

Traffic Regulation Change Reminder

The Security Department headed by Chief Nelson wishes to remind students of the changes in traffic regulations made by the Board of Curators dealing with transferring and counterfeiting parking permits here.

For transferring a Registration Certificate or Parking Permit to another motor vehicle for which it was not issued a fee of \$5 will be charged for first violation; for a second violation a fee of \$10; for a third violation in addition to the monetary fee assessed, a student may be referred to the Committee on Student Affairs for additional disciplinary action.

For counterfeiting, altering, defacing a Registration Certificate or Parking Permit or displaying a counterfeit, altered, or defaced Registration Certificate or Parking Permit a fee of double the full time semester parking fee will be assessed and the violator referred to the Committee on Student Affairs for additional disciplinary action.

CAMPUS CLOSED CIRCUIT TV GRANT RECEIVED

A \$2,929 grant has been received from the Department of Health, Education and Welfare, to conduct further research into "Campus-Wide Closed Circuit Television in St. Louis" for the period July 1, 1967 to June 20, 1968.

The grant will be used by the Office of the Director of Student Teaching to purchase portable video equipment for use in student teaching and education methods courses. The equipment will enable "instant replay" and demonstrate a variety of teaching situations.

In addition, members of the faculty can tape themselves if desired, and critique the filmed teaching situation in their own offices.

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Joseph P. Cosand, President of the Junior College District of St. Louis, who will receive an honorary degree of doctor of letters.



President John Carrier Weaver of the MU system, who will be the main speaker at UMSL first graduation ceremonies.

America '67 Exposition/Fun Fair

From June 16 to June 25, International Events, Inc., and KXOK radio will co-sponsor the America '67 Exposition/Fun Fair at Kiel Auditorium, in the Exposition Hall. This is the largest event of its kind ever to be held in St. Louis and has been planned with the idea in mind that one-half the city's population is between 13 and 25.

As a part of the 10-day program, scores of special activities are planned including continuous live entertainment, music and personal appearances by top celebrity guests. Some 200 exhibits by commercial and public service organizations are being specially constructed to induce spectator involvement. The premise for this is the idea that the younger gener-

ations like to watch, touch, test and taste. Consequently, the complete format of the Fair is spectator participation, sampling, demonstrations, etc., of products and services on display. A number of regional talent shows, fashion pageants and live radio and television broadcasts are also planned as a part of the 11-hour-a-day program.

Because of the number of educational, charitable, and civic organizations that are participating, the America '67 Exposition/Fun Fair will grant \$6,000.00 in scholarship funds which will be awarded by the special Advisory Board comprised of community educators and leaders. Included on this board is UMSL's Chancellor James L. Bugg, Jr.

**CONGRATULATIONS
TO '67 SENIORS
FROM THE
CURRENT STAFF**

UMSL To Graduate First Senior Class

by Mary Collier, News Editor

About 200 June and 50 August graduates will participate in commencement ceremonies to be held in Kiel Opera House, June 9, at 7:30 p.m. This will be the first graduation of UMSL students.

Dr. John C. Weaver, president of the University of Missouri system, will be the main speaker at the graduation with an honorary degree of doctor of letters being presented to Joseph P. Cosand, president of the Junior College District.

Ceremonies will begin with an academic procession with music provided by Ronald Arnatt, organist. Dr. Kenneth E. Miller, associate professor of music, will then lead those attending in the National Anthem. The Right Reverend George L. Cadigan, Bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Missouri will deliver the invocation.

A graduation banquet will be held June 7 at 6 p.m., in the Khorrosan Room of the Chase-Park Plaza Hotel. Cocktails, dinner, and dancing will highlight the senior's evening with Dr. Harold Eickhoff, Dean of Student Affairs, featured as banquet speaker.

On June 8, the seniors are invited to a reception from 8-12 p.m. at Chancellor James L. Bugg, Jr.'s residence.

The graduating class plans to present Chancellor Bugg and the University with a large portrait of the chief administrator here. The portrait was painted by Mrs. McCall who has painted Cardinal Ritter.

PRIZES, AWARDS, HONORS

Prizes, Awards and Honors going to graduating seniors are:

American Marketing Association Award to Jack F. Sieber.

American Society of Wom-

en Accountants to Joyce L. Damschroeder.

Danforth Foundation Award to Alice Ferrari Komosa.

National Aeronautics and Space Administration Fellowship to David Eugene Henton.

National Defense Education Act Fellowships to John G. Blodgett, Lawrence Allen Boserman, George Joseph Chronister, Stanley Peromsik, and Neill Fred Sanders.

Price Waterhouse Accounting Prizes to William H. Ebbinghouse and Marvin J. Laurent.

St. Louis University Mental Health Award to Anne Hanson Nolin.

Student Education Association Award to Marsha E. Shapiro.

University of Pennsylvania Fellowship in Biochemistry to Carol Louise Reinhardt.

Wall Street Journal Award to Louis C. Fieselmann, Jr.

Graduate Assistantships to Patricia Ann Austermann, Gary Richard Bernstein, Henry Alan Burgdorf, Thomas Eugene Bueber, Jodie Lee Duke, Jr., Barbara Ann Friel, Dennis R. Hathaway, Gary Walter Henrich, David Eugene Henton, Lloyd Payne Hill, Thomas F. Jenkins, Donald M. Kaesser, George M. Killenberg, Margaret Ann Lowery and William George Price.

Departmental Awards to George Joseph Chronister, Donna Margaret Francisco and Neill Fred Sanders.

Stanley Peromsik will graduate with highest scholastic honors with a summa cum laude.



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EDITORIALS

A Problem To Be Eliminated

On May 17, Benton Hall Lounge was closed by Student Association President Michael Hughes. Cries of indignation and outrage could be heard echoing through the corridors of Benton Hall by those who spend the greater portion of their day in the lounge. However, when the well-publicized "Gripe-In" was held that same afternoon at 3:30, only two people showed up and protested the closing. Where were the rest?

It was felt that one of the reasons for the poor turnout at the "Gripe-In" was that the time wasn't convenient. So, another all-school meeting was scheduled, with this fact in mind, for May 24 to be held at 12:40 and 1:40 in order to enable the greatest possible number of students to attend. And again, this meeting was well publicized so that the excuse of not having heard about it could not be used.

The results were rather discouraging to all. A grand total of 120 students showed up for these meetings. Maybe students at UMSL don't care what happens to their school.

Various reasons have been offered to explain this apparent lack of interest. The fact that students must spend time commuting, or that study loads are getting heavier, or that students must work, etc. These are all good reasons to support the premise that students just don't have enough time to take an active role in school affairs.

It seems funny though, that this very same line of reasoning is thrown by the boards when it's a drinking night with the guys, or a special date with that guy or girl, or a shopping spree with the girls. There always seems to be time when it's important to the individual. Isn't it a shame that the university isn't important enough to rate this kind of interest.

This problem, however, is not unique to the UMSL campus. It is a problem which is shared by a considerable number of other campuses across the nation. There isn't much we can do about the other campuses, but there is definitely something we can do to rectify this condition on our own.

Unfortunately, time has drawn to a close for this semester. But starting in the fall, let's all join in and work together to make this campus number one, not only in scholastics, but in "enthusiasm", "participation", and "school spirit".

CONGRATULATIONS

On June 9, 250 senior will walk down the aisle to receive the most sought after prize in all the world, a college degree. However, to this the first graduating class at UMSL, will also go the honor of carrying the good name of the school out into the world. It will be up to these few to prove to all that UMSL is not just another average school but one of the best.

May we extend our sincerest congratulations to all those who are graduating. And may we also say that you will be carrying the hopes and prayers of all who will someday follow in your footsteps.



SHORT BUT ACTIVE HISTORY FOR CAMPUS CHORUS

by Barb Ogden

The University Chorus, directed by Dr. Kenneth E. Miller is now in its second full year. The history of the Chorus has been remarkable in its short existence. In the groups' first year they presented two concerts. The first one was the Christmas Concert featuring Laura Hearne as Harpist in an "Informal Concert of Christmas Music". Their next concert was the following spring. This program featured Carolee Coombs as Soprano and Charles Armbruster and Donald Lisenby as Pianists.

This year the chorus has been making substantial progress; growing to a size of 50 members and having already performed three concerts with a fourth scheduled for early June.

Christmas Concert First 1966-67 Performance

Their first performance this school year was the annual Christmas Concert. The chorus was honored to have many well known musicians accompany them on this program. The event consisted of traditional carols along with religious Christmas favorites.

On March 18, the second concert was given. This was entitled "Music of the American Stage". This was an all student evening featuring solos and ensembles by members of the University Chorus. Many songs were taken from such well known Broad-

way hits as *West Side Story*, *Hello Dolly*, *Porgy and Bess*, and *Kismet* — to name only a few.

The third concert was given on April 18 when the University Chorus traveled to Columbia to be present at President Weaver's Inauguration. Our Chorus along with the musical organizations from Columbia, Rolla and Kansas City were featured at the ceremonies. This performance was honored by being given publicity in the *Globe-Democrat*.

The fourth and final concert of the year was given on June 2 and 3, at 8:30 p.m. at Kiel Opera House. The University Chorus will join the *Cosmopolitan Singers* and other choral groups to sing Mahler's Eighth Symphony, entitled, "Symphony of a Thousand". The main attraction will be singing with the accompaniment of the St. Louis Symphony Orchestra being conducted by Eleazar De Carvalho.

The Chorus has been highly honored in the past to have such professional people as Richard Evans, tenor and Aidyl Grim, mezzo-soprano to perform with them as well as professional musicians.

Comments on Chorus

When asked of his satisfaction with the chorus and their plans for the future Dr. Miller commented, "I believe the chorus has gained remarkable stature within two years. In the future we expect to

sing more — both on and off campus". Dr. Miller further commented on the evaluation of the chorus as compared to other area choral groups by saying, "The chorus is very good. We have been participating in some of the best musical events. If our progress continues as it has in the past, we will soon become a musical organization equal to any in the area". President Mike Rubin gave his evaluation of the chorus by stating, "I think it's a beginning for what could be a good choral system at the University. Like any big organization it has its faults and problems but these are diminished by our past achievements. The chorus is very enjoyable for anyone interested in music. Dr. Miller is a fine director and he has much valuable experience".

Chorus Plans For Next Fall

Next fall the chorus will meet on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays at 11:40 and will offer one hour of credit. Any person interested in joining this growing musical organization should contact Dr. Kenneth Miller in Room 229 or one of the officers of the chorus. Present officers are. President, Mike Rubin; Vice President, Frank Elmore; and Secretary-Treasurer, Enid Hence.

Next fall a second Chamber Group will be added. This group will contain 15 to 20 more experienced singers with the aim of giving them more experience. Also tentatively planned are tours like the University of Missouri at Kansas City are presently making.

Tryouts for the chorus consist only of a minimal hearing by Dr. Miller. Pianists are also urged to investigate the possibilities of joining the group.

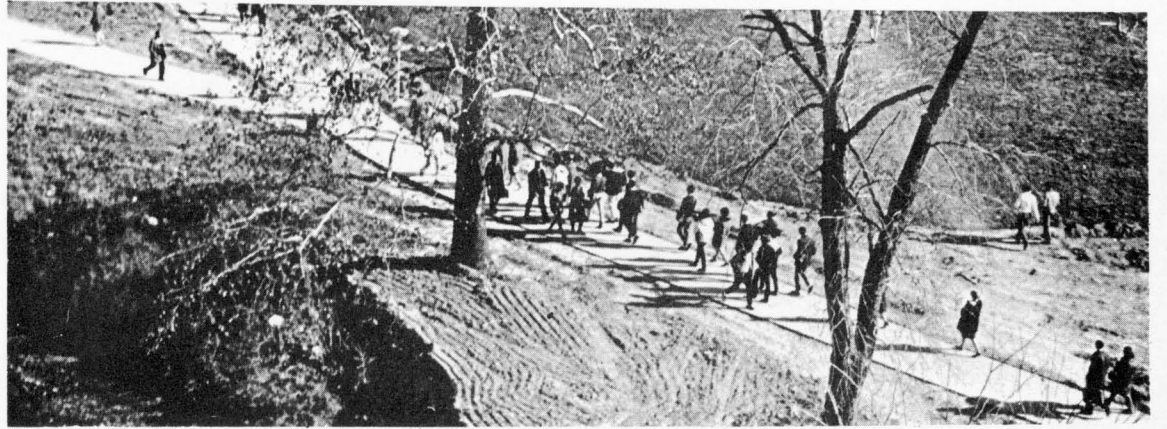
MOODY ASSIGNED AS CHIEF ACCOUNTANT HERE

Bill Moody, former senior auditor in the Systems Procedures and Auditing Department, University of Missouri at Columbia, has been named chief accountant for the University of Missouri at St. Louis, effective May 1.

He replaces Jack Fisher who has accepted a position with a local construction firm.

WORK STUDY GRANT

Twelve St. Louis area colleges, including UMSL will receive \$310,109 from the federal government to pay the salaries of about 760 students.



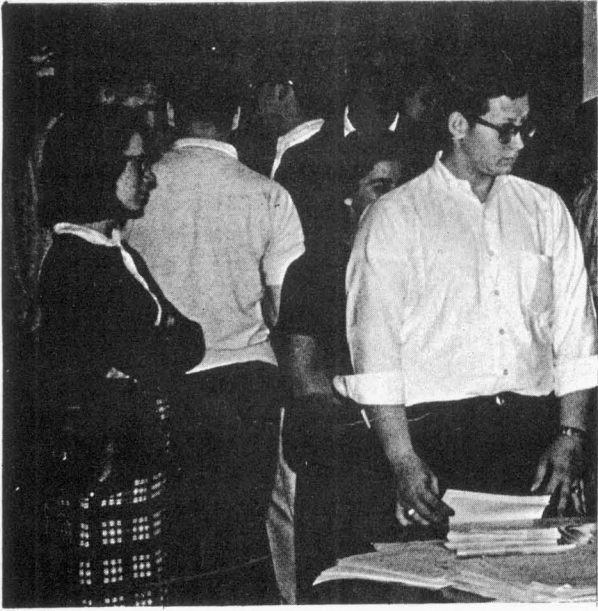
CLASS OF '67

UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI AT ST. LOUIS

The following pages are respectfully dedicated to the members of the first graduating class of the University of Missouri at St. Louis, who are our friends, our fellow students, and often our teachers. Our thanks to them for the traditions they leave us, the goals we hope to inherit. As a parting gift we offer them our sincere commitment to the University they have helped to establish and build.



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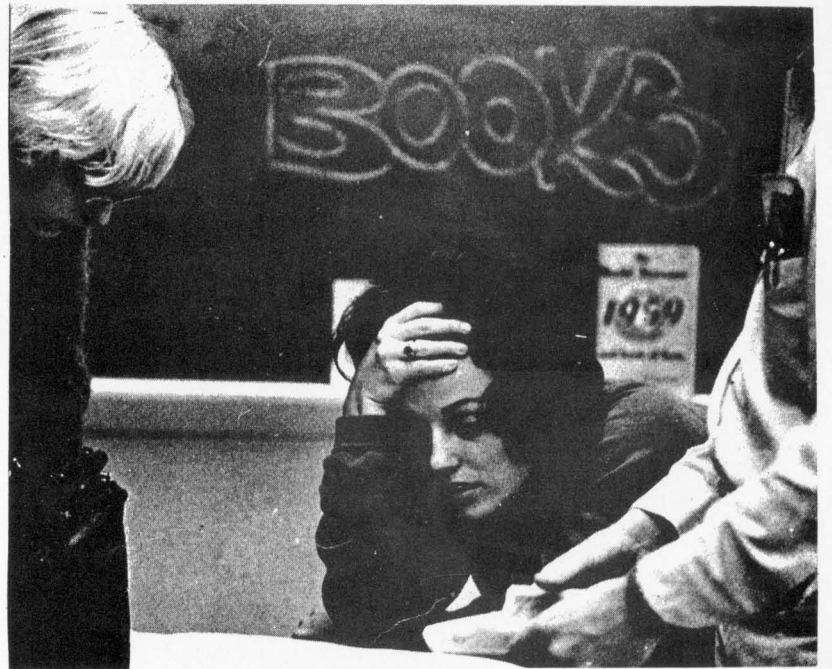
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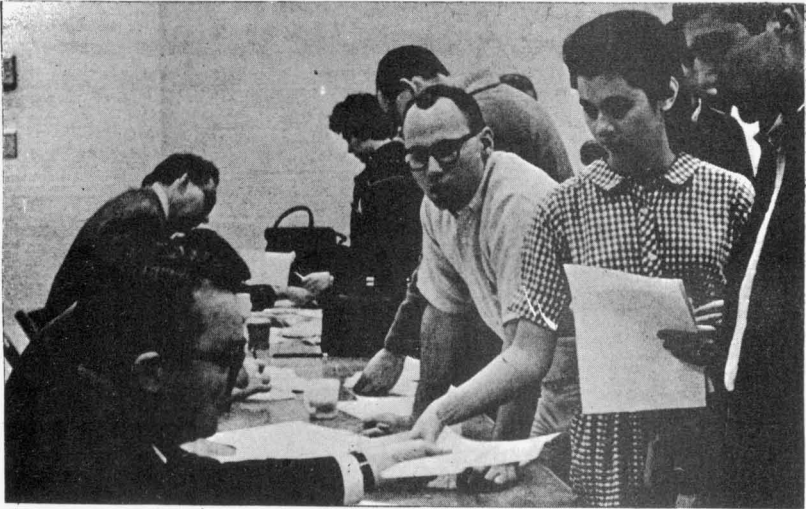
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Serve in Student Government, on the Student Union Board, the Chancellors Advisory Council, Student Court, Student Faculty Committees . . .



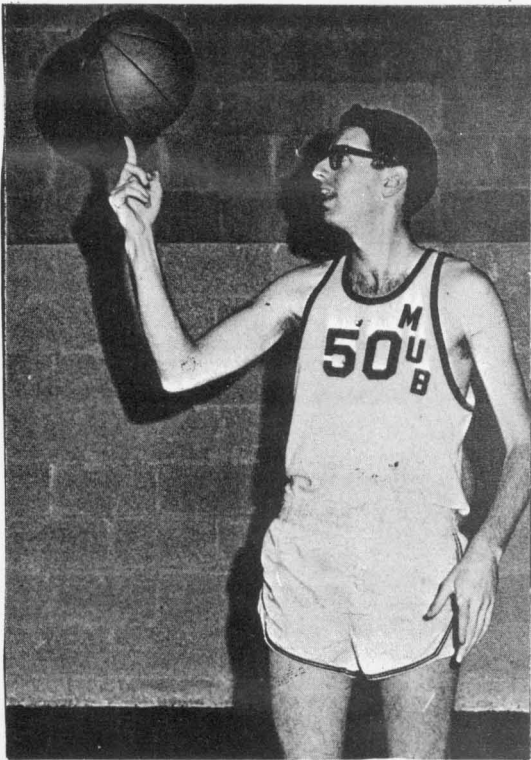
Publish a yearbook which you called "Landmark", a newspaper which you called, among other things, the Tiger Cub, Mizzou News, or UMSL Current.



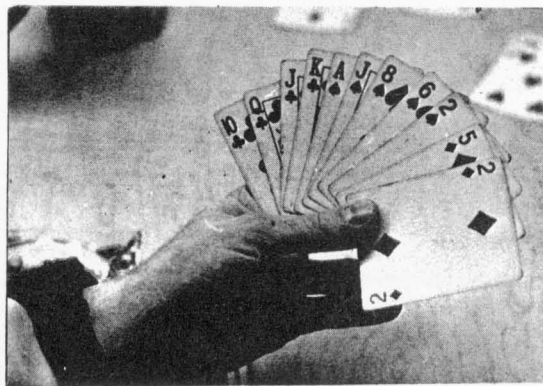
Register and be advised in your major.



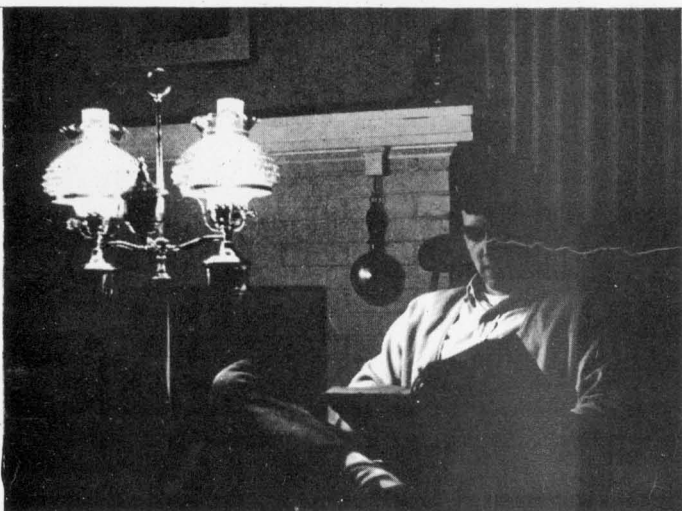
Go to various parties and dances, including perhaps a Luau and a certain well publicized Christmas party.



Participate in sports, organized or otherwise, indoor or out.



R e l a x by playing poker, pinochle, hearts, bridge, mah-jong, Monopoly, chess, checkers, crazy eights, old maid, solitaire, authors, but never, of course, gambling.



And somehow, along with all the rest, you found time, perhaps, to study.



Establish another type of Christmas party, these for the underprivileged children.

We Join The Seniors In Saluting:

As the Class of '67 leaves UMSL, to return only as alumni, the class of '68 begins preparations for their Senior year. May we wish for them and all future classes the success, recognition, and honor which we predict without hesitation for the members of the present graduating class.



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Current Coed



This week's *Current Coed* is pretty Pam Jost, treasurer for Angel Flight and Little Colonel for the Washington U. ROTC Ball.

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Basketball, Tennis, Intramural Stars Honored In Ceremony

by Larry Wilson

The leading athletes for the 1966-67 athletic year at the University of Missouri at St. Louis campus were honored Friday, May 26, during the first annual presentation of the *UMSL* Athletic Awards. Presiding over the ceremony was Head Coach Chuck Smith. Following an introduction describing the awards as the mechanism for recognizing distinguished athletes, Coach Smith announced the main guest speaker, Dr. Harold Eickhoff, Dean of Student Affairs.

Dean Eickhoff, a dedicated basketball fan, thanked Coach Smith, the team members, and all associates personally involved with the Rivermen. The Dean cited the proud beginning of our first intercollegiate sport campaigns enduring while numerous hardships in its first year of major competition. Dean Eickhoff also announced plans for constructing a multi-purpose athletic field house in the near future.

Next, Coach Smith presented the intramural certificates of award to the best teams and individuals in such sports as flag football, soccer, singles and doubles tennis, basketball free throw and spot shooting, co-ed and men's volleyball, men's softball, and the golf shot. He also awarded letters to the seven cheerleaders whom he said had exuberated enthusiasm and advanced school spirit throughout the season.

Head Tennis Coach Bob Reys then presented the tennis letters to the six varsity members of the Rivermen net squad. Ranked according to their performance in singles, they were: Jim Rentz, Richard Taylor (the only senior on the squad), Greg Kelleher, Ray Herrera, Don Brindlwy and Mike Lehman. Coach Reys pointed out that although tennis is considered an individual sport, each win must add up to acquire a team victory.

Assistant Basketball Coach

Arnold Capeland presented junior varsity basketball letters to four men: Loy Allen, Bob Ludwinski, Pat Wiese, and Ron Armbruster. There were three team trophies added to the Rivermen's hardware collection this year, a first place trophy for the Concordia Seminary Tournament, a second place finish in the McKendree Invitational, and a third place award in volleyball.

There were 10 letters given out for varsity basketball, one of them going to team manager Bill Berg. The recipients, who must play in more than half of the games and finish the season in good standing to win a letter, sparked the *UMSL* Rivermen to a 12-7 record for 1966-67. They were clutch shooter and co-captain Ron Clark, aggressive substitute Bob Lucas, reserve Hugh Nisbet, reserve guard and two-year letterman Steve Novack, senior Jay Warren, towering defenseman Terry Reiter, star freshman Clarence Slaughter, swing man (playing guard and forward) Jack Stenner, and the superstar of the team co-captain Ron Woods.

In his last year of eligibility, Ron Woods had the team built around him. His sensational shooting and offensive rebounding merited him the Offensive Player of the Year Award. Terry Reiter, a 6' 8" junior earned the Defensive Player of the Year Award through his 100 per cent effort and great defensive rebounding.

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GERBER'S FOOD: PICKLES AND ICE CREAM

Well, group, the school year of 1966-67 is rapidly drawing to a close. Soon, each of us will be engrossed in finals, and after that, we'll be working all summer in order to afford returning in the fall. (Some vacation.) In any event, your peerless prophet, *The Left Oracle*, was asked for this column to present the year's events

in satirical retrospect, and we hope the following lines will faithfully discharge that duty.

THE YEAR'S OBITUARIES

DIED: Huey, Dewey and Louie. Winter, 1966. Beloved sons of Donald and Daisy Duck and Chief Nelson. Survived by a flock of murderous crows and a swarm of algae.

DIED: Bonfire One. January 12, 1967. A victim of unknown assassins. Beloved son of Tom and Theresa Talltree. A second son was born the following day.

DIED: Bonfire Two. January 13, 1967. At the hands of 300 screaming fans and a pyromaniac Homecoming Queen. Survived by a pile of ashes.

DIED: Student Association Senate. Beloved child of Dave Depker and Chancellor Bugg. Only recorded birth in history of 22 stillborn infants.

DIED: The Rambler. April, 1967. Beloved son of Charlie Chamberlin and the American Motors Corporation. Survived by the Baccharuda and the Gerber baby.

Awards

We'd like to present our first Rotten-Apple-in-Every Barrel Award to the ex-UMSL education professor who publicly declared at a meeting of the sophomore class that he was leaving the University because of the poor quality of students here. We might also place his name in nomination for our Who-Do - You - Think - You're - Kidding Award.

Fortunately, not all faculty members have adopted this attitude. In fact, we'd like to present our last Flowers and Kisses Award to Dr. Burns, Dr. Sargent, Mr. and Mrs. Bikson, Miss Parks, Mr. Knoll and Dr. Saigh, for having taken the time and effort during the years to try to get to the students by acting as chaperones, club sponsors, publications advisors and so on. And we hasten to add that this list of names is far from complete. Thanks, folks.

DO YOU REMEMBER: When Chancellor Bugg was only a dean and had to pay parking fees? . . . The Ducks? . . . Dean Eickhoff's

"dying swan" routine? . . . The Gnostic News? . . . When the seniors were freshmen? . . . When we had a yearbook? . . . How we almost had a magazine . . . When all of our cheerleaders were blond? . . . When there was only one Dean of Student Affairs? . . . When nobody showed up for the \$2,250 performance by the Young Americans? . . . When everybody showed up for the Homecoming Dance? . . . When the Chancellor almost made Who's Who? just out of curiosity on the part of the publishers? . . .

SDS on Campus

Now that the Students for Democratic Society, a decidedly leftist organization has made a beach head on campus we can expect almost anything. Suggestions for future changes include: popular elections for chancellor; unionization for the Servomation ladies; free love (or at least a cut in price); moving the war in Viet Nam to the back parking lot. But what really croggles me about the SDS is that I've heard they advocate anarchy — yet they have a constitution. Just imagine! Organized chaos!

And now, once again, the chance for you to sound off! We'll open our ears and shut our big mouth while you pursue some of the classic comments we've heard around campus this year:

"Maybe it is better to plant grass and then dig it up!"

"Carl LaFong lives!"

"All the world is a stage, and most of the people are bad actors."

"Is it true that the guy who designed the parking

lots is on LSD?"

"This isn't a school, it's an obstacle course!"

"Old chem professors never die; they just smell that way."

That Was the Year

Yes, group, that was the year that was. A superbly wretched year. The first under a new student government. The first without a yearbook. The year of the Red Bag, of the blackout, of the bomb scare. Of the first class of graduating seniors. This was 1966-67. All we needed to make it perfect was to have the Titanic sink in Bugg Lake.

But 10 years from now . . . when you look back on all the memories . . . it may seem a little different. A little better, perhaps. A little more nostalgic and wonderful. At least we hope so. Mainly because it's impossible to visualize it as any worse!

And now, before closing this tableau, before allowing the omniscient Oracle to sleep for yet another millenium, we wish to thank Julie Reid for her help in compiling the obituaries. (And by the way, she and Ricky aren't finished even though May 19 is long gone.) We want to thank Charlie Chamberlin for vacating this spot — and add to that the hope he'll return next year! We want to thank Miss Barb Duepner and Miss Collier for making this column possible. And finally, we'd like to thank the state legislature, without whose appropriations — however meager — the whole blasted University wouldn't even exist!

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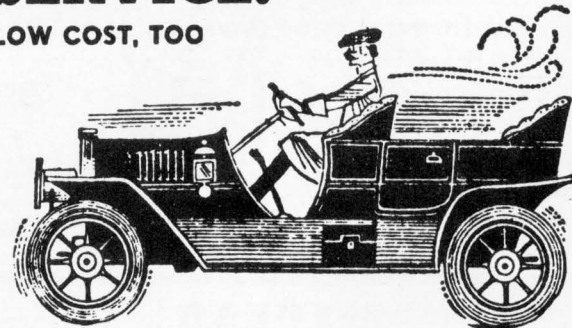
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