstock Two. They spawned many similar groups like Malo, that tried to capitalize on the trend.

Later Carlos Santana teamed up with guitarist John McLaughlin and his Mahavishnc Orchestra. For several years they made spiritual and improvisational

albums.

Now, Santana has shed his religious and spiritual music (with the exception that he changed his name to Devadip Carlos Santana) and is back on the rock scene.

The group itself is comprised of nine members: two guitarists, one vocalist, a bass player, a keyboards player, one on drums, and three on timbales, congas, bongos, and assorted percussion (one of whom bears a striking resemblance to Flip Wilson).

Inner Secrets contains 11 songs. The longest, "One Chain (Don't Make No Prison)" is just over six minutes in length and is the album's lowpoint. The song has a definite disco flavor to it. The melody, though, never changes. "One Chain" only serves to imprison itself from sheer boredom after the first three and a half minutes. The discos probably will be picked up by local discos and be shelved somewhere between "Some Girls" and "Macho Man."

Devadip Carlos has also included a few rewritten oldies on *Inner Secrets*. "Dealer," the album's opening song was originally done by Jim Capaldi and Traffic. "Well All Right" is a Buddy Holly tune that was also performed by the English "Super-Group," Blind Faith. "Stormy" has been redone several times and is the standout of Santana's three adaptations. "Stormy" is mellower than the other two. But it contains some of the best vocal harmonies on the entire album.

"Life is a Lady-Holiday" and "Wham" are the only instrumentals on *Inner Secrets*. The former is a two part song that spotlights Santana's guitar work. In "Wham" the title tells all. In a sense it is also a two part song. The first minute of "Wham" allows the drummer and three percussionists to turn loose on a definitely Latin exercise. The last two minutes finds guitarist's Santana and Chris

Solberg exchanging furious lead work along with keyboardist Chris Rhyne.

"Wham," along with "Open Invitation" and "The Facts of Love" are the album's best cuts. "Open Invitation" is another venture into harder rock and should appeal to almost any dancer. With the exception, perhaps, of those who have an insatiable desire to do "The Worm." This song also contains some of Santana's best lead guitar on the album.

"The Facts of Love" is destined to find its way onto many radio station turntables and become the album's money-maker. The tune is, in a sense, tasty, and the song covers something that almost everyone understands.

Let those Fleetwood Mac and Deep Purple albums collect some cobwebs for awhile and invest in the album. At least that way you won't get blamed for throwing a bum party because you didn't play any new and decent records.

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One twin-size bed, almost new. One six-drawer dresser. 341-5488 after 5 p.m., ask for Nancy.

personals

"Have the best Christmas ever. Send \$10 to: Help Feed the Kid Fund, Russell Jensen, Treasurer, 106 S. Rock Rd., Madison, WI 53705."

Blue Boy: Who has current possession of the Traveling Tooth Trophy? We have a challenger. Harv.

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to The Toilet at 2008 Wyatt. You've been just great—and a real contribution to society. Why, if it wasn't for you, the boys would have to go to the library to get any reading done. Trapper Bon.

Am looking for a handful of people familiar with Primal Theory and interested in engaging in the therapy. If curious or willing to begin Group, call Bob Murphy. Rm. 233, 346-3086.

Wanted: Cosmic personnel to take a walk on the WILD side with First South Thomson Hall. Contact your nearest cosmic snow leopard service for more information (Extension 83). Ask for Bert.

SMADA: December 21, "Social" beer-RSVP—good luck with finals, Love CB.

Jolene, Hope you have a nice day and have a very merry Christmas. Hope to see you around. A Secret Santa.

Dave: Merry Christmas and Happy Birthday! The English Language is not dying.

Sheila, Laurie, Greg, Smada, Suzi-Q, Mike, Rick, Eddie, the Guys downstairs, Bonnie, JC—Good Luck with Finals!! CB

To the Past Elephant Trainer and Future Log Cabin Builder: May you find a hut for your silver elephant, (what a Beast it is), and have a good B-day and X-mas. Best Wishes, Lumber Jack Pierre.

Jim—I promise not to ever lie again.—Lynne.

Doug, We are hapy to have you as Read Moe of South. (You are still the disco King, also) From your buddies.

To the Other Half of Trouble—You should know by now I can't get mad at you. Friends?—LWW

CONGRATULATIONS, MOON!! YOU MADE IT! CANUCK, HERE WE COME! LOVE YOU, CB.

Happy Birthday, Nannette, keep smiling. Love, Mark.

Dan and Kris—Wish I could be with you today. I think of you both often.—Lynne

Deb—How can 4000 women split one pair of goggles? G.M. & D.J.

Congratulations to the 1978-79 second semester, University Activities Board Executives: President Tom Boomsma Vice President Judy Pfeffer Secretary Janet Steffan Treasurer Jack Zabrowski Good Luck!!—P.R.

announcements

The Home Economics In Business Club of UWSP's 2nd Annual Style Show, "A Fashion Sleighride." Saturday, Dec. 9, 1978, 1:30 p.m. in Program Banquet Room of the University Center. Door prizes, \$2. Refreshments.

The Association of Business and Economics Students Christmas party is Dec. 14, 8-11 p.m. in the Program Banquet Room of the University Center. Cost is \$2. Live music by "The Nutrels." Buy your ticket now in the Business Dept. office or from an officer.

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We are not saying put on a plastic smile, but to sincerely reach out to someone to make them smile, or anything that will get your minds off yourself and on to others. We believe since finals are coming up, a lot of pressure is on everyone, so if we really take time out to do or say something we will also feel good inside and be more relaxed to enjoy the end of the semester.

For if you are happy about yourself you can share it with others. Come on! Let's continue to work together to put a smile on each other's face. "Smile" Campaign Group Of Comm. 101

To the Pointer.

The Senior Honor Society is proud to present Father Pat Kelley from Newman Center as this month's guest speaker for the Junior Honor Society's Last Lecture Series.

Dr. John I. Teasley of the National Water Quality Laboratory, Duluth, Minnesota, will speak on "TSCA Priority pollutants and their impact on the analytical chemist," Friday, Dec. 8, 2 p.m., A-121 Science.

Got the Pre-Final Blues? The answer to your problem is all in the Formula. Your approach and attitude will mean more than your aptitude every time. As ECKists, we have an entirely different view of the Universe and how it works. We've also learned how to harness and control those Energies that seem to always influence everybody else. Come to the University Center next Monday at 7:30 for an upbeat and eye-opening discussion on how you can be the Cause of your life (including finals). Join us for "ECKANKAR—The Techniques of Studying." Free, no obligation.

Senior Honor Society presents: The Last Lecture Series featuring this month's guest speaker, Fr. Pat Kelley of Newman Center. The program will be from 7-8 p.m., Sunday, Dec. 10, in the Communications Room, UC. Refreshments will be served. All are welcome.

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Julie Hansen, President
Senior Honor Society

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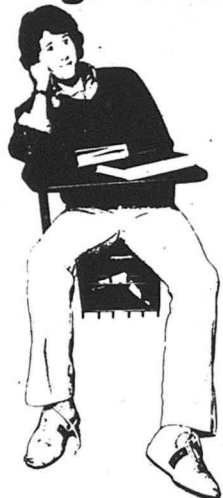
Edna Carlsten Gallery of the Fine Arts Building.

Dec. 8 (Fri.)
WOMEN'S BASKETBALL — vs. Oshkosh, at 7 p.m., there.

Dec. 8 and 9 (Thurs. and Fri.)
WRESTLING — The Warhawk Open, there.

Dec. 7-20 (Thurs.-Wed.)
FACULTY ART SHOW — Recent works in various media by members of the UWSP art faculty. In the

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Dec. 9 (Sat.)
SWIMMING — The WSUC Relays at Eau Claire.

WOMEN'S BASKETBALL — vs. Whitewater, 2 p.m., there.

BASKETBALL — vs. Oshkosh, at 7:30 p.m., here.

Dec. 10 (Sun.)
SGA MEETING — In the Wisconsin room, at 7 p.m.

Dec. 11 (Mon.)
BASKETBALL — vs. Platteville, at 7:30 p.m., there.



Dec. 12 (Tues.)
WOMEN'S BASKETBALL — vs. Eau Claire, at 6 p.m., there.

Dec. 13 (Wed.)
WOMEN'S BASKETBALL — vs. Madison J.V.'s, at 7 p.m., there.

WRESTLING — vs. Eau Claire, at 7:30 p.m., here.



Dec. 9 (Sat.)
TEN MILE FROSTBITE RACE, 12 noon, YMCA.

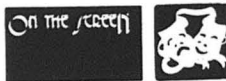


Dec. 7 (Thurs.)
RUSH — The Canadian trio will spin its heavy epics in Milwaukee's Arena, beginning at 7:30 p.m.

Dec. 8-10 (Fri.-Sun.)
MADRIGAL DINNER — The annual medieval dinner and song evening. In the Fine Arts Building.

Dec. 12 (Tues.)
MESSIAH — The Christmas portion of Handel's sacred work. Performed by the UWSP Symphony Orchestra and Oratorio Chorus. It is a benefit for the music scholarship fund. Tickets are available at the Fine Arts Building, and the concert gets underway at 8 p.m. in Michelsen Hall.

BOB SEGER AND THE SILVER BULLET BAND — with special guests Southside Johnny and the Asbury Jukes. Dane County Coliseum is the site for this fine looking double bill. Seger seems to improve with age, and the Jukes are probably the best bar band around. At 8 p.m.



Dec. 7 and 8 (Thurs. and Fri.)
JESUS CHRIST SUPERSTAR — An uneven version of Webber and Rice's religious rock opera. The story is of Christ's last week of life, and stars Ted Neeley and Yvonne Elliman. At 6:30 and 9:15 p.m. in the Program Banquet Room.



Dec. 12 (Tues.)
THE CHILDREN'S HOUR — William Wyler's film based on Lillian Hellman's play. Audrey Hepburn and Shirley MaLaîne play the headmistresses of a boarding school for small daughters of the rich. One of their charges, a neurotic bundle played by Karen Balkin, tells her grandmother of an unnatural relationship between the two headmistresses. A fine social commentary featuring very excellent acting. At 7 and 9:15

p.m. in the Program Banquet Room.



Dec. 7 (Thurs.)
THE HOSTAGE — Well-done low budget film about a six-year-old who stows away on a moving van driven by two murderers. Starring Don O'Kelly and John Carradine. At 11:05 p.m. on channel 7.

Dec. 9 (Sat.)
THE COLLECTOR — Disturbing movie about a man who collects more than just butterflies, which is where actress Samantha Egger comes in. Chilling, if not altogether believable. Also starring Terrence Stamp, at 10:30 p.m., on channel 7.

Dec. 9 and 10 (Sat. and Sun.)
UWSP TELETHON — For the "Operation Bootstrap" charities. From 12 noon to 10 p.m., on Cable channel 3.

Dec. 10 (Sun.)
MR. HOBBS TAKES A VACATION — Jimmy Stewart stars in this ultra-wholesome family picture. At 3 p.m. on channel 9.

IN COLD BLOOD — Robert Blake stars in this powerful film adaptation of Truman Capote's terrifying book. At 10:35 on channel 7.



On the Air
Dec. 10 (Sun.)
SUNDAY FORUM — Guest is Dr. Allen Hendry, Chief Investigator at the Center of UFO Studies at Northwestern University. At 10 p.m. on 98 F.M., WSPT.

Dec. 11 (Mon.)
TWO WAY RADIO — Mayor Jim Fiegelson is scheduled. On 90 F.M., WWSP, at 10 p.m.

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UNTIL

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 10th, 10 p.m.

Schedule of Events

Friday,

December 8th:

Booth in Concourse 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.

There will be a display of auction items and general information

Saturday,

December 9th:

12:00 Noon: Telethon Goes On The Air!

3:00 p.m.: First 100 donations of \$3.00 or more to the Fish Bowl will receive McDonalds coupons. (Donations must be made in person)

8:00 p.m.-12:00 Midnight: Free Popcorn

12:00 Midnight-3:00 a.m.: Food service Sandwich line

3:00 a.m. Film: "It's A Wonderful Life"

6:00 a.m. Film: "His Girl Friday"

7:30 a.m.: Food service opens

8:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m.: Saga food breakfast special

11:30 a.m.-9:30 p.m.: Dance marathon

3:00 p.m.: First 100 donations of \$3.00 or more to the Fish Bowl will receive McDonalds coupons. (Donations must be made in person.)

7:00 p.m.-10:00 p.m.: Saga pizza special

Sunday,

December 10th:

