

# THE PAPER

So we stand here  
on the edge of hell  
in Harlem  
and look out  
on the world  
and wonder  
what we're gonna do  
in the face of  
what we remember.

—Langston Hughes

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## Revson Grant To Aid College in South Campus Development

by Ian Carter

City College has received a \$50,000 planning grant from the Charles H. Revson Foundation that will be used in a college community effort to study the future use of the College's south campus property located between 130th Street and 133rd Street.

This ten acre area now houses five structures which are scheduled to be vacated in Fall 1981 when the \$100 million North Academic Complex is slated to be open.

Dr. Alice Chandler, Acting President of the College claims that the site to be vacated could become a hazard to both the college and the community as a piece of urban wasteland. In an effort to utilize this site for the stabilization of the area, Dr. Chandler formed an ad-hoc South Campus study group last fall. This group is expected to work very close with the community in order to formulate plans for the site.

Mr. Eli Evans, President of the Revson Foundation said: "We hope that our funds will make it possible for the City College and the Harlem Community to enlist the best talent of the city to develop imaginative options that can be funded from public and private sources."

Mr. Cyril Tyson, VP for Public and Community Affairs, believes that the area should be looked at, "from both, a university and a community point of view." He will be Co-chairing the ad-hoc committee with Mr. Morton Kaplan, VP for Administrative Affairs.

Mr. Kaplan believes that this project will be an important step in removing "the citadel on the hill" image from the college and developing a set of cooperative



Mr. Cyril Tyson

relationships with the community.

The members of the group include college officials, college faculty in the area of economics and architecture, students and alumni, and representatives of Community Planning Board #9, Harlem Urban Development Corporation, the Harlem Commonwealth Council and the Uptown Chamber of Commerce.

The group will consider some of the following possibilities as suggested by Chandler: student housing, parking and recreational space; public housing for the elderly and other possible



Mr. Morton Kaplan

residential developments. Long range possibilities include a high technology park modeled after the successful University of Pennsylvania City Science Center. The grant will be used to hire consultants to advise on the issues of finance, construction and planning.

A completed feasible report is expected to be ready by next spring. This would permit the group to approach such decision makers as the State Dormitory Authority, the State Division of Housing, the Department of Housing and Urban Development and some others.

## Three Extra Class Days Scheduled For End of May

Acting Provost Morris Silberberg recently announced that extra classes will be held on May 21, 22, 23 in order to compensate for some classes missed during the recent transit strike.

The schedule is as follows:

Wednesday, May 21—Day and Evening class.

Thursday, May 22—Tuesday's Day and Evening class schedule will be in session.

Friday, May 23—Monday's Day and Evening class schedule will be in session.

Instructors are asked to use discretion in utilizing these classes to make up for lost work during the strike.

All in class finals will take place during the week of May 27 and 30. Memorial Day Celebration has been rescheduled to Monday, May 26 when the college will be closed. Classes meeting on Monday will not give in-class finals.

All group final examinations will be given from June 2-6 which conforms with the original schedule. Deadline for requesting group finals has been extended to May 5.

Provost Silberberg has also requested instructors not to chasten students for unavoidable absences during the period of the strike.

## Heads of State to Address City

Prime Ministers Maurice Bishop of Grenada and Michael Manley of Jamaica will address the City College community on the issue of "Caribbean Leadership in Action: Efforts to Break Dependency and Realize Development."

This event will happen on Friday, April 25th, in the Finley Grand Ballroom. It is part of a week of seminars and panels that began on Monday and will end this Friday. The main scope of the previous discussions focused around "Latin America and the Caribbean: Dependency and Development."

This event is sponsored by several departments on campus, including Black Studies and Anthropology, along with various groups. All interested should contact Prof. Margarita A. Samad-Matias, Director of the Latin American Studies Program at 690-8118/9. (See page 3.)

## Survey Seeks to Increase College Bus Service

by Dorothy Thomas

The Convent Avenue M-3 bus line may not be what it used to be if Cyril Tyson's office can demonstrate to the Metropolitan Transportation Authority that a definite need exists in the City College community for its increased service.

In response to reported inadequacies of service by students, faculty and administrators, the Office of the Vice President for Public and Community Affairs began efforts in January 1980 to ascertain the extent of this dissatisfaction. To this end, a questionnaire was sent to faculty members and several spots around campus were set up where students could complete the questionnaire.

Professor Robert Young who is presently working with Mr. Tyson said that while his office looked for at least 500 completed questionnaires from students, "the response was very poor." However, he stated that they intend to enter a new phase of the survey which will, in all likelihood, increase the number of student respondents.

A decision on the exact nature of the new phase will be made within the next week which would put the new effort into gear during the first week of May. If the need is demonstrated, a change in service could occur as early as this summer with the full impact being evidenced in the fall semester.

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**The Day Student Senate of C.C.N.Y.**

**Presents  
The 4th Annual**

# **Harlem Renaissance 1980**

**May 13-16**

**TUESDAY 13th**

**6:30 Opening Reception  
Grand Ballroom Finley 101**

**Main Speaker: Gil Noble**

**Entertainment: Dance groups,  
singing groups films.**

**WEDNESDAY 14th**

**School Community Clean Up  
Volunteers Are Needed  
Please contact the DSS  
All day event!**

**THURSDAY 15th**

**Time 11:30 am - 10 pm**

**J.H.S. 195 Band  
New Rican Village  
African Dance Co.**

**Ibo Dancers**

**Speakers**

**National Dominican Ballet**

**FRIDAY 16th Time: 4 pm - 8 pm**

**Main Speaker: Dick Gregory**

**Entertainment: Music, Poetry, Dance**

***Music! Food! All Invited!***

# New Head of Faculty Senate— Dr. Osborne Scott Speaks

by Avery Moon

In a recent exclusive interview with Dr. Osborne Scott (Black Studies), THE PAPER was able to find out his view on a variety of campus topics, including his views on his new position as President of the Faculty Senate, which followed former President Morris Ettenberg's resignation.

**THE PAPER:** How do you feel about your recent election to the position of Pres. of the Faculty Senate?

**Scott:** It was a great surprise to me. I had to think about it for awhile. I'm filling out the term of the former president until the new elections take place in May.

**THE PAPER:** Do you know why the former Pres. of the Faculty Senate vacated the position?

**Scott:** The main reason he resigned is he thought he had lost the confidence of the Senate.

**THE PAPER:** Has it (resignation) had any major effects on the Faculty Senate?

**Scott:** No There were no major effects. We simply up the resignation and moved ahead.

**THE PAPER:** What changes would you like to see take place within the current administrative policies of the school?

**Scott:** I think several changes must take place. We however



opened to all and there should be no restrictions for who is a candidate.

**THE PAPER:** Some administrators and students feel that the appointing of a second acting president by Chancellor Robert Kibbee is a "political ploy" to keep from appointing a permanent Black president. How do you feel?

**Scott:** I heard something like that, I'm not sure. We had a discussion with Chancellor Kibbee and he did indicate they were looking for an outstanding person. Two of the outstanding Black candidates withdrew their applications. As to why they did I don't know.

**THE PAPER:** What is being done (if anything) to re-open Africa House?

**Scott:** There are plans, and the possibility of renovation was given some thought. Roughly it would cost \$50,000 to renovate the building and the college has provided some funds. We are going to a working committee consisting of a student representative and representatives from the Black Studies Dept., the Academy, the Black Action group and the Harlem community. We are actively working to get it underway.

have to look at where we're going as a college. This is highly essential because of budget cuts and the appointing of a second acting president. I would also like to see student leaders help forge closer relations between faculty and students.

**THE PAPER:** The Senate?

**Scott:** We have some standing committees I would like to see strengthened. This is extremely important in providing leadership.

**THE PAPER:** What are your feelings on the current drive for a Black president of City college?

**Scott:** I'm for it. It should be

## Apathy Ever After?

by Andre Martin

It's time for students to be elected and participate in departmental Executive Committees again. In the spring semester of 1973, when students were very active in college politics and wanted a say so on numerous matters, The Board of Higher Education implemented regulations giving students participation on decision-making level.

The College adopted a plan in contingency with these regulations which gives each department faculty the option of choosing between two plans.

**Plan A**—gives students majoring in any department the privilege to elect two students into membership with the executive committee of that department, program or center. Elected students will vote on issues as part of the committee.

**Plan B**—gives students in a department the privilege to elect a five member student advisory committee for the department's executive committee. Those elected will have a voice but no vote.

The only eligibility requirements for office are as follows:

1. You must be a registered CCNY Junior, Senior or Graduate student majoring in a specific department. Five signatures from other students majoring in that same department are required for nomination.

Both Plan A & B give students a chance to be a part of the decision making process and includes the advantage to make proposals to the department executive committees.

However, students have not taken full advantage. When asked about the effectiveness of these plans, Fred Kogut, Director of Student Support Services commented, "There is not too much student participation. The level of involvement has dropped from moderate to slim over the last few years."

Plan A & B provides students with an influence in matters pertaining to education, personnel and budget but so far students have appeared to remain apathetic.

It's imperative that students get involved in departmental policy formation. In order to avoid being victims of undesirable or insufficient circumstances students should make it their business to see that they are represented so that their voices will be heard. Each department, program or center must have six candidates in order to hold an election.

See advertisement below for more details.

### CARRIBBEAN DAY AT CCNY

Friday, April 25th

11-12pm **Panel:** "Haiti: Oppression, Dependency and Possibilities of Development," Professors Franckel Cadet, Franck Laraque and Max Manigat, Black Studies Department, S135

12-1pm **Seminar:** "U.S. Investment in Latin America: Development and Imperialism" Dr. James Petras, S.U.N.Y.-Binghamton *Coordinator*—Professor June Nash, Anthropology Department, Shepard 135

### HEADS OF STATE SPEAKING

**Prime Ministers:**  
**Maurice Bishop of Grenada and Michael Manley of Jamaica**

3-5pm **Topic:** "Caribbean Leadership in Action: Efforts to Break Dependency and Realize Development" Finley Grand Ballroom

**Coordinator:** Professor Edward Scobie, Deputy Chairman, Black Studies Department

### Executive Committee Elections

Nominees are needed to fill the student seats on Departmental Executive Committees [Plan A] in the following Departments:

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|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Anthropology                  | Mathematics                   |
| Architecture                  | Music                         |
| Asian Studies                 | Nursing                       |
| Biology                       | Philosophy                    |
| Black Studies                 | Physical and Health Education |
| English                       | Physics                       |
| Germanic and Slavic Languages | Puerto Rican Studies          |
| Industrial Arts               | Romance Languages             |
|                               | School Services               |

Nominees are also needed to fill the seats on Departmental Student Advisory Committees [Plan B] in the following Departments:

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|------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Art                          | History                       |
| Chemical Engineering         | Jewish Studies                |
| Chemistry                    | Mechanical Engineering        |
| Civil Engineering            | Political Science             |
| Classical Languages          | Psychology                    |
| Computer Sciences            | Secondary and Continuing Ed.  |
| Earth and Planetary Sciences | Social and Psych. Foundations |
| Economics                    | Sociology                     |
| Electrical Engineering       | Speech                        |

You must be at least a junior and a major in the department in order to be eligible to run. Term of office is the 1980-81 academic year. Nominating petitions are available in admin. 201, Finley 152 or Bask. 208 Pick up one today.

Deadline for filing petition: 7 Apr. 25 File in Room 208 Baskerville. There must be at least 6 nominations before a departmental election is held.

You are strongly urged to participate. This is your chance to have a say in the important matters of personnel and budget.

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## Editorial Harlem U.

The effort of the College to incorporate the Harlem community in plans to renovate the south campus and possibly parts of the surrounding community is long overdue.

Members of the Black and Puerto Rican student population have been calling for the concept of a Harlem University as early as 1969. These cries have been echoed by various elements of the Harlem Community.

However the cries have never been heeded. We wonder why the college has sought this grant now only that its physical facilities are involved.

Is the cry of 'community involvement' being used to acquire funding and then neglect the community as it has done for the past years?

We call on all college and community people to closely monitor the endeavors of the College as it seeks to 'develop and stabilize the area.'

If properly done, this effort can be the beginning of a positive venture to remove 'the white citadel atop the hill' and place it within the Harlem community.

## Letters . . .

### To The College Community

It seems like the DSS is trying to maintain complete control over the funding, scheduling, and content of Harlem Renaissance week. They have consistently given out ambiguous or contradictory information about where, when and to whom proposals will be discussed, and how much money the DSS actually has.

The Haitian students who wish to participate in the Harlem Renaissance week were told by the DSS that if they wanted to relate to the week, they could "clean up afterwards" (!). Meanwhile the DSS went ahead and used the name of the Haitian student organization as a sponsor of the week.

Other Black organizations at CCNY have been given misinformation or given correct information well past the DSS's own deadlines. These events coupled with a good deal of bureaucracy and a general lack of efficiency lead many of us to believe that things are not out on the table with the DSS and that they do not wish to make Harlem Renaissance a week of full cultural and political expression for the Harlem community.

A Concerned Student

### To The College Community,

I would like to inform the college community of a most unfortunate accident which occurred March 20, 1980. Professor Wright, Spanish professor of the Romance Language Department was rushed to St. Luke's Hospital after falling down the stairs at the entrance to Shepard Hall. Because the fall occurred on an already injured knee, it has done great harm. Professor Wright was operated on and his left leg is now restricted in a full cast. He's getting around of crutches, but is periodically visiting the hospital and will not be able to teach his classes the remainder of the semester.

Professor Wright is also faculty advisor for CCNY Students for Cultural Exchange. He has participated in and shown interest for numerous student functions and organizations, as well as community structure. I'd like to take time out to thank this man, show appreciation and recognition, and also concern for his regrettable accident.

I hope the many of you who know him will join me in this acknowledgement. Anyone wanting more information, please send inquiries to Students for Cultural Exchange, Finley 152.

A concerned Student  
Sharon Boyd

## Open Forum

The Paper is now accepting opinions, essays, poetry and other forms of literary productions. These works should be kept to a maximum of four type-written pages and cover CCNY affairs or the international arena to a lesser extent. We feel this is necessary in order to aid the growth of The Paper and also as a vehicle where students and the public can have a chance to air their views in an open forum.

All submissions are due the Monday prior to date of publication and are subject to the discretion of the editorial collective.

## News Briefs

### Health Fair

There will be a Health Fair at Holy Trinity Church, Manhattan (316 E. 88th St.) on May 6 and 7. Health screening, counseling and referrals will be done by members of C.C.N.Y.'s School of Nursing and other health professionals.

### New Name For Science Building

A Convocation and dedication to name C.C.N.Y.'s science complex Robert E. Marshak Science Building will be held on May 9. Gerard Piel, publisher of *Scientific American*, to speak on "Social Responsibility of the Scientist," at 4 p.m. It is to be followed by a dinner and Spring Dance Concert by students of Davis Center for Performing Arts. For more information and locations, contact the Office of Public Relations, 690-5310.

### Langston Hughes Festival

On May 9, a Langston Hughes Festival honoring novelist John Oliver Killens, will take place in Finley Student Center's Grand Ballroom between 11 am and 12:30 pm.

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### The FBI Violated our Human and Civil Rights: Residents of 92 Morningside Avenue

On Saturday, April 19, 1980 starting at 1 A.M. the civil and human rights of the residents of 92 Morningside Avenue were violated by a band of no less than 50 agents from the Federal Bureau of Investigation. Led by Joseph J. MacFarlane, Special Agent in Charge and Ronald W. Butkiewicz, Special Agent of the F.B.I., they conducted an illegal "search and seizure" mission which had the building under a 2½ hour siege following an alleged tip that Joanne Chesimard/Assata Shakur was residing in the building.

On entry they assaulted a 16 year old youth who is a resident of the building and proceeded to block open the elevator door with garbage so that it was inoperative and then occupied the second and third floors of the building. Two apartments were battered open and three were forcibly entered. Those whose apartments were forcibly entered were told in no uncertain terms that if they did not allow the F.B.I. to enter they would blast or break the door down.

Throughout the two and a half hour ordeal none of the residents were informed of their rights, given a reason for their detainment, shown warrants for entry and search of their apartments. There was absolutely no reasonable cause for suspicion of or violation of the civil rights of any of the resident of this building, most of whom have resided here in excess of **THIRTY YEARS**.

According to Ms. Ebon Adelona whose door was battered open, Agents of the F.B.I., without warrants, used a sledgehammer to enter her 3rd floor apartment where she resides with her 5 year old daughter. She was awakened by approximately seven agents armed with shotguns and machine guns, forcibly manhandled, searched/frisked three times by the white male F.B.I. agents and forced to display her legs to the assembled agents, allegedly so that they could examine them for identification of her as Joanne Chesimard/Assata Shakur. Her daughter was also forcibly removed from the apart-

ment by the gun wielding agents and they were both detained in the hallway by agent MacFarlane while the F.B.I. thoroughly searched and ransacked her apartment.

The apartment of Ms. V. Hyman was also forcibly broken into by the federal agents. Each room was totally ransacked; clothing, other articles and her trash receptacles was searched and thrown throughout the apartment. Emphasized here is the fact Ms. Hyman was not at home at this time and her apartment was unoccupied. When finished the agents left the apartment in a total shambles; teh locks were broken from the front door, the bathroom door was knocked off its hinges and the apartment was left

**"Does this signal the beginning of a new reign of terror to be unleashed on the black community in the 1980's"**

totally unsecured and no one was put on notice of this so it could be locked or at least watched until Ms. Hyman returned home. Upon her return home and her inspection of her apartment she found that her telephone book was missing. This is of great concern because Ms. Hyman feels that her family and friends will in turn be harrassed and their privacy and civil rights violated.

**WE ARE OUTRAGED AT THIS BLATANT DISREGARD OF OUR CIVIL AND HUMAN RIGHTS. THE INCIDENT AT 92 MORNINGSIDE AVENUE IS BUT ONE EXAMPLE OF THE WAY IN WHICH THE F.B.I. CONTINUES TO VIOLATE THE CIVIL AND HUMAN RIGHTS OF AFRICAN-AMERICANS ACROSS THE COUNTRY, ENDANGERING THEIR LIVES AND PROPERTY WITHOUT AN IOTA OF JUST CASUE OR REASONABLE SUSPICION AND**

**WITHOUT THE WARRANT FOR SEARCH THAT THEY ARE MANDATED BY LAW TO POSSESS IN ORDER TO ENTER AND SEARCH THE HOME OF ANY CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES.**

**IN THIS INSTANCE IT WAS UNDER THE GUISE OF SEARCHING FOR JOANNE CHESIMARD/ASSATA SHAKUR? DOES THIS SIGNAL THE BEGINNING OF A NEW REIGN OF TERROR TO BE UNLEASHED ON THE BLACK COMMUNITY IN THE 1980's& DOES THIS MEAN THAT EVERY BLACK WOMAN WILL NOW BE SUBJECT TO FBI INVESTIGATION ON THE BASIS OF THEIR ALLEGED RESEMBLANCE TO JOANNE CHESIMARD?**

**THE TENANTS'S ASSOCIATION AT 92 MORNINGSIDE AVENUE INTENDS TO ASK OUR CONGRESSMAN, CHARLES A. RANGEL AND THE CONGRESSIONAL BLACK CAUCUS TO CONVENE HEARINGS ON THE CONDUCT OF THE FBI DURING THEIR "HUNT" FOR JOANNE CHESIMARD/ASSATA SHAKUR, TO INVESTIGATE THIS AND OTHER VIOLATIONS OF THE SEARCH AND SEIZURE LAW. WE ALSO INTEND TO SEEK LEGAL REDRESS.**

**WE ARE AMERICANS AND DEMAND THAT PRESIDENT CARTER EXERCISE THE SAME CONCERN FOR OUR HUMAN RIGHTS AS HE HAS EXPRESSED FOR THE HUMAN RIGHTS OF RUSSIANS AND OTHER PEOPLE AROUND THE WORLD.**

**WE ASK THAT ALL PEOPLE WHO BELIEVE IN JUSTICE AND THE APPLICATION OF THE LAW TO ALL WITHOUT PREJUDICE, SEND LETTERS TO PRESIDENT CARTER AND UNITED STATES ATTORNEY GENERAL, BENJAMIN CIVILETTI, URGING THAT THE FBI BE FORCED TO COMPLY WITH THE LAW.**

# Human and Civil Rights Bow to Property at Conference on Social Justice

The Departments of Political Science, Economics and Philosophy at the City College hosted a conference on social justice April 17-18 where academicians offered scholarly analyses of subjects and issues such as equality of opportunity, reverse discrimination, values and rights underlying social justice, etc.

Given the importance of theories of "distributive justice" to the understanding & development of many social polittice such as affirmative action for women and minorities or fair settlements in labor-management disputes, as in the recent New York City transit crisis, one might have expected proponents of human and civil rights, rather than property rights, to have been the predominant force at the conference.

However, speaker after speaker downplayed the need to right past wrongs, to provide equal opportunity for groups long denied basic rights, or to promote equality and access for the socially dispossessed—particularly, in the context of the role of the Black Liberation struggles and the incumbent position of Blacks in our society.

Professor of Philosophy, Michael Levin, for example, belittled affirmative action efforts by claiming that many rationales for preferential hiring on the basis of sex or race focus on restoring what are alleged to be "rightful competition curves" (chances at jobs) at the cost of lowering those of innocent bystanders" which makes preferential hiring "wrong for a simple reason: it violates property rights.

The bulk of his paper was aimed at proving that it is wrong—and even unfair—to try to *adjust* the position of Blacks and Hispanics by offering them a definite proportion of all opportunities made available.

He seemed to think that in doing this, one was in fact diminishing the chances of some poor individual who simply by virtue of being non-Black or non-Hispanic would be denied his right to that opportunity. He hastened to make it clear that in the majority of cases the one being denied was not the one who had caused the dispossessed condition of the minority.

Professor Levin further explained that he had no sympathy for those who try to right past wrongs, and felt that present generations could not be made accountable for these wrongs—and by implication, be expected to try to put them right.

He further advocated that the state maintain a consistent "hands-off policy" and "allow employers to discriminate invidiously."

A similar approach was taken by Professor Silver of the Economics Dept. who was at pains to explain that the right to one's property, and to use and/or abuse it as one felt like doing was the natural privilege of the owner. By owner he meant *producer* or the person who had acquired it by 'honest' or 'legitimate' means.

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In support of this, he explained that all people, not only the person whose property was stolen, are repulsed by stealing of any kind: and that this was a very basic instinct common to both man and many of the lower animals. In this way, he combined both biological and psycho-social factors to support his theories.

The main flaw in Professor Silver's argument was a complete denial of the realities of history, as well as a seeming ignorance of the undeniable inequalities that exist at certain levels of the society. He declared that the present distribution of property was "just" and argued that attempts to achieve distributive justice constituted "equality by force" which would only result in further injustice!

Professor Marshall Berman (Political Science), however, held that Mr. Silver had confused a specific form of private property characteristic of post-feudal European and Western capitalist societies with other types of property prevailing in many societies where there are definite restraints on its acquisitions and disposition by individuals and groups who could never aspire to unlimited

or unfettered capital (property) accumulation as a moral right or reality as Silver claimed.

Finally, Vice Provost and Dean for Urban and Legal Programs, Professor Haywood Burns, introduced the issue of human rights, urged that strong measures be taken to promote equality, including the use of quotas designed to open up access and establish a "floor" for erstwhile victims to stand on in an institution, thereby guaranteeing minimum representation as distinguished from old time quotas used to cut off access and establish a ceiling of maximum presence beyond which out-groups could not aspire or achieve. *Mr. Burns recalled the observation of Mr. Justice Blackman that to treat some people equally, you have to treat them differently.*

The strategem of utilising hiring quotas was defended by James Buchanan, distinguished University Professor at Virginia Polytechnic Institute. He demonstrated that even in a hypothetical situation of no discrimination, and perfect free market competition, the precept of "equal treatment for equals" would be violated unless corrective measures, such as hiring quotas were instituted.

At times, the conference produced some amazing academic insights as when two concepts of Egoistic v. Altruistic views of human nature were invoked to explain the vast distances separating proponents of philosophical anarchism, self-determination or moral relativism. At other times, there were ingenious intellectual exercises such as Brooklyn College Political Science Professor Robert Abram's brilliant analysis fo the MTA-TWU negotiations, collective choice Theory and cost benefits analysis. However, one came away from the conference with the feeling that perhaps one had learned more about the ideological preferences of individual intellectuals recoiling from liberalism/socialism and "empirical egalitarianism" rather than having acquired some new intellectual tools with which to develop a coherent, comprehensive and convincing philosophy or program for achieving social justice.

Submitted by concerned CCNY observer

## DAY STUDENT SENATE ELECTIONS

**Tentative Dates for Student Government Elections:**

**May 12-17**

**Petitions for candidates may be  
picked up at the Ombudsman Office  
Finley 104**

**Deadline for submitting petitions**

**MAY 2, 1980**

# Star Analysis

by Andre Martin

**ARIES** (March 21-April 19)—Budgeting proves to be advantageous right now. Overextravagance can be detrimental. Avoid being submissive to impulsive spending. Purchase only items which can be of immediate use. Speak your mind but keep your ears open. Mental activity increases so involve yourself in projects with clear constructive purposes. Share objects that you own and value with others to get the full enjoyment.

**TAURUS** (April 20-May 20)—Things are looking bright and positive vibes prevail as this is a period of new beginnings for you. You are extremely open-minded and ready to incorporate new ideas into your daily life. Find the appropriate outlets for energies.

**GEMINI** (May 21-June 20)—Communication and socialization is at a very high point. Career advancement opportunities have risen. You may become intimately involved with someone new. On the other hand, a relationship which you are currently involved in may improve. Spend some time alone and reevaluate yourself.

**CANCER** (June 21-July 22)—Group activity and teamwork is most beneficial at this time. Spend as much time as possible in the company of others. Study with others. Examine your accomplishments and compare them with your immediate goals. Travel is possible.

**LEO** (July 23-Aug. 22)—Both your thinking and perception are exceptionally clear. This is a very good time to organize yourself. You will make a good impression on some one in an authoritative position.

**VIRGO** (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)—The pace of life's activities picks up and you have more than your usual amount of control over others. Keep your ego in check and try to avoid being insensitive. Release your energies in controlled fashion but do not suppress them. Get plenty of physical exercise. Avoid boredom.

**LIBRA** (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)—You are going through a phase in which your energy level is very high and you must be cautious. Try not to force your ideas on others, but by all means communicate your true thoughts and feelings. There is much emphasis on joint finances now. As you undergo an inner psychological transformation coupled with emotional intensity, you should pursue any interest you have in non-physical sciences.

**SCORPIO** (Oct-Nov. 21)—You are becoming more aware of the basis of your interrelations and learning more

about yourself in the process. Seek others' (perhaps professional) opinions before taking serious actions.

**SAGITTARIUS** (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)—You have an extremely positive effect on others, making all relationships run smoothly. You are able to make peace with enemies. Try not to be overcritical of others. Watch your diet carefully; overindulgence is highly risky at this point in your cycle. Don't underestimate the seriousness in others.

**CAPRICORN** (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)—You'll find these days very rewarding because you are physically, emotionally and intellectually balanced now. Energies seem to be devoted to en-

tertainment and amusement while all else just falls into place. Remember, this will not last forever.

**AQUARIUS** (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)—Friends, neighbors and close relatives play an active role in current transactions. You may be slightly indecisive right now and will probably change your mind after making decisions on important issues. If you must verbally express your affections, then this is the time. Spend some time at home making adjustments, because you'll probably be entertaining a few guests. Stay in close contact with your family.

**PISCES** (Feb. 19-Mar. 20)—You may be very restless and should be involved in developing new interests. Examine your values and plan ahead. Make sure you are well understood. Watch your own habitual reactions carefully. Think and behave in terms with momentary demands. Don't take anyone for granted.

## MIXER

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## TO CCNY STUDENTS ANNOUNCING AN ORAL BIOGRAPHY PROJECT

This project may eventually produce a series of biographies of CCNY students for the purpose of acquainting the alumni and public with the rich diversity of the student body and their struggles to get an education. Brief test interviews with some sixty undergraduates will be recorded at random on campus during the week of May 5 by Cynthia Osborne, Kenneth Raymond and Milton Roman, who are students of Professor June Nash (Anthropology). Individuals who wish to be interviewed should inquire in person at the Office of Public Relations, Administration 306, which is sponsoring this project.

Ten students will be selected from the original group and paid for extended interviews to be conducted sometime in June. These biographies will be transcribed and evaluated over the summer to determine whether or not to expand the project during the next academic year

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## Announcements

### Communications Conference

On Thursday at 12:00, May 1, 1980, there will be a meeting of the Communications majors and faculty, in Bittenweiser lounge, Finley Student Center. The meeting is intended to better acquaint students with their teachers and to inform students of what the Program in Communications and Public Policy is all about. Students are also invited to present their views of the program, based on their personal experiences. Admission is free. Free snacks will be provided.

### Internships

The deadline for the Fall Internship '80 in Mass Communications applications is extended to May 1, 1980. Further inquiries may be made to: Prof. Ernest B. Boynton, M3, Rm. 918, Tel. #690-5492.

### Scholarship Awards

The Council of Black Faculty and Staff of C.C.N.Y. announces their 1980 Scholarship awards for graduates receiving Baccalaureate degrees by June, 1980 or at the end of the 1980 Summer Session.

Applications may be obtained at the following locations: Mott 311—M. Strong; J. 1002—G. Crouch; F 152—S. Green; H 116—Black Studies.

Deadline for submission is Monday, May 5, 1980.

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# FOR YOUR HEALTH

Living in a hectic place like New York City, with so many things to do, and never enough time to do them all, we lean towards anything that will make life easier and simpler; frozen foods, micro wave ovens, and even the ways we grow our food are examples. Farmers have long since used quick-growing, over-processing methods of farming. We do not realize that these methods deplete the trace minerals vital to our health.

We routinely take our one-a-day vitamins supplementing our helter skelter eating habits, and take our health for granted. Herbs, for example, are rich in minerals and should be added to our daily diet. They are not drugs, but merely aid the process of renormalization and stabilization of the metabolic functions. In other words, they help the body heal itself.

A person who maintains a natural diet will achieve better results than someone who regularly consumes herbs along with coffee, alcohol, cigarettes, processed sugar, meat and

white flour. A diet should consist largely of: fruits, vegetables, and grains. Meals should include at least one raw food, that contains enzymes, so important in the metabolic process.

Here are a few examples of teas that have an immediate effect on whatever ails you:

Raspberry leaf tea: colds and influenza.

Broom weed (Mormon tea): effective in dissolving kidney and bladder stones, must steep tea for two hours.

Nettle tea: the iron, copper, and manganese are an ancient remedy for Anemia.

A note of caution! Mandrake tea is a very powerful cathartic (laxative) and liver cleanser. It can be quite irritating and cause severe cramping when used alone. It should be combined with modifying agents. In each of the following blends, the herbs which are asterisked are considered to be essential. The others are modifying agents that improve the overall effectiveness of the blend.

## FEVER AND INFECTION

- \*Echinacea Root
- \*Golden Seal Root
- \*Comfrey Root
- \*St. Johnwort
- \*Blue Vervain
- \*Cinchona
- \*Butternut Bark of Root
- Garlic

Two cups of tea every two hours.

## RELAXANT

- \*Valerian Root
- Hops
- Wood Betony
- Black Cohosh Root
- Chamomile
- Passion Flower
- Mistletoe
- Scullcap

## POOR CIRCULATION

- \*Cayenne
- \*Kelp
- Licorice Root
- Hyssop
- Vervain
- Gentian Root

## INTESTINAL CLEANSE (LAXATIVE)

- \*Butternut Bark of Root
- \*Rhubarb Root
- \*Mandrake
- ✓ Cascara Sagrada Bark
- ✓ Ginger Root
- \*Licorice Root
- Senna Leaves
- Agar Agar
- Buckthorn Bark
- Blue Flag
- Irish Moss
- Barberry Bark Root

## STIMULANT

- \*Cayenne
- \*Kelp or Dulse
- Peppermint Leaves
- Pennyroyal
- Ginger Root
- Boneset
- Wintergreen
- Yarrow

## WEIGHT CONTROL

- \*Bladderwrack
- \*Sassafras Bark of Root
- \*Fennel Seed
- Chia seeds are known to be an endurance food.
- \*Burdock Root
- \*Chickweed
- Chia Seeds

## ANEMIA

- \*Nettles
- \*Dandelion Root
- \*Parsley Root
- Kelp or Dulse
- Cayenne

## SKIN DISORDERS

- \*Chaparral
- \*Dandelion Root
- \*Kelp
- Sassafras Bark of Root
- Burdock Root
- Yellow Dock
- Echinacea
- Chickweed
- Red Clover
- Cayenne

## MENSTRUATION (TO DECREASE FLOW)

- \*Witch Hazel Leaves
- \*Cranesbill Root (Wild)
- Raspberry Leaves
- \*Comfrey Root
- Yarrow
- Uva-uva
- Shepherd's Purse
- Plantain

## LEUCORRHEA (VAGINAL YEAST INFECTION)

- \*Golden Seal Root
- \*Witch Hazel Leaves
- \*Comfrey Root
- Buchu leaves
- Squaw Vine

This blend may be taken internally or as a douche.

## FEMALE TONIC

Used for pregnancy, birth pains, cramps, irregular or painful menstruation, menopause, uterine atony, etc.

- \*Licorice Root
- \*Black Cohosh Root
- \*Mistletoe
- Raspberry Leaves
- Wild Yam Root
- Squaw
- Solomon's Seal
- Queen of the Meadow
- Root
- Rosemary Leaves
- Saw Palmetto Berries

## COLDS AND FLUS

- Golden Seal
- Bayberry
- Cayenne

In most cases, the addition of one to three non-essential herbs is sufficient.

**GRAFFITI**  
by  
bruce baryla

means of particle bombardment in a particle accelerator or "atom smasher." All that is needed is to knock three of lead's 82 protons out of its nucleus. The result is gold plus a lot of radioactive isotopes, which have to be separated out through a costly process. The cost for all this is in the range of \$30,000 to \$30,000,000 per ounce, far too costly to be practical for commercial productions.

But now comes a story that could shatter the gold market and have a great effect on world economics in general, if it turns out to be true.

A Russian physicist who recently emigrated to Israel reported to *Chicago Elite*, a bimonthly jewelry industrial magazine that, before he left the Soviet Union, two former classmates working at a nuclear research lab near Siberia's Lake Baikal had stumbled upon a way to make gold and, more importantly, to make it at a cost of \$600 per ounce.

The supposed breakthrough at Lake Baikal happened by accident eight years ago after an experiment in nuclear bombardment changed the composition of the accelerator's lead shielding to gold. The physicist went on to report that, according to his former friends, the Russians mastered the process and now have in place the equipment necessary to produce gold in commercial quantities at \$600 per ounce.

It's easy to see why the Russians would want to keep their activities at Lake Baikal under wraps. News of large new supplies would depress prices and the manufacturing cost of man-made gold would be an effective ceiling on price.

As to whether they have actually succeeded, a look at what has already been achieved in nuclear transmutation here in the United States will show that the concept is not as outrageous as it seems.

A company called Super-Matter has developed a patented method for refining common metals such as copper, lead and chrome into non-radioactive isotopes with engineering properties similar to the noble metals, silver and gold. These isotopes can be produced commercially for about \$300 per pound and can be substituted for the noble metals in over 80% of industrial applications.

In short, industrial gold and silver can be produced at a price per pound equal to gold's price per ounce.

The noble metals are used in photography, electronic communications, defense and solar energy technologies and as a result of more widespread application of commercial alchemy it is possible to reduce our need to import materials by as much as \$1 billion a year and reduce the risk of having imported critical materials not available due to economic warfare.

It boils down to this.

The major cost is building a device that could deliver enough power to blast open the atoms of lead to produce gold in important quantities. In some areas of particle accelerator technology and nuclear fusion techniques, the Russians lead the world, including the United States. It's a question of whether they have reached the point where gold production becomes feasible.

But the most amazing thing is that the alchemists of all ages were right. Beginning with the most romantic of all notions and using methods even more romantic in attempting to realize one of Man's fondest dreams, they were the archtypical mad scientists, just a step above witches on the credibility scale. And yet they were right.

I like to think that the Russians have succeeded in this endeavor. It's the romantic in me.

All the gold in the world would take up the volume of a cube fifty-four feet on a side. That's all there is, not even a mountainful. And until recently, that's all there would ever be.

The discovery of the structure of the atom in the 20th Century vindicated one of the oldest theories of the alchemist; that one element can be transmuted into another. The modern scientist can do this and, just as men have dreamed for thousands of years, turn lead into gold.

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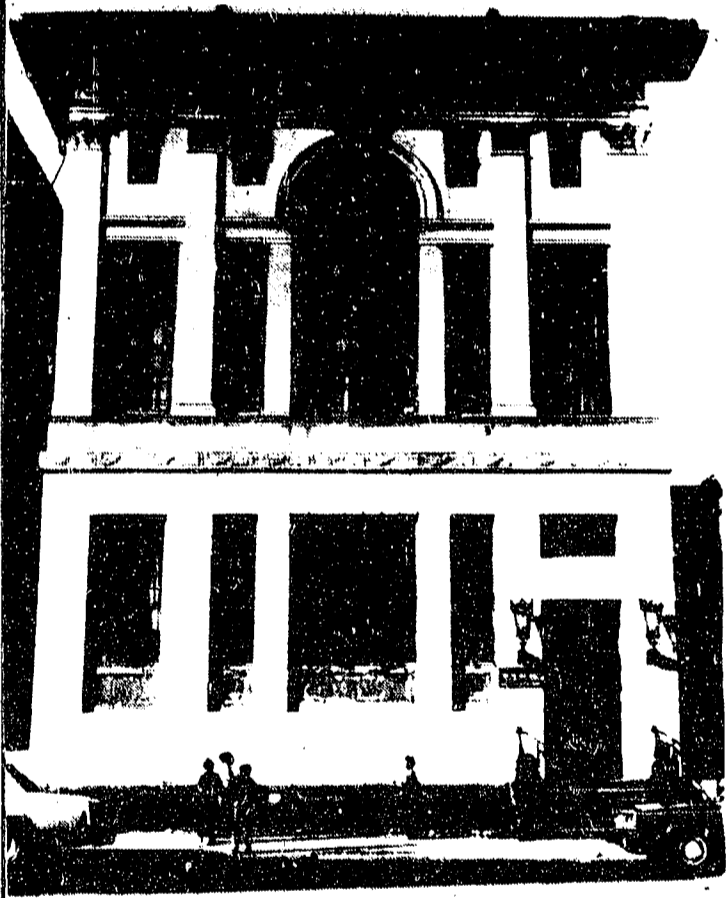
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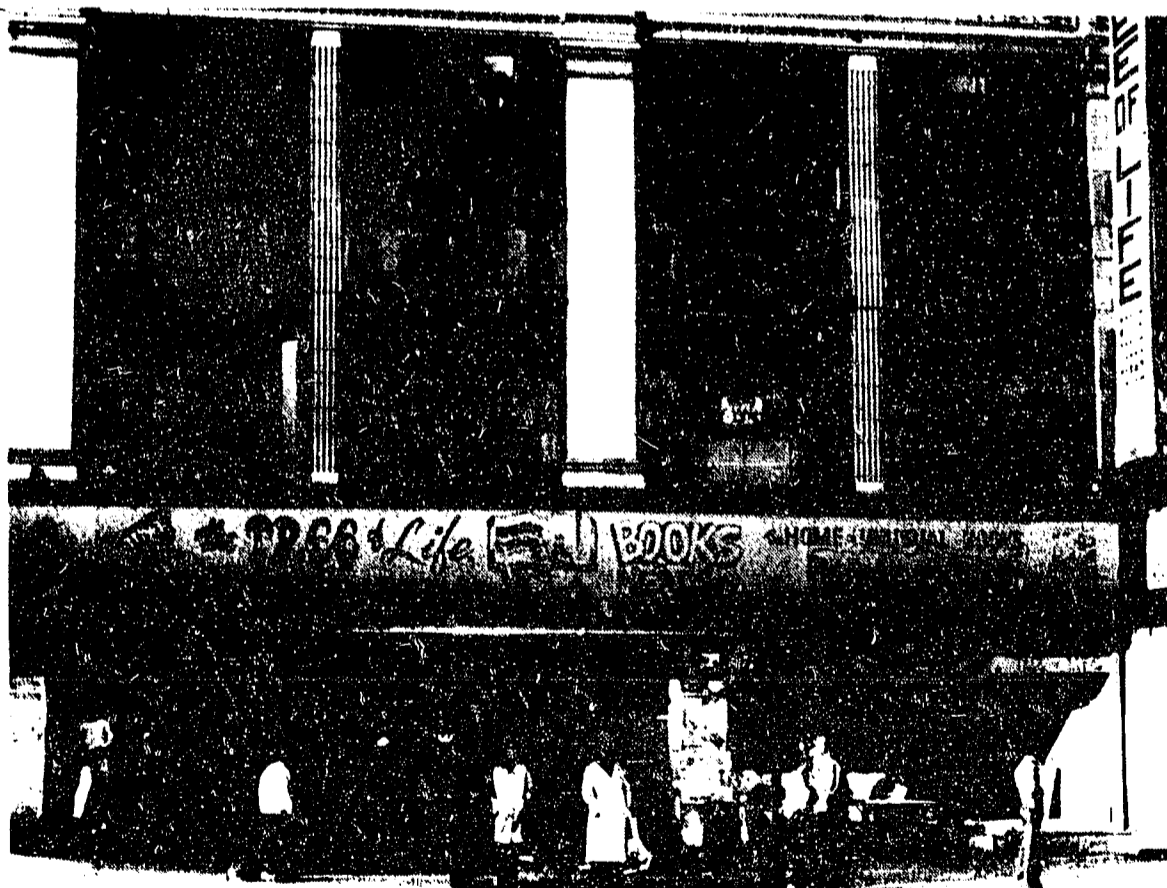
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