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Solidarity Day" To Show Black Unity

By Paul B. Simms

"Black Solidarity Day," a day to display unity among the majority of Black people in this country, will be celebrated on November 3 — one day before the mayoyral election.

In a leaflet distributed by the Black Solidarity Day Committee, the reasons behind the day were explained,

By staying away from work or classes on Monday, November 3rd we hope to demonstrate our recognition of the frontal attack against interests of all Black people, We also hope to demonstrate that we will no longer tolerate the artificial divisions that white people have encouraged and maintained among the various classes of Black people — that, rather, to be Black is to be oppressed and l Asia under 🖁 victim of the pernicious racism at America's heart,

The leaflet went on to explain that the increasing repression from both national and local levels is forcing Black people s whose ma- to unite, using the arrest and the aren of conviction of Fred Ahmed Evlogy, Chem- ans while the murderers of

"Martin Luther King, Medgar Evers, and James Chaney and countless others" go free.

Press Conference

The organizers of this Black Solidarity Day, Lloyd Johnson, assistant to the director of Columbia University's Urban Center, Carlos Russel, an associate professor of urban studies at the New York State University at Old Westbury, and Dr. Charles V. Hamilton, author with Stokely Charmichael of the book "Black Power," held a news conference two weeks ago at the Diplomat Hotel where Mr. Johnson outlined the plan-

As reported in the New York Times (Oct. 8, 1969), Mr. Johnson explained that "we see ourselves as the catalyst for getting a national solidarity effort going." Johnson suggested that Black people should stay away from work on that day and involve themselves in some Black community activity -- "to abstain from participating in the American nightmare."

Another spokesman for the group Carlos Russel explained (Continued on Page 3)

To Achieve Open Admission by '70

At the City University of New York, Chancellor Albert H. Bowker created a University Task Force on Open Admissions composed of top university administrators.

Newton Heads CUNY Task Force

Named as chairman was Dr. David Newton, who calls open admissions "New York's Moonshot." Dr. Newton will be on leave of absence from his post as dean of students at CUNY's Baruch College to mobilize the faculty-staff drive to achieve open admissions by 1970, the policy established by the Board of Higher Education on July 9 as a five-year speed-up of its Master Plan.

Working with the University Task Force will be open admissions committees on each CUNY college campus, designated by the respective presidents. The University Task Force will report to Deputy Chancellor Seymour C, Hyman.

"Achieving open admissions requires guts, know-how, and money," Dr. Newton said in an interview yesterday. "I believe we have both expertise and courage at the university. I have no doubt we will meet our goal

if the state and city will make the financial commitment, which requires a major change in the level of university funding."



Dr. Albert H. Bowker. Chancellor of the City University of New York

and he didn't get what he want-

During these proceedings,

Dean of Students Bernard Soh-

mer was in a conference with

acting President Copeland and

other professors. His secretary,

Mrs. Graham, interupted this

conference to briefly notify him

of the events taking place in

DeBerry's office. As DeBerry

was not available, Sohmer in-

structed his secretary to tell

Mrs. Cooke not to answer any

questions but to direct any and

Meanwhile the reporters ques-

tioning Mrs. Cooke were then

interupted by a telephone call from Sohmer's office. After

hanging-up the phone, Mrs.

Cooke told the reporters that

she was not to answer any ques-

tions whatsoever, and that all

Sohmer's Version

all reports to his office.

ed, anyway."

The 47-year old dean said that his working task force will assemble university and visiting experts on such matters as remedial education, trimester planning, facilities, budget, and curriculum development. It will coordinate information, help the individual college committees on open admisions, and move ahead as both an action and a coordi-

One immediate responsibility will be to work with the University Faculty Senate, Student Advisory Council, the Legislative Conference, and the United Federation of College Teachers on the university-wide aspects of implementation.

nating body.

Critical to the task force timetable Dr. Newton said yesterday, are early commitments of budgetary support by the city and state so that facilities and staff can be obtained. It is estimated that if all high school graduates are offered admission, 14,000 more freshmen will register next year than this year. The cost would be \$50,000,000 above the regular budget.

"It is the most critical and crucial issue facing the city and the university," Dr. Newton cautioned, "We cannot fail to meet the challenge and we dare not raise false hopes."

He looks to the chancellor and the Board of Higher Education to deal with government fiscal decision-makers to obtain the required financial support while the task force and its counterpart on each campus work out the academic program and facilities logistics.

This is not the first time Dr. Newton has served on a university task force. In 1966 it was the Special Task Force on the Future of The Baruch School, which eventually led to the desibnation of the independent Baruch College, and in the period 1964-1968 he was a member of the City College President's Task Force on Educationally Disadvantaged Youth. He organized the SEEK program at

Members of the task force named with Dr. Newton are: Mr. Julius C. Edelstein, vice chancellor for urban affairs; Dr. Timothy S. Healy, vice chancellor for academic affairs; Dr. T. Edward Hollander, vice chancellor for budget and planning; Mr. Bernard Mintz, vice chancellor for staff relations; Dr. Allan Ballard, dean of academic development; Dr. Lester Brailey, associate dean, Office of Admission Services; Dr. Demos Eitzer, associate dean for computer and television systems; and Mr. Donal Farley, executive assistant to the vice chancellor for campus planning and development.

Student Files for Federal Agent?

by L. R. Rivera

Governmental investigations of students were made evident two weeks ago when a Federal Agent was cited perusing student files in the Office of Student Activities, (S-115). Tech News and OP both immediately sent reporters to investigate the story after being notified by

These reporters went to question Dr. DeBerry's secretary, Mrs. Cooke who in turn refused to answer any questions other than that she was given instructions not to (answer any) but instead to direct all inquisitors to Dean Sohmer's office. Having gained an audience with the Dean of Students, the reporters were jestingly assured that there was "nothing to get upset about."

Events Unfolded

It happened that several students were in 115 Shephard apolying for a student loan when man, later described by Susan Chen as being 5' 10", Caucasian, heavy set, wearing a plue suit, white shirt and blue ie, walked in, identified himelf to Mrs. Cooke as a Federal Agent and stated that he had special permission to have acess to student files." Mrs. Cooke hen was said to have told the gent she would "help him" as oon as she was through proessing the last of the loan apilicants.

After the student left Dr. DeBerry's office, she went to



De BERRY: Not answering questions about files or Federal agents. What did happen? (see editorial)

the two campus papers. While she did so, two fellow students went back to the office and stuck their heads in the door.

One noted that the agent was sitting beside Mrs. Cooke's desk "writing something down." Approximately fifteen minutes later the agent left carrying a large manila envelope, whereby the two students entered the office and asked Mrs. Cooke if it was the policy of that office to cooperate with federal agents. Mrs. Cooke was described as then becoming "extremely nervous and visibly upset at the thought that these students knew the man was an agent."

When asked if she would verify that the man in the blue suit was, in fact, a federal agent, she was willing to do so. She was also asked which files the agent wanted and which ones he received. At this pont the secretary retorted that "this office does not cooperate with federal agents" and that these students "had better leave" before she'd call the guards.

The reporters arrived shortly thereafter. When asked if she would answer questions Mrs. Cooke said, "I know why you're here. There was no one here, inquiries should be directed to Dean Sohmer.

After the conference with Copeland, et al, Dean Sohmer began a discourse explaining what "all the misinterpretations" were really about. He explained that the man in question was a member of the Treasury Department who was investigating an applicant for some obscure position. Sohmer also declared that it was normal procedure for a representative of any corporation or civil service branch to check a student's records as long as there is a signed waiver from the student-applicant. Sohmer further explained

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How Guilty Is Mario?

The editors of Campus and Observation Post have endorsed a position paper on candidate Procaccino which we, the Editors of Tech News, feel obliged to oppose. They have taken a position against Mr. Procaccino's "flagrant abuse of City College to further his own political ambitions" and, as an addendum, have denounced Professor Adelson for his charges against Serge Mullary and Tom Soto.

Such a position merely answers unfounded accusations with other unfounded accusations. We cannot lower ourselves to the level of slander politics just as we cannot permit ourselves to be carried upon the crest of anti-Procaccino sentiment generated by those who oppose the comptroller for his part in the reopening of the South Campus last term. It is not opposition to the methods of opening South Campus to which Mr. Procaccino's foes are committed, but rather opposition to the opening at all. The opening is being deplored by proxy. Mr. Procaccino is the proxy.

Perhaps the opening of South Campus was premature; perhaps it wasn't. Should Buell Gallagher have been permitted to carry on the negotiations in view of the fact that he had neither the authority or power to implement any agreement reached? The many, Mr. Procaccino included, who thought that he should not have may have been mistaken; others argue that it was important that false hopes not be built high only to be dashed later. The recent BHE dispute over the open admissions and the inherent double-think in immediate open admissions plus maintenance of standards or open enrollment plus lack of classroom space may yet evidence the futility of the Gallagher Gate House talks; talks which did not include the real wielders of power, the BHE.

Though unsubstantiated charges, no matter who makes them, may be either true or false, the burden of proof is on the accuser. One thing is certain. Those who opposed the opening of the South Campus are actively seeking to make Mr. Procaccino their victim.

Unanswered Questions

Several questions were raised by the TECH NEWS staff reporter to the Dean of Students and Dr. DeBerry that need answering. The student eyewitness did not see a large manila envelope when the agent walked in but it has been ascertained that he left with one. What were the contents of that envelope? What was the agent writing down when the student "stuck his head in the door"? If the student being investigated signed a waiver, then why did the student direct the agent to CCNY rather than Baruch, which severed its connection with CCNY over a year ago? How could Dean Sohmer attest to the credentials of this agent when he admits never having seen him?

We are making no accusations in this editorial — we simply feel that the student body is entitled to an explanation to these unanswered questions or a justification for the release of information to the Federal Government. We intend to print any reply to this editorial.

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—Gloria

---Linda

---RS

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Alienation is Fun!

From a Black Chair

by Asmathashe

Paul Simms, Associate Editor and regular author of The Black Chair, this week bows to Asmathashe, a Black student (soph) at CCNY.

To All Afro Caribbean Students

It is time we Afro Caribbeans stop for a moment and think about the Black Struggle. Many of us tend to isolate ourselves from the determinative point at issue; the liberation of all Black people who are oppressed by Colonialism. The fight for statehood in the Caribbean Islands is not the main objective. It is only one of the second goals or one of the actions towards the main objective. To fight segregation in America for the sake of integration is not the main objective. It is only one of the actions towards the main objective. To reform the entire capitalistic system is not the main objective. To overthrow the entire governmental establishment is not the main objective. They are only the actions towards the main objective. The main objective is freedom and representation with its true perspectives. The only way freedom and true representation can be acquired is through the liberation of Africa.

Problems in the Caribbean Islands

The Caribbean Islands are known as effective poor houses. Whatever natural resources exist in the islands does not benefit the inhabitants, only the absentee exploiters from the two continents, England and the United States. The main trade in the Caribbean Islands is tourism. The Islands indulge in more importation than exportation. It is factual that the Caribbean Islands cannot support themselves because of the present situations. Have you ever questioned the fact as to why so many of us abandoned the Islands without ever returning? Why do we send our children abroad to get an education? Why do we go to England and America to seek employment?

First of all, there are no major industries and institutions to provide employment for the people. There are practically no schools for higher learning. There are no major markets to promote trade among the Islands. All of the trading that is being conducted is done on an individual basis. If the Islands were united politically, economically and socially much of the problems of employment and education would have been less.

The fault of incompetence lies on the so-called "government." In St. Vincent, for example, the government is exploiting the people. They are encouraging the once-absentee landlords back to the Island to exploit the people and in the act of exploitation, they are spreading their racist policies throughout the community.

Because of the lack of employment many people are forced to sell their lands to the imperiaists without thinking about the after effects. That is the land where each of us were born free, the land where we ran and played! The land which furnished each of us with the necessities of survival will be fenced and turned into private properties. We cannot afford to stand by and watch our Islands fall into the hands of **the aliens**.

The time is now; each of us have to take it upon ourselves to put a stop to the taking over of countries by any means necessary! Without land there can be no future. What happens when some of us decide to return to the Islands and find all of the restrictions that never before existed; a problem to by-pass in order to get to the main objective? The men in power are ont the ones to be blamed; they are merely puppets.

In St. Vincent, at the end of the years when exploitation ceases and the elections are around the corner, the robbers will, in all probabilities, extract a few thousand dollars from their payrolls and bribe the people by buying them alcoholic beverages, a few pounds of flour, and some tobacco, in order to be elected. They make promises like other countries without ever fulfilling them. The government allows whites with high school diplomas to manipulate the people in their satisfaction. They are the law makers. They decide what is right and what is wrong for our people. How can aliens come into our countries and determine the destiny of our people, when they themselves don't even know how to communicate with Black people?

Each of us as Black students has a role to play in the liberation of our people from Colonialism and Neo-colonialism in the Caribbean Islands. It does not matter what Island you are from, we are all one people, not only in the Caribbean, but throughout the entire globe where Black people are stationed. The struggle for liberation must be international. In order to climb up the ladder to the main objective

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WASHINGTON — (CPS) — As we enter the new school year, the final campus disruption score card for last year reads: 900 students expelled or suspended and 850 students reprimanded at 28 of the major trouble schools. Six universities where unrest occured took no action. J. Edgar Hoover himself reports 4,000 arrested in campus disorders (during fiscal 1969).

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O'Dwyer at CCNY

Paul O'Dwyer, head of the New Democratic Coalition, spoke at a meeting sponsored by the C.C.N.Y. Students for Lindsay on October 23, 1969, at 12:30 P.M. in Townsend Harris Auditorium. The topic of Mr. O'Dwyer's address was the relevance of the Viet Nam war to the mayoralty election.

Solidarity Day

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and cited some of the repressive measures of that "American. Nightmare": welfare cuts in monies, clothing, medicine and transportation allowances; failure to hire Black people in the building trades and construction industries and the consistent policy of labor unions to deny Black workers the apprenticeship trtaining necessary to eventually qualify them for good paying jobs.

As explained by a member of the Solidarity Committee, there: will be no rallies or parades scheduled for Solidarity Day, and that there are onl two events being considered: 1. a. theater production of "A Day of." Absence" to be held somewhere in New York City; and 2. a performance by James Brown, although this is not at all definite. He said that further information can be obtained by calling (212) 388-3983 between 6 and 9 P.M.

"We hope to demonstrate just how potent we are because it is incumbent upon us as Black people to realize our own strength and power as we further the struggle for liberation and freedom."

Caduceus Society presents Dr. Irwin A. Kaufman, medical director of the Planned Parenthood Association of N.Y. He will speak on the medical pros and cons of birth control pills. Thurs. Oct. 23, 12:30 S15. All invited.

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Theories Raise Questions for Dead (?) Paul

By JONATHAN BRAUN

This week, a lot of people dusted off their old Beatle albums and began paying extra-special attention to every last word, shape, and form. They have joined the new crusade of rock fans who are claiming that Paul McCartney of the Beatles is dead and buried.

For months now the rumors have been popping up about the mysterious passing of Paul. Added impetus was given last week when an article appeared in The Michigan Daily summing up the going theory, and the puzzle has spread rapidly across the nation's college campuses.

Paul is charged with having died over three years ago in a car accident. Legend has it that the Beatles were recording an album — never released — called Smiles. Paul is believed to have entered into a fatal hassle with his colleagues at one of the recording sessions. Angry, he drove off in his Austin-American.

And, as the story goes, Paul was found a few hours later in a ditch, the top of his head sheared off. Sounds gruesome? The best is coming. The Beatles immediately launched into their already-formulated emergency plan, a course of action agreed upon when Ringo's brief illness had forced them to use other drummers.

A Little Mission and Possible

The scheme called for a new Paul to be slipped into the group, and for the Beatles to gradually inform the world of the horrible truth, incorporating clues in their albums and songs.

The imposter is supposed to be somebody named William Campbell, an orphan (of course) and winner of a Paul McCartney look-alike contest. A little Mission Impossible plastic surgery here and there and — Presto! — a new and improved Paul McCartney.

The theory states that since Campbell had a mustache, the Beatles grew their own and added long hair, so that later on nobody would pay that much attention to a by-then older Paul McCartney.

Paul and the Pictures

This hard-to-believe tale rests on three sources of evidence.

First, there are the album covers. McCartney sleuths, among them one university's Paul McCartney Is Dead Committee, point out that the entire Sgt. Pepper's Lonely Hearts Club Band album cover deals with the subject of death. The Beatler, surrounded by dead celebrities (including their own past images), appear to be at a grave site.

John, Ringo, and George are carrying brass instruments. Paul holds an oboe, an instrument often used in funeral dirges.

Over Paul's head is an open hand. The hand, which is supposed to be either an Indian or Irish death symbol, also appears on page 24 of the Magical Mystery Tour picture book — again, over Paul's head. In the latter scene Paul is waving boodbye.

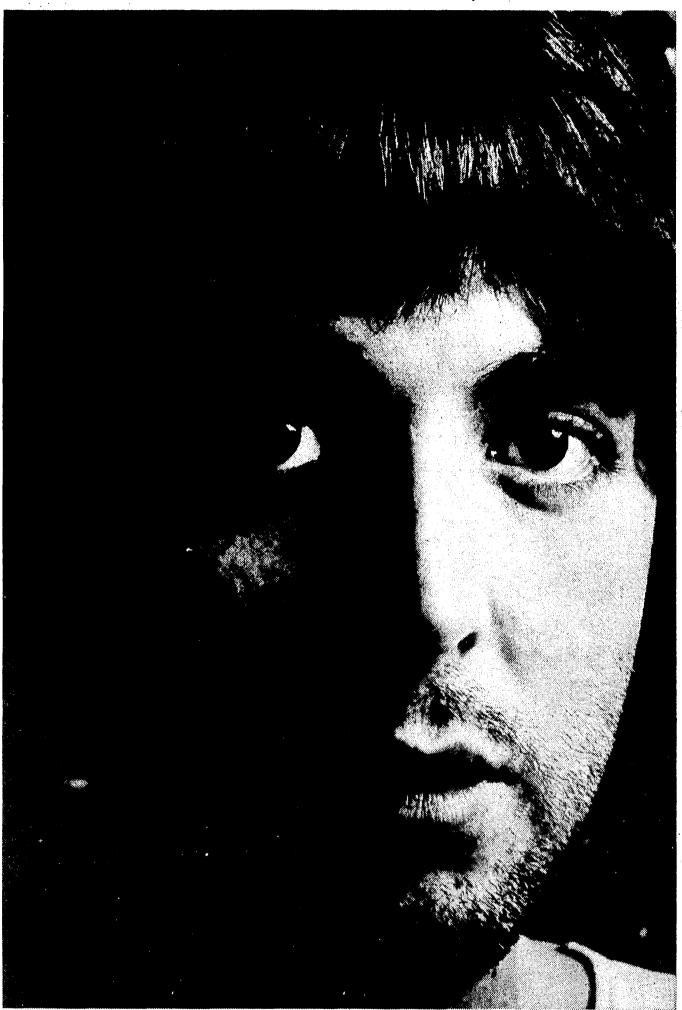
Back to the Pepper album. Under the letters "LES" is a yellow (symbol of birth and death) wreath in the shape of a 'P."

On the back cover Paul is the only Beatle with his back to the viewer. Over his head is the song title, "Within You Without You," which includes the line:

We're all one, and life flows on within/ you and without you./

The plot thickens with an examination of the cover of Magical Mystery Tour. John, Ringo and George are wearing white costumes. Paul is wearing black. His arms are outstretched in a Christ-like manner.

On page three of the Mystery Tour picture book, Paul is sitting behind a desk, on which a sign reads, "I Was You."



CREEPING RIGORMORTIS?

Puzzle Spreads Rapidly

On page 23 the Beatles wear red carnations on the lapels of their white tuxedos. Paul's flower — and by now you should have guessed — is black

As for their latest work, it's all elementary. The Beatles on the cover of Abbey Road are leaving a cemetary. Paul is left-handed; yet on Abbey Road he is holding his cigarette in his right hand. His eyes are closed, and his feet are bare. He has just been resurrected — the new Paul McCartney.

... And in Song

So much for the visual aspects of the case. Consider the lyrics of some Beatle songs, keeping in mind the nature of the car accident.

In "A Day In The Life":
He blew his mind ou

He blew his mind out in a car/...
A crowd of people stood and stared/
They'd seen his face before/
Nobody was really sure/

If he was from the House of Lords/ Aside from the obvious reference to the car, McCartney theorists are quick to point out that critics had often remarked that Paul resembled

When applied to the alleged fatal accident, the following lines from "Don't Pass Me By" take on an intriguing and grotesque meaning:

I'm sorry that I doubted you/

I was so unfair/

You were in a car crash/

And you lost your hair/

How about "I Am the Walrus"?:

I am he as you are he as you are me and we are all together/

"Glass Onion" picks up the theme:

I told you about the walrus and me-man, You know that we're as close as can beman/

Well here's another clue for you all/ The walrus was Paul./

Photos and lyrics. Now for the heavy stuff. When played at 45 speed, one can hear John Lennon moan at the end of "Strawberry Fields" — "I buried Paul."

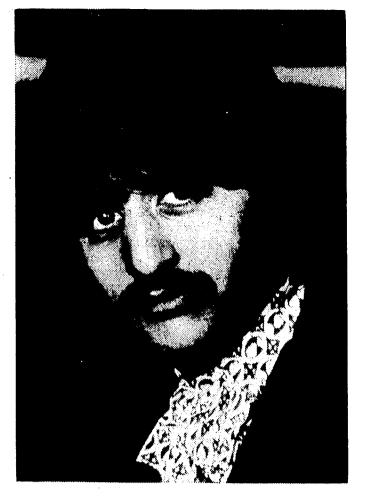
On WMCA radio's Power Line Monday night, listeners were treated to tapes of the Beatles'



songs played backwards. Revolution 9 produced a mumbled, "Turn us on, dead man," while other revers renderings came up with, for example, "Hah, hah, Paul's dead," on "I am the Walrus."

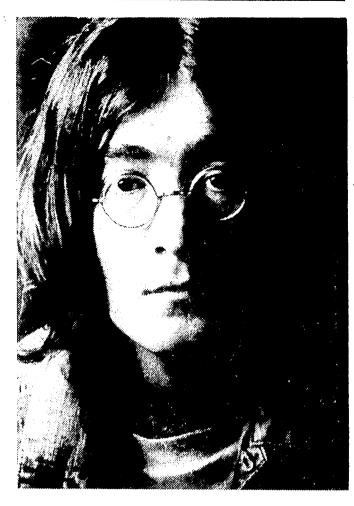
What's Happening?

O.K. Something is up with the Beatles and Paul and death. Is the fantastic theory correct



as it stands — that an imposter has been taking Paul's place for the last three years? Have the Beatles been toying with the concept of spiritual death — ego death? Is Paul trying to tell us something about our views on life and death? Is the whole thing a carefully planned publicity stunt — sick as it sounds?

At last report, the Beatles' record company,



Apple Records, assured the public that Paul Mc-Cartney is alive and well. Apple's spokesman said that Mr. McCartney assures everyone that he must be alive, for if he were dead he would be the "last to know."

Will the real Paul McCartney please stand up? On second thought, that may not be possible.

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Liberation: Who & Why?

By Michael Markovitz

"Whenever we're together," says one girl, "the men either ignore us or shout us down." "But," continues another, "shouldn't men be made aware of our position and be allowed to attend our meetings." At this point a boiler-maker type interrupts and calls a vote. Should the three men be allowed to remain? Although the vote seemed at best very close, the boiler-maker decided it wasn't and we were asked to leave. Memory of the Philadelphia man who was felled with a karate chop at a Women's Liberation meeting prompted us to leave peacefully. We were outnumbered 15 to 1 and discretion is often the better part of valor. Ordinarily, the story would end there; it, however, does not.

The membership of Woman's Liberation falls into two categories. The boiler-makers who haven't got it and, therefore, don't want it. With this sour-grapes-group we needn't be concerned. Their involvement in the movement is the likely result of sexual frustration. The second group is the intellectuals. Those intelligent women who feel, and rightly so, that they are stepchildren in a man's world.

The authoress of an article in Psychology Today points out that women are what they are, not because of some obscure biological thingamabob, but because they are filling the role into which men have cast them. Margaret Mead traces the current structure back to prehistory when the male task of hunting and gathering was just as glorified as the female task of child bearing and rearing. The times have changed and with them the relative glory attached to the roles. The intellectual female realizes this, resents it and tries to fight it. What can she do? Short of that wonderful Swedish operation, nothing.

From a Black Chair...

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we have to bond together under one idealogical concept. As our beloved leader, Kwame Nkrumah states, "Divided we are weak: United Africa could become one of the greatest forces for good in the world." The liberation of our Afro-American brothers depends on the help of Afro-Caribbean people and the Africans. The liberation of the Afro-Caribbean people depends on the help of Afro-Americans and the Africans. The complete liberation of Africa depends on the help of Afro-Americans and the Afro-Caribbean people. Each of us, students and non-students, has a role to perform in the overall revolutionary struggle. Only though revolutionary means we will be completely free.

"The secret of life is to have no fear"
All power to the people
In freedom —
Brother: Asmathashe

Government Investigations

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that the agent had a written
clearance from the student to
have access to his records, "but,"
he said, "the student's records
were not in that office because
the student attended Baruch."

To illustrate what he termed "normal procedure," the dean of students assured the reporters present that "any student is al-

lowed to look at his files any time he so desires." As a consequence, one of the OP reporters decided to go back to S-115 to look at her own records. This was fervently denied her by Mrs. Cooke who told her that she could not see her files at that time, but that when Dr. DeBerry was available he would be asked to consider the request.

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NAM MYOHO RENGE KYO reveals the inseparability of body and mind, the synthesis of spiritualism and materialism, and the inner law of cause and effect.

The two goals of the Nichiren Shoshu lay organization are indestructible, individual happiness and world peace. This involves practice both for oneself and for others, as the problems of contemporary society are reflections of the conditions existant in the life of the individual.

Nichiren Shoshu of America has held discussion meetings at many major universities, including the University of California at Los Angeles, the University of California at Berkeley, U.C.L.A., Oberlin, S.U.N.Y. at Stony Brook, Boston University and Columbia U.

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Recent released statistics from the placement office, show that Engineering students again were the highest paid graduates. There was an increase of about 7% in starting salaries for the average Engineer. Chemical and Electrical Engineering students were leading the rest of the graduating class in the rush to the bank. The disparity in salaries between Liberal Arts grads and Technical grads increased slightly.

The high starting salaries for engineers are actually deceiving; engineers work long hours (at least they spend much time in the plants) and may not be paid for overtime, also salaries tend to level off and reach a plateau, so that a Liberal Arts major may overtake the teachnical student in the race to the vault.

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Arch.	4	731	693-758
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Faculty Senate Calls For Crash Program

City College's Faculty Senate called upon the Board of Higher Education to initiate a "crash program of renting, leasing, buying and constructing" the facilities needed to implement the Open Admissions Policy.

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BE IT RESOLVED that the Fac-

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Board to honor its commitment

to quality education by initiat-

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leasing, buying and constructing

such additional facilities as are

needed to make the Open Ad-

missions Policy educationally

feasible.

ly lower the "quality of life."

In a resolution passed by a vote of 43 to 3 at a special meeting to consider Open Admissions, held on October 16th, the Faculty Senate declared a proposed trimester system incompatible with the "maintenance and enhancement of standards of excellence" which was one of the Board's criteria for an acceptable Open Admissions Plan.

The resolution declared that a trimester system would severely strain present facilities and accelerate their physical deterioration, while increasing the pressure against "already overburdened" educational and supportive services at the college.

The resolution was introduced jointly by Professor Arthur Bierman of the department of physics and Herman Berliner of the department of economics.

The complete text of the resolution follows:

WHEREAS, one of the B.H.E. criteria for an acceptable Open Admissions plan is the maintenance and enhancement of "standards of academic excellence of the Colleges of the University" and

WHEREAS neither the trimester system nor any other proposed system which simply uses existing physical facilities more extensively is compatible with the above in that such physical systems are coercive on students and faculty, threaten research and scholarship severely strain the administrative apparatus, accelerate the deterioration of already poorly maintained buildings and grounds, seriously impede proper curricular scheduling and academic pro-

Faculty Council

By Monica Stoll

During the last meeting of the Faculty Council, Prof. H. Adelson (Chm. Hist.) rose to suggest that the elections of Liberal Arts delegates to the University Senate should be repeated since only 338 (less than 50%) of the electors had casted their votes.

Prof. Adelson was referring to the elections of October 1 in which he and Prof. Hendell (Chm. Pol. Sci.) were chosen to three-year terms, while Prof. A. Conrad (Chm. Eco.) and Prof. L. Elias (Chm. Philo.) were given two and one year terms respectively. He pointed out that the votes were taken under pressure, that the faculty was not given adequate notice of the elections and that in fact many did not know about them or did not receive a ballot in the mail.

A vote taken under such conditions is of very little value and, Prof. Adelson adds, "if you want a representative group, they have to be elected by a representative faculty." This position was attacked by Prof. B. Bellush (Hist.) who explained that he is "tired of hearing charges without specifications" and that he sees no need for another election since everybody was offered a chance to nominate and elect.

The debate was followed by a vote on the issue, which resulted in the rejection of Prof. Adelson's proposal.

Poem...

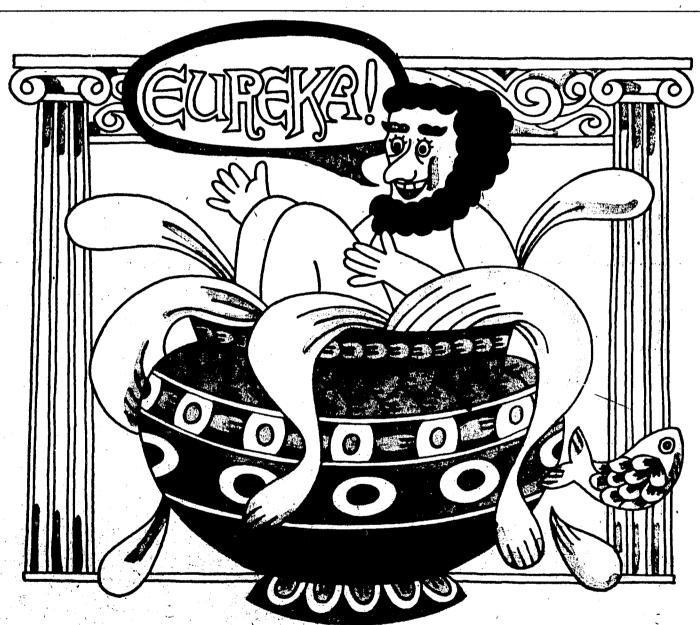
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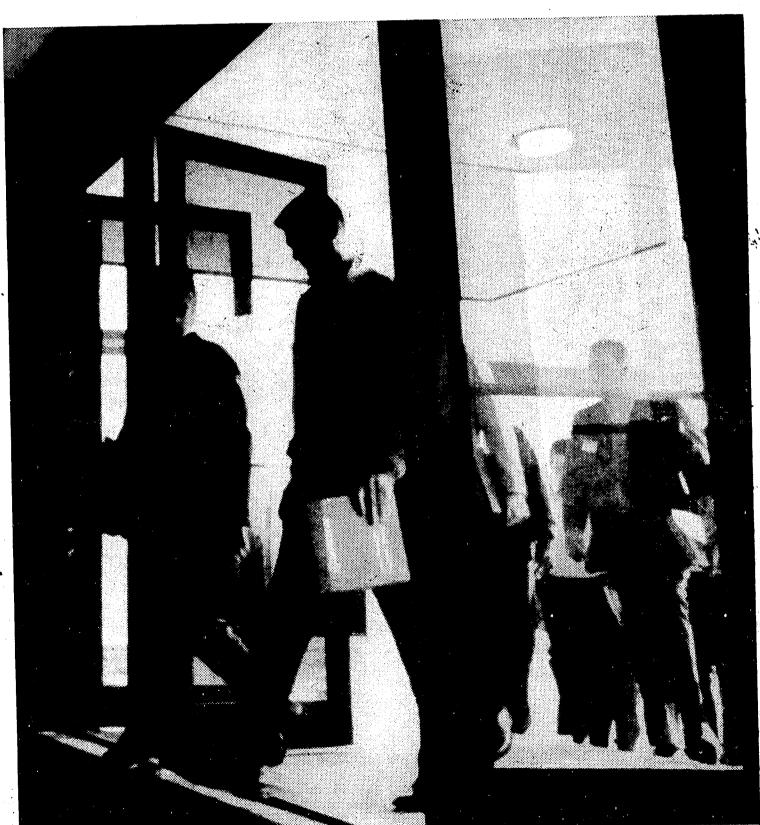
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