Greek Week Will Be
March 31 - April 6

UMSL's Inter-Greek Council will hold Greek Week March 31 - April 6.

The Council includes four fraternities: Sigma Pi, Pi Kappa Alpha, Alpha Phi Omega and Sigma Tau Gamma. Two sororities, Delta Zeta and Alpha Zeta Delta, and Angel Flight are also represented.

The week's events will open with an all-Greek assembly on March 31 from 7 to 9 p.m. A faculty member will speak on faculty-fraternity relationships. Nominations will be received for Princess Athena and for the Man and Woman of the Year.

On Monday a penny drive will begin. Each member will be given a galloon jar to fill with pennies during the week. Jars will be awarded for the amount of money collected, and the proceeds will go to the Leukemia Guild of Missouri. At 7 p.m. a seminar will be held with representatives from each national.

Tuesday, April 2 is sweater day and shorts day, and all Greeks will wear appropriate clothing.

Wednesday is the rally 'round the raft. Each fraternity will introduce a "Greek God" selected from its members. Voting for Princess Athena and Man and Woman of the Year, will be held.

Thursday reports will be submitted on the success of civic projects sponsored by the fraternities during the week. Ballots will be cast for Princess Athena.

SNEA Meets To Rebuild

The Student National Education Association will hold a meeting to re-organize on Wednesday, March 28 at 7 p.m. in the meeting room, Administration Building.

SNEA President Sue Langford is student teaching this semester and feels she does not have the time needed to fulfill her duties. Vice-president Sue Winters will replace her as acting president and Historian Diane Bottger will fill the role of vice-president.

Miss Winters says her new office will be meaningless unless a majority of the members support the movement to make SNEA an active organization on campus.

Dr. Primm, Dr. Kagan and Dr. McKenna discuss John Kenneth Galbraith's The New Industrial State.

Panels Discuss Galbraith's Book

by Ron Brown

The University Chorus production of Carnival will be May 19-22. Students to fill the principal roles were chosen at auditions March 9-10.

Elnore, who is director of the musical as well as the lead, previously directed the UMSL production of 110 in the Shade. He and Rick Webb are experienced in the roles of Paul and Marco, having played the parts in a local production in the fall of '66.

Musical rehearsals will begin in early April. More dancers, and other performers are being sought, as well as additional men to sing chorus parts. Those interested should contact Karen Billington, chairwoman, at 46-3041.
Legal Rights Changing

The structure of student courts and the systems of student legal rights on Missouri University campuses are undergoing changes and are presently in a state of limbo. The Curators have made only provisional changes, and after they have considered all suggestions submitted before July 1, 1968, they will formulate a system to go into effect for September.

We can only echo the obvious: We feel the most effective and fair system is one which incorporates student opinion on all cases, even those involving disciplinary action. We do not feel this violates our former stand that students should take a decisive role only in student affairs.

In cases of academic dishonesty, or severe disciplinary problems which could have adverse effects on students or the University, or its name in the community, it is for the most part the student body itself that must take responsibility. Therefore representatives of the student body should be allowed to have a voice in the judgment of alleged offenders.

In addition, we agree with those who demand an effective and accessible appeal system for grievances, as high as the Chancellor's office if necessary. Judgments which can result in expulsion should require not only especially close scrutiny of evidence and agreement by the court, but an opportunity for the student to appeal to the highest authority. This cannot be demonstrated more vividly than at the present time, when expulsion from a university can be a very grave matter when it involves the benefit of studying under the best teachers, it is difficult to imagine anyone moving) responsible for the actual writing of the constitution is a properly sanctioned committee. This cannot be demonstrated more vividly than at the present time, arrangements will be made to allow the undergraduate students to continue to receive the academic benefits that we have received, and advance students, and naturally these will be found, for the most part, to be headed, astute and conscientious.

The opinions expressed here are not very original. It seems somewhat terrifying to American not to support a jury of peers or a system of appeals, yet these are the methods of court procedure that have been accepted as the most fair and the most workable - so it is only logical to conclude that they should apply for students in a smaller community as well.

Advantages at UMSL Now

As students at UMSL, during its growing years, we have to face a lot of difficulties, as do students at all young universities. There is a shortage of room, Lutheran Church and Lutheran classes, inadequate parking, too many part-time teachers, thinly skinned student government, etc.

But there is one tremendous advantage in attending a new university, especially one with an excellent faculty like ours, that we may tend to take them for granted. A University, even a university school with a developed graduate school, we are being taught by the best professors our University has to offer. There are not many places where a freshman taking an introductory course can get the chairmanship of the department for his professor. This is not at all uncommon at UMSL, nor is it uncommon to have a doctor for a greater number of lower division courses, or a well-trained instructor who is more than just a graduate student at the same university.

Perhaps the faculty doesn't find this arrangement overwhelmingly gratifying, but from the students' standpoint, it is ideal. It is a common complaint, and one that has even been voiced by undergraduates at Berkeley, that as universities begin to concentrate on developing excellent research and graduate schools, (and reputation), fee of the undergraduate course can get the chairmanship of the department for his professor. This is not at all uncommon at UMSL, nor is it uncommon to have a doctor for a greater number of lower division courses, or a well-trained instructor who is more than just a graduate student at the same university.

This is not to say we are against all graduate schools. It is only to say that those of us attending UMSL now are very fortunate in this respect. We know that in the not-too-distant future, we will have much more room when we are perhaps attending the university at which we could be considered a less advantageous time.

Letters to the Editor

To the Editor:

Your editorials concerning the writing of a new constitution left much to be desired. One might assume facts, a lack of absurd inferences, and an impartial viewpoint. Some of the things with which you should have been acquainted but were probably not made part of the group of people I disagree with the conclusions accompanying your word. Reviewing the work in progress, the actual writing of the constitution is a properly sanctioned Senate committee. This disposes the illusion you attempted to create, namely that its source was some sort of conspiratorial underwriting.

You should also know that all the necessities listed as fundamental to the writing of a good constitution have been provided by the committee. I would, however, like to call your attention to the fact that a properly conducted ballot on whether a student should be allowed to become a qualified member of the student organization has any more experience than another.

But there is one thing that bothered me was the obvious con­tradictions in your stands on stu­dents. For example, you state that students should have been acquainted with various and sundry inferences, sometimes absurd inferences, and an impartial viewpoint. The opinions expressed here are not very original. It seems somewhat terrifying to American not to support a jury of peers or a system of appeals, yet these are the methods of court procedure that have been accepted as the most fair and the most workable - so it is only logical to conclude that they should apply for students in a smaller community as well.

Where is all the Cream?

The general impression obtained by all this is that he is out to prove something to himself and is desperately trying to make you acquisitive in his summations of his own worth. Very seldom will be asked for your own opinion. Most of his conversation is extremely self-centered. Try to extract some lively talk about Viet Nam. This is a sure ringer. He'll talk all right, but his conversation will be to the effect that he'll be happy just as long as he can escape personal commitment of his own time and faith.

The fact the average student is more concerned with having fun and securing any servis commit­ment to worthwhile causes or intelligent pursuit of knowledge is born out by articles found in the students' own paper, UMSL CURRENT, last semester. In the Oc­tober 13th issue alone there was 1) an editorial condemning the atrocious percentage of turn-out for the freshmen elections, 2) an editorial advocating abolition of a nonexistent rule, and 3) a recurring theme throughout a number of articles pleading for unity and active support.

It is certainly true that youth and happiness are necessary, how­ever, they should be the mortar which binds together the building stones of serious academic pur­suit. They do not make for a suitable foundation by themselves. Where is the student who is interested in an intelligent exchange of ideas, who is considerate of the other person's opinion, who has enough to come to a decision on the important problems of the day and then defend his decision?

This article is not meant as a harangue, merely as a pin prick to the dormant consciences of a lot of worthy talents. But until such time as a substantial amount of people have been "oched" out of their complacency and begin to act and participate like real stu­dents, you will always be able to call us. Piff the guy on the roof

by Bud Hickham

Anyone interested in becoming a staff photographer for the Current, contact Mike Olds in The Publications Office.

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Clubs Sponsor Campus Events

Israel Visits Campus

Gabriel Cohen—professor of history at Tel Aviv University and a member of Knesset, the Israel Parliament—will be in St. Louis Thursday and Friday, March 14 and 15. Mr. Cohen will speak to UMSL’s International Politics class Friday on both days he will be at the Hilltop House, 6300 Forsyth, for lunch with students and faculty at 12.

Biologist Speaks

Dr. Barry Commoner, a biology professor at Washington University, will lecture here March 14. Dr. Commoner will have lunch with students and faculty at 12, followed by a seminar at 3:30 in room 120, Benton Hall. Refreshments will be served at 120, Benton Hall. The seminar will begin at 3:45.

Dr. Commoner’s views are considered controversial by those in his field.

The Biology Club is sponsoring the event. It is open to all interested students and faculty.

Oedipus Produced Here

A production of the Greek play, Oedipus the King, will be performed on campus, Wednesday, March 20 at 8:00 p.m. in room 105 Benton Hall.

The play will be performed by Dr. Peter D. Arnott and his Mar­ ionette theater. Dr. Arnott is on the faculty of the Classics Department at the University of Iowa, Iowa City. Dr. Arnott’s Marionette theater consists of adult, semi­ professional (children under 12 are not admitted). Dr. Arnott is producer, actor, and director in all one and, thus, his plays are of his own interpretation. There will be no admission charge.

Carol Keefe portrays the role of Lisa, a Polish aviatrice, in the Rep­ etory Theatre production of Shaw’s Misalliance.

Knights and Forks

tournament March 14 and 15. The Repertory Theatre has given Misalliance an excellent production. There are nine strong performances by the cast which have been well balanced by director Philip Minor whose staging is in the modern European style. Vita’s cos­ tumes and Grady Larkin’s set have just the right period charm. As good as this production is, the opening night response (by both the audience and the daily re­ viewers) was little better than lukewarm. The only real criticism was that the play is too talky. I do not feel that this is, in this case, a valid criticism. It is also not a very convincing explanation for the less than enthusiastic reception for what is probably the best­ twentieth century comedy to play in St. Louis for some time. There is not much less talk and not many more

Truth and Absurdity

by Sam Hack, Features Editor

Nearly all comedy deals with absurdities either of dialogue or action. The best comedy, then, would seemingly be that which reveals truth in its absurdities. This definition is certainly applicable to George Bernard Shaw’s Misalliance which has joined the repertory at the Loretto-Hilton Center. Through dialogue that is often quite funny and is always at least amusingly wily, it explores the communication gap between par­ ents and their children and leaps upon such varied subjects as ma­ terialism vs. romanticism, stuffy intellectualism vs. brash action, the British aristocracy, social graces, and socialism. It is a com­ edy of ideas which achieves that genre’s two-fold goal of making its audience laugh and forcing them to think about what they’re laugh­ ing at.

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Riverman Review

UMSL's Defensive Star

by Marty Hendin, Sports Editor

UMSL's second leading scorer and top defensive player this past season was sophomore Chuck Caldwell. Chuck was born in Birmingham, Alabama, and attended Ullman High School in Birmingham. In 1964 he enrolled at Southwest Baptist College in Bolivar, Missouri, which was then a junior college. His freshman year the Bearcats reached the finals in their regional play-off for the national junior college championship. In his sophomore year, Southwest began play as a four-year college.

Chuck averaged about 16 points per game in his three years at Southwest. His high game in his college career is 30 points. Last season he pumped in 28 points to lead the Bearcats to a 110-78 rout of the Rivermen at Concordia.

Chuck enjoyed his three years at Southwest Baptist, and the fans enjoyed watching him perform on the court. When UMSL played against the Bearcats at Bolivar on January 29, Chuck was given a standing ovation when the line-ups were introduced.

All-Tourney Team

This past summer Chuck and his brother Bill transferred to UMSL to enroll in the school of Business Administration. The Caldwell's led UMSL to their second consecutive Concordia Tournament championship, and both were named to the all-tourney team.

Chuck's high point effort for UMSL was 29 points against Harris Teachers' College on January 10. His best all-around performance was against UICC on December 23 when he scored 24 points and received +30 in the point system used by the coaches to grade the players on their all-around performance.

Although he was ineligible for the last five games of the season, Chuck was the Rivermen's second leading scorer with 313 points for an average of 18.4 per game. In addition, to his offensive capabilities Chuck was named defensive player of the game in nine of the 17 games in which he played. He finished a close second to Jack Stener in team balloting for their most valuable player.

Golf, Tennis

Start Practice

UMSL's golf and tennis teams have begun practice for season openings in April.

The University's first golf team will play their first two matches on the road, opening at Southwest Missouri State on April 1. The first home match will be Tuesday, April 9, against St. Louis U.

The Rivermen's tennis team will open their second season on Tuesday April 2 when they will be the home team in a meet against Millikin.

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