

Student buying card under investigation

Bev Pfeifer Harms

Plans by Central Council to distribute a student buying power card this year appear to have been held up pending investigation of fraud against the company supplying the card.

According to Jeanne Grossman, student body vice president, the UMSL student government was approached by a representative of the Student Buying Power Card Company to join with Washington University and St. Louis University in furnishing a discount card to students for various stores in the three-campus area.

The only commitment by the university was to provide a market for distribution.

An investigation by the Northwoods Police Department came about from a complaint made by Top Shop, a clothing store in Normandy Shopping Center.

Top Shop agreed to be a patron on the card. Grossman said the fee was \$300 to be a participating merchant. Payments were to be made in three \$100 installments.

A company representative asked that one of the checks be made payable to him personally. The man then disappeared.

Northwoods detective, Arnie Porter, is currently handling the investigation.

"The company is a division of L&B Marketing, Inc., based in New York," said Porter. "We now need to determine if the entire corporation is legitimate, or if the fraud is with the Student Buying Power Card company, or the representative."

According to Porter, there are reports of different named corporations doing basically the same thing.

"A popular technique with out-of-state companies which aren't legitimate is to sell magazine subscriptions to apartment tenants," he said.

Top Shop reportedly agreed to become involved in the card when the representative said all three schools and other merchants were also committed. Apparently no other merchants were contacted, checking of the above places revealed that no contact was made with other businesses.

According to Grossman, the company representative also told UMSL that Washington University and St. Louis University were already signed and the cards would be available as soon as UMSL agreed to part of it.

The Central Council Executive Committee then approved the proposal and sent a letter of commitment to the representative.

"I checked with the Washington University president after I found out about the fraud and he said they were not contacted until later," said Grossman.

Problems with the company is not isolated to this

year.

Porter said the same company contacted UMSL last year and similar arrangements were worked out. He said the representative never contacted UMSL again.

This year, the company called again. When asked about the first representative, Central Council was informed that the first person had never been with the company.

On that premise, Grossman agreed to make arrangements with the company again.

Personal contact was never made, said Porter, the representative went to the store to solicit and said the cards would be distributed in mid-October. They never were.

"Another problem we've encountered is that apparently a piece of blank letterhead stationery was taken from L&B and copied," Porter said. "This allowed them to appear as legitimate representatives of the company."

Grossman says she has no intention of withdrawing UMSL's intent for the cards.

"I am a little leery of the company now, of course," she said, "but I intend to hold with the commitment until we see how the investigation turns out."

According to Joel Ginsparg, treasurer of the Washington University student government, two different men had been in contact with him last summer regarding the

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J. C. Penney Auditorium vandalized twice in one week

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A second break-in occurred within a week at the J.C. Penney Auditorium. The last incident occurred on November 2, at about 3:30 p.m.

As in the first incident, a custodian coming in to clean the auditorium found that one fire extinguisher, containing water, had been emptied on the stage floor area directly in front of the stage.

According to James C. Nelson, chief of UMSL police, the door to the auditorium had again been apparently left unlocked. This is how police believe the vandals gained entrance.

Ron Edwards, a University Center staff member, said as the

custodian entered the auditorium, she heard a loud thump which she believes was the extinguisher being dropped on the floor.

Edwards said rocks were found next to the back door on the south-west side of the auditorium. Apparently the rocks were used to prop open the door.

Damage to the room was not as extensive as following the first break-in.

"In this case, there was no water on the drapes or movie screen," said Edwards.

An estimate of the cost of damage following the first break-in has not been made, but Edwards said he does not expect the last occurrence to signifi-

cantly increase the total damage figure.

Part of the reason for the reoccurrence could be the accessibility of the auditorium to many groups. Edwards said there may be an exact list drawn up of who has keys to the auditorium. The room should then be locked at all times when not in use.

There was no scheduled activity in the auditorium prior to the break-in.

"I presume it was young kids, but it could be students or outsiders," said Nelson. "We've had trouble in the past with youngsters coming over from the neighborhood schools."

While the damage is being repaired, the weekday movies will continue to be shown in room 101 Stadler Hall, for at least another week, stated Edwards.

Nelson said the police department was conducting a full investigation to assure that no more break-ins would occur.



DIGGING IN: Two physical plant workers are shown digging outside of Lucas Hall [photo by Debra Knox DeIermann].



NEW MINISTER: Barb Fleming, an UMSL student, is the first woman lay minister at Newman House across from the UMSL campus [photo courtesy of Newman House].

Newman House gives focus

Barb Piccione

If you feel a need for something more than UMSL provides, in daily campus life, you may be interested in Newman House.

Newman House, located on Natural Bridge directly across from UMSL, has long been connected with the UMSL campus, but has received little publicity. In fact, many people don't even know it exists, Barbara Fleming, lay campus minister, said.

Fleming is trying to change all that. She has become a lay campus minister this semester, the first UMSL has ever had.

She is seeking to promote Newman House by "reaching out to people on campus and letting them know that people do care," according to Fleming.

Fleming, who is also a student majoring in special education, is

on campus most of the day meeting people and talking to them about Newman House.

"Most people have found out about it by word of mouth, and we've had a good response," Fleming said. "But I am planning to put out a small paper to explain what Newman House is, and also let people know about events that we're planning."

For those who unfamiliar with it, Newman House is a Catholic youth center, a place for people to make friends, study, and just get in touch with other people, according to Fleming. "It is also open to everyone; you don't have to be Catholic to come in," she said. "Everyone is welcome."

Fleming sees her role as being similar to that of a Peace Corp worker. She is trying to see what people's needs are, and

then find a way to fulfill those needs.

She has been a part of Newman House for about four years, according to Fr. Lyons, head of Newman House. Those years furnished her with the experience and knowledge she needed before deciding to become a lay campus minister.

Lyons sees the role of the lay campus minister as comparable to that of a peer counselor. There are things that students might feel more comfortable talking with "one of their own," Lyons said.

"Fleming is a communication builder," Lyons commented. "She is friendly, communicates warmth, and is good at organizing things."

She has helped organize many

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Biology holds honor night

The UMSL biology department will hold a Biology Honor Student Night for local high school students and their teachers on November 17 from 6 to 10 p.m. in Stadler Hall.

The program will feature 13 "hands-on" science workshops designed and directed by faculty of the UMSL biology department.

The free program is intended for students and teachers with an interest and aptitude in life science studies. More than 500 students are expected to attend.

ECC sponsors member drive

The Evening College Council is currently sponsoring a membership drive, a clothing and food drive and a mid-year orientation session.

All evening students are encouraged to apply for the ECC. Applications are available in room 324 Lucas Hall and should be returned to the ECC advisor, Mrs. Josephs.

A mid-year orientation is being planned for first time UMSL evening students. The last session will be held on November 10 from 5-8:30 p.m. in the College of Arts and Sciences lounge, room 318 Lucas Hall.

Representatives from the Women's Center, Financial Aid office and the Evening College will be attendance to answer questions.

Tentative plans are made for a clothing and food drive from December 1-8.

According to Josephs, no agency has been selected yet to be recipient. Members of the UMSL community are encouraged to bring canned goods and any old clothes for donations.

The drive will be the ECC's Christmas project. To donate food or clothing, call Barb Westermeyer, an ECC member, at 5291.

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activities at Newman House from coffee houses to special services and field trips. She is also involved with communication and faith-sharing days.

Fleming is currently planning a Thanksgiving Dinner for November 18. Information will be available in the Snack Bar and the cafeteria.

Newman House also provides daily mass Monday through Friday at 12:00, and Sunday at 8:30 p.m.

Students will participate in workshops on such topics as electron microscopy, genetic engineering, animal behavior, insect collection and preservation, and computer analysis of nerve cell activity.

Rober Bolla, UMSL professor of biology, will present a special

lecture and slide show on "An Age Old Question - Must We Grow Old?"

The deadline for registration is November 11. For more information contact Charles R. Granger, associate professor of biology, at 5811.

Business reactivates student committee

The School of Business Administration has reactivated the Student Policy Committee and is asking for the support and input from business students.

The committee will act as a liaison among students, faculty and the Business Dean's office by discussing and consolidating student recommendations which are made in the areas of class scheduling, advising and curriculum changes.


Students recommendations should be made in writing and delivered to room 489 SSB where a suggestion box will be available.

The Student Policy Committee has elected from its members, representatives to sit on each of the Graduate and Undergraduate Studies Committees. These representatives will provide to their respective committees a channel for recommendations from the Student Policy Committee.

The committee meets bi-monthly on Mondays at 3 p.m. in room 469 SSB. The advisor for the committee is Maxine Stokes, assistant director of undergraduate studies. Members include: Colleen Paz, chairperson; Gregory Dubis, secretary; Steve Avery; Kharyn Cover; James Jughes, Jr.; Philip Bewig; Paul Burkhart; Gregory MacCardy; Jean Severson, alternate; and Donna Borgmeyer, alternate.



MARGARET MEAD will lecture at 11:45 a.m., Nov. 21 in the J.C. Penney Auditorium [photo courtesy of Program Board].



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Food service shows increase despite change in products

Kathy Nelson

Contrary to earlier projections, sales of snack and confection items in the Snack Bar are running well ahead of last year, according to Bill Edwards, director of the University Center.

"We based our early projections on the fact that Colonial (Baking Co.) is only a local company, and would not be able to attract the business like Hostess or Dolly Madison," Edwards said.

Colonial's ability to offer more types of confections, especially in the breakfast line, has made the difference, according to Edwards.

Though specific information was unavailable, sales are between 20 per cent and 30 per cent ahead of last year.

"We have gotten so few complaints and/or requests for

refunds. The students seem to enjoy the wider variety of items available to them," he said.

Edwards was also impressed with the service from Colonial, saying that companies often will slack off in service when they serve customers such as UMSL.

"The service we have received from Colonial has impressed me as much as our dramatic increase in sales," Edwards said. "The shelves are always full, the merchandise always fresh."

The only real problem seems to be fluctuating prices, when some items would be marked one day at 29 cents, then at 25 cents, and again remarked to 29 cents.

"The price changes were a case of receiving unpriced items. We had no idea of the national prices until we received a list of suggested prices for each item. Those who purchased goods

before we received the list were lucky," Edwards said.

Edwards assured the price changes weren't the result of an overstock or a shipment of outdated goods.

"Even if it would have an overstock, the responsibility would be that of the route man, and not the university's," he said. "Any time any item is outdated or stale, a student may return it for a free refund."

While he did admit he was unsure as to how the students would react to the new items in the Snack Bar, Edwards now admits he is pleased.

"If I had my way, I'd supply Colonial, Dolly Madison, and Hostess," he said. "But as long as these conditions (increased sales) remain as they are now, I'll be more than happy."

Slight delay with directories

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Student directories have not been published yet this year.

According to the Dean of Student Affairs Conney Kimbo, this year's directories are not unusually late in coming out than in any other year. There is some delay, however, and Kimbo could not give an exact time when the student directories will be available.

"Student directories usually take a little longer than most other directories," Kimbo said. "We've got to get the computer list of all students and that

usually takes some time.

"Another reason for the delay is due to the loss of an assistant dean of student affairs," he said. "My assistant normally did the work on the directories, but now I only have a part-time assistant at the present and that has caused part of the delay. I can't do everything myself."

"No one is at fault, but that's just the way the situation is now," he continued. "The directories are normally out by the last part of October, so I see no big delay in students getting the directory."

About 1500 copies are printed, at a cost of approximately \$1600. Students are charged 25 cents for a copy, while faculty and staff members pay 50 cents. The remaining cost is subsidized by the student activities fees, according to Kimbo.

Costs vary from year to year. One year students volunteered to help in the typesetting and layout of the directory, thereby eliminating some cost.

Last year the directories were printed in Columbia. At other times the UMSL print shop is

used.

"Another factor in when the directories are published is where they are printed," Kimbo said. "If we are tenth or twentieth on the list of jobs to be done either in the print shop or Columbia, we have to just sit and wait until things get done. There's nothing we can do about it."

Makeup of the directories has changed in past years. Before the 1974 directory, both faculty/staff and student directories were combined and ads were included which paid for the printing costs.

In 1975 two separate directories were made for faculty/staff and students. All advertising was dropped thus transferring the costs to the Student Affairs office.

"You have to realize also that students are not standing in line to buy the directories. We don't sell all 1500 copies," Kimbo said. "If we did, we might break even instead of losing money each year."

Another consideration is publishing the directory in the winter semester instead of the fall. This would allow students who enter UMSL in January to have their names published in the directory. Currently those students must wait until the following year.

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News in Brief

Students begin pre-registration

Pre-registration for the 1978 Winter semester is being held from November 7-18.

Registration packets are available in the second floor lobby of Woods Hall.

Students who need counseling on upcoming schedules are encouraged to make an appointment with their advisor.

For those students who have not yet declared a major, general counseling is available in the College of Arts and Sciences office, room 305 Lucas Hall. Group counseling sessions are available as well as private advising. Appointments are necessary.

A schedule of courses being offered is available in the Admissions office, room 101 Woods Hall.

TKA sponsors eating contest

Pi Kappa Alpha fraternity will sponsor a Pumpkin Pie Eating Contest, November 23 at 11:30 a.m. on the UMSL campus.

The annual event serves to raise funds for St. Vincent's Orphanage located in Normandy and is always held the day before Thanksgiving. Money collected this year will be used to purchase blankets for the children.

To call attention to the event, members of the Pi Kappa Alpha gill dress up as pilgrims and Indians on the day of the contest in their goal to surpass the \$275 raised last year. Present plans call for several St. Louis celebrities in addition to campus organizational representatives to participate in the actual contest.

There is no entry fee and awards will be given out to the winners of both the men's and women's divisions. Any organization wishing to enter a contestant should contact Harry Smelcer or Mike Sevier at 524-3894.

Council forms ideas committee

A committee is being set up to research new ideas. These ideas should be directed toward the improvement of any aspect of the university.

Anyone who is interested in being a member, contact Charlie Mays, student boy president in room 253a University Center, or call 5104.

Students, faculty, staff and administrative members are welcome.

Hayride plans being set

Central Council is sponsoring a hayride on November 19 for all UMSL students.

The hayride will be held at Best of Two Worlds, and will begin at 8 p.m. The cost has not yet been set.

For further information, contact Central Council at 5104.

Intensive french course offered

Intensive French (French 115) is being offered again in the Winter 1978 semester. Students can earn 15 credits (which satisfies the language requirement).

No previous knowledge of French is necessary.

All interested students are urged to contact the Modern Language Department at 5831 immediately to arrange a date for the aptitude test.

UMSL offers alcohol series

As a part of Alcoholism Awareness Week activities in St. Louis from November 13-19, UMSL is featuring a series of seminars designed to help those who are affected by alcoholism and its problems.

The seminars are being sponsored by the St. Louis Area National Council on Alcoholism and will be held in room 126 J.C. Penney on November 16.

"Alcoholism, Industry and Employee Assistance Programs is the topic from 9:45-10:30 a.m. Don Sparks, EAP Coordinator, will be the speaker.

Ed Barni, Alcohol Education Coordinator, Safety Council of Greater St. Louis will discuss "Crime and Alcoholism" from 10:45-11:30 a.m.

"Alcoholism and Women" will be the topic from 11:45 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. when Sue Lord, National Council on Alcoholism Counselor and Kay T., a recovering alcoholic, speak.

Everyone is invited to attend.

Academy holds two-part panel

The Political Science Academy will feature a two-part panel discussion on November 16 entitled "Media: Its Refutation and Role in St. Louis Politics" in room 72 J.C. Penney.

Speakers will include James Crowell, an FCC representative; Andrew McMaster, KETC-TV; and Gentry Trotter, KPLR-TV; and faculty members from the UMSL community.

The first part concerns television regulation by the FCC and what effects it has on public interest. It will run from 10 a.m. to noon.

The afternoon session will concern media's role in St. Louis politics. It will be held from 1-3:30 p.m.

Speakers will include U.S. Congressman Robert A. Young and Richard Gephart; a representative from the local media; representatives from other local political offices in St. Louis; as well as members of the UMSL community.

The Political Science Academy welcomes anyone who is interested.

Rolla offices still at UMSL

While the building which housed UMR Graduate Engineering Center at UMSL was moved to Columbia, the office remains on campus.

The division is now located in room 35 Blue Metal Building.

editorials



Card may not be good buy

An investigation is presently underway to determine if fraud may have been involved in a proposed student discount plan.

Briefly the plan would have allowed students at area colleges and universities discounts for goods at cooperating merchants in St. Louis.

According to the plan L&B Marketing, Inc. a New York based company was to contact area businesses to set up the program. Cooperating student governments in the area would then distribute Student Buying Power Cards to students on their campuses.

The proposal made sense, it was good for students, area businesses and one would assume for L&B Marketing.

However, not everything has gone as planned and subsequent checking indicates that the various student governments have at best been misinformed.

A person who said he represented L&B Marketing approached Central Council earlier this year. He said St. Louis University and Washington University had already agreed to the plan. Apparently, they had been told that UMSL had also agreed.

Joel Ginsparg, treasurer of the Washington University student government said that he had received a packet from the company giving impressive credentials and listing other schools in the nation presently using

the system.

The treasurer of the student government of one such school, Spokane Community College, said that they had indeed received cards last year, but had not distributed them. He said that the student government had questions regarding misleading advertising and thought the cards were a "rip-off."

Central Council should investigate the situation more carefully before going any further in this deal.

The company may indeed be legitimate and suffering from unauthorized agents using its name.

Fortunately, no student government has lost any funds at this point. The cards apparently cost students nothing — however, at least one area business has lost money in the deal.

Due to a general lack of communication between schools, student groups have been "taken" in several deals over the years by less-than-reputable companies.

The people at these companies know that once they are discovered at one school there are many others which have never heard of them with which to do business.

Whether or not L&B Marketing fits this category remains to be seen, but Central Council should proceed with caution before committing itself any further in the deal.

letters

Disturbed by letter

Dear Editor:

Ms. Makler's letter last week concerning the Chancellor's presence in Panama disturbed me. There are many points upon which we agree (e.g. government elections in Panama, removal of U.S. military presence, etc.), but why do Socialists have to come charging up on their shining white steed a day late and a dollar short, demanding that everything be done yesterday?

After nearly 75 years of virtual gun-boat diplomacy in Panama, the U.S., under the Carter administration, is relinquishing its grip on the Canal willingly. President Torrijos invited many people to observe the election to calm the fears (or accusations) of those who feel it would be another South American hoax.

The Panamanians, two-third of them, voted in favor of the

treaty, and the release of the Canal will be done in a calm, orderly manner, so Panama will not have a complex and expensive canal dumped in their ill-prepared laps.

Besides, if the previous treaty was renegotiated, the present one can certainly be renegotiated in the future, allowing the U.S. military to pull out.

So what's the beef?

Ms. Makler actually has little to say about the canal treaty and resorts to low-comedy insults to defame an honest effort to rectify past injuries.

She reminds me of an old school-teacher who stands over a student and bawls him out as the poor kid tries to correct some of the errors he has made in his homework.

For God's sake, lady, let up! They're trying!

Kevin McGrane

Thoughts on Albee

Dear Editor:

Enclosed is one of my responses to the visit to campus yesterday of Edward Albee, for what it's worth. (It's intended as a kind of poetic letter to the editor!)

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Linda Belz

Defends TIKES

Dear Editor:

In your Oct. 27 issue, Grant Crawley did an injustice to the TIKE team. The entire article was TKE oriented. I'm going to set the record straight.

The TIKES did not lose a single game. The TKE's lost two (including the championship). The 21 point per game average didn't help them against us, did it? Our first two touchdowns were scored by our offensive linemen... the two largest men on the field. So much for lack of physical size.

Our team controlled the entire

game, led by our "mediocre rush" which caused the TKE quarterback to hurry most of his passes.

The long punt by TIKE was not downed on the two-yard line, but on the one-foot line — a big difference.

Their punter had no room to punt. We didn't walk away with the game. We kicked their butts all game long. Added to the insulting story was a picture of the TKEs in a previous game... who gives a shit? Show the champs... the TIKES.

Bill Watkins

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Letters may be submitted either to the Information Desk in the University Center or to the Current office, room 8 Blue Metal Building.

Correction

An article last week entitled "Committee to study applicants" was incorrect in explaining procedure for nominating a new Assistant Dean of Student Affairs.

The article states that a search committee will choose 20 to 30 applicants from which Dean Conney Kimbo will narrow to eight for final selection.

Corrected, the article should read that the committee will narrow the field of candidates to between five to eight individuals to be interviewed.

Kimbo said that if the committee maintains its schedule the interview process should be complete by Dec. 8.

He said hopefully a recommendation will be made to the university personnel office by late December.

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Buying card

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student buying power card. Although Washington University agreed to distribute cards, Ginsparg said he has not been contacted by the company for some time. He said repeated requests for information have been ignored and his student government is considering cancelling its agreement.

Ginsparg said that he had been impressed by the original information packet sent by L&B.

He said the company listed its association with the New York Better Business Bureau, American Chamber of Commerce, the National Entertainment Association and other well-known groups.

Also included in the packet were press releases from other schools which purportedly showed their support of the program.

One school listed is Spokane Falls Community College in Washington.

John Webster, treasurer of the student association of Spokane Falls said that the student government had originally gone along with the program and received cards for distribution.

"We didn't distribute the cards. We thought it was a rip-off," Webster said. He said chief concerns centered around advertising.

Webster said he was not aware his school was being used in the promotional material of the company.

Grossman said Central Council was originally in favor of the

plan because it would help stretch the budgets of average students. She said the only debate centered around whether the card was only a form of advertising.

She said, "People have been against it because they see it as advertising. I see it as a service to students."

L&B Marketing, Inc. could not be reached for comments

Munger elected business alumni president

R. L. Munger, program development manager in Roosevelt Federal Savings and Loan Association's marketing division, has been elected president of UMSL's School of Business Administration Alumni Association.

Munger, a 1973 graduate of UMSL's Master of Business Administration Program, succeeds Thomas Mayer, who was elected the organization's first president at its founding last year.

Munger came to St. Louis in 1969, when he joined the McDonnell Douglas Corp. He later worked as advertising and market research manager for Tubular Steel, Inc., before joining Roosevelt Federal.

Kirk Richter, a 1968 UMSL graduate, was elected vice president, and Gerald R. Ehnis, a 1973 graduate was voted secretary-treasurer.

Historical manuscripts now available here

The "Guide to the Western Historical Manuscripts Collection - St. Louis" is now available in the UMSL Archives, second level, Thomas Jefferson Library.

The 18-page description of manuscript collections, historical periodicals and oral history projects at UMSL was co-authored by associate director, Irene Cortinovis, and manuscripts assistant, Anne Kenney.

The holdings in these collections provide source material for student papers and projects in many fields of study, including urban studies, women's history, 19th and 20th century American history, political science, sociology, education, genealogy, and St. Louis and Missouri history.

The guide is free to UMSL students, faculty and staff. Archives hours are 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays, or other times by arrangement.

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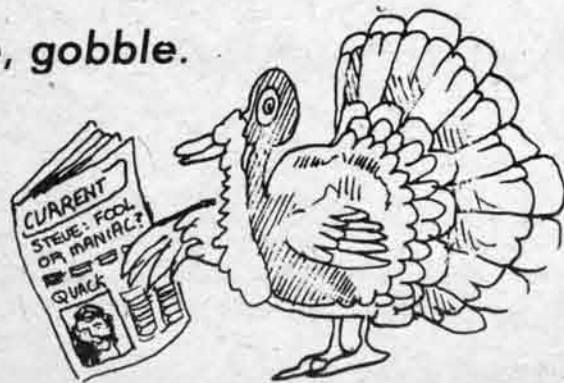
Joseph C. Gunnell, Sr. of the State of Missouri Personnel Division and an equal employment opportunity specialist will discuss the job opportunities for minorities in Missouri, on November 17, from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m., in room 201 Benton Hall.

To help process students with a sincere interest in state employment, applications have been sent to the Special Services Program and to the Minority Student Services Coalition office.

Complete applications may either be mailed or brought to the November 17 discussion.

Gunnell will be speaking specifically to juniors and seniors, but freshmen and sophomores are welcome to attend.

Due to the Thanksgiving holidays, the Current will be taking a vacation for the next two weeks. Our publication schedule resumes on December 1. Meanwhile, gobble, gobble.



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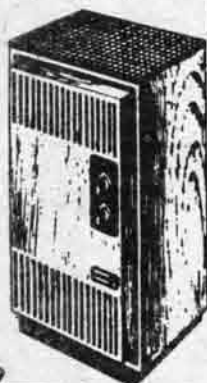
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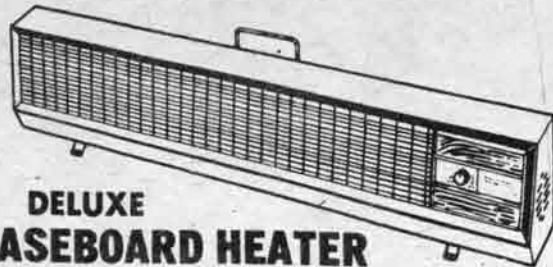
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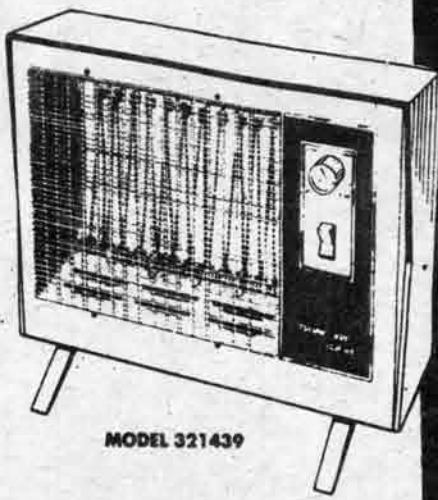
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- Dec. 7 Richard Holmes, tympani 5:30 p.m. Harris Hall

Faculty Recital Series:

- Nov. 15 Chamber music with George Sillies, Jacob Berg, Peter Bowman, George Berry, Roland Pandolfi and Pamela Paul, visiting Artist-in-Residence. 8 p.m. Harris Hall.
- Dec. 6 Early music with Willard Cobb, tenor, and Rodney Stucky, lute. Stravinsky's "L'Histoire du Soldat" with Fryderyk Sadowski, violin, and George Berry, bassoon. 8 p.m. Harris Hall.

Special events:

- Nov. 21 Pianist Jeffery Siegel inaugurates the Conservatory's newly acquired 1400-seat hall with one of his critically-acclaimed "Keyboard Conversations," this one entitled "The Fantasy World of Robert Schumann and dealing with the composer's much-loved "Carnaval." Mr. Siegel will discuss the work, then give a full concert performance of it.
- Dec. 13 Jazz pianist Ken Palmer in concert. 8 p.m. Harris Hall.

Single ticket admission to any event on this schedule is \$3.00 for adults, \$1.50 for students and senior citizens. Free parking in lot behind Conservatory (enter 6800 block of Washington). Call 863-3033 for further information.

features

Marillac begins needed changes

Diane Goodman

Thirteen years after the UMSL campus was purchased, property was bought in 1976 as an addition which is known today as the Marillac Campus. Administration has begun the reconstruction of the Education Building.

The construction, which is being done by Kozney-Wagner Incorporated, began on September 9, and is expected to be completed during the first week in March.

Most of the reconstruction being done involves mechanical aspects such as new lighting in reconstructed offices.

Costs of the project are estimated at \$480,000.

New safety features, such as ramps for wheelchairs and elevators, are being installed which are required under federal regulations for the handicapped.

New restrooms will be installed to accommodate the physically disabled, which may attract more students who, in the past, could not cope with such obstacles.

Once construction is finalized, there will be two operable elevators within the building.

The elevator which is now in use in the front corridor of the building will be renovated for modern conveniences and com-

fort.

The other elevator is at the present time being installed in the education auditorium - wing, and will be operable by March.

This will run from the basement up to the second floor, and will be immediately outside of the offices of the deans of education.

The handicapped will be able to reach all parts of the building with little difficulty. Near the site of the new elevator is a tunnel opening which leads to the basement of the library, possibly proving to be beneficial to incoming handicapped persons.

Inspections are done by Warren Smith, who is the overseer of the construction progress.

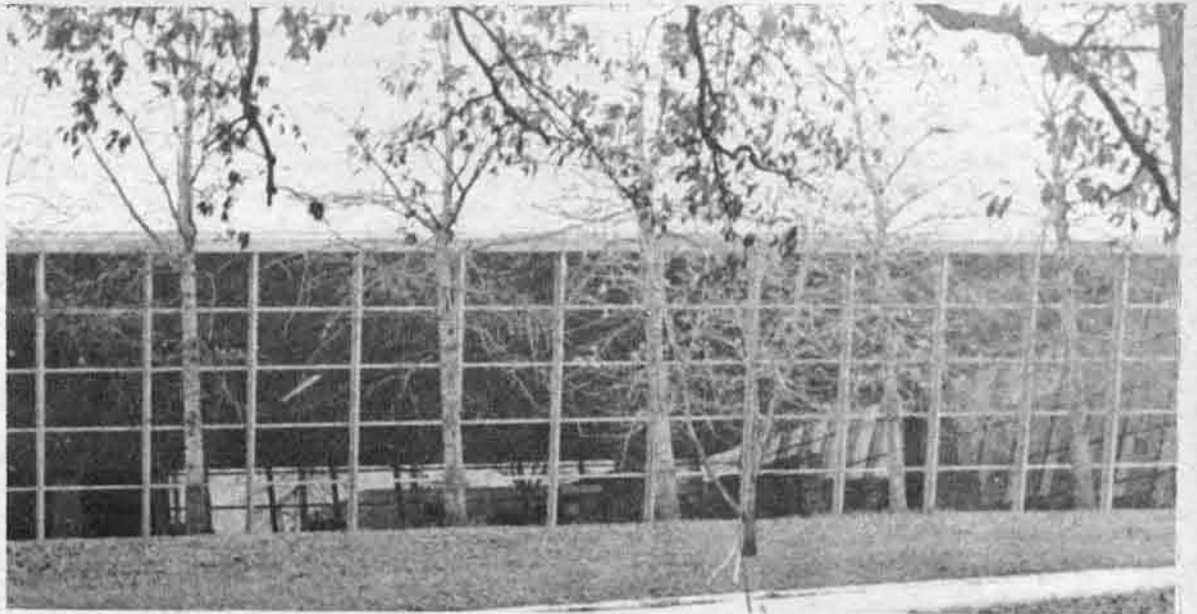
Also, individual air-conditioning units will be installed in each office of the right wing of the education building.

The construction crew has been faced with a few minor obstacles which have delayed progress by only a few days.

For example, the elevator in the education auditorium required two openings to be cut out, which was a total of seven days, rather than the projected time of only two days.

There was also a change in mechanical and electrical me-

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MARILLAC CONSTRUCTION: The Marillac education library is only one part of the Marillac campus that is affected by construction work [photo by Debra Knox Deiermann].

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Writing lab provides services for everyone



WRITING LAB WRITES ON: Tom Murray, a writing lab assistant keeps busy at lab [photo by Mary Bagley].

Kathy Vetter

UMSL's writing lab, located in room 409 in the SSB Building, is open to all people in the UMSL community who are interested in improving their basic writing skills.

Initiated in 1974, the writing lab has been offering its services free of charge for the past three years, helping students in all aspects of their writing skills.

According to Sally Jackoway, coordinator of the lab, some students come in for help in basic English, some want help in proof reading papers, others need advice on how to organize their ideas, and some students come in with an assignment and just don't know where to begin.

Jackoway and the lab's staff help the students, but they stressed that they by no means actually write the paper. Upon entering the writing lab, the student fills out a questionnaire which is kept on file so the aides can refer back to it when needed.

The student also fills out an evaluation at the end of the semester commenting on the writing lab's effectiveness. Jackoway said that the feedback was very positive.

"The only criticisms that we got," she said, "was that there shouldn't be any smoking in the lab and that it was too cramped in our previous room, which was located in Lucas Hall."

"Most students said that they had renewed confidence in their writing," Jackoway said. "A great number of students also noticed an improvement in their grades as well."

The lab not only helps students with English papers. All subjects are covered. Jackoway explained, "We are in no way connected with English Comp 10 or 09. In fact, the fewest number of students are from these classes."

"We get some foreign students seeking help in their writing," she continued. "Some teachers don't have the time or expertise to help them. However, our help is available for everyone."

The lab offers service to teachers as well. Jackoway gives lecture demonstrations to a class if a teacher requests one.

The writing lab then has the teachers evaluate its service. Many times the teachers com-

ment that the student's grades have improved after going to lab.

Jackoway also feels that the lab may indirectly help student's relations with his or her teachers. "If a student sees that an outsider finds the same errors in his writings as his teacher does, he will realize that he doesn't just have a 'picky' teacher," she said.

Although an appointment is not necessary, it helps to have one because the center can be very busy at times, according to Jackoway. Monday, Wednesday, and Friday mornings are the busiest times, especially at mid-semester and the end of the semester. Nights tend to be less crowded.

The hours for the writing lab are from 8:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. every weekday and 5:00 to 8:00 p.m. every day except Friday. To make an appointment call 5950.

Fun palace brings action

Andrea Houssmann

Thousands of students pass by it every day. Some make it a part of their daily campus routine, while others are not even aware of it. The Fun Palace, the brown building located adjacent to Bugg Lake, has more to it

than meets the eye.

William Edwards, the director of University Center, gave the history of the building. Originally called the Physics Annex, it was used as a lab for the physics department.

Later it became the student lounge when space ran out at the University Center, and its name was unofficially changed to "The Brown Building."

Recently, someone got the idea of calling it "The Fun Palace" from Alvin Toffler's "Future Shock" where Toffler describes a flexible building for entertainment purposes.

Entertainment is one of the purposes of the Fun Palace. Edwards added that it also serves as a place for students to go between classes.

They can play pool, table tennis, pinball, and even watch television. In addition, there is a snack bar that provides sandwiches, candy bars, and soda.

The Fun Palace earned \$20,000 last year. This money is used to pay the operating expenses of that area and also provides funding for the sound system in the University Center and pays dark room expenses.

The Fun Palace is a temporary building. When the old administration building was destroyed, the Fun Palace was threatened to go with it.

Luckily, John P. Perry, vice chancellor of Administrative Services, intervened and saved the building. It will be around until the new area in the University Center is completed.

Edwards has high hopes for this new addition in the University Center. It will have the same services as the Fun Palace offers and more. There might even be a large video screen to replace the television in the Fun Palace.

For the time being, the Fun Palace is working out nicely. It's a place to relax and have a little fun between classes. Edwards said, "At this point the area is quite active and even exceeding its capacity."

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COMPUTER CONSERVATION: Mr. Chuck Kimball keeps watch on the automation control center that controls equipment at UMSL [photo by Mary Bagley].

The energy crisis hits home

Carol Specking

"Please turn off lights when not in use. Conserve energy. Save electricity." Sound familiar?

These adhesive signs, which are on many of the light covers at UMSL, are a constant reminder of the energy situation and how it has affected not only the United States, but UMSL as well.

The move toward conserving energy began at UMSL about four years ago, according to Paul Elsea, director of the physical plant at UMSL.

"It was October or November 1973 when we had the oil embargo. It sort of scared everybody," Elsea commented.

Beginning in 1973, UMSL began a special energy program. Some of the first things done in the program were simple energy ideas; things such as cutting down on unnecessary lighting and lighting in bright areas.

But one of the biggest aids in the energy saving program was the automation control center in the General Services Building. The automation control center, which is a mini-computer, was acquired with the General Services Building and has not been in service for a full year yet.

This mini-computer controls the majority of machines and equipment at UMSL.

Simplistically, the control center contains a computer, three television-like screens and two printers. The equipment that

the computer controls all have certain electric or temperature quotas.

If any machine goes over the limit designated to it in temperature or electricity, it is immediately printed out on the printer that controls emergency conditions. These alarms are then checked into by a person in the physical plant.

"The machine is still not in full operation, but it is working out. It still has some bugs," Elsea commented.

The machine can also pre-determine a large demand of energy.

This load of energy that usually occurs around 3:00 or 4:00 p.m. is predetermined by the computer which will then begin to turn off non-critical machines, lightening the load, and saving energy and money.

Besides saving electrical energy, the computer also saves physical energy. Before the computer, each piece of equip-

ment that had to be turned off around the campus was done by hand.

Now with the computer, any piece of equipment can be shut off by pressing a button at any time.

Since the acquisition of the automation control center and other energy-saving tactics, UMSL has been saving a tremendous amount of kilo-watt hours (electricity).

This year the program to conserve energy is going even further. A recent proposal concerning energy is the forming of an energy committee at UMSL.

The energy committee idea originated because Governor Teasdale signed an executive order stating Missouri will save 10 per cent in energy this year.

This commitment affects all state agencies and so UMSL along with other state universities, must delegate these committees to conserve.

Marillac

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thods of drilling which required three weeks.

A preconstruction conference was held in which Tony Fischer superintendent of the engineers and contractors, stated that the "original deadline was set at December 1, but will be more like January 1."

When asked about complaints, Fischer replied, "There haven't been any complaints from the employees or students here. The students, faculty, and staff work along with the construction workers."

"They put up with all of the mess, dirt, and noise," he said. "Even with all of the equipment lying around, they don't seem to mind."

There simply is no escape from the sounds of machinery heard every day. It means that they are merely one day closer

to the end, according to Fischer. Fischer commented, "The existing buildings were built like the Rocks of Gibraltar."

Although there have been no casualties, Fischer told of a few mishaps in which crew members narrowly escaped injury.

"On October 31, a six and a half ton block of concrete, hooked to a crane was being lifted onto a loading truck. The choker cable suddenly broke and there were damages to the truck, but, fortunately, no one was seriously injured."

Another incident occurred the very next day as a result of heavy rains, in which the dirt banks caved in into the elevator construction area.

Fischer is satisfied with the overall progress of the construction, simply commenting that he "would like to have the job done as soon as possible."

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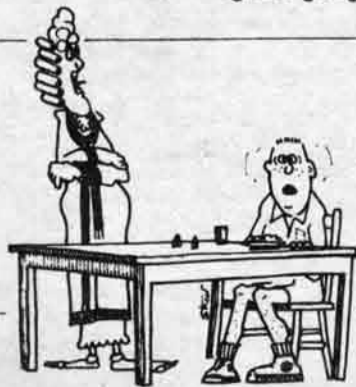
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COMMUNIVERSITY: Astrology class will meet at 8:00 p.m. in room 200, Clark Hall.

PRE-REGISTRATION: Undergraduate Day will be from 8:30 to 4:30 on the second floor of the Woods Hall. Evening and Graduate's registration begins at 4:30 until 8:30 p.m. in room 101, Administration Building. Registration will be held at the same times through November 18.

GALLERY 210: presents "Indian Imagery II" from 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. in room 210 Lucas Hall.

WORKSHOP: Peer Counseling will hold a "Communication/Rap Group" at 1:40 p.m. in room 411, SSB.

EXHIBIT: "Perspective: St. Louis Women in the Visual Arts," from 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. in room 107A Benton Hall. This exhibit will continue throughout the month.

EXHIBIT: "The City" from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. in room 362, Social Science Building. This exhibit will continue throughout the month.

ORIENTATION: Mid-year orientation for new evening students will be from 4:30 to 8:30 p.m. in room 318, Lucas Hall.

friday

FLICK: "One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest" will be shown at 8 p.m. in room 101, Stadler Hall. \$1.00 with UMSL I.D.

MEETING: Accounting Club will feature Pat McWilliams speaking on "International Auditing" at 12:30 in room 121, J.C. Penney Building.

VOLLEYBALL: State tournament will begin at UMSL at 6:30 p.m.

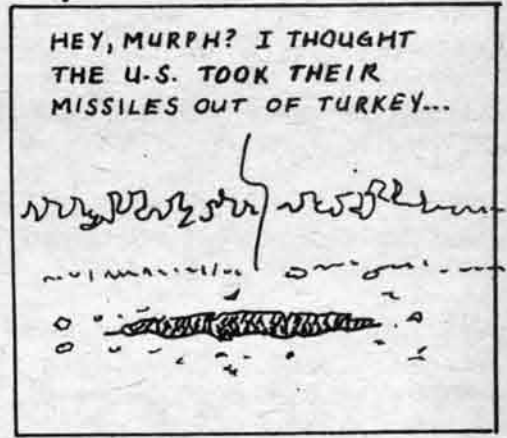
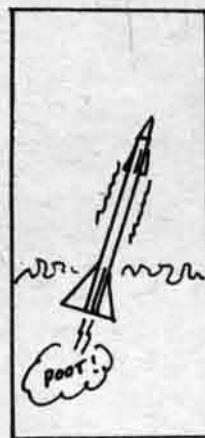
saturday

TEST: MCPT will begin at 7:30 a.m. in room 120, Benton Hall.

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by KEVIN MCGRANE

FLICK: "Fantastic Planet" will be shown in the J.C. Penney Auditorium at 8:15 p.m. Free admission.

COLLOQUIUM: Social Science Research will present Emilio Pagoulatos: "The Future of U.S. Oil" at 3:50 p.m. in room 331, SSB.

tuesday

FLICK: "Lardoz" will be shown at 8:15 in room 101, Stadler Hall.

WORKSHOP: Women's Center will have Rene Collins Rau and Martha Scott from the St. Louis County Department of Human Resources at 5:30 p.m. speaking on "Women and Alcoholism," in room 107a, Benton Hall.

wednesday

PANEL DISCUSSION: "Media Regulation and Role of Media in St. Louis Politics," at 10:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. in room 75, J.C. Penney Building.

WORKSHOP: A series of workshops will be held on "Alcoholism;" The first being, "Alcoholism and Industry" at 9:45 a.m., then "Crime and Alcoholism," at 10:45 a.m., and finally "Alcoholism and Women," at 11:45 a.m.

11/17 - 11/23

thursday

TEST: GED and CLEP tests will begin at 3:30 p.m. in room 211, Benton Hall.

COMMUNIVERSITY: Astrology class will begin at 8:00 p.m. in room 200, Clark Hall.

friday

TEST: GED and CLEP will begin at 4:30 in room 201 Benton Hall.

FLICK: "Rocky" will be shown at 8 p.m. in room 101, Stadler Hall. \$1.00 with UMSL I.D.

MEETING: Accounting Club will have

Joyce Patterson speak on "Society of Women Accountants," at 12:30 p.m. in room 222, J.C. Penney Building.

DANCE: University Center will have a Thanksgiving dance from 8 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. in the Snack Bar. Admission is \$1.50 with UMSL I.D. and \$2.00 with any other college I.D.

PRE-REGISTRATION: Last Day for pre-registration from 8:30 to 4:30 on the second floor of the Woods Hall.

saturday

TEST: ACT will begin at 7:30 a.m. in rooms 211 and 120, Benton Hall.

FLICK: "Rocky" will be shown at 8 p.m. in room 101, Stadler Hall. \$1.00 with UMSL I.D.

DANCE: Kappa Alpha Psi will have a Canned Food Drive Dance at 8 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. in the Snack Bar.

FORUM: UMSL Parents Association will present, Parent/Faculty forum at 11:00 a.m. in the J.C. Penney Building.

sunday

TEST: ACT will begin at 7:30 a.m. in room 120, Benton Hall.

CONCERT: UMSL University Singer present a free concert at 8 p.m. in the Education Auditorium.

MEETING: Central Council will have an open meeting at 2:00 p.m. in room 132, SSB.

monday

LECTURE: Margaret Mead will lecture at 11:45 a.m. in the J.C. Penney Auditorium.

FLICK: A Boy and His Dog" will be shown at 8:15 p.m. in the J.C. Penney Auditorium, free admission.

SEMINAR: Math Department will have a Nonstandard Analysis at 2:40 in room 205, Clark Hall.

tuesday

FLICK: "The Demon Seed" will be shown at 8:15 p.m. in the J.C. Penney Auditorium, free admission.

wednesday

THANKSGIVING HOLIDAY BEGINS

CONCERT: Melba Moore will be in concert at 8:30 p.m. in the J.C. Penney Auditorium. Admission is \$4, \$5, and \$6.

11/25 - 12/1

friday

BASKETBALL: UMSL vs. Elmhurst College at 7:30 p.m. at UMSL.

saturday

BASKETBALL: UMSL vs. UMKC at 7:30 p.m. at UMSL.

monday

COLLOQUIUM: Social Science Research will present Norman Flax speaking on "Practical Parenting: An Adlerian Approach to Childrearing," at 3:30 p.m. in room 331, SSB.

SEMINAR: Math Department presents Nonstandard Analysis at 2:40 p.m. in room 205, Clark Hall.

tuesday

FACULTY RECITAL: Rex Matzke, saxophonist at 8 p.m. in the J.C. Penney Auditorium.

PANEL: Kappa Delta Pi will hold a panel on "Student Teaching" at 7 p.m. in the Marillac Cafeteria.

wednesday

BASKETBALL: UMSL vs. Eastern Illinois at 7:30 p.m. at UMSL.

thursday

BROWN BAG SEMINAR: Women's Center presents Alice Aslin, UMSL Counseling Psychologist speaking on "Being single in a coupled society," in room 107A, Benton Hall.

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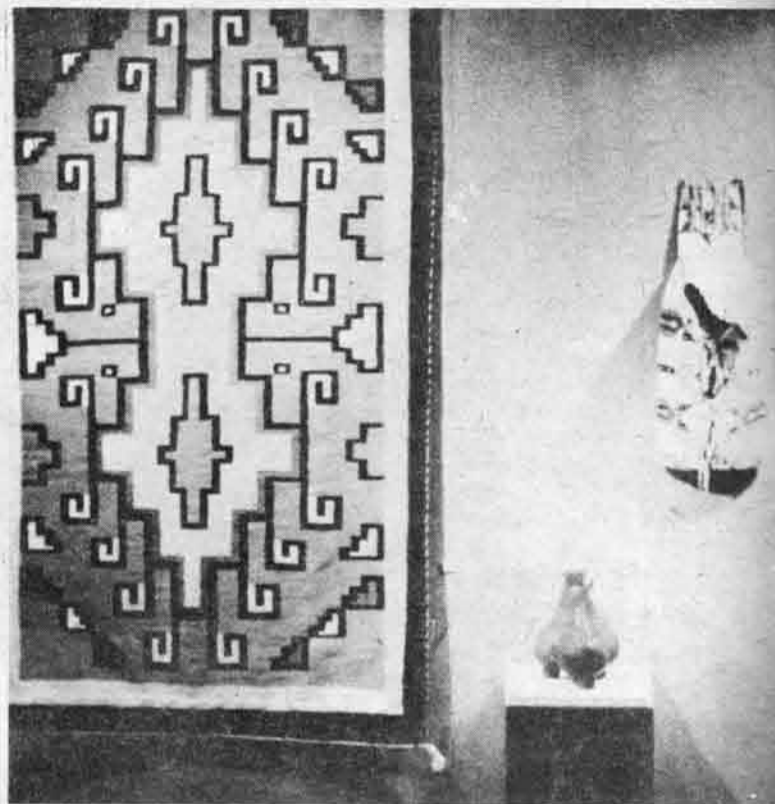
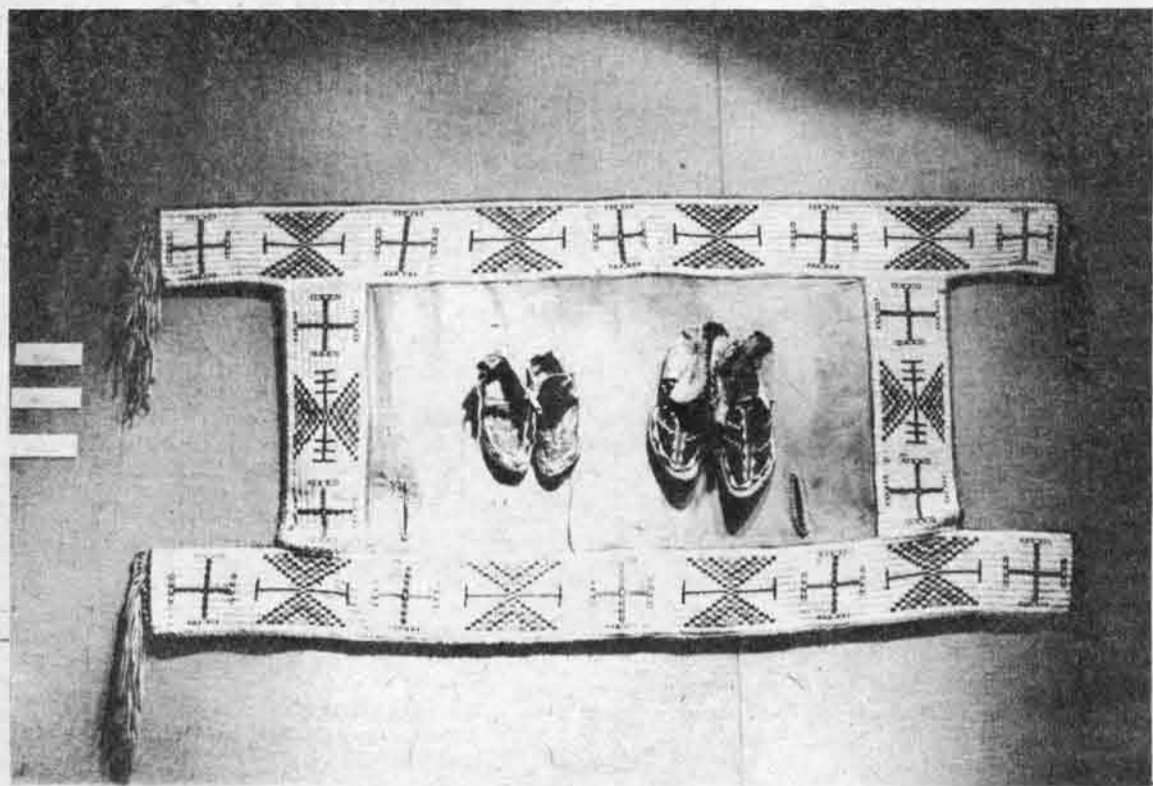
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Gallery 210 opened recently with an exhibition of American Indian art from several collections of people from the UMSL community.

Included in the collection are

rugs from Chancellor Arnold B. and Hulda Grobman. Among the works presented are Mississippian tripod pot, several rugs, baskets, and clothing.

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"Kentucky Fried Movie" continues in plotless trend

Continuing in the trend of plot-less comedy movies and television programs and relying heavily on the short sketch, "Kentucky Fried Movie" presents itself in the same image as "The Groove Tube" and "Tunnelvision."

The 90-minute film is a combination of unconnectable skits, parodies, and sarcasm. Like its predecessors, "The Kentucky Fried Movie" uses well-known subject matter as the basis of its parody; things like Kung Fu movies, toy commercials, film previews, and 1950's courtroom dramas. Even children's science lessons are under attack in this movie.

Many of the skits depend on the mere shock value of the subject matter to be funny or even entertaining. A good example of this is the skit called "Catholic High School Girls in Trouble." There is nothing really funny in the entire skit except the name of it.

Touching on subjects that are still taboo often shocks an audience into laughing out of sheer frustration.

Quite a surprise are the cameo appearances by Henry Gibson, Bil Bixby, and Tony Dow.

The movie was the idea of three people: David and Jerry Zucker, and Jim Abrahams. "We made no pretense of a story thread," Abrahams said.

A few years earlier they were told that a movie such as this could never be successful, but with the advent of several movies like it, they decided to give it a try.

Several of the sketches, however, are funny because of the material. The Kung Fu parody was good, along with a couple of the television commercials.

If it is possible to selectively view parts of a movie, I would recommend viewing about three-fourths of "Kentucky Fried Movie."

Abrahams and Zuckers wrote all the sketches and appear in many of them. Others in the large cast are Bill Bixby, Rick "King Kong" Baker, George Lazenby (Sean Connery's successor as James Bond) and KABC-TV (Los Angeles) newsmen Mike Laurence who stands out in a series of unusual and

unexpected cameo appearances.

Although the theatre was still quite popular and lucrative, Abrahams and the Zuckers closed it last December (1976) to begin preproduction on their first film.

Despite doomsday predictions from Hollywood professionals, the three friends were determined to film their comedy. They personally financed a ten-minute pilot film of four skits and used it to convince backers to contribute a million dollars to complete the feature.

Why films and not TV?

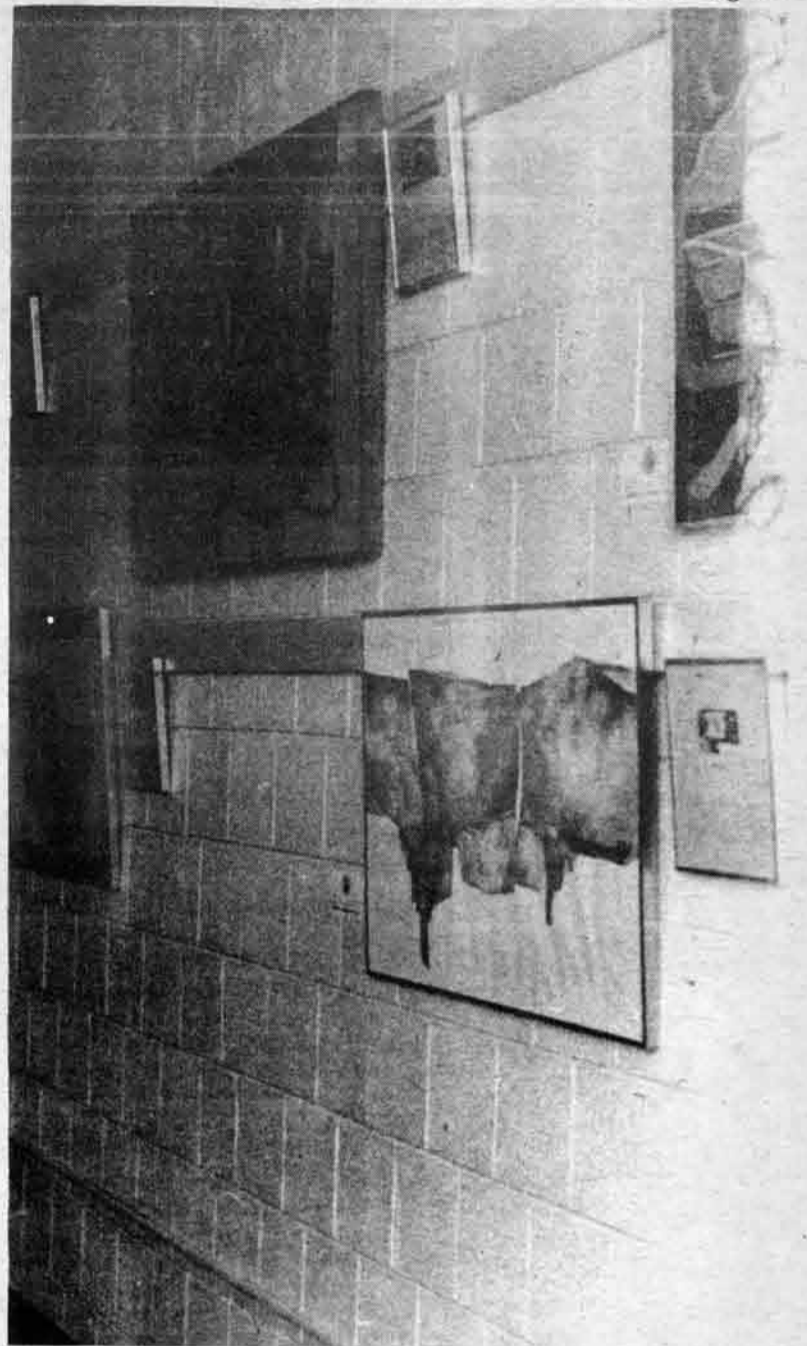
"TV is geared to mass production," said Jim. "Our comedy is hand crafted. The theatre and films are the best avenues for this kind of comedy."

Adds Jerry: "In the theatre we had complete freedom to create and test our own material. We could learn first-hand, from constant and direct contact with an audience."

David calls the theatre "a laboratory of comedy. Every week we tried something new and developed it. In TV we could have gotten just as many laughs, but they would have been filled in by a laugh track."

"The Kentucky Fried Movie" includes some of the best skits from their years in the theatre, but the adventurous comedy makers did not rest on their laurels. Over 70 per cent of the screenplay is new material written directly for the motion picture.

"Back in Madison," recalls Jim, "it was just a lark. We did whatever struck us as funny. But this is hard work."



PUTTING IT IN 'PERSPECTIVE': The recent show at the women's center shows several 'Perspectives' in modern American Women's art. The multi-media art projects are from several artists in the University Community, and can be seen in 107A Benton Hall [photo by Debbie Knox Deirmann].



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Parton presents uplifting performance

Lynette D'Amico

If I wasn't holding the ticket stubs in my hand, it would have been difficult to identify the scene as the setting for a concert. It looked more appropriate for a Baptist revival — no jeans, no drugs, no frisbees, no freaks. Instead, golf pro types in leisure suits and pointed toe boots, escorted lacquered haired, polyester pant-suited women clutching instamatics and binoculars. Replacing the traditional concert hall aroma of dope and sulphur, were the incongruous scents of hairspray and after shave. This was my initiation to a country music concert and my introduction to

Dolly Parton, who performed at Kiel Opera House Friday night.

The opening group, Timberline, offered a nice country-rocker set to an indifferent, impatient audience. There were a few tentative hand clap-alongs, but the majority of the audience steamed in tight-ass anticipation. "Boy," I thought. "It's gonna take an avalanche to loosen up this crowd."

But I hadn't seen Dolly yet.

Dolly, bouncing onstage for the uplifting opener, "Higher and Higher," looked like a caricature of her own commercial image — the massive, towering wig, the vacuum-packed pants, embellished with the trademark sequins. The shock of her entrance never

subsided. There was an incredible, intense energy level maintained for the duration of the concert, and this energy originated and was broadcast from Dolly herself.

Whether while singing and at times accompanying herself on dulcimer, banjo, and guitar, or engaging the audience in corn pone chatter, Dolly's stage presence was seemingly, completely natural and uninhibited, always thoroughly refreshing. Referring to the application of binoculars at the concert, Dolly kidded her much publicized measurements: "I know what you all came to see. You want to see if they're really as big as you heard they were...I'm talking about my wigs, what you all

got on your minds?"

There are no grits and gravy tones in Dolly's voice, none of the whining, nasal sentimentality of many country singers. The transcending, tremulous quality of her delicate, but sustaining soprano is capable of invoking and generating a kaleidoscope of emotions. In "Me and Little Andy," a rather homespun, maudlin tale of a girl and her puppy, when Dolly assumes a tiny, little girl's voice, all at once the stool she is sitting on seems too tall for her, and she looks for all the world, like the misplaced, lost child in the song.

Her songs become even more poignant when it is realized that most are her own compositions.

It is impossible to remain detached when Dolly sings her personal anthem, "Coat of Many Colors." The heartbreak in the lyrics and the heartbreak in her voice are too real, as in her definitive, achingly simple version of "I Will Always Love You."

Included in the evening's program were several new rock-pop selections, and judging from the enthusiastic audience response, the transition from country was more than successful.

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sports

Quincy puts end to Rivermen's streak

Jim Schnurbusch

The soccer Rivermen ended their season on a losing note last Saturday night with a 3-1 decision to the Quincy Hawks. On a brighter note, however, was the placing of the Rivermen as the number one seed for the Midwest Division II playoffs.

In last Saturday night's game, Quincy proved too much for the UMSL team that had a nine game unbeaten streak going.

The Hawk's who are ranked eleventh nationally, opened the scoring with a goal at the 20:17 mark of the first half. Quincy's Bob Radice put a shot past UMSL's goalie Gary LeGrande off a corner kick by Emiolio John.

Quincy then padded their lead with another goal at the 30:46 mark by Mike Koosman. Koosman headed the ball by LeGrande on a nice lead pass from Dan McDonnell.

The Rivermen couldn't produce much of a threat to the Hawks in the period and went in to the half trailing 2-0.

"We didn't feel bad about losing 2-0 at the half. We were playing well," explained head soccer coach Don Dallas.

In the second half it looked as though the Rivermen were going to even things up. Senior forward Jim Roth scored the Rivermen's only goal at 60:15. Quincy's goalie, Eric Delabar mis-handled the ball and Roth took advantage of the mistake and put the ball in the net. Only minutes later it looked as

though the Rivermen had tied it up. Senior front-liner Dennis Dougherty took a shot that banged off the cross bar and fell right out to Roth. Roth, however, kicked the ball over the top of the goal to end the threat.

Ironically, after UMSL's near miss Quincy added an insurance goal at 63:08. Again it was the Hawks Koosman that tallied with the assist going to Radice. LeGrande had no chance as the twosome came in on a two on one break.

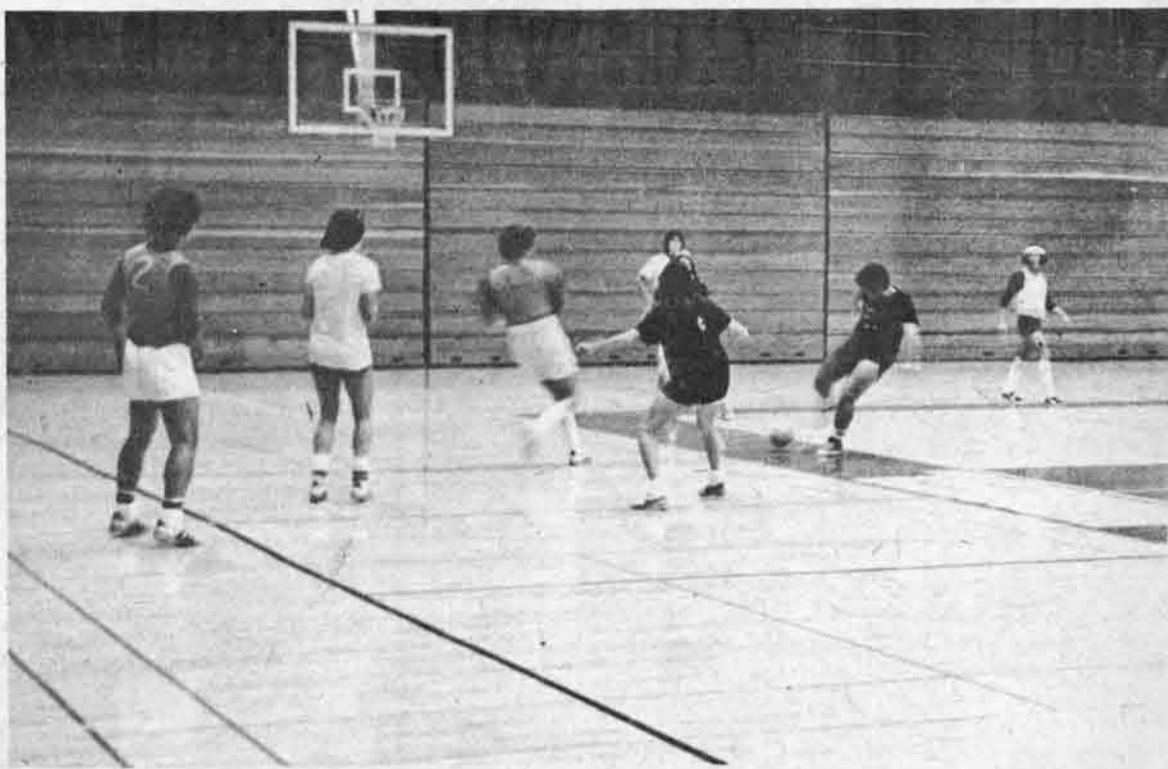
Dallas talked about the game, "We played a good game but we didn't take advantage of all the opportunities we had." He added, "We always want to do well against Quincy because we have a good series going, but both teams knew that they had bids wrapped up."

The shots on goal for the game were even at 16 a piece, however, Quincy held the edge in corner kicks 5-4.

The Rivermen's 9-4-1 record earned them the top seed in the playoffs which are to begin this weekend. The other seedings in UMSL's division went as follows: University of Wisconsin at Green Bay number two, Western Illinois number three and the last seed went to Eastern Illinois.

The Rivermen will be playing Eastern Illinois Saturday and will be seeking to avenge an earlier season 1-0 loss. The game will be played at UMSL's home field at 2 p.m. The University of Wisconsin - Green

[See "Rivermen," page 14]



BOMBS AWAY: A hoc-soc intramural player gets ready to take a shot as the defense closes in. Coed hoc-soc takes place every Monday and Wednesday night [photo by Sam Smith].

Riverwomen close season

Kathy Vetter

The field hockey Riverwomen finished fifth in the state last weekend with a respectable record of 7-6-2.

The Riverwomen got off to a shaky start, losing three of their first four games. The first two teams they faced, Southwest Missouri State, and St. Louis University, place first and second in the MAIAW (Missouri Association of Interscholastic Athletics for Women) State respectively.

The main contributor to these

losses was the fact that coach Judy Berres was trying out a new offense.

"It is called the 'Systems Play'," Berres explained, "and you can do just about anything on the forward line. We played 4-2-3-1, which is basically soccer strategy."

Once the girls became familiarized with this type of offense, the team exploded, winning five of their next eight games, which they tied two other games.

Perhaps the highlight of the season was UMSL's tie with St. Louis University at home on October 20. It was a very physical game, as it usually is when these two teams meet.

UMSL was very "Psyched up" for this game and gave an extremely impressive showing.

Entering the MAIAW State Tournament, the Riverwomen had a regular season record of 6-4-2.

The Riverwomen then lost to Southwest Missouri State and the always-tough Bulldogs from Northeast Missouri State.

However, UMSL finished on a winning note, blitzing William Jewel, 4-0.

The Riverwomen look towards next year as being bright and promising. All of the girls will be back with the exception of two.

[See "Riverwomen," page 16]

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Sports news

Harriers end a long season

Booster club seeks people

Head basketball coach, Chuck Smith, is looking for people to join the Rivermen Basketball Booster Club. The club is open to students, faculty and com-

munity. Anyone interested in joining the club should contact coach Smith at 453-5121.

Athletics sponsor assembly

The Athletic Department is sponsoring a "Sports Awareness Day" Friday, November 18 from 10:45 to 12:30.

The activities that will be held in the Multi-Purpose building include: the introduction of all

athletic team members, a wrestling exhibition, an inter-squad basketball game, a diving exhibition, and conducted tours of the Multi-Purpose building.

Attendance prizes will also be awarded.

Special events slated

The UMSL men's basketball game with the University of Missouri-Kansas City on Nov. 26 will be Student Guest Night, it has been announced.

On Student Guest Night each UMSL student, with a valid ID card, will be allowed to bring in one or two guests free of charge. UMSL students, of course, are admitted free to all home basketball games on their ID cards.

The special guest night promotion makes it possible for UMSL students to bring friends from other schools, or their parents, to see the UMSL River-

men in action.

The game will be the first ever between UMKC and UMSL. The Kangaroos are the defending NAIA Region 16 champions.

Friday, Nov. 25, the season opener, will be Staff Appreciation Night. UMSL meets Elmhurst at 7:30 p.m. that evening. Staff members and their families will be admitted to that game free of charge. Forms, good for admission, will be mailed to all faculty and staff members at their campus offices.

'Superstars' to be held

Athletically inclined UMSL men and women have been invited to form teams to vie for the campus championship in the first Budweiser College Super Stars competition.

Teams composed of four men and two women can enter the games, to be held at 9:00 a.m. on December 4, 1977, at the UMSL Athletic facilities.

The sextet emerging as the UMSL champion will advance to state, regional and finally national Budweiser College Super Stars finals, to be held next May in Tampa, Florida.

Endorsed by the ational Entertainment and Campus Activities Association, the Budweiser Super Stars games will pit coed

teams against each other in six events: volleyball, 880 relay race, "six-pack Pitch In" (a basketball type game), obstacle course, Frisbee throw and tug-of-war.

To be eligible, contestants must be active full-time students who have not participated in any varsity sports and who are not on athletic scholarships.

Teams interested in entering the UMSL Budweiser Super Stars games should contact Rick Blanton, Director of Student Activities (453-5536), or Jim Velten, Intramural Director (453-5641).

All entries must be submitted before 5:00 p.m., November 23, 1977.

Paul Adams

The UMSL cross country team finished their season this past week with the University of Chicago Invitational on Saturday and the SLACAA meet on Monday October 31.

In the University of Chicago Invitational UMSL took sixth place out of the seven possible. Wabash College won the meet with 40 points and UMSL finished with 152.

Coach Neal commented "A lot of the teams that were expected to be at the meet weren't there, but the better teams were there. If those other teams would have been there we would have done better."

The winning time on the four mile course was 19:52 and the first UMSL runner, Neil Rebbe, finished eighth with a time of 20:41. Mike Rocchio finished 20 in a time of 21:13. Jerry Young finished 40 in 22:51, and Don Schwalje came in behind Young with a time of 23:05. To round out the finishers Phil Vivirito finished 43 in 24:18 and Joe Halley covered the course in 24:40.

The final meet of the year was held Monday October 31 at

Queeny Park. The final score was SIU 16, UMSL 59 and Washington University 63. Coach Neal felt the meet showed marked improvement over the beginning of the season. Coach Neal said, "This meet showed how much we have improved over the season, Washington U. had beaten us two times previously and now we have beaten them."

Mike Rocchio was the first UMSL finisher as he took ninth in 29:12. Rocchio was closely followed by team captain Neil Rebbe who took tenth in 29:20. Jerry Young was the next UMSL finisher as his time of 32:00 was good enough for 14th.

Freshmen Bob Windisch and Cliff Siebert took 17 and 19 with times of 32:32 and 33:40. Other UMSL finishers were Joe Halley, Phil Vivirito and Tom Cunningham. They placed 20, 22, and 23 with times of 34:16, 34:35 and 38:52.

Neil Rebbe, the team captain, will be running in the NCAA meet in Chicago on November 12. Through his consistent performance Rebbe has been chosen to run as a representative for UMSL. Throughout the season, Rebbe has been the



TOP RUNNER: Neil Rebbe number one man on the team and as a senior this Saturday's meet will be his last.

Volleyball enters state play

Vita Epifanio

Last Saturday, in the Western Illinois University Tournament in Macomb, Illinois, the volleyball Riverwomen took second in the overall competition and completed the day with a 3-1 record.

In their opening match, they easily handled Southeast Missouri State in straight games, 15-11 and 15-2.

Next they faced the strong hitting team, the University of Wisconsin at Madison. In a close match, UMSL nudged past them in straight games, 15-11 and 15-10.

Coach Jim Doty explained that this team "was notably a stronger hitting team than UMSL, but we didn't make as many errors as they had consequently won."

However, in their last match, Western Illinois proved too tough, and UMSL was beaten 8-15, 15-12, and 4-15.

This match closed the competition, and with their 3-1 record, the Riverwomen boosted their season record to 19-9.

Doty commented on the team's performance: "Throughout the tournament, we did not bump very well, and we didn't pressure our opponent as well as we could." In fact, according to Doty, "the good defense kept us in the games and probably aided us the most in our three victories."

The MAIAW (Missouri Association of Interscholastic Athletics for Women) State Tournament begins this Friday and Saturday. With their present

19-9 season record, the Riverwomen are seeded fourth in state.

No doubt the "big weapons" for UMSL will be Liz Davis and Julie O'Shaughnessy.

"The team is both physically and mentally ready," Doty said of the upcoming state tournament. "The girls are a little tired after a long season, but a couple days' rest will help."

"Injury-wise the team look good, and again, mentally, the team is prepared," he said.

Going into state with their impressive record of 19-9, UMSL will face a tough Mizzou team in the first round of competition. After losing to them earlier in a close match, Doty explained, "we'll have to face Mizzou first, but there is no better time to beat them than in state competition."

Rivermen

from page 13

Bay will be battling with Western Illinois this weekend also on their home field.

The Rivermen look to be in good shape as they enter their sixth consecutive season of post season action. Dallas looks to the game with only minor concerns, "We don't have any players injured which is good. We just have to eliminate the fact that we've given up six goals in the last two games."

Dallas concluded, "Of the four teams that are in the playoffs, any one can win it."

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Rivermen are tough; no 'bones' about it

Jim Schnurbusch

For those fans that were wondering, UMSL will still put a basketball team on the courts this year, even without All-American Bobby Bone. As a matter of fact, the Rivermen will boast a strong and aggressive team that should better last year's record of 13-13.

This year's squad will be led by 6-6 junior, Hubert Hoosman; 5-11 junior, Grayling Tobias; 6-5 senior, Rolandis Nash; and 6-9 senior, Mark Henrichs.

Last year Hoosman alternated between the forward and guard positions. He averaged 16.2 points a game and was second on the team in rebounds.

Tobias teamed with Bone last season in the back court and provided the other half of spark from the two. This year Tobias will be in the position to be the playmaker for the squad and will be relied heavily upon to fill the vacancy left by Bone. Tobias may not average 30 points a game but should do a sufficient job.

Last year he average 14.8 points a game and shot an impressive 81 per cent from the foul line. (Tobias was also an All-American in baseball last year.)

Rolandis Nash, 6-5 forward, will be back again this year after recovering from knee problems for the better part of last year. Nash's problems kept him out of 12 games last year; however he still averaged a respectable 11.8 points per game, and was second in team scoring for the '74-'75 season.

The biggest question mark on the squad this year will be the progression of 6-9 center Mark Henrichs. Henrichs underwent a hernia operation in October and is expected to miss about a month of pre-season practice.

Last year Henrichs average a 7.8 points a game and had a 6.8 rebound average.

"Depth is probably our number one strength at this point," head basketball coach, Chuck Smith, said.

Ed Holhubner is 6-6 junior transfer from Shawnee Junior

College. Last year he was an All-Conference choice from that team.

Carl Walton is a 6-5 forward from Amarillo Junior College in Texas. Last year he was the MVP on that team.

Terry Williams is also a 6-5 forward who transferred to UMSL from Southeastern Community College in Burlington, Iowa.

Brad Scheiter is the only freshmen on the team this year. Scheiter is a 6-3 guard from Alton High School in Alton, Illinois. Scheiter was an All-Conference selection last year.

Mike Woodling is a 6-8 sophomore transfer student who will be eligible for the second semester.

Also returning for the Rivermen this year are lettermen Lamont Shannon, Mike McCor-

mack, and Dave Watkins.

"I though the recruitment was pretty good," Smith said. "We thought that they all would be good ball players. We would have liked to have gotten maybe five or six from the area high schools but Brad Scheiter was the only one we could get."

Smith went on to talk about his expectations for the season: "It's going to depend a lot on whether or not Henrichs can get back in shape. I have high hopes for a good season, especially with all the veteran players we have and all the experienced ones we picked up."

Different about this year's team will be the amount of playing time for those on the team. "In previous years we went basically with five or six players during a game, but this

year with all the depth we have, we plan on using probably at least nine people," Smith said.

The Rivermen have been practicing for about a month now, working on defense, fast breaks and just getting to know each other's style of play.

Also new to this year's team will be the addition of assistant coach, Tom Bartow, nephew of former UCLA coach Gene Bartow.

The Rivermen open their season on November 25 at 7:30 p.m. against Elmhurst College. The game will be played at the Multi-Purpose building and is slated as "Staff Appreciation Night."

Tickets for the game are available at the ticket window. Prices are \$1.75 for adults, \$1.25 for students and admission is free for all UMSL students with the showing of an UMSL I.D.



ONE EDGE: The ball seems to be balanced on the rim. The basketball team has been practicing for about a month now under the watchful eyes of head coach Chuck Smith [photo by Sam Smith].

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Women open play

Vita Epifanio

The women's basketball season begins November 25 when the Riverwomen compete in the SMSU (Southwest Missouri State University), Turkey Tournament at Springfield.

According to Coach Carol Gomes, this year's team is very young. Only three senior, Pat Shelley, Tommie Wehrle, and Judy Schneider will be returning. The rest of the team will consist of one junior, three sophomores, and four freshmen.

In fact, only 15 girls tried out this year. Gomes commented on this low total: "I feel that many girls are unaware of the basketball program here at UMSL, and it may be due to the fact that the program is just in its fourth

year. "However, more importantly, many high school students and coaches are unaware of the women's program at UMSL," she continued. "I hope to meet with several high school coaches and explain to them the opportunities and expansion of women's basketball in the college ranks."

Though untested as yet, the competition this year will definitely be tougher than prior seasons. For example, because of schedule expansion, UMSL will be competing with many larger Missouri schools such as Southeast Missouri State, Mizzou, and Central Missouri State. Mizzou and Central Missouri are thought to be the toughest Missouri schools.

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Mat men eager to start season

Jim Schnurbusch

The UMSL wrestling squad has started practice for their upcoming season. Head coach Gary Wilson is optimistic about this year's team and looks for improvement over last year's 2-9

The team will be lead by Vince LoBosco at the 150 weight class and Bob Borden, wrestling at 142. Both LoBosco and Borden are seniors and are this years co-captains.

Other returning lettermen include sophomore Tom Rothwell at 126 or 134, junior Paul Kurz at 158, sophomore Jim Roberts, 167 or 177, sophomore Bob Grveskowiak, 167 or 177 and Bill Morrow a senior wrestling at 177 or 190.

Some of the promising newcomers to the squad are freshmen Donnie Anderson, who placed fourth in the state finals of the high school tournament from Pattonville High School.

Dave Eswine, a junior also shows potential at 118 and Bob Harmon, a freshmen from St. Mary's is filling in the heavy-weight spot.

The Rivermen are also boasting two transfer students who are ineligible to wrestle this year but are working out with the team. Dave Welsh was the high school champion in his weight class in 1976 and is now expected to wrestle at 142 or 150. He transferred this year from SIU-E where he wrestled last year. Steve Jansen is the other transfer student. Jansen came from Ohio State University where he wrestled on the squad at 150 or 158. In his senior year of high school he compiled a 28-3 record.

Wilson views the season as promising. "I expect to be better than last year, I think we can definitely be a .500 team. We've got the potential," explained Wilson.

The team thus far has been practicing for three weeks. Wilson explains that the practices consist of instructional type learning, conditioning and it will progress to more and more actual wrestling.

Last year the team was paced by LoBosco and Borden who both qualified for the National finals.

The Rivermen mat men will open their season on Saturday, November 19 at the St. Louis Open which is held at Forest Park Community College. This meet attracts area colleges as well as out of state schools such as the University of Oklahoma who was ranked in the top four nationally last year. This meet however, is based on individual performance only and there are no team scores given.

The first regular meet will be Saturday, December 3 against Southeast Missouri State and Washington University. It starts at 1 p.m. and will be held at the Multi-Purpose building.

"Our biggest weakness looks to be in the heavyweight spot because Harmon had never wrestled in high school," said Wilson.

He adds, "We also would like to have more people out for the team. Not all the positions have been decided on for sure."

Anyone interested should contact Wilson at 453-5641.



MAKING HIS MOVE: One of the many hopefuls practice a wrestling move during a recent team practice. The wrestling team opens its season November 19 [photo by Sam Smith].

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Senior halfback Pat Shelley, who has done a tremendous job for four years for UMSL, has used up her playing eligibility.

Another senior who has done a fantastic job, Tommie Wehrle, will graduate this year.

"Bear" Allmeyer, also a senior may not be coming back, either. Allmeyer, having used only three years eligibility, is pursuing a double major and is uncertain whether she will return to UMSL next year. She is UMSL's second leading scorer with eight goals.

Berres felt that no single person had contributed to UMSL's winning season, but the team as a whole did.

"I was really pleased with all of the girls," she said. "It was hard for the girls to get used to the 'Systems Play'. We had begun practicing it one and a half weeks before our first game. However, the girls adjusted very well."

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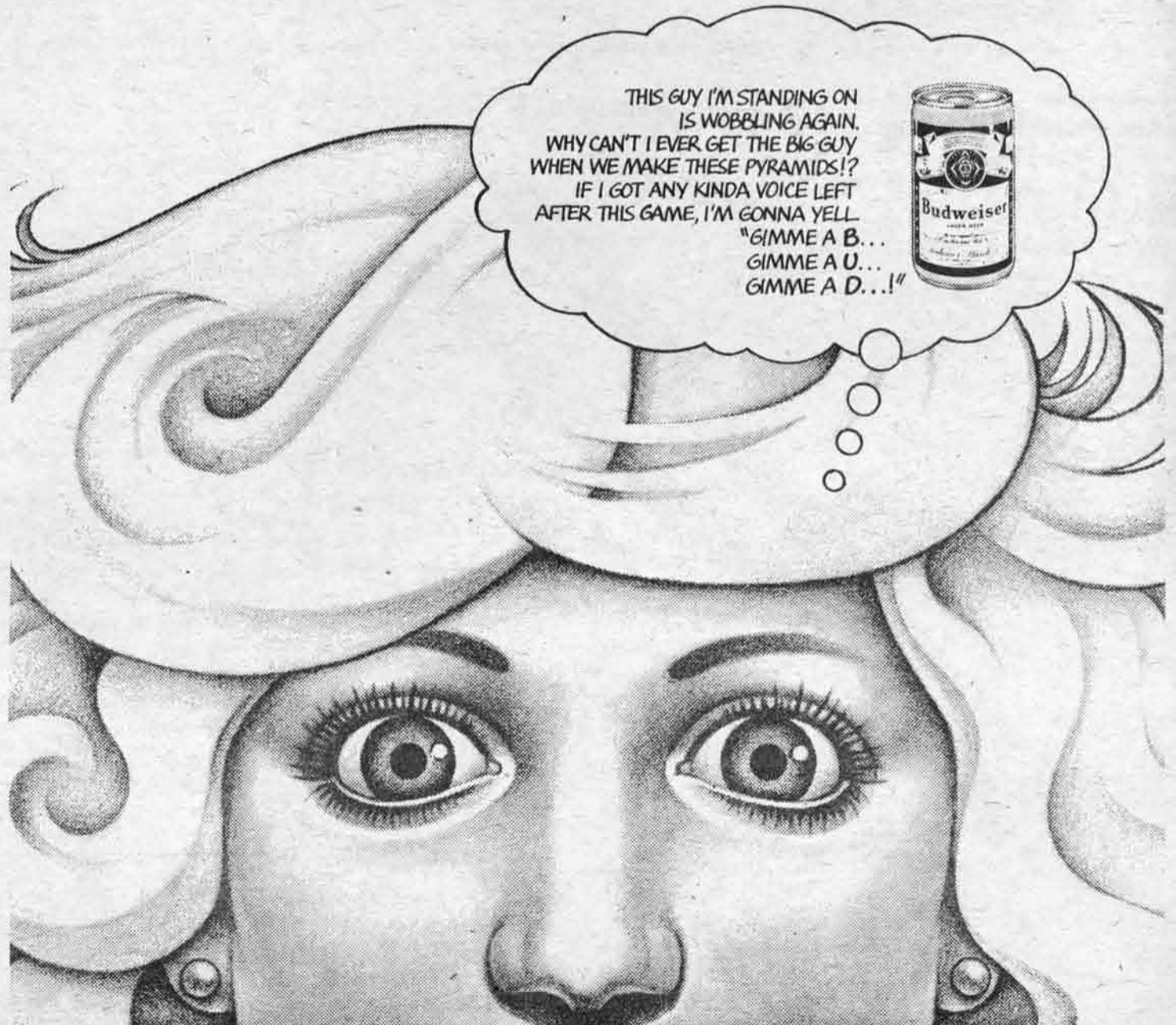
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