# Vote on constitutional revisions held today

#### By JOHN BORGER State News Staff Writer

Voting on the proposed revisions to the ASMSU constitution begins at 9 a.m. today in each residence hall, Union, Berkey Hall, Bessey Hall, and the International Center. Students must have ID's to vote.

Ballots are computer cards. Voters will mark "yes" or "no" to each of the five major issues. A brief explanation of each issue appears on the ballot, with more complete information available at the polls.

In each case, a "yes" vote signifies approval of the change, a "no" vote denotes preference for the current situation.

All ballot boxes must be turned over to the election committee at the east side door of the Administration Bldg. by 7:30 p.m.

Issue I, identified as "District representation vs. member - at - large" on the ballot, contains the major restructuring of the Student Board. If

the issue passes, the board will contain eight representatives elected at large by off-campus students, and two "students of color" appointed by the ASMSU Office of Black Affairs. District representatives will be required to live within their districts by the first day of fall term following their election, or they will forfeit their office. Heads of major governing groups will remain on the board, but as ex officio members without voting rights.

Student Board currently consists of the heads of major governing groups,

and seven students elected at large. Issue II, "Deletion of Sleep Amendment," would enable ASMSU to support political issues. The Sleep Amendment currently forbids any such support "on any state or federal issue not directly and exclusively concerned with MSU." The code of operations would still prohibit ASMSU from endorsing a political candidate or party.

Issue III, "Traffic Court restructuring," would reduce the number of justices from 14 to nine and

eliminate the position of Associate Chief Justice.

Issue IV, "elimination of faculty control," would delete phrases which currently give the faculty final approval over ASMSU actions.

Issue V, "Tax increase - cabinet restructuring," would raise the student tax from 50 cents to one dollar per term, and would divide the board cabinet functions. Student Board would deal primarily with policy questions; the cabinet would supervise ASMSU programs and services.

ASMSU Chairman Bill Rustem cautioned that unfavorable reaction to the tax increase should not prejudice students against the other issues.

"I think that students must remember that there is a distinct difference between issues. The most important part is Issue I," he said.

Rustem said a large voter turn-out was important because the referendum offers students a chance to speak out on the type of representative base they want ASMSU to have.

Power . . . . . concedes nothing without a demand.

-- Frederick Douglass

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# Local Union leader reiterates; bus drivers 'ill', not striking

#### **By DONNA WILBURN** State News Staff Writer

Fifty thousand daily passengers of the campus bus system have been forced to walk to classes as transportation facilities remain at a standstill.

MSU bus drivers called in sick both Tuesday and Wednesday, and administrators are uncertain if their actions will be repeated again today.

Jack Breslin, executive vice - president, Leonard H. Glander, director of the MSU Personnel Center and other University officials will meet with union leaders this morning to discuss the two - day work stoppage of campus bus drivers.

See related story on page 2.

Gene Taylor, president of Local 1585, which represents all drivers, said the bus drivers are not purposely withholding

"This is not a strike -- the drivers are

refused on two separate occasions," Taylor said.

A 7 cents an hour increase in currently being arbitrated and a settlement would benefit the drivers. Hearings in the arbitration have been held and briefs are to be filed by February 17. Decision on the matter is expected later this month.

"We feel that bus drivers should have at least as high a pay scale as the garbage collectors," Duane O'Dell, bus driver and alternate union steward said.

**TOPICS NAMED** 

The union refused to comment on how

much of a wage increase they expected. Union officials met Tuesday with Leonard H. Glander, director of the MSU Personnel Center. Taylor said the University asked the union to influence drivers to go back to work, however bus drivers did not follow the suggestion.

Henry Jolman, general foreman of automotive services, said he has received no word from either the employes or the union which represents the drivers. "We were totally in the dark about this

whole thing," Jolman said.

The few bus facilities still available will primarily try to service the commuter lot and the Spartan Village route. Only two buses, maintained by supervisory personnel, were operated Wednesday.

There is no speculation concerning how many buses will be running today, nor how many drivers will again be ill.

If the disagreement continues, partial reimbursements will have to be made for University bus passes. Paul V. Rumpsa, University comptroller, said that some type of action will have to be considered to make payment to the students.

Contrary to rumors, students are not allowed to drive private vehicles on campus. This situation was reviewed by the administration, but was found to be impractical because of inadequate parking



Peace march

### "Taylor said.

Taylor also commented that under the University contract with Local 1585. American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees, AFL-CIO, the University granted reclassification studies for the bus drivers.

Reclassification would include a hike in

"Two reclassification studies have been nducted, but union demands were flatly 

### Petitions available

The All University Traffic Committee will open petitioning Feb. 16 - 20 to fill a vacant position for a married housing representative. Petitions are available in 307 Student Services Bldg. Applicants must be residents of a married housing

### Bill proposes fund control over students

#### By LARRY LEE **State News Staff Writer**

A bill that would revoke state scholarships from students convicted of a crime that caused a campus disorder was ntroduced in the Michigan House of Rep. James F. Smith, R-Davison,

sponsor of the measure, said, "The key word here is 'convicted.' You have to be convicted before your scholarship is affected.

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"I think the great majority of the students will be in much better shape if the problem is pinpointed," Smith said.

"There is great opposition in many areas to appropriations to institutions of higher learning," Smith explained. "We could remove some of their objections if they thought there was some control over those who cause disorder."

The bill would charge the director of imissions at each college with determining if the crime which a student is convicted either caused or arose from ampus disorder.

Action could be taken whether the order took place in Michigan or a campus in another state.

The bill also states that "a person has aused a campus disorder or committed a crime that arose out of a campus disorder (he) is convicted of a breach of the eace, rioting, assault and battery, trespass criminal syndicalism if the crime "There is nothing in the bill that

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### . informal discussions

MSU trustees open

By MARILYN PATTERSON **State News Staff Writer** 

The MSU Board of Trustees has opened a portion of its monthly informal sessions to the public.

In a letter to the trustees last week, President Wharton suggested five topics for discussion at an open portion of the informal board meeting Feb. 19.

The topics include MSU Bookstore policy on the purchase and resale of used books, off - campus liquor policy, freshman women's hours, the independence of Oakland University and progress reports by the president. Before last month the Thursday night

informal sessions were closed to the press and public.

Issues are discussed during the informal meetings and formal action is taken on them at the Friday morning public sessions.

The press was allowed entrance to the January informal session for discussion of the proposed All - Events Bldg. and the president's report on admissions policies. At that time the board requested Wharton to submit a list of items the administration wants to put on the open and the closed agendas.

Any trustee may request the change of an item from the open to the closed agenda. As yet no trustee has objected to the proposed open agenda for the February meeting.

"By opening the informal sessions, I



### Wharton

hope to increase the opportunity for the board to have background briefings on programs, activities or problem areas of broad concern to the University and to increase the opportunity to discuss policy problem areas," Wharton said. "It will facilitate the formation of University

### facilities.

The University urges all students living in Spartan and University Villages to form car pools for traveling to campus.

A drummer leads the way as demonstrators protesting the Vietnam war march through Lafayette Square across Pennsylvania Avenue from the White House Wednesday. **AP Wirephoto** 

# Society control determines black security--Williams

#### By ESTELLA CHAMBERS **State News Staff Writer**

Robert F. Williams, former president of the Republic of New Africa, said that a black man can only be secure in a society that he controls himself.

"We must give more attention to black nationalism and Pan-Africanism because Pan-Africanism means that we will be to ourselves what others are to themselves."

Williams' speech Wednesday in Wells Hall was one of several functions held on campus in observance of Black History Week. He said, though, that he would rather view the week as one for observing "the contributions of black people to a human society." "What is a revolution and who is a

revolutionary," Williams said, "are questions of importance for the black movement and for the Pan-Africanism. We must therefore develop a new concept of

revolution and what it is all about. We have a mistaken idea that a revolutionist is skilled in profanity, is blood - thirsty and is always ready to kill and destroy," Williams said to his audience of about 400 students and faculty.

"As a part of the revolution, we must be prepared to struggle and to realize that all of it is not violence. Violence is the last alternative and must have aim and direction.'

He said that some "revolutionaries" claim that the black movement has passed the revolutionary stage and is now at the violent stage. But Williams said that we must have changed ideas and must use that which "is effective and respective, that which will get the job done.'

"But I do believe in violence," said Williams, "and that's why I'm in the trouble I'm in."

He said that black activists in North Carolina, where he was president of a NAACP chapter, have been fighting and shooting since 1957, but that black people did not hear about it because the press didn't want black people to know that violence was an effective means of protest. Williams said that many people think that he is in Michigan to seek mercy for his understanding.

extradiction based on a kidnapping charge. "The power structure is determined to make an example of me. They want to show that no matter where an uppity black goes, the long arm of white racism will catch up with him."

He later added that the press has not made mention of the other persons accused of the "trumped-up" kidnapping charge which he said was put into legal affect about one year after the incident occurred. One of the others accused is a banker in New York and to accuse him of kidnapping would make the power structure look bad because he's handling public funds, Williams said.

"People usually think that I'm the only one involved in the kidnapping," Williams said.

"White nationalism works all over the world," Williams said, "and as black people we must gather together not because of color, racism and such, but because of the need for survival."

Williams said that the role of the college student should be in the vanguard the most militant and the most outspoken, and that he should concentrate on logic in realizing the need for militancy must come with direction and

## Viet offensive believed spoiled in Delta battles

CAO LANH, Vietnam (AP) - South Vietnamese military commanders believe they have spoiled a large enemy offensive in the Mekong Delta.

This opinion emerged Wednesday from six days of fighting with the North Vietnamese 88th Regiment in the strategic Plain of Reeds, 60 miles west of Saigon. The plain is the western gateway to the delta's heavily populated center.

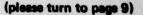
More than 200 enemy were reported killed as of Wednesday and at least twice that number were presumed to have been wounded. So far South Vietnamese losses have been reported as 17 killed and 24 wounded.

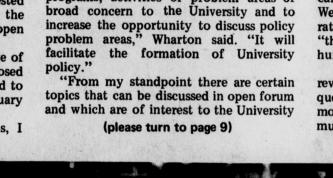
"Their entire plan is compromised," a high South Vietnamese officer said. "The Communists have been set back many months."

Alllied commanders had been expecting a major enemy drive into the delta since four North Vietnamese regiments infiltrated across the Cambodian border in the last half of 1969.

The 88th Regiment was one of them. Elements of the 88th tried to overrun the district town of Tuyen Binh, 800 yards across the Cambodian border, on Dec. 3 but were thrown back by South Vietnamese irregulars with a loss of about 100 enemy dead.

A day before last week's lunar new year cease - fire, two of the 88th Regiment's three battalions moved out of their sanctuary along the Cambodian border and headed south. American observation





### Batter up . . .

just about battered to death. But why should they care? The two eager eaters made up the team that consumed 500 pancakes and won - what else? - the pancake eating contest sponsored by the International House of Pancakes Tuesday. State News Photo By Mike Beasley

One could say that Ken Wegner, Merrill senior, left, and Susan Harrell, Corpus Christi, Tex., freshman, have been

Bus halt causes long walks and tardiness

#### By ROSANNE BAIME State News Staff Writer

Since early Tuesday morning the main sounds of campus have been grumblings, shivers and the patter of big and little feet as the 10,000 winter term bus riders take to the sidewalks.

"The first I found out about the bus stoppage was Tuesday morning when I went out to the bus stop to get to my 8 a.m. class," Lee Anne Stone, Davison freshman, said. Miss Stone lives in McDonel Hall and her first class on Tuesday is in Berkey Hall.

"I got out to the bus stop early because I had a midterm and I planned to get to class early and study," she said. By 7:45 she started walking to Berkey and arrived just in time

to take her test.

Midterm week is being complicated on many fronts by the bus shutdown. Kathy Devine, Detroit freshman, lives in the Brody dormitory complex, and has heard about like this." problems some of the Brody residents have had.

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Although the drivers are officially reported ill, most NIXON'S SURPLUS PLAN "Some of the kids have students consider their work classes in Hubbard, and they're stoppage a strike. One big having problems getting there in question students want answered time," Miss Devine said. "I know is why are the drivers striking if of one girl who had to go from they are still bound by a Bessey to Hubbard in 20 contract?

minutes to take a midterm and One student, Mary Wirsing, she was late. The instructor Flint junior, isn't bothered too wouldn't even make any much by the buslessness.

allowances for her." "Actually I don't like the A big complaint of students buses, but I have to ride them on is the lack of information they Mondays and Wednesdays," she have received about the said. On those days she has to go shutdown, both before it from Wonders Hall to Conrad occurred and now. Auditorium to Berkey.

"We don't know why the bus drivers are doing it," one junior said. "Do they want more money? More rest breaks? We with a back to really hump to get to poly an incompanience interval. I made that. Then I had ought to be given at least a hint to really hurry to get to Berkey only an inconvenience. Mike Boy about why we're being abused on time. I just made it there — "I don't mind walking as junior, agrees.

Mike Boyd, East Lansing class. Either that, or I'll try to

"Maybe that way we'll m

better on-campus parking."

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# 1971 budget may have deficit

WASHINGTON (AP) - plan for the Treasury to retirement. If Congress does children plan, grants to colleges Seven decisions by Congress and administratively speed up neither of these, trust fund one by the Treasury could collection of withheld income revenues would be cut \$309 convert President Nixon's taxes and excise taxes, for a million, hiking the deficit to projected \$1.33 billion surplus one-year windfall of \$1.2 billion. into a budget deficit of more If the Treasury does not or than \$5 billion, according to the cannot carry out this plan, the House member who has the surplus would shrink to \$131 most to say about spending bills. million.

Chairman George H. Mahon, D-Tex., of the Appropriations user charges affecting aviation popular ones as a milk for school Committee indicated he expects and highways, now being at least some of these decisions submitted for the second time, to be made. revenues will decline \$653

He traced the possible million from budget estimates. deterioration of surplus into deficit this way:

The Nixon projection of a \$1.33 billion surplus involves a SAVE \$1.00 on any L.P. SUNDAY, FEB. 15th only

> THE STEREO SHOPPE NeJac of East Lansing

The Administration wants Congress to increase the taxable wage base for Social Security and make a corresponding adjustment in railroad

University, is published every class day during four school terms, plus Welcome Week edition in September. Subscription rate is \$14 per year.

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Editorial and business offices at 347 Student Services Building, Michigan State University, East Lansing, Michigan.

Phones  \$1.39 billion.

Savings of \$2.132 billion are estimated in the budget from a variety of proposals to end, revamp or reduce government programs - including such 1970. If the lawmakers insist on the July 1 date, the extra cost

### **DESPITE CRITICISM**

selection of recipients of mid -year faculty raises he is satisfied

"I'm not uneasy about the

way the raises were handled." he

said. "In any case there are

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would be \$1 billion, raising the and for hospital construction. projected deficit to sa If Congress refuses, the billion.

budget deficit projection would increase to \$3.52 billion. Finally, the Administration is again asking for postal me The budget contemplates putting into effect a pay raise for civil and military personnel Jan. 1, 1971 instead of July 1,

increases totaling \$674 million If Congress refuses action, the ultimate red ink figure projected for the year would be \$5.19 billion.

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"But at MSU every department runs its own affairs," he said. "That's healthiest for the University and the departments. "I don't try to run the

departments from this far away. We just presented the broad guidelines to them."

Cantlon said any similar mid year raises for faculty in the

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Failure by Congress to postpone again a decline in automobile and telephone excise taxes would cost another \$560 million in revenue, sending the deficit to \$1.08 billion. Noon - 5 P.M.

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Raises satisfy Cantlon

By DELORES MAJOR **State News Staff Writer** isn't selected." Provost John E. Cantlon, said Tuesday that despite criticisms leveled at methods used for the

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opinion about who is and who the raises were aimed at "faculty

Early last week, a poll by the contributions to teaching." State News showed vast increases are primarily for differences in the methods of selection used by four different excellence in teaching, and for departments in selecting nominees for the same award. is a major responsibility.

In a letter sent to the Academic Deans Nov. 5 announcing the mid - year salary increases, Cantlon specified that

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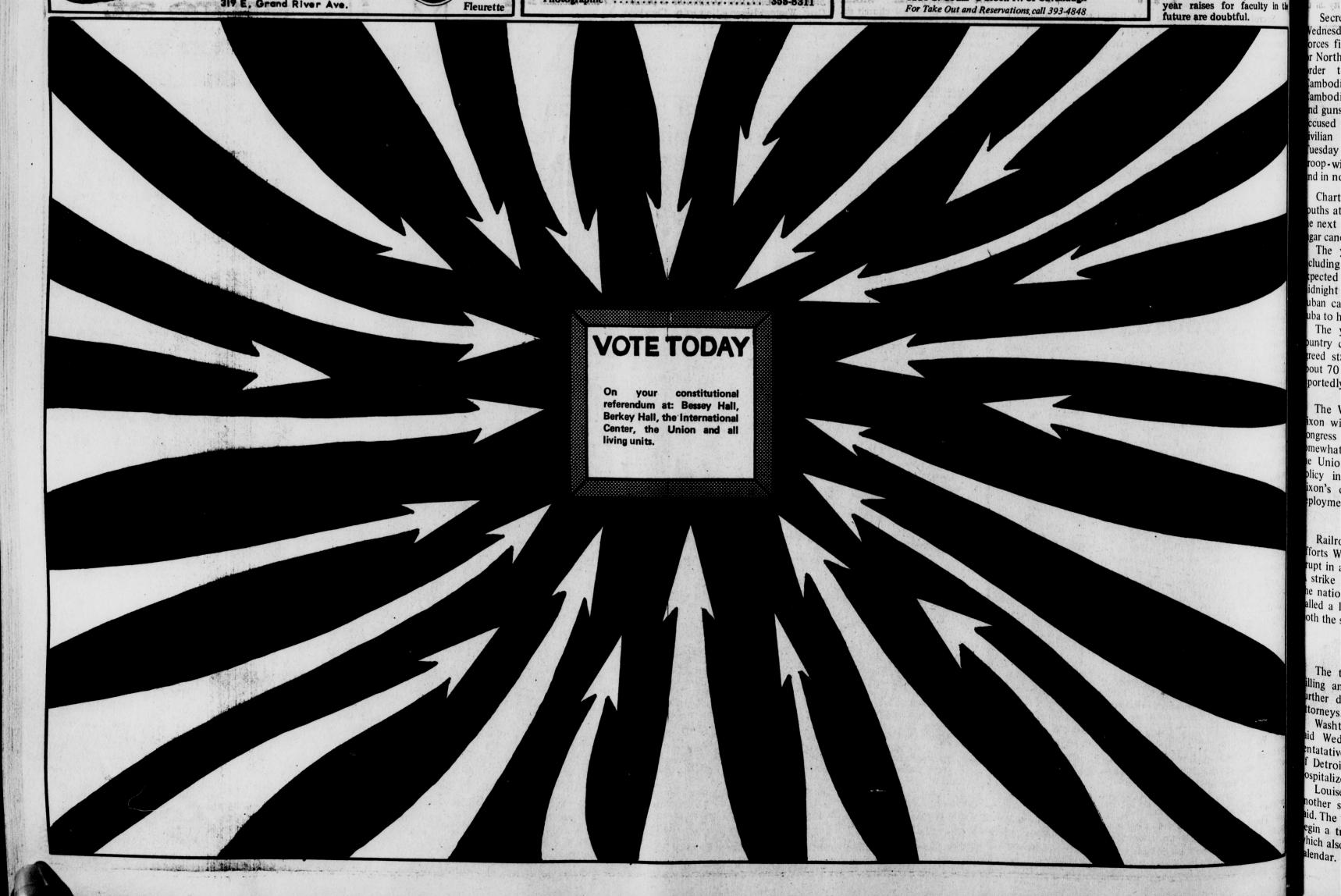
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### International News

The Munich city attorney charged three Arabs with nurder Wednesday in the grenade attack on passengers an Israeli airliner. Munich police chief Hermann chreiber said officials were trying to determine the notive for the attack. He said police can not rule out he possibility that the target was Assaf Dayan 24 year Id actor son of Israeli Defense Minister Moshe Dayan. but the police said they had no firm evidence to support his theory.

Xuan Thuy, North Vietnam's chief negotiator at the aris peace talks, said Wednesday there will be no rivate talks with the United States as long as Philip labib remains as U.S. delegation head. But Thuy ndicated to newsmen at a reception given by Viet Cong nvoys that his delegation has not been approached on ossible secret negotiations. Habib suggested private alks last month. Thuy, who has not attended a session f the peace talks since Dec. 6, regards Habib as the wmbol of what he considers to be a downgrading of the alks by Washington.

### National News

The Pentagon said Wednesday that draftees make up 0 per cent of the Army in South Vietnam and have uffered roughly 33 per cent of the combat deaths in he war. The figures were released in response to a ublished report asserting that most of the front line ighting in Vietnam is being done by draftees while egulars are far from the combat zones. Defense bepartment spokesman Jerry Friedheim said draftees re not treated differently from other men in service. Some 100 persons gathered at 101 service servic

Secretary of Defense Melvin Laird declared ednesday there will be no letup in the practice of U.S. orces firing back when fired on from Cambodia, Laos r North Vietnam. Laird stated that "we are doing it in rder to protect Americans when attacks from ambodia, Laos or North Vietnam are concerned. ambodia has complained repeatedly that U.S. planes nd guns attack Cambodian targets. North Vietnam has ccused the United States of staging air raids against its vilian population. Laird, who arrived in Vietnam uesday on an inspection tour said that as for U.S. roop-withdrawals "we are meeting schedules regularly, nd in no cases have we fallen behind schedule.

# Harlan seeks 'U' trustee position

#### By BARBARA PARNESS state Democratic convention. **State News Staff Writer**

party.

Former trustee C. Allen election as a trustee when his Harlan said Wednesday he will eight year term expired in run for election to the MSU December, 1968. He was first Board of Trustees in November appointed to the board in 1957 if nominated by the Democratic Harlan also said Gus Scholle

"If the party wants me to run, of the Michigan AFL-CIO has offered to nominate him at the I will," he said. "I've talked to with some trustees about the

some people in the party and nomination. He attended an Harlan, 63, did not seek re - I've been encouraged to run." The seats of trustees Don Stevens, D-Okemos, and Stephen trustees to Nisbet, R-Fremont, are up for nomination. election this year. Both Nisbet by former Gov. G. Mennen and Stevens have indicated they run. Nei' Staebler wants me to Williams to replace trustee will not decide on seeking re -

run. These are friends of mine in William E. Baker who resigned. election until spring or summer. the party who I've been close Harlan said he has consulted to," Harlan siaid.

Staebler is an associate

Democratic national informal dinner two months ago committeeman and an ex officio with Scholl and two Democratic member of the Michigan the State Democratic Central Committee. "Soapy Williams wants me to

nominate him.

said.

added.

Scholl said Wednesday that if Harlan wanted him to, he will

"I'd certainly support him (Harlan) for the trusteeship. I never saw anything wrong with

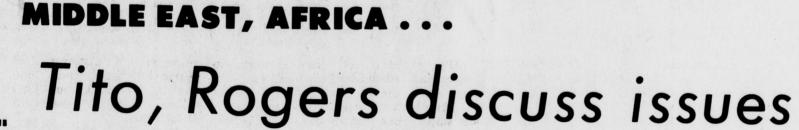
the way he did his job," Scholl "I think if the organization

(AFL-CIO) supported him, then I would go along with that," he Warren Huff. Trustee

D-Plymouth, said he will support Harlan's election if the party nominates him. He added hasn't discussed the he candidacy with Harlan recently.

Noon - 5 P.M.

While Harlan served on the board, he was involved in the conflict of interest charges against Philip J. May, former



ADDIS ABABA, Ethiopia They also discussed American Yugoslav matters, and (AP) - Secretary of State William international issues including P. Rogers and President Tito of Yugoslavia agreed there should Africa, the Mediterranean, Eastern Europe and the nuclear be an effort to halt arms deliveries to both sides in the nonproliferation treaty. Middle East conflict in a The meeting with Tito had conference Wednesday.

been requested by Rogers to

50 march, begin Viet protest fast

WASHINGTON (AP) - Some stage, and fire was set to the 50 persons marched behind a papers. drummer boy in front of the

White House today, beginning a 75 - day program of fasting to Calif., protest the Vietnam war.

The fast, from today, Ash Wednesday, Feb. 11, through the Jewish Passover to April 27 is being sponsored by the Clergy and Laymen Concerned About

Vietnam and the Fellowship of Reconciliation. Sponsors said they expected from 30 to 50 persons from across the nation will be fasting daily from 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. in front of the White House. Some will fast for longer periods, they said.

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#### relations in Europe, Tito told Rogers the Yugoslav government was about to ratify the nuclear nonproliferation treaty. Rogers scheduled two further meetings with the emperor Haile Selassie Thursday in addition to his initial audience.

Such regimes based on racial discrimination "are contrary to In the service, the Rev.

Robert Moon of Sacramento. chairman of the Fellowship of Reconciliation. said that Lent and Passover are seasons of reflection and rededication.

the dignity of man. Their continuance is not in the interests of the true stability and development of the continent," Rogers said. He said he recognized that the

leader's presence in

Ethiopian capital.

or security pact.

United States has an obligation to aid the African nations, but warned that "our resources and

Anti-war conference planned by students

A national anti-war student conference sponsored by the Student Mobilization Committee is planned for this weekend at se - Western Reserve University, Cleveland.

take advantage of the Yugoslav our capacity are not unlimited." On his departure from Tunis the earlier, Rogers said he had had a Tito and Rogers agreed that "very frank exchange of views" the African countries should be vice president for business and with the Tunisian leaders on the Middle East. Premier Bahi finance. Both Harlan and May nonaligned with any power bloc were accused of using their Ladgham told newsmen they University positions for personal disagreed over the Middle East In discussing East - West crisis

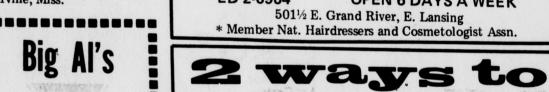
State Atty. Gen. Frank Kelley Rogers made no reference to cleared both men after May had disagreement, but said "one of the advantages of being good SAVE \$1.00 on any L.P. friends is that you can have a SUNDAY, FEB. 15th only frank discussion."

THE STEREO SHOPPE Sorority invites NeJac of East Lansing

crash victim's triends to meet

The sisters of Sigma Delta Tau sorority invite the friends of Barbara Woodward to meet with them at the Sigma Delta Tau house, 505 M.A.C. Ave., from 7 - 9 this evening.

Miss Woodward, Chicago senior, died Sunday in an automobile accident near Poplarville, Miss.





connections which affected his University position. Although Kelley also cleared Harlan of the charges, the attorney general said he could not support him for re - election.

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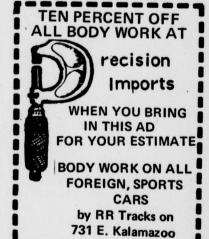
Harlan indicated at the time that his decision not to run was not based on Kelley's decision.

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Harlan said he did not run again because he would have had to run against Huff.

Harlan, an electrical contractor, is the president of Harlan Electric Co. and president or director of 10 affiliated companies.

He served in various capactities on many educational and civic organizations including Detroit's Educational Foundation.



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\* \* \* \* Chartered buses loaded scores of knapsack - laden puths at scattered points around Boston Wednesday on e next - to - last leg of a trip scheduled to end in the gar cane fields of Cuba.

The youths, believed to number about 400 and cluding at least two dozen from the Detroit area, are pected to cross into Canada at Calais, Me., about idnight and proceed to St. John, N.B., where the uban cattle boat Luis Arcos Bernes will take them to uba to help harvest the sugar crop.

The young people from various areas across the buntry converged on Boston which seemed to be the reed starting point for Canada. The group included out 70 from the Boston area. Another 200 volunteers portedly were flying to Cuba from Mexico.

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The White House announced Wednesday President ixon will send his first state of the world report to ongress on Feb. 18. The extensive document, newhat comparable to the annual economic State of Union report will go into all aspects of foreign licy including such national security questions as ixon's decision to push for a new phase in the ployment of antiballistic missiles.

Railroad leaders, in a pessimistic mood, resumed forts Wednesday to settle a labor dispute that could upt in another threatened nation wide rail shutdown. strike against the Union Pacific last month brought he nation to a total railroad shutdown, when industry alled a lockout in retaliation. A federal court stopped oth the strike and the lockout.

### Michigan News

The trial of John Norman Collins on a charge of lling an Eastern Michigan University coed may be orther delayed because of the illness of one of his tornevs.

Washtenaw County Circuit Judge John W. Conlin id Wednesday there might be a delay past the ntatative starting date of June 1 because of the illness Detroit attorney Joseph W. Louisell who has been ospitalized for the past week.

Louisell was expected to be hospitalized for at least nother six weeks, a spokesman in his Detroit office id. The top criminal lawyer also had been scheduled to egin a trial in U.S. District Court in Detroit in March hich also might be postponed, further setting back his endar.

blocks from the White House for a service before they marched to the mansion.

At the service, members of the audience placed what were called "symbols of repression" in a large metal container on the

The conference is designed to determine the general director of the student anti - war movement. A bus for interest students will leave MSU for the conference

at 9:30 a.m. Friday. The cost for the bus trip is \$13. Additional information may be obtained from Beth Malone 332-3984, or David Burns 351-3598.



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### **EDITORIALS**

# Four out of five issues merit student support.

We would like to make one thing perfectly clear: we are not opposed to the proposed ASMSU constitution. It shall certainly not go down in history as one of the greats of statesmanship, but it represents a significant improvement over the present document. We favor the passage of eighty per cent of the five issues.

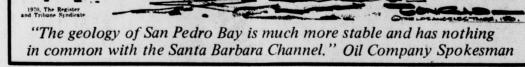
We recommend a "yes" vote on Issue I. The present Board structure is woefully inadequate in terms of properly representing the people. The district system would provide a much closer link between the people and their representatives, thus alleviating one of the prime faults of the current Board.

Issue II also deserves a "yes" vote. The "Sleep amandment" is the remnant of a petty power struggle five years ago and serves only as a blockage to the kinds of positive action that today's student body demands. It was not worth a great deal five years ago, and now is completely irrelevant. The only potential Janger in eliminating this section would be if ASMSU wished to contribute funds to political candidates - this is, however, already forbidden by the Student Board Code of Operations.

would make the workings of the Student Traffic Appeals Court maximally effective.

We recommend a "yes" vote for Issue IV. We can conceive of no reason why the responsibilities of the student government should be granted "by the faculty," or why constitutional amendments need to be "approved by the faculty of the university." At the very least, in as much as these faculty operations have always been rubber-stamp, we feel that they represent nothing more than a bother to them.

On Issue V we urge a "no" vote. We are not opposed to the new Cabinet structures nor the tax raise, but rather the way in which the two were bonded together to assume mutual passage. We feel that the proposed cabinet structure is a definite improvement over the old and needs implimentation. Further, not ride on the other and that, if Issue V fails, the Student Board should immediately hold another referendum in which Issue V will be divied into two separate issues on the Cabinet and the Tax.



### **BLACK HISTORY TODAY**

Let's re-evaluate our self image **EDITOR'S NOTE: The following** article was written by Mike Hudson. Vice-President for Black Affairs, ASMSU. This is another in a series on Black history today.

"Those who do not know history are bound to repeat it.'

"People who take no pride in noble achievements of remote ancestors will never achieve anything worthy to be remembered with pride by remote descendants."--Macauly.

In the following few lines let us get down, and deal in some plain thinking. This article is supposed to fit in with the whole we have no major objection to the idea of a "Negro History Week." We have tax hike if it can be justified We changed the name, called it "Black History tax hike if it can be justified. We feel, however, that the one should on. In the end we are still doing the same thing by getting caught up in the commemoration of dead heroes of African descent. We are a people much in need of reevaluating our self image. We are a people that had long been sick due to the oppressive devices of "The Man" and his system. We are also a people who often find release in emotional ranting and raving and other militant masturbation. Usually we are doing nothing to affect that system. only placating ourselves. Part of the process of blowing off steam is "Negro History Week", in which "the Man" allows us a moment to bask in the glory of George Washington Carvers and Charles Drews. We in the black student community around the country, have picked up on this Black History thing and demanded Black Studies programs to engage in further "millitant" masturbation. It is not my intention to undermine the importance of Black history or Black studies. I rather intend to lend a different perspective, another interpretation. Black history should indicate several things to us as African people. First, if we began with our continental African heritage, Black history should show us that we are capable of building and governing nations. The history of Africa, before and



since the advent of the European, should of us in campuses this means a new demonstrate to us that people like perspective on studies. This means that ourselves have tong been shaping and growhen we upak in terms of Black studies loo leading their lives in a manner they decided we must speak in terms of the job to be on and enjoyed. This asp of our

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"I'm pretty much in favor of it -- it can't be any worse than what they've got now."

That's what I heard from someone who is familiar with the workings of ASMSU when I asked what he thought of the new constitutional revision coming up for vote Thursday.

That's a hell of an attitude for somebody who's supposed to have a grasp of the situation. But I'll guess that it's the attitude held by the few students will vote in the referendum.

What a way for student government to achieve "relevance."

In the midst of studying for a government hourly last week I hit upon a couple of ideas that impressed me.

One: Americans seem to have "an abiding faith that structural arrangements of government can produce good government."

Two: "When citizens brood over failures of their government they consider changing the form of government rather than examining the political methods by which a government operates."

I had finally found a plausible explanation of student governments

Studies courses pacify us hot-headed

college niggers and makes us feel we're

doing something when we ain't. Black

History teaches us we can do for ourselves

Black History are basic. We can do for

ourselves and we must. Since the white

man and his system is set against Black

people doing anything of significance for

Black people, we must find a way to counteract him and it. This dictates a

certain type of politics on our part. We

must concern ourselves with the politics of

liberation, the struggle for

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and that whites won't do for us.

fascination with new forms representation.

ASMSU has existed for just under five years. In those five years it has eliminated one at-large position (female), added two at-large positions (general) and made number of structural changes in its programs arm, the ASMSU Cabinet.

A past Cabinet president once said that the procedure for choosing the new president was simple. All the candidates appeared before the ASMSU Board with their idea of how the Cabinet should really be structured.

The new president was the one whose new structure most fascinated the board

Also in those five years ASMSU has had a number of "shining moments." Like the term that the chairman of the ASMSU board ended up withdrawing from classes majoring in student government (against the ASMSU code of operations). And the term that a senior member-at-large of the board was a part - time student (also against the code of operations).

Then there were the meetings that lasted until 2 or 3 a.m. (in violation of the 24. hour day) and the long, heated debates over how much money should go into the beer fund (a violation of sanity).

I wonder whether the greater division of representation called for in the constitution change will solve the problems ASMSU seems to have.

By separating the student body into districts the present student governors will eliminate the annual spring term circus of all - campus campaigning. Up to now there have been strict rules on what kind of campaigning is legal, and how much money can be spent by each candidate. The rules have been observed or broken at will.

By breaking up the electorate into districts the new representative system would bring about the death of Greek political machines that have been able to power some candidates into office, or at least limit their range of activities.

Campaign buttons, matchbooks, handshakes and campaign-eve soundtruck parades would disappear. So would the caravan of Domino's Pizza cars that followed the parades last year.

self-determination and the vision, tools and One pitfall has been avoided. ASMSU skills necessary to build a nation. For those has acknowledged the existence of minority groups other than blacks in the provision for two representatives of 'color," even though they are to be appointed by the student administrator of **Black** Affairs. That's a start. But will making student government more representative make it more relevant? Would there be more people in the ASMSU offices, or just more people not at their work? Student government at MSU is not a once-a-week-on-Tuesday business. It's 1 full-time, non-paying job that is juggled along with full-time student status. It's being concerned about students' lives, keeping in contact with them and being available to them at their convenience. Above all, it's keeping students interested in what student government is doing. The proposed constitutional revision might turn out to be only a short-tem panacea. It admits to today's students that something is wrong with student government and proposes a change. But whether the change would do more than just regroup the problems is doubtful. Instead of solving what is wrong with student government, ASMSU might instead be falling into a Mad Hatter's Tea Party tactic. And all they'll be doing is dirtying lot of dishes.

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"Yes" on Issue III. According to a study conducted by the Judges themselves over a period of two years the present Traffic Court makeup is less than totally efficient. We agree that their proposed changes

These are our recommendations and we hope you will give them some thought. In the final analysis, how you vote must be your own decision - when you have made up your mind, though, do vote.

-The Editors

# A great green epidemic of strangely sick drivers

A union spokesman stated he couldn't understand what had happened, but that the absenteeism must be the result of an epidemic. Funny that the disease is limited only to bus drivers.

A local radio station termed it, quite accurately, the green and white flu. At least the cure to the epidemic is green.

No end is in sight for the strike, and union officials still deny any knowledge of what is happening. Supposedly the bus drivers are dissatisfied with their present job classification. The drivers are upset that they fall into the same classification as garbage collectors. Perhaps their pride is hurt by that idea, but they are probably more concerned with their bank accounts than their egos.

The drivers are members of the American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employes, AFL-CIO, the same union that struck last September. That dispute was settled and the bus drivers got. the same pay raise that the other union members received, but now they've apparently decided to change horses in mid-stream.

In that September package, bus drivers received an increase of 26 cents per hour, an 8.6 per cent increase, giving them a \$3.38 hourly wage. How extensive a raise the

drivers demand now, and their motives for pulling this strange sick gamut in the middle of a contract are still unclear, but one thing is certain; if the union officials and the University don't get together and reach a settlement before long, students who paid an exhorbitant \$20 for a bus pass have every right to demand a refund for every day the buses are out of service. That could cost the University over \$4,000 per class day or \$20,000 per week for as long as the union officials continue to play dumb and deny any knowledge of the wildcat strike.

That would be an unfortunate situation for the University to find itself in since a contract has already been signed and there is little justification, if any, for demanding a wage hike in the middle of the year. Before the University has to resort to a refund, perhaps it should consider using students, who would be more than willing to work for less than \$3.38 an hour, to put the buses back in operation.

Not only would that resume bus service and end an ill - conceived, senseless strike, but combined with the University's work - study program, it could be an instant cure to the drivers' "sickness" and aid students with financial problems.

-The Editors

**POINT OF VIEW** 

history will conclusively show that in terms of law and social order, culture, the spiritual expression of a people, as well as civilization, the material expression of a people, our forefathers and mothers developed societies which are yet to be equaled by the white world. In short, here is proof that we can run our own lives.

Second, when we inquire into Black History in the United States we should see that the aunts, uncles and counsins, that the sons and daughters and the grandsons and grand-daughters of slave-owners, cannot give black people their freedom. We have been enslaved and oppressed for economic reasons which benefit those slaveowners and their relatives. These people know that we can build nations and control our own destinies, they don't want us to understand this. Understanding would be a danger to their economic well-being. Black history shows that, no matter how well intentioned American white folks seem to be, anything that they do which helps Black people is a by-product of something which benefits themselves. Black History Week makes thousands for Pepsi-Cola, Segrams and other concerned establishments. Black

disciplines, natural sciences, social science, liberal arts, technology, interpreted in terms of how those disciplines can be used to build a Black nation and counteract oppression. Black studies are all studies interpreted in a manner which will allow Black people to apply themselves to developing a healthy Black community. This is to say that all knowledge is relevant. The challenge to Black people is to interpret and apply it in the interest of Black people. Black history would indicate that in order to achieve the utmost benefit from the formal educational process, it must be controlled by Blacks.

When we, as a people, see these things in Black history, we will no longer participate in Black History Week and the like by commemorating dead Black heroes. We will instead look to history for inspiration and instruction, while spending our time plotting a Black Future! We will spend, not only this week every year, but every week of the year developing visions and models, seeking and practicing control, building virile and beautiful communities. Is this not in essence what the African Heritage is all about? Peace and Power

# ASMSU strangled by structure

EDITOR'S NOTE: The following point of view was submitted by Bill Rustem, ASMSU Chairman, and Charles Mostov, ASMSU Vice

Chairman.

Very often when governments or organizations begin to operate in an inefficient manner it is suggested that the structure of such an organization be altered. This may be the easiest and most painless way for the members of such organizations to duck responsibility for their mistakes, or incompetence may have caused the decline. However some rganizations are strangled by their structures. No matter how hard the members try to run an efficient organization the framework thwarts them. Some give up and some look to change. This latter situation exists in ASMSU.

We have often been criticized for not being responsive to student needs and for being elite and not willing to work on a grass roots level in ASMSU. Our progress has been called poor and unimaginative. These criticisms have a great deal of merit and we would be derelict in our duty if we did not attempt to correct the problems that provoke them. To this end we have proposed several basic changes in the ASMSU Constitution. The most important of these involves the revision of the representative structure of ASMSU, a more autonomous cabinet, and a realistic

financial base to operate from.

The present body of ASMSU does not lend itself to adequately involving the student body in decisions affecting their University life - style. Problems of participation and activity ultimately revolve around the "communication gap" between student representatives and those to whom they are responsible. At present, each member - at - large is constitutionally responsible for soliciting opinion and thought from 32,000 people. This is a physical impossibility. The only way ASMSU can respond to the needs and desires of the students is to be in constant contact with them. We feel that the proposed district representation will accomplish this end. No longer will a student representing Case Hall live in an apartment miles away from his constituents. Further, if we propose to affect substantial, serious change, we cannot afford to ignore the most pressing social problem in the United States today -that of race relations. A lily - white student

government is a pathological anachronism that can no longer be tolerated. We have sought to correct this error in the proposed revisions

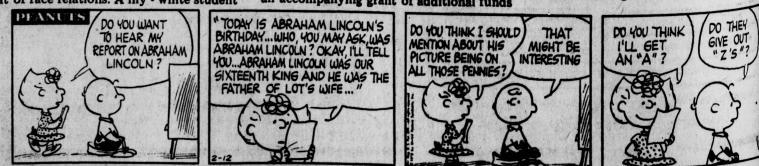
Restructuring the Board is a start, but we must now look at the programs ASMSU attempts to provide for the students. At present, our Cabinet is restricted to operations within an inadequate budget and from a highly inaccessible base of operations. Moreover it is severely limited in the scope of its creativity by its constitutional dependence on the Student Board. In its editorial of February 9th, the State News criticized us for trying to sneak a tax raise through by attaching it to the issue on cabinet autonomy. Idealistically, it would be nice to create an efficient cabinet without raising taxes. Unfortunately we must face the economic facts that for the cabinet to take an innovative role in the future and to reach more students through decentralization, a broader financial base is imperative. A grant of autonomy without an accompanying grant of additional funds

is a death warrant to this important revision.

Whether or not you support the about changes in the structure of ASMSU, th opportunity now exists for you, as student, to effectively voice your opinion concerning the role of students at MSU. Please exercise that opportunity Thursday, February 12th.

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EDITOR'S NOTE: The comes in every Wednesday following was written by Doug afternoon and advises students on legal problems. To retain a lawyer in this town can cost \$75-100; individual students can see this lawyer for \$3, because the retainer is paid by ASMSU. Every week we turn students

away, but there is no money to hire the lawyer two days a week. No one likes to pay higher Legal Aid wants to set up a bail fund for students, but there is no money. Another possibility:

wery two weeks. But most eople are willing to vote for igher taxes if they know where like on-campus living money is going. Let me requirements in the courts. They are bringing class suits against unfair landlord practices. And they are winning. We don't have

that option, for there is not enough money in the Legal Aid defense fund. This year, the Legal Aid budget had to be cut \$1,000 from last year. Or look at Great Issues. Great

Issues asked for \$5,000 this year. It didn't get a cent. The director was told to bring only speakers that could break even financially. The problem is, only extremists can attract enough people to break even, for people flock to the unusual. George Lincoln Rockwell and Jerry Rubin broke even; Senator Muskie did not; Ralph Abernathy did not; Dick Gregory did not; Max Lerner did not. Given a budget, Great Issues

I merely suggest alternatives. can pick the alternatives and this year. There used to be a This year's Board will be out of develop the services and contingency fund to cover such office by the time this tax is programs that students demand, losses, but this year's budget had collected, if it passes. Next if the funds are available. no money for a contingency

At the risk of upsetting your

So along comes Article II.

to the board annually. At first

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its constituency? As such, then

fund. The losses are being covered from Pop Entertainment, which made money Fall Term. If Pop Experiment in democracy

money, which it has from time to time in the past, a lot of programs would be seriously threatened.

Remember "Spartacuss," the State News Action Line? It was jointly funded by ASMSU and the State News. This year nobody could pick up the tab.

With the tax increase, next year's Student Board can its inception in 1965, officially recognized that there are indeed develop new programs. Here are a few examples of proposals rejected, primarily for lack of and that they have a great need Man and Nature to be represented on a board funds: Bookstore sells books at which purports to represent "the wholesale price. It has been whole student body." suggested that we ask profs to give their booklist only to Man democratic applecarts I'd like to

inform students of a very and Nature, thus saving students the 20% markup. Right now we obvious fact: Democracy has not worked for black people. So don't have the capital to buy here we stand on the horns of a enough books, even if we knew revolutionary dilemma: Should they could be sold. There have we alter our democratic way of been proposals to make birth life slightly, so as to permit control information available to blacks and other minorities to every student who wants it. take part in the democratic There have been proposals to process or do we continue to support experimental classes, in exclude them at the risk of an an' effort to prove to University College that there are even greater and more violent alternatives to the present revolution? requirements that everybody Section2, sub-section j, in the suffers through. There is a proposal to put services in the proposed revision to the ASMSU Constitution which provides that complexes instead of only at can bring in good speakers from Student Services Building. This the Office of Black Affairs appoint two "persons of color"

ASMSU tax sorely needed

EDITOR'S NOTE: The llowing point of view was bmitted by Bob Grossfeld, SMSU Cabinet President, and ke Shore, ASMSU Member large.

In the State News editorial Feb. 9, some very interesting ints were put forth regarding proposed constitutional

social problems IN DEPTH. At present and in the future, bringing important speakers to student needs far exceed the the various dormitory financial capabilities we now complexes. We want to be able have. To deal with some to fight test cases in court for specifies:

1) Legal Aids: their 1969-70 among apartment houses. A budget request was for \$13,000 student owned and operated which would have kindlided arrso ap department store is being det us not be afraid to continue \$6,000 Bail Bond fund. Our looked into which would easily and expand upon this

upset you patriotic democraticians, for it goes against your conception of localized Great Issues programs, democratic principles. But I ask you, is democracy itself not an experiment. And as such has it not been proven time and again that it has failed such matters as a Uniform Lease pitifully insofar as "adequately" representing a minority group of

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lget capabilities limited them make living expenses at college

EDITOR'S NOTE: The And it is to the basic principles constitutional mandate no of democracy and fairness that I following point of view was submitted by Rodney Watts, call upon in every student in evaluating this proposal. Let's ASMSU Senior Member-at-large.

not be afraid to experiment. Moreover let's further evaluate With the recent appointment of two black students as general the conditions that have made and senior members - at - large, such a proposal necessary and ASMSU for the first time since black students on MSU's campus process, thus making a start.

longer necessary to insure that participation.

Issue V.

For those of you who fear "black control" of the board I can only point out that we would have only two seats out look toward the day when black of sixteen, which in my people are allowed to actively estimation is not nearly enough, participate in our democratic but a rational and justifiable

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inges, while some others were king depth. The treatment of Issue 5

owed little, if any, knowledge the present and future uations which the students of U and ASMSU must face.

The increase in the student which the State News ickly labeled a "bombshell," nothing more than an fortunate necessity when ing to meet student needs. \$1.00 tax which presently es for the State News is on the he order. We are sure that if paper could be produced eaper, the editors would lower ir tax request. The problem is t the \$1.00 is needed in both ces to meet student needs. In the past, Cabinet

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to a \$4,000 budget which somewhat less than they are includes only a \$2,000 Bail Bond fund which is so limited in scope that any major crisis would have to go by without

ASMSU help. 2) Great Issues: How long has it been since these programs have been either "great" or "issues?" In the four years since

our last tax increase costs of top speakers have risen 250 percent. 3) Pop Entertainment: While this program has done well this year, it has lost many opportunities for top name groups because of a time/money factor. These time/money losses are passed on in the decision as to what tickets will cost. With the \$1.00 tax we can eliminate these losses. There is also a Spring Pop Festival in the planning stages, but this too

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"Don Mozart's opera, Giovanni," will be presented in English by the St. Louis Opera Theatre at 8:15 p.m. Monday in the MSU Auditorium. The opera is a Series "A" attraction in MSU's Lecture-Concert Series. One of Mozart's opera masterpieces, "Don Giovanni" was first performed in Prague in 1787. It is the story of the legendary Spanish lover and

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gallant libertine, Don Giovanni, Theatre, will portray Zerlina, the at Texas Technological College ladies and blasphemous conduct Giovanni tries to lure to his extensively with deserve the punishment he castle. receives.

The opera is in two acts. Louis and a graduate of Webster There will be two intermissions. College there, has just returned The young nobleman, Don from a year of study and Giovanni, will be played by Roy performing in Germany and Samuelson. Samuelson, a Switzerland. baritone, is a faculty member at Massetto, fiance of Zerlina, the Indiana University and also will be played by William performs frequently with the New York City Opera Company the New York City Opera at Lincoln Center. Company.

Patricia Blaylock, who has performed numerous major roles Commendatore of Seville will be the St. Louis Opera William Lucas, a faculty member

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whose ruthless pursuit of the country girl whom Don who has also performed opera companies in Europe. Conductor and artistic Miss Blaylock, a native of St. director for the St. Louis Opera

Theatre is Edward Murphy whose conducting experience includes many years with the Chautauqua Opera Company and the St. Louis Symphony. He also

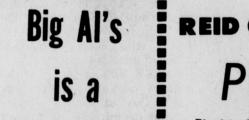
served on the music faculty at Ledbetter, noted baritone with Stephens College in Colombia, Miss

The St. Louis Opera Theatre, now in its 15th season, tours In the role of the throughout Missouri and presents operas at the August

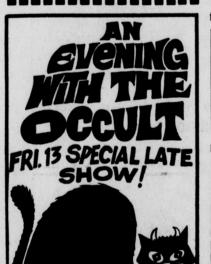
Opera Festival in St. Louis in addition to performances outside the state.

The orchestra is made up of musicians from the St. Louis Symphony Orchestra. Tickets are available at the

MSU Union Ticket Office.



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### Emotion

Two performers "get into" their roles in Mozart's opera, "Don Gioranni" to be presented at the Auditorium at 8:15 Monday night by the St. Louis Opera Theatre.

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## Piano student to perform

Pianist Richard Reid, East perform Bach's "Prelude and Lansing freshman, will be heard Fague in D Minor," Beethoven's "Sonata in C Major in concert at 8:15 p.m. Feb. 20 (Waldenstein)," Chopin's "Ballade in F Major" and in the Music Auditorium, Reid, who performed last year "Toccata" by Roy Harris. with the Lansing Symphony at the Dollar Pops Concert, will

Majoring in applied piano, Reid has studied piano for several years with Joseph Evans, professor of music.

For three summers Reid attended the National Music Camp at Interlochen, and in the summer of 1968, studied under Fernando Laires, head of the

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## Forms available for Army ROTC

The MSU Dept. of Military Science is accepting applications for the Army Reserve Officer Training Crops two - year program. The deadline for applying is Friday.

The Army ROTC two - year program is designed specifically to fill the needs of junior college graduates and students of four year colleges, both graduate and undergraduate, who have not taken ROTC during their first two years.

In order to qualify for this officer training program, students must pass the ROTC qualifying examination and a physical examination. Both will administered after the application forms have been processed in February.

Those accepted are required to attend a six - week summer camp at Fort Knox, Ky., this summer to make up for the first two years of ROTC.

The Army ROTC officer is

piano faculty there.

"Minorities in America." It will cover the American Indians, the immigrants and black affairs. ATL 113B will focus on the study of 20th century issues by using the entire text of five books.

The two tracks are listed in the spring schedule books. The third track is not listed

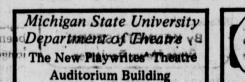
Reid has performed in recitals in the spring term schedule in the mid - Michigan area and book. Called "American Radical has won several statewide Thought in Literature," its contests.

section times are not vet The recital is open to the available. public without charge.



Frijid Pink, Maxx and Ormandy will appear in concert for two shows Sunday at Grandmother's. Also appearing will be WMT and the Rumor.

The first show of the concert, co-sponsored by Grandmother's and WVIC, will begin at 3 p.m. and end at 7 p.m. The second show will begin at 8 p.m. and conclude at midnight. Admission for each show is \$2. Two Hobie's coupons will be given with each admission.





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required to serve active duty for

a period of two years. Students enrolled in the two year program are exempt from the draft. Included in the options of the program is the student's choice of service in a field of 17

branches of the Army.

Any male student having two years remaining on campus may pick up application form at the Military Science Dept. in Room 2, Demonstration Hall.

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### Realism

Lillian Gish, actress whose name is almost legendary in the film world, demonstrates her passion for authenticity by sprawling on a real ice floe for a scene in "Way Down East," a vintage film.

Civic Players' 'Mame':

## Miss Gish to retrace film history State News Reviewer

Lillian Gish, an actress whose career has paralleled the growth of the film industry, will discuss her favorite subject - the movies - at 8:15 tonight in the University Auditorium.

The program, entitled "Lillian Gish and the Movies," takes the audience back to the early days of silent films. Miss Gish, combining first - hand knowledge and vintage film clips, retraces a vivid era when pioneers like Douglas Fairbanks, Rudolph Valentino, Mary Pickford, Charlie Chaplin, D. W. Griffith and herself raised films from lowly curiosities to works of art.

Her performance - a mixture of personal charm, humor and fond recollections has been hailed wherever she has toured with it. She received warm receptions in Moscow. Paris, London and her program was the surprise hit of the

Edinburgh Film Festival. "Only the people who lived

through the era, who are the real Tuesday night, that students will participants in the drama as it. be needed to work on a door - to occurs, know the truth." Miss Gish wrote in her recently door campaign for petition published autobiography. "The signatures. The petitions to people of each generation, it support Hart as a Democratic seems to me, are the most candidate to the Senate are due May 20 at Hart campaign

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headquarters in Detroit. Hart will concentrate on a

accurate historians of their anyone who recognizes the of such prejudices and believing

importance of motion pictures. in the value of films, she This theory is the basis for Miss Gish entered films as a perfected her talents amid the "Lillian Gish and the Movies". child star at the turn - of - the -Her experiences and friendships century when films and film throughout a long and varied stars were frowned upon as career promise to make it an low-class amusement presented such master filmmakers as D. W.

evening not to be missed by by low - class people. In defiance Griffith, Victor Seastrom and

### PETITION DRIVE

Students back Hart By LINDA KNIBBS

State News Staff Writer

MSU supporters of Sen. Philip A. Hart's bid for re-election will move into action Feb. 20 when petitions for senatorial elections become available for circulation.

prepared for distribution within the next two weeks. It will Jeff Cole, Oak Park senior, contain quotes, his voting record and Steve DeCenzo, Okemos in the Senate and his position on senior, two of Hart's staff representatives, told members of Michigan senator. Alliance to Seek a Newer World of concern to Hart include the

plans to send members to activities, co-ordinating support and publicity for Hart. from other schools in the state.

"Workers are needed to political background is being check old voter lists, get the petitions signed, remind people to register to vote and urge them to go to the polls," Cole said.

issues during his 12 years as a This year national problems

Vietnam war, opportunities for DeCenzo said. blacks and the question of

national priorities, Cole said. SEEK will work with the Ingham County Democratic Party, Cole said. As a separate

presents

campus organization they won't necessarily become absorbed in grassroots campaign, Cole said. the party machinery. SEEK

dormitories, fraternities and sororities to elicit more support A handbook on Hart's

the industry's infancy.

Working side by side with

never was another who can move like Lillian Gish: it's as if no bones, no physical barriers stood between her intuitive

Hart supporters must not relax their campaign, since the Democratic turnout is usually

light in an off-year election,

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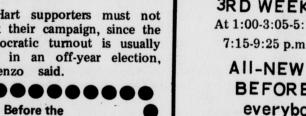
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King Vidor, her experiences have understanding of the role and made Miss Gish an invaluable her expression of it." authority on early films. flamboyance and confusion of Her durability since those

days - in sound films, television

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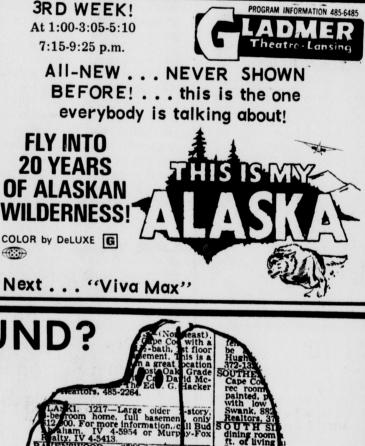
over the past 50 years.

Recently, Miss Gish has appeared in "The Cardinal" and The Comedians," on the screen; "Anya" and "I Never Sang For My Father," on Broadway; and "Arsenic and Old Lace" on television.

Her early screen credits include "Birth of a Nation," According to most observers, Miss Gish's knowledge of films is "Broken Blossoms" and "The matched only by her personal Scarlet Letter." Pauline Kael, charm. Director Peter Glenville today's most demanding film writes: "Lillian would be equally critic, wrote of Miss Gish's at home with the Beatles and performance in "Scarlet Letter:" with the Archbishop of "Her Hester Prynne is one of the Canterbury. And they would beautifully sustained equally appreciate her." mercurial, delicate, passionate.

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and he is enlisting student support. MSU is the campus headquarters for his re-election

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## Kawkawlin: big problems for a small patrons broke out. While

#### By DAVE SHORT State News Staff Writer

With a population of about 750 people, Kawkawlin, Mich. isn't used to being in the public limelight.

Until recently, about the biggest events that occurred in the town came when a bridge over the Kawkawlin River collapsed after a car hit it in 1957 and when the residents voted to merge with the Bay City Public School system in 1961.

But things have changed. In the past eight months, which lies Kawkawlin, approximately 90 miles from here, has made the state and local headlines twice as the scene of two separate tragedies.

Wreck and shootout In April, 1969, a six car "Cannonball" freight train collided with a parked 97 car

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### **Pizza** Treat

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### **News Background**

unit coal train on the railroad basically a "dormitory" for crossroads there. The freight people who work in surrounding Bay City, Saginaw, and Midland, train's engineer was killed and four others were injured in the it had been a major area for tourist gas and food. accident.

The residents of Kawkawlin had barely stopped talking about the train wreck when two people Expressway I-75 had given the town a prosperous travel were killed and six others were wounded in a barroom shootout business from people heading at the town's Country House toward northern Michigan. But, tavern - restaurant early last five years ago the highway department decided to revamp

month. shootout shocked The I-75. When the new construction people throughout the area. was completed about two years Although the town had ago, I-75 ran northwest of experienced two murders before, Kawkawlin instead of going right a stabbing during World War II through it. and a beating in the early anything like the shootout.

Empty potato chip bag Newspapers throughout the state attributed the shootout as House, one of the town's most being started by one man hitting prospering businesses, suffered. another man with an empty potato chip bag.

triggered by the empty potato a go of it. chip bag. But the real cause of Gas prices remained steady

The Kawkawlin murders for premium and 33 to 36 cents came about partly because of a for regular. But, when two new gas price war and of racial embittered the town. Kawkawlin is like any other

typical American small town. But, it has experienced hard

Gas sales plummeted. And 1900's, it had never experienced cheaper food markets like Vescios, K-Mart, and Krogers in Bay City vastly cut into the local grocery trade profit in Kawkawlin. Even the Country

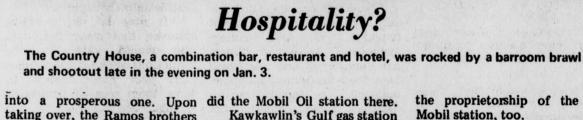
Sales plummet

The rerouting of I-75 hurt the town badly but all five gas True, the incident was stations there still tried to make

the tragedy goes much deeper. at first -35 to 42 cents a gallon

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effect began to show. Ramos cuts prices



taking over, the Ramos brothers Kawkawlin's Gulf gas station dropped their rates down to 29 franchise changed ownership cents per gallon. rapidly even though it cut its gas

Other area gas station rates. The town's oldest station, owners had cautioned the another Standard Oil franchise, Ramos brothers not to drop dropped its rates over three owners took over one of the their rates because it would cents in an attempt to counter tension that had slowly town's gas station, a bitter but reduce everyone's profits. Yet, the Ramos brothers. when the price cut came, its full

**Hostility builds** 

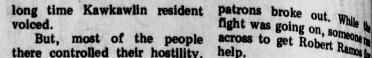
The town's largest Standard But still the Ramos brothers Robert and Adolfo Ramos Oil station, which had been gas station continued to profit. times during the past two years. bought out Kawkawlin's smallest "king" in the expressway days. After doing a large amount of Although the town is gas station; yet they turned it closed down for good; and so business, the brothers bought

the proprietorship of the old Mobil station, too.

Bitterness towards the Ramos family soon began to build. The fact that the Ramos brothers were Spanish . Americans didn't help matters.

Kawkawlin is a conservative, WASP, and rural town. A black family has never lived there and it has had few Spanish -

"Why should I buy gas from them spics? I'm not going to keep them in business. If they succeed here, pretty soon the niggers will be moving in," one



But, most of the people there controlled their hostility. "Yea, I buy gas there. It's 29

cents for one thing. And the Ramos' are nice people, for Mexicans that is," another resident said. Yet the bitterness and

hidden feelings came to a head the Country House on in Saturday, Jan. 3.

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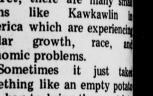
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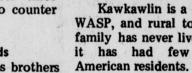
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337-0514 or Jackie: 355-7081. Organization of Arab Students Arabian Night, Arabic food and Entertainment, Saturday, February

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Meeting, tonight, 8:00 p.m., Room 33, Union. Dr. Joseph J. Lee, Assoc. Professor of Humanities will speak on Maoist Philosophy. Persons interested in international realtions invited to

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Center. Just look for the Sign of the Fish. Any questions? Call Julie:

14, 7:30 p.m., University United Methodist Church, Harrison Road.

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open course is planned to especially appeal to 'Pony' cars. Info 351-1085. MASS (Mexican American Students

8:30 p.m., Union, Tower Room, 4th Floor. Topic: Youth Conference. Duplicate Bridge Club

Bridge Tournament, Center, Mgt, representative will meet with the group.

#### tonight, 7:30 p.m., Snyder Hall West Shaw Black Symposium 8:00 PM Shaw Lower Lounge Sunday, February 15 'Nigeria: A New Nation' Thursday, February 26 'Now is the Time' Sunday, March 1 'The Negro and the American Promise' Thursday, March 5

Shaw Lower Lounge 8:00

'Color Us Black'

Dr. Thomas S. Gunnings, a noted Black psychological differences and will answer

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#### Cafeteria. Master Points will - be awarded.

Free University Class, tonight, 7:30, 304 Bessey. Dr. M. Kreinin, Department of Economics will instruct the class Israel and Africa, A Study in Technical Cooperation. (Replacement for the scheduled meeting of the Free University Class: Israel, a Model for Social Change.)

The Following Free University Classes meet tonight: Extension of Sense of Touch = 7:00 - 311 EBH; Guerilla Theatre - 8:00 - Snyder Lower Lounge; Israel: Model for Social Change - 7:30 - 304 EBH; Vocations for Social Change - 7:30 -101 EBH

WMSN & Shaw Hall present "Arch Angel" mixer, February 13, 9 - 12 midnight, Shaw Lower Lounge.

SDS meeting, tonight, 8:00, Union Building, Old College Hall. To Discuss support for bus drivers and campus worker - student alliance.

The Cellophane Box presents a Dance Concert featuring the great "Woolies." 9 - 12 Saturday, February 14. Immediately following will be a coffeehouse from 12 - 2, featuring some fantastic folk singers. 75c for a great evening. Come and join us, at the Cellophane Box, in the Brody Multi-purpose room.

> MSU Management Club trip to Continental Can Co. - Three Rivers Michigan, Friday, February 13, meet at 8:00 a.m., Teak Room - Eppley

# Delta offensive believed foiled

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Last Friday, while both the

segments of the enemy force but Special Forces camp at Moc really there." Hoa. "They looked at us and we

allied and enemy cease - fires looked at them," recalled one were in effect, U.S. scout American pilot. "I could see one helicopters observed about 30 guy crouched on the ground

Fund control bill

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inhibits dissent," Smith said. part of last year's higher rocks out of windows."

the House") but laws should not be broken while dissenting.

will stop all the recent bill troubles on our college are a number of measures which disorders and punish the ringleaders.

the right direction."

A similar restriction is currently in force in Michigan as

"But I don't believe in throwing education appropriation bill, but when that appropriation bill He said he has long been a expires June 30, the scholarship

dissenter ("I dissent every day in restriction goes with it. Smith said he wants the control to be statutory to

"I don't contend that this provide an on-going policy. "It may be very possible however, that many legislators campuses," Smith said. "There who would vote for the restrictions on a bill that expires have been introduced which are every year would hesitate to designed to quell campus make them part of permanent Michigan law," he said.

"If it doesn't come out of This is just one of them, committee, then we'll offer it as and I hope it is a small step in an amendment on the higher education bill," he said.

enemy soldiers camped near a with his hands over his face like clump of trees about 10 miles a little kid who's been caught in circled over them," the helicopters spotted large southwest of the American the act, pretending he's not helicopter pilot said. "But after

> South Vietnamese us and the fireworks started." told interrogators later that he had been instructed not to fire on Heavy shooting erupted. allied forces unless directly Two U.S. helicopters were threatened. U.S. and South forced down. The Special Forces Vietnamese troops had the same sent in a company of Cambodian instructions for their 24 - hour mercenaries but pulled it out at new year's truce. dark.

> > **MSU** trustees

(continued from page 1) community," he said.

In times past, the board has not had enough time to discuss items fully in the Friday public sessions, he said.

discussed. "These are items of considerable concern to portions of the University and they informal meeting after a motion was defeated to change require major discussion," he discussion of residence hall rates said.

from the private to the public The issue of opening informal agenda. sessions has been before the trustees for several months.

Huff and White said they Democratic trustees Clair

would have left the January informal meeting had it not been White of Bay City and Warren opened to the press.

On Saturday four fresh "We held our fire as we companies of Special Forces led mercenaries swept into the area behind a barrage of allied a while one of the guys on the A North Vietnamese prisoner ground took a couple of shots at artillery and air strikes. The North Vietnamese firing

Huff of Plymouth announced at

the June public meeting that

they would attend no more

closed informal sessions at which

issues of public concern were

intensified. At first light Sunday, two battalions of South Vietnamese rangers joined the battle and attempted to sandwich the enemy force from the north and south.

By the end of the day more than 100 of the enemy were reported killed, including a North Vietnamese battalion executive officer, a company commander and a political commissar. South Vietnamese forces found documents identifying the three officers.

As expected, what was left of the North Vietnamese force fragmented into small units. About 100 North Vietnamese In July the two left the managed to break out and headed to the southeast.

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## SPORTS Injury cools Simpson's shooting

#### By MIKE MANLEY **State News Sports Writer**

Ralph Simpson was limping slightly as he walked down the corridor at Wells Hall - then he broke into a grin and shook his head.

"I've never had an injury of any kind before until this one," he said. "It sure came at a bad time.'

Since the brilliant MSU sophomore sprained his right knee at Purdue over a week ago, his scoring has taken a nose dive. Simpson has made just 13 of his last 47 shots from the floor in the last two games. His total of 35 points is just about his per game average.

But nobody seems to know how much the knee is bothering him - not the coaches, the trainer or the team physician. Only Ralph knows the extent of the pain and the restrictions it has caused.

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"I can't jump . . . I just can't jump," he said softly. "I'm a jump shooter and in order to shoot well I have to get up in the air. But I haven't been able to

get up to my peak. "You've got to feel comfortable when you shoot. It's a habit that's made up of fundamentals. When one of the fundamentals breaks down it hurts.

position by Buckeye Dan Andreas (22).

"But I'm not really worried about it," he added. "I've played basketball for so long that when the knee heals I'll be all right."

Despite the knee problems and MSU's five game losing streak, Simpson has maintained his ever - present grin and his easy - going manner. He says the knee is getting better.

"It feels better each day. started out good, too. Every now and then I get a twinge in it . . . when I jump or make a quick cut it hurts. I know when I jump that the pain is going to be there. It was really bad at Wisconsin but it felt a little better against Ohio State.

One bright moment

In one of the rare bright moments for MSU Tuesday night, Rudy Benjamin goes up over Ohio

State's Jim Cleamons for two points. Ralph Simpson (15) is screened out of rebounding

"I haven't lost confidence in my shot but I guess right now I shouldn't be shooting as much." Even the elderly ladies who

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listen to the MSU games on the just got to get down to business radio while they knit their and polish our mistakes and the grandchildren socks know what His coach, Gus Ganakas, left Simpson means to the Spartan's it up to Ralph as to whether he offense. When Ralph doesn't hit

Sitting in the International has helped Ralph with his regain confidence in each other Humphrey.

and in its ability to win.

only way to do that is to work harder in practice.

"Our team has to play as a team more than anyone else because we have less height and less talent than most teams."

What MSU needs more than anything else - except maybe a tall center - is a playmaker, Simpson feels. He singled out Minnesota's Eric Hill as an example.

'We don't have a leader on country, averaging over 30

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would play or not against Ohio. the team has to scramble for its someone on the court." "I wanted to play because I life to stay close. One person on the to thought I could help the team," Sitting in the International has helped Ralph v One person on the team who

he said. "Even if I'm not hitting Center talking about the problems - both physical and my shots I can always help on Spartan's horrible slump, scoring - has been his "best the boards. In both games I Simpson said the team has to buddy," substitute guard Eddie

"Ed helped me with the knee," he said. "He told me to and in its ability to will. "The team has got to pull knee," he said. "He told me to together," he said. "Everybody's take it easy . He tried to together," he said. "Everybody's build up my confidence.

"After the game, Eddie stayed back in the hotel with me while some of the other guys went out. We just walked around and talked about different things. He knew my knee was hurting me."

It has been a strange season for Simpson - in some ways rewarding but in other ways a disappointment.

While he has received national acclaim as the best sophomore player in the

our team, someone who knows points a game, MSU has been when to hold the ball to slow losing with increased regularity. down the tempo of the game. And now, mid-way through the We need a guy that keeps Big Ten season, he has suffered hollering at us to play defense. A an aggravating injury and has coach can't do it from the been unable to hit his outside bench, it has to come from shot.

It was amazing shooting no matter who you were rooting That describes Ohio State's performance Tuesday night they connected on 37 of 54 shots from the floor and 15 g shots from the free throw line. Those statistics are and

enough, in that rarely will you find a team maintaining a hi shooting percentage on field goals than on free throws h Bucks' case it was .685 to .682.

Even the quiet and modest Fred Taylor, coach of Buckeyes, seemed pleased with the team's efforts,

"Some shooting out there, huh?" he commented after game. "I was really pleased with the way the guys shot, Actu I was happier with the way they worked the ball to the man. They showed good teamwork tonight."

Taylor, who rarely finds the time or effort to associate sports reporters, feels the Bucks still have a shot at the Big title despite their three losses.

this far in the schedule is naturally the favorite," he said. they have three tough road games yet so they don't have wrapped up by any means." The Hawkeyes must meet Pun Illinois and Ohio State all away from home.

# Top-notch trackmen trave to Jenison for 47th Relay

By DON KOPRIVA **State News Sports Writer** 

Although the Evans Wehrwein and Carlos horde of other top - notch athletes converging here from the midwestern area.

Heading this group are seven

all - America choices from track or cross country. The two mile is especially

loaded with talent as Ed Norris of Kent State, John Dextras of Ohio State, Gary Harris of Western Michigan and Sid Sink

group of distance men ever to run here.

Norris, the winner at last week's Western Michigan Relays, has a best of 8:49.8 and has been a standout track and cross country runner for three years. Sink is a junior and has grabbed all - America honors twice. He's fast, with a 4:04.1 mile to his credit, and could run in either

Harris and Dextras are

jumping this year and of Bowling Green top the finest competition from Notre D Mike McMannon, Michigan Russell and Drake's Bill F

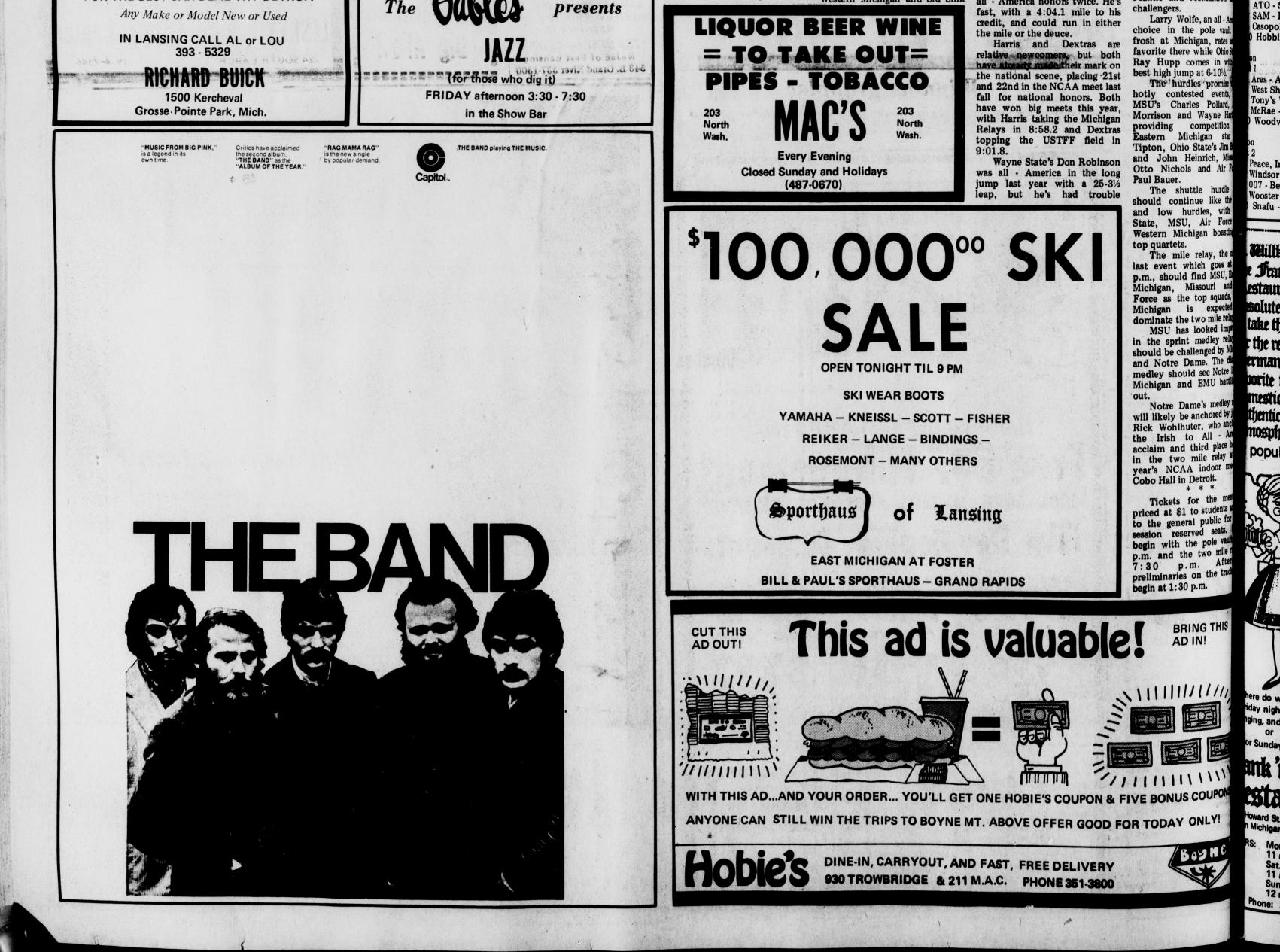
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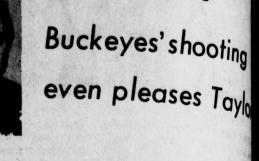
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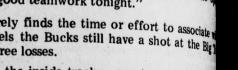
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Washington races loom as the big attractions at Saturday's MSU Relays, not to be overlooked is a





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With the Spartans' dismal season so far, crowd attende

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team and coacn Amo Bessone and 16 assists), will be sidelined this weekend when the Spartans with rib injuries received in the The icers will face the

Gophers in the Friday - Saturday night games without the services of sophomores Don Thompson and Gilles Gagnon.

By GARY WALKOWICZ

**Executive Sports Editor** 

quiet workman, the athlete who

does his job efficiently but

unspectacularly and doesn't

draw the crowd attention that

On the MSU wrestling team.

Keith Lowrance comes on like

his teammates do.

Every sports team has its

Gagnon, the Spartans top who will replace the two goal - getter with 14, received a centers." knee injury last week in practice.

The weekend assignment Thompson, who leads MSU becomes even tougher for the scoring with 24 points (8 goals Spartans when considering the

Ciolek.

It's not so much his wrestling

style, but his methodical super -

efficiency that sometimes leaves

Lowrance unnoticed.

Gophers, boasting a 13-5 league record, are the leaders of the first period of last Saturday's 5-4 Western Collegiate Hockey overtime loss to Michigan Tech. Association, are seeking their Overall the Spartans are in first WCHA crown since back -"pretty good shape after a week to - back titles in 1953-54 and of tough practice," Bessone said, "but still haven't determined have the home ice advantage. "Minnesota is the toughest

team in the league," Bessone said. "The Gophers will be even tougher at home" although the size of Minnesota's ice rink is similar to MSU's, he added.

One bright aspect exists for MSU to apply the brakes on the losing skein, which has dropped them from second to a fifth place tie in the WCHA. Friday night Minnesota will be skating without two standouts.

Mike Antonovich, a hustling freshman center and the Gopher's leading scorer, and defensiveman Frank Sanders were suspended from Friday night's action. Both were

involved in major penalties, at Wisconsin last Saturday resulting in one game suspensions. Minnesota split with the Badgers last weekend, losing 10-1 Friday, but rebounding with a 5-3 victory Saturday.

Despite the losses of personel for both teams, Bessone feels that Friday night "Minnesota will have only lost one man (Antonovich) and we've lost two."

opposes the man he beat out for the All - American honor last year Murray McLachlin, who will tend the Gopher nets.

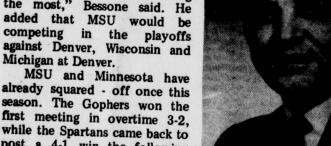
The Spartans have a lot to gain with two victories over the Gophers this weekend. According to Bessone the wins are important now to jockey for position in the upcoming playoffs.

"The teams with the most wins will play the teams losing the most," Bessone said. He added that MSU would be competing in the playoffs against Denver, Wisconsin and Michigan at Denver.

Bessone pointed out that the goal tending is expected to be tops as MSU's Rick Duffet How well MSU can cope

How well MSU can cope with Minnesota's overall quickness and the balanced scoring lines will determine whether the Spartans can improve on their 7-7 league and





Lowrance a steady performer Zindel or the strongman tactics quietly sit back and watch him Coach Grady Peninger said. season when he pinned him in already squared - off once this

do his thing, which means "He's such a steady performer the Midlands Tournament. winning a decision and usually that sometimes you don't notice

up a bit and make his matches season, Lowrance has compiled a another crack at Gable -- in the

meet at 137.

Lowrance won that title last year and he'll be the big favorite to win the 142 title in this year's

conference championships. "Keith is the cleverest wrestler we have now or have ever had," Peninger said. "His clever wrestling, plus his quickness are his biggest assets."

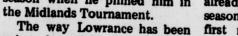
Lowrance has the ability to win an NCAA crown, but he has this weight problem. No, he's not over or under the poundage he should be wrestling at for maximum efficiency, but that's the problem. His weight has put him in the

same weight class as Iowa State's incomparable Dan Gable this season, as it did last year.

Gable, who has never lost a match in his high school or collegiate career, handed Lowrance his only defeat of this

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The way Lowrance has been first meeting in overtime 3-2, going, he might finish up his while the Spartans came back to Maybe if Lowrance could ease Winning 18 of 19 matches this collegiate career by getting post a 4-1 win the following closer it would liven things up. mark of 41-4 over the past two finals of the NCAA Tournament. series with 58 wins to 22 for



#### reason was the lack of any took a sharp drop Tuesday varsity cheerleaders.

night. While a modern day The cheerleaders met record crowd of 12,511 saw the Monday and voted not to Spartans lose to Michigan 21/2 perform at any more games this weeks ago, a sparse turnout year until the situation involving of 6,260 saw the game Tuesday. several black cheerleaders and Part of it can be attributed to the group's sponsor, Pauline Hess, is settled. Several meetings the team's five straight losses. The crowd that did attend have been held during the past the game was also one of the week, but a solution to the quietest. True, there wasn't problem has yet to be reached.

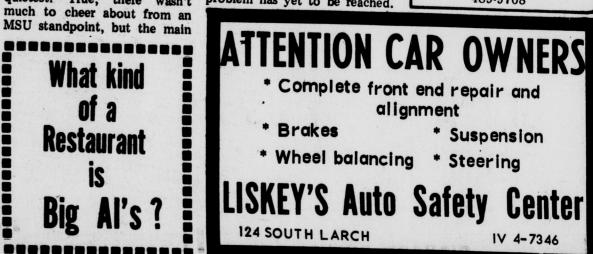


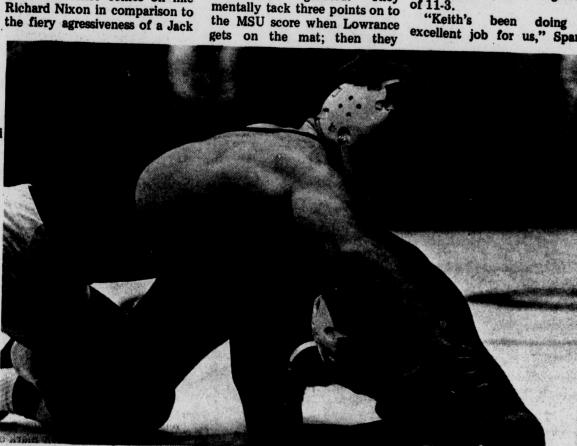
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#### Spartan fans have come to this season, Lowrance has won take the 142 - pound Spartan this season, Lowrance has won his matches by an average score and finished third in the Big Ten senior for granted. They mentally tack three points on to of 11-3. "Keith's been doing an excellent job for us," Spartan

by a big margin.

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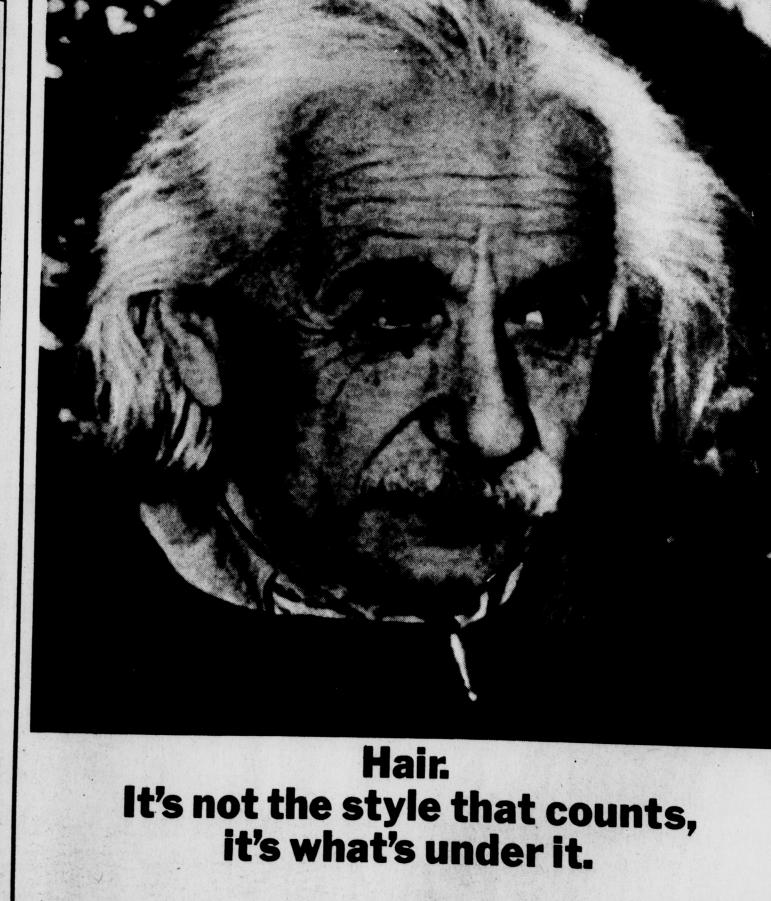
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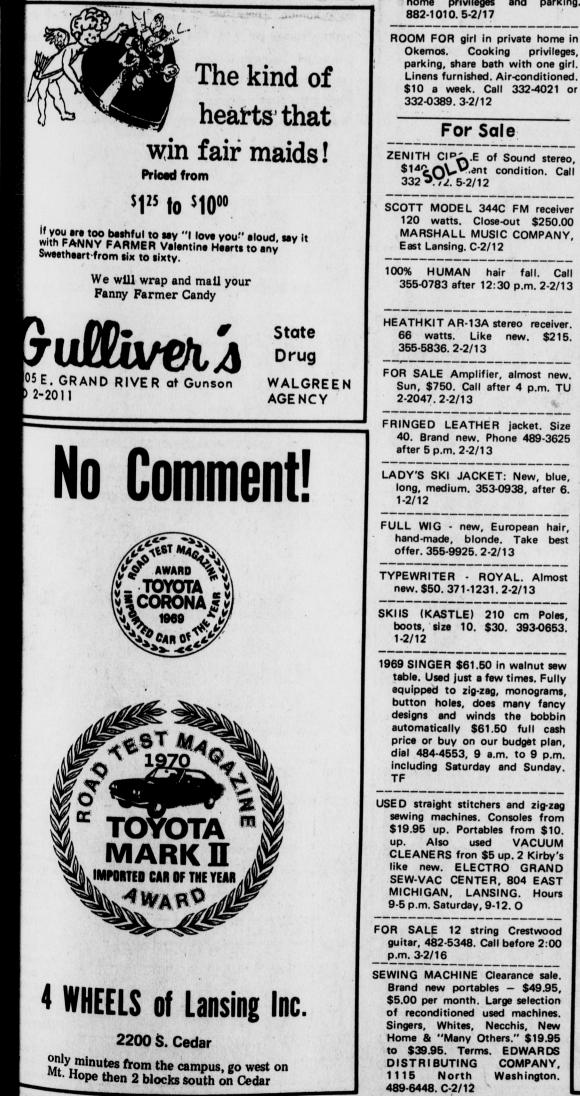
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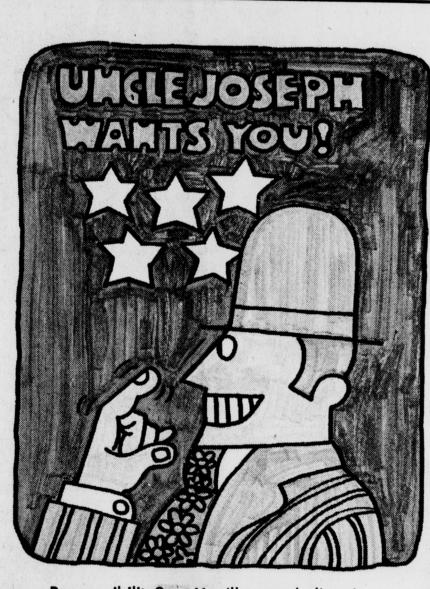
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# Prof cites Honest Abe's humor

#### **By IRENE PINCKES** State News Staff Writer

Abraham Lincoln's practical, good sense of humor has been nearly demolished by historians, David Anderson, professor of ATL and author of a new book about Lincoln, said.

"Lincoln had a very low - key humor, quite blunt, and he was a good showman," Anderson added.

One thing people don't know, because there hasn't been a great deal of talk about it, he said, was Lincoln's irreverance toward religion.

during his 1846 congressional campaign. During the meeting, the

Rev. Peter Cartwright said, "All you in the audience who are going to heaven stand up." They all stood up, with the exception of Lincoln.

heaven. Lincoln replied that he didn't know where anybody else was going, but he was going to Congress.

Anderson recounted another story about Lincoln. During the militia company.

When asked if stories about Lincoln walking miles to return

about what to believe," Anderson said.

are exaggerated.

As an example, Anderson cited the legendary romance between Lincoln and Ann Rutledge, the daughter of a tavern keen Lincoln is thought to have met in 1831.

Lincoln may have known her, Anderson said, "but to blow h up into a great romance is ridiculous."

According to Anderson, Lincoln attended a revival meeting

The Rev. Cartwright then asked Lincoln if he wasn't going to

Black Hawk War in 1832, Lincoln was elected captain of the local

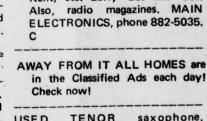
During recruitment procedures, Lincoln asked one man his mother's name and the soldier told Lincoln. When asked his father's name, the soldier had to reply that he did not know. Lincoln than responded, "Aha, a revival meeting child."

book or studying by candlelight are really true, Anderson replie that the extent to which history is true is often distorted. "Whenever one hears sentimental stories, he has to be caref

He said most stories about famous people are based on fact, he







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