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Protesters line the walls around the placement office, waiting for a representative of McDonnell-Douglas Corporation. Current Photo

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No, they're not making a wish in this scene from the Barbwire Theatre production of *The Cage*, coming to Room 105, Benton Hall, at 8:30 p.m., March 31. The play, performed by a San Quentin dramatic group and written by former inmate Rick Cluchey, features Robert Poole, Mike Gonzales, De De Ford, Henry (Bagdad) Everhart, and Cluchey. Admission is \$1 with a UMSL ID.

Demonstration held, Ganz to act on protests

By MARY GLYNN
Current Staff Writer

The demonstration held by the Committee to End the War (CEW) to protest the appearance on campus of a McDonnell-Douglas Aircraft Company recruiter last Friday, has prompted Dean of Student Affairs David Ganz to seek a set of guidelines to answer whether or not defense contractors should be allowed to continue recruiting on campus.

The protest that prompted Ganz's actions began when about 40 protesters gathered in the Cafe-Annex lounge at 8:30 a.m. Friday. They then went to the steps and hallway leading to the placement office on the second floor of the Administration Building.

Ganz told the Central Council Sunday that he was setting up an ad-hoc committee to investigate the situation and to advise the Placement Office. However, he later told the *Current* that it might be the responsibility of the Student Affairs Committee of the Faculty Senate to handle the matter. Ganz said he would get confirmation from Chancellor Glen R. Driscoll.

If the Student Affairs Committee does take up the issue, the CEW will be invited to appear to present their views and explain their stand regarding recruitment.

The CEW was given a list of recruiters scheduled to be on campus and was asked to inform Ganz of any they objected to. The CEW will decide at a later date whether to protest the appearance of a Navy recruiter in April.

Ganz assured that their objections will be taken into consideration and their right to peacefully protest will be upheld.

However, he said it was his duty

to see that the recruiter's visit is "at a minimum, peaceful, and hopefully courteous." He said the CEW would be allowed to assemble, carry and display placards, and to use "moral persuasion" to dissuade students from talking to the recruiter.

The McDonnell-Douglas recruiter scheduled to appear on campus Friday did not come to the university. Joseph Palmer, Director of Placement said that, since there were no job openings available, no one had signed for interviews and the recruiter never came.

However, Ganz told the protesters that McDonnell-Douglas had elected to hold its interviews at their north county plant after being informed of the demonstration.

The protesters wanted the opportunity to speak with Ganz and Palmer concerning recruitment procedures.

Ganz initially said he would speak with four or five members of the group as their representatives. The group responded that there were not four or five members who could speak for the entire organization.

Ganz and Palmer later met with the group, which explained their views on the relationship between McDonnell-Douglas and the Indochina war and what they felt the university's attitudes toward McDonnell-Douglas should be.

One student stated, "As the university grows, it will be able to go into defense contracting. It must decide now whether or not it wants to become involved with companies like 'Mac.' Seventy per cent of what 'Mac' makes are planes and bombers used in the war."

Ganz said that, while no one could argue the fact that McDon-

nell-Douglas makes money supplying war materials, he felt that the 70 per cent figure was too high.

Palmer justified McDonnell-Douglas' presence on campus by saying "interviews are part of the total picture of the university. We allow anyone who has a legitimate employment opportunity to come on campus."

A member of the group retorted, "The question of having war contractors on campus is a moral one. Does the university really have the right to encourage the manufacture of planes used to kill and maim helpless peasants? We must consider the victims of the war and their rights."

Ganz called this position "a very real moral question."

Spokesmen for the CEW called Friday's demonstration a success. "Mac' didn't come and get more people to build killer planes," one said. "Forty people were interested enough to do something against the war. It was a good start."

Dan Sullivan, president of the Evening College Council, read a statement to the Central Council Sunday that called the actions of the CEW "disruptive, discriminatory and totally irresponsible." A petition was circulated among council members asking that they support the ECC's position.

Jon Cohen, a mathematics instructor and a member of the CEW, laughed at the ECC's allegations Tuesday, saying "They (the ECC) weren't even there."

The CEW has a table set up in the lobby of the Administration Building where they will pass out literature pertaining to the struggle to end the war, black rights, and the women's liberation movement. Anyone who wishes to keep abreast of the Committee's actions should speak with someone at that table.



Dean of Student Affairs David Ganz speaks with protesting members of the Committee to End the War last Friday. The Committee protested the scheduled appearance of the McDonnell-Douglas interviewer. The recruiter didn't appear, electing to hold his interviews at the McDonnell plant.

Current photo by Bridget Ellege

Metro center gets \$20,000 for study

The Danforth Foundation has granted \$20,000 to the Center for Community and Metropolitan Studies to conduct a study to project the likely needs of the St. Louis metropolitan area during the next decade for college-educated manpower.

The one-year project, to forecast the area's future needs for those with bachelor's, master's, and doctoral degrees, will be based on industrial and occupational trends.

Allowance will be made for labor market demand shifts, the impact of technological change, and e-

merging demographic patterns. Dr. Solomon Suker (sociology) and Dr. Herbert D. Werner (economics) will serve as co-directors of the study, with their efforts supplemented by two advisory groups to be appointed by center director Dr. Norton Long.

Besides a policy committee of civic leaders, there will be a technical committee of local and national experts on higher education and manpower utilization which will assist in the design and evaluation of the research project.

On Campus

FRIDAY, MARCH 26th

8 am - 4 pm

Bake Sale sponsored by Angel Flight, in the Cafe, Admin. Bldg.

7:30 & 9:45 pm

Film Series: Who's Afraid of Virginia Wolff? 101, Life-Sciences Bldg. 50¢ with UMSL I.D. Sponsored by the University Program Board.

8 pm

All School Mixer sponsored by Sigma Pi, in the Cafe-Lounge Bldg.

SUNDAY, MARCH 28th

3 pm

UMSL Orchestra Concert 105, BH

MONDAY, MARCH 29th

8 am - 4 pm

Bake Sale sponsored by the English Club, in the Cafe, Admin. Bldg.

TUESDAY, MARCH 30th

8 am - 4 pm

Bake Sale sponsored by Sigma Tau Gamma, in the Cafe Admin. Bldg.

11:30

Hot Lunch at the Luther House, 3100 Bellevue Dr.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 31st

8 am - 4 pm

Bake Sale sponsored by the Inter Greek Council, in the Cafe, Admin. Bldg.

All Day

Alpha Phi Omega Blood Drive, in the Lounge-Cafe-Lounge Bldg.

8:30 pm

The Barbwire Theatre presents the live stage production of "The Cage" Room 105, BH \$1 with UMSL I.D. Advance tickets on sale, room 206, Admin. Bldg.

THURSDAY, APRIL 1st

11:30 am

Informal Lecture by Dr. Peter Wolfe, English Department professor on his interviews with authors. Sponsored by the English Club, in the Lounge, Cafe-Lounge Bldg.

UMSL on the air

The Board of Curators gave authorization at their March 19 meeting to proceed with construction of UMSL's proposed non-commercial, educational FM radio station.

The station will have the call letters KWMU-FM.

Interim President C. Brice Ratchford said the station will serve the educational mission of the university not only at campus but also throughout the public listening area. The station will operate as an educational resource with informational, instructional and cultural programming.

In addition to the main channel of the station, sideband channels will allow the broadcast of instructional programs to special audiences such as physicians, teachers, lawyers, nurses, law enforcement personnel and others. The main channels can be heard over standard FM radio receivers but special receivers will be required to tune in the sideband channels.

The station is being financed with a federal grant of \$102,615, with matching costs from university for \$74,108. Tentative plans call for the KWMU-FM transmitter and antenna to be located at the tower of KDNA-TV, Channel 30, in south St. Louis county. The

main studio, master control and central switching system will be on campus.

The site is as yet uncertain, as is the date when the station will begin broadcasting.

Dean of Student Affairs, David Ganz said that initially the station will probably be on a limited broadcast schedule, but that even-

tually it will be able to broadcast 24 hours a day.

A station director will have to be chosen. Ganz said that hopefully the station's programming will be mostly student oriented.

The station will have a 100,000 transmitting signal, comparable to that of KMOX-FM.

Pre-enrollment dates announced

Currently enrolled students who wish to register in advance for the 1971 summer session and fall semester must submit requests for permits to re-enroll on or before April 16.

Students on scholastic probation may enroll but registrations submitted by students who have been suspended will be cancelled.

Students who have submitted requests for re-enrollment can obtain registration packets in the Admissions office May 7 to 20.

Advisement and pre-registration for currently enrolled day students will be held May 10 to 21 for the summer session or fall semester or both.

Regular registration for day divisions for the summer session

will be held June 21.

Evening college advisement and pre-registration for the fall semester will be held May 3 to 6, and 10 to 13. Students who have submitted re-enrollment permits may pick up their registration packets on the same dates.

Graduate student advisement and pre-registration for the summer session will take place May 11 to 13. Registration packets for those who have submitted re-enrollment permits can be picked up May 3 to 13.

Advance registration for the fall semester will be July 20 to 22. Regular registration for the summer session for evening college and graduate school students will be June 16 and 17.

Article stirs resentment

ABC voices disapproval of Fortnightly allegations

By DARRELL SHOULTS
Current Managing Editor

The Association of Black Collegians has sent out a rebuttal to certain statements made in the March 18 issue of the **History Fortnightly**.

The **Fortnightly**, in an answer to a letter from ABC member Robert Norfolk, said that the device hanging from the pole outside the Blue Building where many blacks gather between classes was a circuit breaker for the computer in the Administration building.

Some blacks believe that the device is a camera intended to keep them under surveillance.

The **Fortnightly** went on to note:

"We are at a complete loss to understand why anyone would want to keep UMSL blacks under surveillance. If UMSL blacks are exemplary of the heights of black radicalism, then the revolution had better look elsewhere for its leadership."

The ABC took offense at the **Fortnightly's** statement, replying that they felt the **Fortnightly** was out of line in stating that black radicalism on this campus is negligible.

The statement said:

"The **History Fortnightly** is something like a damn phantom sheet where a bunch of unheard-of motherf--s who don't even mention their names

make up all kinds of slanderous statements. Well, up to now, that was all hip, but when you start infringing on black students, that's when the distinction starts.

"We don't know what the editor's intentions were for writing what he wrote," it continued, "but listen: regardless of how apathetic a black student is on this campus, it is not a bunch of damn honkies' job to tell black students they aren't s--t--which is what you did in your slick-sly rhetorical way.

"Black radicalism on this campus is a reality and this is not a threat but a pro-

mise: keep your slurs directed at your immediate friends and family or we are going to make a believer out of somebody. DIG?"

Numerous attempts to reach the editors of the **Fortnightly** or the leaders of the ABC for further comment were unsuccessful.

The ABC presented their rebuttal to Dean of Student Affairs David Ganz Friday.

Ganz related the ABC's feeling to the Central Council at its meeting Sunday, saying that he was concerned that these feelings of animosity could produce worse feelings of racial polarization on this campus than before.

Departments split \$245,083 grant

By RITA SIMON
Current Staff Writer

The National Institute of Mental Health, a branch of the Department of Health, Education and Welfare, recently granted UMSL \$245,083, to be shared by five departments.

According to Dr. Lewis J. Sherman, developer of a para-professional training program proposal, the grant is the largest ever received by UMSL for training or research.

Sherman, a professor of psychology and director of the Counseling Service, called the program

an experiment to "vocalize the bachelor's degree."

The aim of the proposed program is to prepare 75 undergraduates, mostly from disadvantaged backgrounds, for para-professional careers in mental health and allied human service agencies.

The program will prepare them to fill positions that previously required postgraduate training.

However, trainees will still be required to complete all standard degree requirements in major fields as well as prescribed social science courses.

In addition, they will attend special seminars and obtain up to 900 hours of supervised field training with an appropriate agency.

Sherman explained that no new degrees will be initiated as a result of the program.

Instead, the program will "complete the regular undergraduate degree, enhancing the concentration of each student in his major field," he said.

The trainees will be majors in psychology, sociology, econo-

mics, public administration, or business administration.

They will be chosen from two programs in which UMSL is already participating.

One of these, Project UNITED (University Needs in the Education of the Disadvantaged) is UMSL's special service program of intensive guidance, counseling, tutorial, remedial instruction and financial aid for disadvantaged students.

The other, Project AHEAD, (Associated Higher Education Assistance for the Disadvantaged), is a program shared among the Junior College District and some 13 area colleges and universities.

The project provides disadvantaged students with tutoring, counseling and study. These special services aid in the later transition to a participating senior institution.

Sherman expressed the hope that the program will "provide a model for other urban universities also struggling with the crucial manpower shortages facing human service agencies today."

"It is evident that such manpower needs will never be satisfied through conventional postgraduate training methods," he said.

Five faculty members, one from each of the five participating areas, will serve as department coordinators of the para-professional program.

Besides partially satisfying the human service agencies' enormous need for competent employees, the grant could enable this campus to take the lead in an entirely new and practical approach to education in many academic and non-academic areas, Sherman added.

U-Senate approved

The Board of Curators approved changes in the by-laws of the University of Missouri-St. Louis at their Mar. 19 meeting in Kansas City, that will permit the creation of a University Senate composed of students as well as faculty members and administrative officers. The by-law changes initially were approved last May by the UMSL faculty.

The new senate will consist of 25 students elected by the student body, 75 faculty members elected by the faculty, the university president, the chancellor, all deans, and administrative staff who are designated by the chancellor as ex-officio, non-voting members. Previously the senate contained 90 faculty members.

The new senate will meet regularly each month beginning Aug. 1. Under the new arrangement, students will serve with full voting rights on all the senate's 14 standing committees with the exceptions of the Committee on Appointments, Tenure and Promotion and the Committee on Research and Publication.

The senate is charged with recommending and implementing educational policy, particularly in the areas of curriculum, degree requirements, instructional methods, research, admissions requirements, student affairs and faculty status.

Reischauer: Japan's future uncertain

By MARGARET JENSEN
Current Staff Writer

The role of Japan in the world of the future is uncertain, according to Dr. Edwin O. Reischauer, former ambassador to Japan.

"Japan is probably the biggest question-mark in the world today," he told a crowd of 500 here Friday.

He described Japan as a fast-moving nation of tremendous achievers, quicker at making decisions than Americans because their business dealings are more impersonal.

Arguing Japan's political stability, Reischauer maintained there have been no upsetting political movements there in spite of the rapid changes in national life since the latter part of the 19th century.

One reason he offered for Japan's success was the fact that their leaders do not need charisma or a popular image.

The Japanese economic and political systems work together rather than against each other, he asserted, and consider their relation a partnership.

Reischauer also cited the Japanese enjoyment of working, their strong personal internal discipline, and wages based on seniority rather than productivity.

Japan plays an important role in Asia because it is a non-western power, he said, which enables Japan to serve as an inspiration and a model for other Asian nations besides trading with them.

However, other Asian nations fear and distrust the Japanese, who consider themselves superior, he explained.

Reischauer offered the world trading community, in which Japan participates to a great extent, as the answer to world peace.

If all nations are economically interdependent, he asserted, wars will become less feasible.

UMSL hosts USAES convention

By MARTY HENDIN
For The Current

The first national student convention to be held here will begin at 9:30 p.m. April 2, when Rita Swiener and Dean of Student Affairs David Ganz welcome delegates from 40 schools to the mid-year conference of the United States Association of Evening Students.

Miss Swiener, founder and first president of the Evening College Council and currently president of the Central Midwest Region of the USAES, is convention chairman, while Ganz is a member of the USAES Board of Trustees.

The convention will run until April 4, with meetings set on campus and at Rodeway Inn on Natural Bridge Road.

Following the official welcome, delegates will meet in a general session before breaking off into regional meetings.

The schedule on April 3 includes another full delegate meeting and a series of afternoon workshops featuring UMSL administrators and faculty.

Donald Bowling, Assistant to the Dean of the Evening College, will conduct a workshop on student services, emphasizing advising.

David Allen, Assistant Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences will hold a workshop on parliamentary procedure.

Dr. John Boswell's (psychology) workshop will deal with course evaluation.

Miss Swiener and Dean Ganz will team up with Evening College Dean Joy Whitener and his assistant, Dr. Harry Gaffney, to present various viewpoints on the one-university concept, the main goal of the USAES. Various angles of the one-university concept will be covered in this workshop.

Dr. Whitener will deal with the academic aspect while Dean Ganz will be concerned with the student activity viewpoint. Miss Swiener will deal with the student view and Dr. Gaffney will discuss his experiences at a school where the day and evening divisions are separate.

Following another delegate meeting late in the afternoon, the day's activities will conclude with a dinner-dance for the conventioners.

The following day's activities will include an executive committee meeting and a bus tour of St. Louis.

"Considering we have been a member of USAES for only a little over a year, we consider it quite an honor that we were selected to host the convention," Miss Swiener noted.

Any member of the campus who wishes to help with or attend the convention should contact Miss Swiener or Dean Ganz.

COMMENTARY: Editorials and Opinions

For whom the bell tolls

The activities of the Committee to End the War, directed against on-campus recruitment by representatives of McDonnell-Douglas Corporation, have shattered UMSL's tenuous seclusion from the headaches of a dilemma which has confronted many campuses across the nation during recent years: should the armed forces and defense contractors, on moral grounds, be barred from on-campus recruitment? If so, is the principle worth the risk of alienating such companies as McDonnell, which contributes through its cooperative program to the continued education of many students?

Most students already have some opinion on this subject, and it is doubtful whether any amount of argumentation will dissuade them. That isn't our purpose, but certain aspects of the subject must be examined.

Too many opponents of such on-campus recruiting can distinguish only the moral aspects of the case, in which they feel they have a corner on the market. Their logic is airtight. The war in Vietnam is genocidal, immoral, downright evil, etc., with the war effort sustained by the armed forces and defense contractors; therefore, the university should sever its ties with such groups or else declare its support for everything that happens in Indochina.

The tinted glasses of moral vision

considerably simplify the proposition, but function like blinders--they obscure the peripheral ramifications attending such a decision.

Opposition on moral grounds to on-campus recruitment often overlooks--or simply discounts--the resentment caused by such quarantine treatment. No matter how much Right is on their side, no one appreciates being condemned as evil. Any policy on recruitment would have to take into account that companies could retaliate against exclusion through their employment practices or any other method to influence the university.

The moral opponents admit that students have a right to on-campus job interviews, but maintain that such rights should be subordinated to the right of survival which they argue are denied to Asians by the armed forces and defense contractors. Their arguments that the university should disavow the "murder" in Indochina are impressive, but patience wears thin with people so sure that they alone know the right way.

On a smaller scale, such certainty in one's own rectitude has already rebounded to the detriment of the university. The Kiwanis Club, which previously sponsored two full scholarships every year for UMSL students, donated the controversial liberty bell to this campus. So maybe it is ugly--what does that matter? The university didn't pay for it, it was a gift, and all

of us have received useless and unattractive gifts that we've tolerated so as not to offend the giver. But the bell was the target of constant criticism, culminating with a derogatory article in the *History Fortnightly* a couple of months ago, which was followed by the spray-painting of the bell. We know of no evidence implicating the *Fortnightly* with the defacement, besides moral sanction, and it really doesn't matter who did it. What matters, it seems, is that whoever decided to put principles into action scuttled those two scholarships, which doesn't seem too bright at a time when universities are crying for financial aid.

Awareness of moral distinctions should be accompanied by a realization that once you start a snowball rolling down a slope, it's likely to pick up rocks and junk as well. If someone decides to set himself up as the arbiter of moral or artistic values, he must be prepared to take the responsibility for the repercussions. Worrying about consequences can't be left to someone else.

Some decision must be made now. After weighing moral and monetary considerations, whoever is entrusted with the decision must be willing to endure either the moralistic reprimands of the opponents or the possibility of retaliation by the excluded recruiters.

Mastering the Draft

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Are you making satisfactory academic progress this spring? If not you may be drafted next fall. Continuation of a student's II-S deferment depends upon his "satisfactorily pursuing a full-time course of instruction." Unsatisfactory progress is a legitimate ground for denying a future II-S.

The draft board must decide whether you made satisfactory progress during this academic year before renewing your II-S for the next academic year. Draft boards follow a key regulation that purports to lay down an iron-clad definition of satisfactory progress: "A student shall be deemed to be 'satisfactorily pursuing a full-time course of instruction' when, during his academic year (i.e., the 12-month period following the beginning of a course of study), he has earned, as a minimum, credits toward his degree which, when added to any credits earned during prior academic years, represents a proportion of the total number required to earn his degree at least equal to the proportion which the number of academic years completed bears to the normal number of years established by the school to obtain such degree."

Mercifully, this legalistic formula concludes with its own built-in illustration: "For example, a student pursuing a four-year course should have earned 25%

of the credits required for his baccalaureate degree at the end of his first academic year, 50% at the end of his second academic year, and 75% at the end of his third academic year."

Suppose, however, that you are several credits shy of 50% at the end of your sophomore year. Can you be denied renewal of your II-S for your upcoming junior year?

A negative response was recently handed down by the Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit (covering Maryland, West Virginia, Virginia, North and South Carolina). The Court held in *Coleman v. Tolson* that a student might still qualify for a II-S, even though, technically, he has not made satisfactory progress.

Coleman, himself, failed to earn 50% of his credits by the end of his second academic year in a four-year program. He was just seven credit hours short of being a full-fledged junior.

The deficit was not Coleman's fault. Instead, it resulted from a school policy of requiring certain freshmen to pursue three semesters, rather than the normal two, before qualifying as sophomores. Consistent with this administrative policy, Coleman was a student in good standing in the eyes of the school. The school so informed Coleman's draft board, stating that he would fulfill all his necessary credits within the two years left before receiving

his degree.

But the school's affirmation did not satisfy the draft board. Following the definition of satisfactory progress to the letter, the board reclassified Coleman I-A at the start of his third academic year and ordered him to report for induction. Finally, when Coleman's case reached court, the Fourth Circuit ordered the draft board to classify him II-S.

"Whether a student is 'satisfactorily pursuing a full-time course of instruction,'" the Court declared, "is a question of fact. In resolving that question the source of information and evidence is obviously the college administration. So long as a college certifies that a registrant is expected to graduate on time, and it appears reasonably probable that he can do so, he should be entitled to retain his II-S classification. When a college cannot certify that the registrant is expected to graduate on time, certainly a local board would have a basis in fact for terminating the deferment."

This judicial interpretation of satisfactory progress is both loose and reasonable. It is loose because it departs from the strict letter of the regulations which Coleman's board blindly followed. The court's departure is reasonable, however, because it looks toward the ultimate goal of graduation rather than the ups and downs of annual achievement.

ATTENTION: The next issue, the last before spring break, will contain our annual edition of *Slum Clearance*, the *Current's* April Fool's tribute to the university, the administration, the student government, the duck community, satirical excellence, and plain bad taste. Be sure to pick up an April 1 issue. Remember, truth is stranger than fiction.

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Students, businessmen to discuss pollution

UMSL will join Southern Illinois University--Edwardsville, Webster College, Washington University, St. Louis University, Ralston-Purina, Pet Inc., McDonnell-Douglas, Monsanto, and Peabody Coal, along with several other schools, businesses, and governmental agencies in a two-day conference, April 16-17, at SIU-E. St. Louis area students, businessmen, and interested citizens will participate in a nation-wide program of discussions on the problems of urbanization in America and elsewhere in the world. Seven sites, each independently directed, will consider a particular subject, either housing, medical services, economic development, world inflation, international bureaucratic reforms, job-retraining, environment or bi-cultural education.

for concerned citizens of each area to speak together, consider their differences, and identify points of agreement.

The ultimate objective is to initiate continuing action to implement the conference recommendations.

The study of St. Louis pollution--its consequences, the technology available to control it, and the legal mechanisms which can require control--is intended not only to suggest means of solving the local problem, but also to offer lessons to developing nations on how they might avoid the mistakes we have encountered.

Authorities from Japan and Brazil will join St. Louis pollution control administrators, lawyers, legislators, scientists, and engineers

in counseling discussion groups on current circumstances.

Registration, with fees set at \$2 per student, \$10 per faculty, and \$25 per non-academic participant, is being conducted through the various companies and at the student activities offices of each of the schools.

Applications should be submitted by Friday, April 2, to permit issuance of participant packets, including extensive information on the domestic and international aspects of the topic.

Participation is open to the public.

For further information, contact CIRUNA's Gateway Dialog information center in Room 117, Administration building, or 453-5106, or Michael Shower at 453-5536.

Ratchford featured at seminar

Mayor Alfonso J. Cervantes will share the spotlight with interim university president Dr. C. Brice Ratchford and Dr. Norton E. Long, director of the center of Community and Metropolitan Studies, at an urban seminar today and tomorrow at Stouffer's Riverfront Inn.

Theme of the seminar is "Generating Ideas for Urban Direction."

More than 100 faculty and staff from the four campuses of the university and the university-wide administration, as well as a number

of St. Louis area civic leaders, are expected to attend the two-day seminar.

Long will open the seminar by discussing "The University and its Urban Constituency: The Land Grant Tradition in an Urban Setting."

Ratchford will speak on "The University's Role in Urban Problems."

The next day, Cervantes will consider "Urban Problems in Missouri--From the Mayor's Desk."

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Israeli officer here Wednesday

Meir Pa'il, a Polmach officer in 1948, who currently holds the rank of colonel in the Israeli Defense Forces, will discuss "Peace in the Middle East?", at 7 p.m. March 30, Room 105, Benton Hall.

On leave from the army to complete his studies for a Ph.D. in history at Tel Aviv University, he is the author of several articles on leadership and revolutionary movements.

There will be an opportunity for informal discussion after the lecture at a coffee hour in the Lounge Annex.

Blood drive

Alpha Phi Omega fraternity, in conjunction with Red Cross, will sponsor a blood drive on campus, March 31, in the cafeteria annex from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Donors may pre-register in Benton Hall or Administration building lobbies March 24-26 from 9:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. or on the day of the drive. Donors under 21 must have parental permission.

Student teach

All students who plan to student teach in Fall, 1971 or Winter, 1972 should complete application forms available at the Student Teaching Office, Room 554, Clark Hall, April 1-30.

Applications will not be accepted before or after the designated date.

Work abroad

The Counseling Service, Room 229, Life Sciences, has International Student Employment Agency applications available for students interested in working overseas this summer.

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Dear Editor,

A communique from the UMSL Committee to End the War.

1984 is only thirteen years away, but Big Brother has already gotten quite a head start as can be seen by the practices of the FBI, CIA, Army Intelligence, local police, the newly formed West End women's spy groups and various other organizations; wire tapping, spying, data files and surveillance helicopters are becoming popular tools of our government to help keep an eye on the children of America.

Members of the Committee to End the War and others who were in the lobby of the Administration Building on March 17 were given a taste of Big Brother's watchful eye. Agents Jim Calfee and Terry (Terry refused to give his full name) were in the lobby, camera in hand, taking pictures of members of the committee and others

coming around the committee's information table.

Anybody interested in getting in touch with agent Jim or Terry can call them at 727-8200, ext. 28.

What is interesting about this incident is that Jim Calfee is a student at UMSL, enrolled in the Administration of Justice program. The question now arises as to what are the objectives of the Administration of Justice program on campus. Are they here to help spy on students, or to get an education? Or possibly, is part of their education in the program spying on students? (call the university operator to get AOJ's extension number if you have any questions about their training program.)

For those who didn't see Jim and Terry, their pictures will be available soon.

Committee to End the War

Debate season ends

The debate team, although defeated in the district qualifying meet held at Coe College, Iowa, last weekend, has piled up a record of 105 victories as opposed to 83 losses over the past season.

The qualifying rounds for the national semi-finals against the top teams from ten states "is probably as far competitively as any UMSL team of any sort has gone," coach Skip Coulter said.

Last season's record was 122-62, but Coulter maintained, "The

team faced stiffer competition this year."

Not only have they numbered such established teams as Ohio State, Marquette, Boston College, Arkansas, MIT and Cal. Tech. among their opponents, but they have faced all Missouri colleges, public or private, in competition.

"By meeting these schools, the whole student body benefits by improving the name of the school," Coulter added.

Auditions for May play

Auditions for the University Players' fourth production of the year, Shelagh Delaney's *A Taste of Honey*, will be held March 27 and 28, 1 to 4 p.m., Room 101, Life Science.

No prepared material will be necessary.

Besides actors, technicians, artists and musicians will be needed. Tentatively, the musicians will

consist of a guitarist, double-bass and horn players.

The production is scheduled for May 7, 8, and 9, under the direction of Wayne Luis, chairman of St. Louis University Department of Theatre.

Any additional questions should be directed to the players or their adviser, Mrs. Margaret Jeffries.

YD meeting Monday

The next general meeting of the Young Democrats will be held March 29, 12:45 p.m., in the Lounge Annex.

Everyone is invited to attend. In their first meeting, the Young Democrats ratified the club constitution and elected Bill Sharpe, president; Kim Pepple, vice-president; Mike Long, treasurer; Car-

leen Layton, recording secretary; and Linn Bussen, corresponding secretary.

Those appointed to the club's executive board were Denise Bussen, finance chairman; Dale Cheswick, publicity chairman; Bob Dowd, Central Council delegate; and Dale Westerholt, executive assistant.

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Faculty cagers stand corrected

Last week ten members of the faculty entered the St. Louis Correctional Institute in St. Louis County.

About time . . . perhaps. But it was only temporary.

The faculty basketball team was there to take on the Correctional Cagers, and it was a bad night for the visitors, who were lucky to escape with a ten point defeat, 83-73.

It has been anything but a dull season for the faculty squad, which has recorded a 9-3 record so far this year.

Following the bad break in St. Louis County, the team rebounded with two victories over the weekend and a forfeit win in the first round of the intramurals Monday.

They defeated the East St. Louis Community College faculty 80-47 Friday, and Lindenwood Colleges faculty, 61-52 on Sunday.

"We don't consider mental and physical development as opposites, we see them as complimentary," stated player-coach Peter Wolfe.

Wolfe, an associate professor of English when not handling the faculty coaching chores, went on to say, "It is also important that the faculty members get to know

and like each other. Faculty members are becoming too specialized, with offices in too many buildings.

"This experience will help us to gain a firm understanding of UMSL

life in general," he said, "and help us learn more about departments other than our own.

"We like to think of ourselves, also, as goodwill ambassadors to

the university," he went on, "we want to give the campus a good reputation."

Leading the team in that task is 5-11 guard Calvin Jackson, of the Bookstore staff, who has been scoring at a 30-point clip. He was very impressive in the alumni game, early in the season, hitting from everywhere and outplaying former varsity players.

Jacob Leventhal, an assistant professor of physics, at 5-7, sees his job as that of playmaker. He is one of the team's primary floor leaders.

Other mainstays of the squad include Fred Wilke, an assistant math professor, who comes to UMSL via Drury College and Joe Bowden, also of the math department, who, along with Ken Marvin has averaged 25 points this season.

"I've been very impressed with the spirit and attitude of the team," said Wolfe, "we have a well-balanced team."

Both weekend victories were gained without the help of leading scorer Jackson.

"Everyone plays their hardest," said the faculty mentor.

"We hope to eventually develop a faculty league in the St. Louis area," he added, "but it will be difficult for us until we get into our own gym."

Baseball looks to pitching, experience

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pressed us."

Additional depth will come from three junior college transfers, Ron Edgar and Mike Unser of Florissant Valley and Tom Fleming.

But the coach is "sure only of starters at four positions, Rick Zweifel will open at short, Bill Naucke in center field, Joe Muich at first base and Brad Beckwith in left field."

The other spots are still up for grabs and the talented Rivermen are making Copeland's selection difficult.

But filling the lineup is not Copeland's prime concern. The talent, he points out, is there.

"This is definitely the best team we've had so far," said Copeland, "and the pitching is much better than ever before."

Hitting should not be a problem, either. Last year's club connected for a final .287 average. "I believe we have the potential to improve on that mark," added Copeland.

"I've been very pleased with the attitude, determination and hustle the team has displayed in the first four weeks of practice. And we've worked their tails off," said the coach.

"The workouts get tougher every year," says assistant coach Randy Vest, a former Riverman, "and I guess that's as it should be."

"These guys were ready to play the day after our season ended last year," added Copeland.

Hopefully, they'll be ready to play when the season opens this year on March 30, 3:30 p.m. at Forestwood Park in Ferguson.

The opposition will be Greenville College, the team that, two years ago, handed the Rivermen their first loss. This will be the first meeting of the teams since that historic day.

Karate club goes Western

Seven members of the fledgling UMSL Karate Club will venture to Macomb, Illinois, April 17, to take part in the Midwestern College Karate Eliminations.

The competition will take place in the facilities of Western Illinois University.

Winners of the Elimination Tournament will compete in the national finals in Los Angeles in May.

Leon McClendon, team captain, is the Club's primary hope for victory. He was recently promoted to brown belt status.

"I fully expect Leon to place in the tourney," said instructor Paul Jackson.

McClendon will be competing in the brown belt division while his teammates toil in Lower Division competition.

Two blue belts, Oliver Helbig and Thomas Dill will lead the UMSL group in Lower eliminations. Three white belts, Dennis O'Neill, Sam Spencer and Roger Sharp fill out the men's roster.

Sherry Hill, who doubles as club secretary, will compete in the Women's Kata (Form) Division.

The club, nearly extinct at the semester with only six members, has ballooned to some thirty participants since Jackson took over the club.

"We've come a heck of a long way," said Jackson, "but we are really handicapped since the school has no gym."

"We're just not able to make a big push for members, since we have reached our (physical) limit," he added.

The club must depend on use of the facilities of the Missouri Karate Association.

Jackson hopes that the club may achieve intramural status next season when UMSL's Multi-Purpose building opens.

Club members, meanwhile, will stage a demonstration at noon, April 2, on the Bugg Hill stage next to the lake.

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Rivermen on the defensive

"We look strong defensively through six positions this year," stated baseball coach Arnold Copeland in his annual pre-season interview.

His charges were disappointing defensively last season, posting a poor .929 fielding average, committing 40 errors in 27 games, allowing 45 unearned runs to score.

Such lapses must be minimized if the squad is to survive its grueling 31 game 1971 schedule which includes ten doubleheaders.

This spring they will play such powers as the University of Mississippi and Memphis State University in a string which will include 13 games in a nine day span.

"If the pitching staff comes through our deluge of early season contests, we could have a fine season," said Copeland.

Last season, errors and all, the Red and Gold put together a 17-9-1 record en route to a second

place finish in the NAIA District 16.

14 lettermen return from that squad, adding considerable depth and experience to the three year-old Rivermen.

Those returnees include three NAIA all-district selections, outfielders Brad Beckwith and Bill Haberberger and shortstop Rick Zweifel.

Five hurlers also return this spring. They are Bill Binsbacher, Doug Hubert, Rick Kinealy, Denny Spitzer and Dale Westerholt. Binsbacher is the old man of the staff, one of only two seniors on the team.

An unexpected addition to first year pitching coach Bill Davis' mound staff this year is freshman Paul Kipp of Northwest High School. "He is a great surprise," commented Copeland, "Kipp has im-

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Sophomore pitcher Randy Hoffman sharpens up his pickoff move in a Rivemen spring practice session at Forestwood Field, as first baseman Joe Muich moves over to take the peg. Current Photo by Mike Olds



Robn honored

Junior forward Glen (Doody) Rohn was named to the 1970-71 Missouri Sportswriters and Sportscasters Association All-State basketball team in balloting held last weekend at the association's meeting in Joplin, Missouri.

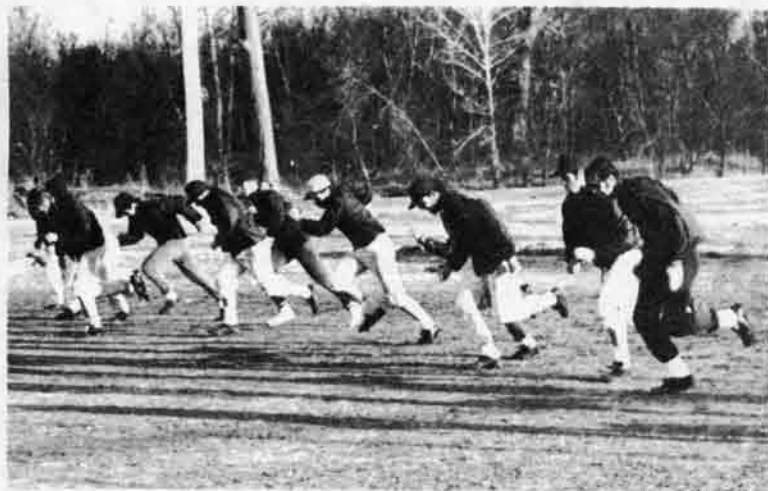
Rohn, who was named co-captain of the Rivermen this past season and became the second leading scorer and rebounder in UMsl history during the course of the year.

This is actually the second such honor for Rohn. He was named All-State four years ago as a member of the Normandy High School Vikings.

Shedrick Bell III and Jim Buford both received honorable mention in the association poll.

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