



DAVE MESSMER
resigns Wednesday

Messmer Resigns; Bressan New President

by Duane L. Moody
"I, Dave Messmer, do hereby submit my resignation as ASGRCC President this fifth day of November, 1969."

Messmer gave this signed statement to Norm Margullis yesterday and left the campus before the Senate meeting. It is understood that he will not be returning to Green River. No explanation was given by Messmer. A few Senators said he just quit school and obviously had to resign.

The Senate voted to accept his resignation on a second try. The first call for a motion to accept it brought no response from the Senators. The President of the Senate, Tony Bressan, explained that if the resignation were

turned down, "we just wouldn't have a President". The motion was made and accepted.

Bressan then moved from Vice-President to President. Until a new Vice-President is appointed by President Bressan, Karen Montford, Sophomore Senator, will act as President Pro Tempore of the Senate. The President has no idea who he will select to fill the post.

Messmer was elected as a write-in candidate in the general election last spring. He was put in the race after some friends found a 'loop-hole' in the constitution and he won by a slim margin from a field of four.



TONY BRESSEN
new ASB president

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MOSS SPEAKS — Stirling Moss, former racing driver, spoke to Green River students Wednesday on racing, driving technique and his experiences. Included in the program was a brief film. —Photo by Pat Robinson

Vacations Plentiful

Classes will be cancelled Monday, November 10, for a teachers workshop and Tuesday, November 11, for Veterans Day.

November 20 and 21 are advising days for students. Appointments should be made before or on these days with individual advisors.

According to Dean of Students Earl Norman, students should consider three aspects. Are his goals the same now and should he change the number of credit hours or working hours next quarter?

Green Planning Books should be taken to the advising sessions.

Returning students will register for winter quarter classes November 24 through November 26. Additional registration dates are December 1-5. Students entering for the first time winter quarter will register January 2.

Long to Defend Students

Alva Long, prominent local attorney, has agreed to defend, without fee, those students who were issued parking tickets on the access road to the lower parking lot.

The tickets were issued by King County Sheriff's Department. Long's case is based on

Publication Board Formed to Advise Media

The students at Green River now have a media by which they can question or comment on any of GR's publications. This is the newly founded Publication Board.

The purpose of the Board is to pay heed to any question or comments students, faculty or anyone has concerning GR publications. In return, if any publication has a question about something they wish to print, they can also go to the Publication Board.

The Board can by no means deprive publications of their constitutional guarantee of "freedom of speech and freedom of the press." It's job is merely to advise the staff how they feel about any subject commented upon which in itself is subject to restrictions of law and the liabilities of civil suit.

In the past there has been no

way that the students could pass their opinions or questions on to the particular publication.

Perhaps the best way to explain the functions of the Board is through an example. For instance, the "Current" prints a story supporting a Communist speaker coming to Green River. If a student has a question or an adverse opinion on this story, he can take his feelings to the Publications Board. The Board will then advise the "Current" how the public is responding to this story.

If the Current, however, ignores the Board, the public may take the issue to the Board and the Board may take the issue to the college's Board of Trustees.

However, nothing will be censored before it goes to print, and the Board's only real power is to give advise.

ASB's Ready

Any student having their picture taken for A.S.B. identification cards Wednesday and Thursday of registration, can pick up their cards in the cashiers office. Those having their pictures taken on Friday will be informed at a later date of their cards arrival. The cashiers office is open from 8 til 5 daily.

'Painting of Bodies' Set

Six Green River art students will compete in a "painting of bodies" on November 7. The contest, sponsored by the Seattle Automobile Dealers Association will consist of the team members painting a car body and a human body.

Those participating from Green River will be Chairman Neil DeMoine, Sue Aarhaus, Wick Chambers, and Jerry Bates, as painters. Jona Rosenstein will be the human the students will be painting.

The event will be in conjunction with the Seattle Auto Show. It will be held during three different nights with three of the nine local schools entering,

competing each night. The winners of each night will then have a "paint off" on Saturday, November 8. The night the Green River students will paint is Friday, November 7 at 7 p.m. in the Seattle Coliseum.

All those competing in the contest will be judged on their originality, color schemes, design and how they incorporate their school emblem into their artistry.

First place winners will receive \$100; second, \$50 and third \$25. The Seattle Automobile Dealers Association will provide the cars that the students will work on, but not the human bodies.

AWS Members Attend Spokane Conference

Two GRCC students and one advisor attended the Associated Women Students Convention held in Spokane, October 24, 25 and 26.

Winnie Vincent, AWS advisor, along with Linda DeFord, AWS president, and Bertha Brazier flew to Spokane to attend the

WWSC Visitor Due

Representative from Western Washington State College Admissions Office will speak to students Thursday, November 6, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. He will offer information on the college's programs, courses, housing and financial aids plans.

Students may make appointments in the Counseling Center. He will meet with them in the Holman Library Conference Room.

convention.

"The role of women in society," was the theme for the program. It was carried through by panel discussions, films, committee meetings, and discussion groups. These dealt mainly with the part women play in society with some emphasis on campus life.

The whole program was sponsored by Whitworth College. While in Spokane, the three GR representatives stayed at the Ridpath Hotel.

What the AWS is and what it should do were also covered at the convention. Bringing this information home from the convention, Bertha Brazier said "I learned so much\$ only hope I can put it to good use."

Harlem Clowns, Faculty Slate Hoop Contest

The Harlem Clowns basketball team will play the Faculty Rounders November 19. The game is scheduled at 8 p.m. in the gym. The Clowns are a team of professional players who like to "clown it up" once in a while. The Rounders team is made up of various personalities of the GRCC Faculty who may clown as basketball players, but it is unintentional.

In a preliminary game, slated for 6:30, the Sumner High Faculty will be pitted against Auburn High Faculty. Adults will be admitted for \$1.50, students with ID for \$1.00.

From the Editor's Desk Is Nixon Still Looking?

Did Nixon really say much of anything in his talk to the nation last Monday evening? I got the impression that the President really had little new to report and he just was trying to appease the American people.

Nixon said he had a plan to end the war, the same plan he said he had during his campaign. He was very sketchy on what sort of plan he had and he made me wonder if he really had one or not.

"We have adopted a plan" he said, "for the complete withdrawal of all U.S. ground combat forces, and their replacement by South Vietnamese forces, on an orderly scheduled timetable."

However, the South Vietnamese will never be ready to take over the fighting that U.S. combat forces are now doing. The only real way the U.S. could win this war is by staging an offensive and bomb the enemy to submission.

Yes, this is the only way the war could be won, but it is a way we can't use. Opinions of the American people wouldn't allow it nor will the public allow the sudden withdrawal of all our troops. Just then how can we get out of this war with any kind of a win.

The answer is beyond me, but I'm getting the impression that the answer is beyond Nixon,

too.

Nixon may be in trouble with the disenchanted youth of America, too, when he said he would not listen to them. Another moratorium is coming up in a few days, and violent action is not out of the question with this type of attitude. Nixon will have to answer to the people sometime during the next four years or he will never get re-elected in 1972.

What can the President do with his inherited war? He can start making some tracks in the direction of peace. I don't know how he will do it, but I wish he would, instead of playing a game of stall.

Bill Ostlund

GR Representing Malaysia in Model U N

The Green River College section of Model United Nations will be representing Malaysia at the 1969-70 national conference this year.

The Model United Nations is not a club. It is a one-credit class taught by John Barnard. The class chairmen chosen for this

year are George Murray and Cliff Frazier. Instead of regular hours, class meetings are held when necessary.

All small sections of Model United Nations belong to the National Model United Nations. Yearly, each school's class is given a country to mock repre-

sent at the annual Model United Nations Conference somewhere on the west coast.

This year's meeting will be held at Eugene, Oregon. Next year's will be at Los Angeles.

Green River will send its delegation to Eugene winter quarter to represent Malaysia.

The class involves much research and study. It will be open for a short while before the end of this quarter.

Winter Quarter Registration Procedure Explained

Winter quarter of 1970 begins Jan. 5, and students should begin planning their schedule now.

REGULAR STUDENTS

All regular students should contact their advisor and schedule an advising appointment for Nov. 20, or 21. Registration for returning regular students can be made by appointment on Nov. 24-26 and Dec. 1-5. Late registration for currently enrolled regular students is scheduled for Dec. 6 through Jan. 9, a \$5 late fee being charged. December 31, 8 a.m. to 12 noon is the time set for registration of returning regular students not currently attending.

SPECIAL STUDENTS

Registration for special students will be held Nov. 24-26 and Dec. 1-4 from 6:30 p.m. to 9 p.m. Special students can register on Dec. 30, from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. by appointment. Open registration for regular students will be held Jan. 5, from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m.

Special students registering late on Jan. 6 through Jan. 9 will be charged a \$2 late fee.

January 9 is the last day to withdraw from class, with an 80 percent refund for complete withdrawal.

Midterm for winter quarter is Feb. 9, and final examinations are scheduled for March 18, 19 and 20.

Changes of schedules can be made on Jan. 7, 8, and 9, 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m., 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. and 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

Black Lit In

Interested in Black Literature? The Holman Library has added a few new books on Black Culture. Some stories to look into among the new additions include such popular books as, "Black Like Me," "In White America," "Three Faces of Eve," "Soul on Ice" and "Nigger."

All these books may be checked out at any time.

No Paper Next Week Or On Thanksgiving

Because of the vacation schedule during the month of November, there will be only two issues of the Current: today and November 20.

Since there will be no classes Monday and Tuesday, two key days in publishing a weekly school paper, no paper is planned for that week. November 13.

On November 20-21 students will be on campus for advising appointments so a paper will be published for distribution on Thursday, November 20. Students are urged to check in the Student Lounges, the library, the faculty office buildings, or at the front desk for a copy of the paper that day.

The following Thursday is Thanksgiving.

The final edition of the quarter will be printed the first Thursday in December. The week following are finals.



FORUM HEAD — Dr. George Reidenbach of the USIU was on campus last week to talk to students interested in the University program. —Photo by Scott Kruize

International University Representative Visits GR

George M. Reidenbach from the United States International University in San Jose, California visited Green River Friday and conferred with students about the International University's program.

In informal question-and-answer periods he explained that the International University was created when California Western University was re-organized two years ago. It was decided to establish campuses all over the world, employing local teachers.

Renton Needs Volunteers

The Renton School District is initiating a Volunteer Services Program in which adults from the community may volunteer time to improve the education programs of the Renton schools.

College students can also help by volunteering assistance in class rooms, lunchrooms, libraries, and the play field. Volunteers should be able to donate two hours or more per week to the school district.

For more information contact Charles Nevi, Honey Dew School at BA 8-6850.

The University is privately financed and owned, and is non-denominational, although the former California Western University was associated with the Methodist Church.

Currently, the University owns four campuses in the United States and one in England. Plans have been made to build more in the Far East, Western Europe, and Latin America.

After Mr. Reidenbach left Green River, he planned to visit other community colleges in the Puget Sound Area. He said that the University was most interested in students with one or two years at a community college.

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Well, Tony, where are you going to find a new vice-president?

'Where is Our Money?' Ask Student Senators

By Duane Moody

The finance problem found a priority spot in the October 29 Senate meeting. It appears that money has been spent from Student Activities funds without going through proper channels, resulting in no one knowing where the money had gone.

A Finance Committee, headed by Gilbert Ziegler and including Comptroller Cookie Borne, was formed as a standing committee. This committee will find out where the money has gone, review future purchases to the assessment committee.

A later motion to freeze all funds was moved and carried. As of November 3, all funds for any committee, club, or any other organization subject to student government cannot be touched

unless a request is brought before the Senate and approved. The funds will remain "on ice" until the state of the budget is known and the balance is established.

A motion was made to support the Special Events Committee in distribution of a pamphlet on Birth Control. It was decided that the Senators should have a chance to examine the pamphlet (of which there are two on campus) before any decision be made.

A bill was moved to the floor to investigate possible support (financially) of the Seattle Urban League. This was referred to the Finance Committee.

A discussion on the continuation of the "Gator's Mouth" resulted in referral to the Publicity Committee.

College Applies For Funds

Building funds have been applied for the Students Services Center, the Business Education Building and the Social Sciences Building. The estimate for the total project is 2.2 million. The schematic plans have been submitted and accepted by the State Community College Board. Last week the bidding was scheduled to begin in March.

Construction should commence 30 days after the bid is accepted. The buildings are scheduled to open in the fall of 1971.

The Student Services Center will include facilities for food services, a book store, health services, counseling center, the financial aids and placement offices, the activities offices and the admissions and registration offices.

The 4200-square-foot building will also include quiet study areas, recreation and conference rooms.

Green River's original master plan was based on an enrollment of 2500 full-time students. With the new facilities, the college can accommodate 5,000 full-time students.



WITCH FOLLOWERS — Green River student Arlene Henline drew crowds everywhere she went last Friday in Halloween make-up. She not only flirted with a host of people on campus but visited grade schools and made several other stops in Auburn, celebrating her favorite holiday.
—Photo by Pat Robinson

Fashion Show Set Air Force Seeks Top Students

There will be a fashion show at Green River on November 18. The program, titled "Accent Aquarius," will be sponsored by Rottles Apparel and put on by the Social Recreation Class. The presentation will be in PA 8 at 12:15 and there will be no cost.

There will be a mixture of fashions presented during the show and they will be modeled by Green River students. Those modeling will include Ellen Schaffer, Ellen Schaver, Kathy McDougal, and Linda Wolfe, women's fashions; and Tom Hill, Pat McMahon, Brad Johnson, and Gary Hoesktra, men's fashions.

The students are putting the show on as part of their requirements for their class.

The Air Force Academy is a great opportunity for anyone who graduated from high school in the top one quarter of the class, according to officials in the counseling center.

The Academy doesn't want just the top ten of the class, but just good solid people, students who have leadership ability.

If anyone is interested in entering Air Force Academy, or have any questions about it see Mr. Don Isaacson in the counseling center.

State Board Ponders Budget Cut Problems

OLYMPIA — Plans for carrying out budget reductions and construction delays in the community college system in line with Governor Evans' request will be considered next week by the State Board for Community College Education.

The Board will meet on Thursday, November 6, at 1 p.m. on the campus of Columbia Basin Community College in Pasco.

"The administration recognizes the difficulty of reducing a community college budget in mid-year in the manner prescribed by the Governor's October 10 executive order," Dr. A.A. Canfield, state director, said. "They have, as a result, asked us to propose our own plan," he said.

The savings target for the

community college system is \$1,155,000.

The community colleges are also being asked to delay up to \$9 million in building projects in connection with the Governor's slowdown on construction.

"Criteria are being recommended to the Board to minimize the delay of the most critically needed buildings," Dr. Canfield said.

"It is our purpose to avoid having to delay critical projects just because their bid dates happen to fall during the period of slowdown, October 1969 through June 1970," he explained.

"In light of the already serious lack of facilities our system faces, the determination will be a difficult one."

Shop Class Beginning

A Basic Home Shop class started at Green River's Renton branch October 29. The class will meet from 7 to 9 and will run for six weeks.

Mr. Robert Long will be the instructor for the class.

People may work on a proj-

ect of their choice, with instruction on wood finishing included. Proper use and care of machines and tools will also be given. It will be necessary for interested students to furnish their own supplies. For further information call BA 6-9210.

Like to Eat? Dining Class is For You

Green River's Renton Branch is holding a class in Dining Out which began October 28.

There will be five "gala nights of fun and exotic dining" at:

November 4: Eight Immortals Restaurant (Chinese banquet)

November 11: Soul Restaurant (Central Area)

November 18: Adolfo's Restaurant (Italian)

November 25: The Greek Village (Greek — Belly Dancer included)

December 2: Mirabeau (French-hote Cuisine)

The menus are specially prepared for the class.

The lab fee of \$30 includes prices of all meals, tips, tax, and

Piatt Writing GRCC Column

Sue Piatt, freshman at Green River, is writing a weekly column for three valley papers on events and happenings on the GRCC campus.

Sue is writing for the Auburn, Kent and Renton papers on items of interest to the public and to the students about Green River. Sue is open to suggestions as to content of her article and may be reached in HS 12 Tuesdays and Thursdays from 1 to 2 p.m. She is also in the Lower Lounge most any time.

Sue is on the Current staff as well as writing for the valley papers.

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Apartment Class To Be At Hazen

Green River's Renton Branch will be holding a six-weeks course in Apartment House Management which began Monday, October 27.

Part of the format for the class will be problems and practices in dealing with people, basic upkeep and maintenance of apartments, and red tape, record keeping, and paperwork concerned with the operation of apartments.

Cost of the course is \$6. Registration is in the Green River College office located on the north side of Hazen High School, 11211 142nd Avenue S.E., Renton, from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. or 6 to 9 p.m. Monday through Thursday. The class will be held in Hazen High School.

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Editorials & Opinion

Black Panther Party Program:

What We Want; What We Believe

1. We want freedom. We want power to determine the destiny of our Black Community.

We believe that black people will not be free until we are able to determine our destiny.

2. We want full employment for our people.

We believe that the federal government is responsible and obligated to give every man employment or a guaranteed income. We believe that if the white American businessmen will not give full employment, then the means of production should be taken from the businessmen and placed in the community so that the people of the community can organize and employ all of its people and give a high standard of living.

3. We want an end to the robbery by the CAPITALIST of our Black Community.

We believe that this racist government has robbed us and now we are demanding the overdue debt of forty acres and two mules. Forty acres and two mules was promised 100 years ago as restitution for slave labor and mass murder of black people. We will accept the payment in currency which will be distributed to our many communities. The Germans are now aiding the Jews in Israel for the genocide of the Jewish people. The Germans murdered six million Jews. The American racist has taken part in the slaughter of fifty million black people; therefore, we feel that this is a modest demand that we make.

4. We want decent housing, fit for shelter of human beings.

We believe that if the white landlords will not give decent housing to our black community, then the housing and the land should be made into cooperatives so that our community, with government aid, can build and make decent housing for its people.

5. We want education for our people that exposes the true nature of this decadent American society. We want education that teaches us our true history and our role in the present-day society.

We believe in an educational system that will give to our people a knowledge of self. If a man does not have knowledge of himself and his position in society and the world, then he has little chance to relate to anything else.

6. We want all black men to be exempt from military service.

We believe that Black people should not be forced to fight in the military service to defend a racist government that does not protect us. We will not fight and kill other people of color in the world who, like black people, are being victimized by the white racist government of America. We will protect ourselves from the force and violence of the racist police and the racist military, by whatever means necessary.

7. We want an immediate end to POLICE BRUTALITY and MURDER of black people.

We believe we can end police brutality in our black community by organizing black self-defense groups that are dedicated to defending our black community from racist police oppression and brutality. The Second Amendment to the Constitution of the United States gives a right to

bear arms. We therefore believe that all black people should arm themselves for self-defense.

8. We want freedom for all black men held in federal, state, county and city prisons and jails.

We believe that all black people should be released from the many jails and prisons because they have not received a fair and impartial trial.

9. We want all black people when brought to trial to be tried in court by a jury of their peer group or people from their black communities, as defined by the Constitution of the United States.

We believe that the courts should follow the United States Constitution so that black people will receive fair trials. The 14th Amendment of the U.S. Constitution gives a man a right to be tried by his peer group. A peer is a person from a similar economic, social, religious, geographical, environmental, historical and racial background. To do this the court will be forced to select a jury from the black community from which the black defendant came. We have been, and are being tried by all-white juries that have no understanding of the "average reasoning man" of the black community.

10. We want land, bread, housing, education, clothing, justice and peace. And as our major political objective, a United Nations-supervised plebiscite to be held throughout the black colony in which only black colonial subjects will be allowed to participate, for the purpose of determining the will of black people as to their national destiny.

When, in the course of human events, it becomes necessary for one people to

dissolve the political bands which have connected them with another, and to assume, among the powers of the earth, the separate and equal station to which the laws of nature and nature's God entitle them, a decent respect to the opinions of mankind requires that they should declare the causes which impel them to the separation.

We hold these truths to be self-evident, that all men are created equal; that they are endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable rights; that among these are life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness. That, to secure these rights, governments are instituted among men, deriving their just powers from the consent of the governed; that, whenever any form of government becomes destructive of these ends, it is the right of the people to alter or to abolish it, and to institute a new government, laying its foundation on such principles, and organizing its powers in such form, as to them shall seem most likely to effect their safety and happiness. Prudence, indeed, will dictate that governments long established should not be changed for light and transient causes; and, accordingly, all experience hath shown, that mankind are more disposed to suffer, while evils are sufferable, than to right themselves by abolishing the forms to which they are accustomed. But, when a long train of abuses and usurpations, pursuing invariably the same object, evinces a design to reduce them under absolute despotism, it is their right, it is their duty, to throw off such government, and to provide new guards for their future security.

From the Black Panther

Gov. Lester Maddox:

'Nation Still Grasping'

In a previous issue, the *Current* published an article entitled "Why Christians Should Fight Communism." The article was written by Carl McIntire, President of Shelton College, Cape May, New Jersey.

Last Saturday, a Bible Believers March was held in support of Dr. McIntire and Shelton college. (Shelton's accreditation is being challenged by the State of New Jersey.)

One of the participants in the March was Governor Lester Maddox of Georgia, the former restaurant owner who used a shot gun to refuse admission to Blacks seeking to do business in his establishment.

The following is his statement regarding the Bible-Believers March and the issues he considers important:

The goal of Dr. Carl McIntire, the goal of Lester Maddox, and the goal of Christian patriots in this country is one and the same. We are publicly and unashamedly letting the nation and the world know that we do believe in the living God and that we are loyal to our country. There are those in our midst today who would seek the solution through asking us to place our faith in the Democratic Party, the Republican Party, the Governor, the President, or expanded social programs. We've tried all these but still have a nation grasping and seeking the answer. That answer is Christ and in the living God.

This the effort that I am making, seeking that God would use me and direct me in service to help you and your work as we serve Him and serve our country in the capacities in which we find ourselves. I am



Governor Lester Maddox

looking forward to the occasion, and I urge and plead for those in any part of the country that can participate to join us, and let this be a great day for God and for country — a great day of rededication to the causes and to the principles that made this country great. We would let the nation and the world know that we stand behind this great country, that we stand behind sensible and constitutional government, and that we stand behind our men in Vietnam. We stand behind the men who are fighting now in this battle and those who are in the hospitals and in the homes who have paid a dear price for safety and our liberty. We seek victory, not surrender, over Communism.

From The Christian Beacon



Dan Louie Aggie For Permanent VP

There is a movement that is gathering support among the nation's leaders in and around Washington, D.C. This movement is to make the vice-presidency a permanent position, and has been mustered by those who look at the great job the current, and leading candidate for the new position, vice-president is doing. Yes, the leading candidate and father of this new movement is none other than Spiro T. Agnew.

Before you laugh and reject this idea and this candidate, I urge you to first read on and hear the arguments for the proposal.

First, the new position must be held by Agnew. This is the one point on which neither side is willing to compromise. The reason for this is that Agnew is the only person in sight that can give the new position the caliber of intelligence that is needed to make the job work. Before listing Agnew's qualifications I would like to go into the job itself, afterwards the reasons for Agnew's appointment will be clear.

As it now stands the only official duty of the vice-president is to rule over the Senate and to occasionally cast a tie breaking vote. This is a boring task for a boring man. The best example of a good V.P. is H.H.H. Humphrey played the role of vice-president very well, after all there were times when we had only Johnson's word that H.H.H. really existed. The new position would carry the title Vice-President and Special Assistant to the President.

This would incorporate the old idea with a new idea. The new idea is this: the new man would be required to help the president by taking attention away from him and thereby getting the people to forget about the president in much the same way they now forget about the vice-president. This requires a great deal of natural talent that only Spiro T. seems to possess.

Qualifications

To examine his qualifications one only has to look at the records. Agnew started his campaign by supposedly campaigning for Nixon. But he promptly took attention away from Nixon's pre-election feelers to Hanoi by commenting about "Fat Japs" while on his way to Hawaii.

Answer to Avato Needed; Drug Section Planned

By Gary Russo

Last week, our occasional columnist, Avato, asked "Where Is Hope?" Avato introduced his philosophy of hopelessness in the pages of the *Current* and provoked considerable controversy.

One man said that Avato is "sick"; others stated that he is wrong — *there must be hope*.

Avato's question — "Where Is Hope?" — stands: He has received no satisfactory answer.

Attempting to answer his question, the *Current* will present a hope section in the final issue of the 1960's.

If hope exists, prepare an essay or cartoon expressing the idea and submit it to the opinion-comment editor by November 26.

No hope section will be present without student participation.

Contributions are needed: Avato's mind is at stake.

FORT LEWIS: All of the men involved in the busted October 20 American Servicemen's Union meeting have been released from restriction. No meeting-related charges have been brought against any of the men.

Students are reminded that servicemen need the support of the civilian population in the GI's struggle for elementary political rights.

DRUGS: The November 20 opinion section of the *Current* will deal with drugs.

Contributions should be submitted by November 14.

While many Black leaders throughout the country were citing Agnew's civil rights policies as Maryland's Governor they were completely forgetting Nixon's policy on the same subject. Nixon further increased his chances of carrying Maryland when a certain civil rights leader was quoted as saying, "Well at least we got him out of Maryland." This bringing together of white and black voters may have been the "bringing together pledge" that Nixon issued at Miami while the Florida police were stopping all out-of-staters and checking their reasons for visiting the site of the Republican Convention.

After the election results were in dear old Foot-in-Tongue Aggie really started the campaign. While leaders of all parties were engaged in debates over the narcotics laws of this nation, Agnew took the spotlight, or heat, off of the president by having his 13-year-old daughter arrested for possession of marijuana. This completely freed Nixon to pursue his line of harder punishment for drug users, a decision that undoubtedly was reached at a sociable cocktail party.

Moratorium

Agnew's campaign has reached the peak with the Anti-war demonstrations. The Moratorium saw thousands of people of all walks of life join hands in a single cause. Their efforts were met by Aggie's calling them agents of Hanoi. Even respected members of Congress could not hide from Agnew's rage. Sen. Fullbright was so startled and scared he could only muster, "Regarding the source I don't think much has to be said." Then he swayed the Supreme Court by telling a Mississippi crowd that the high court would uphold the decision of the District Court regarding school desegregation.

I think as time progresses the American public will eventually realize that Agnew is right for the new job and that the new job is right for Agnew. After all when is the last time a president of the United States was so able to enjoy being president of the United States. Agnew enables Nixon to work without the public really bearing down like they began to do to Johnson. Agnew is also good insurance for the safety of the president; his presence could cut the cost of guarding the president by 100 per cent. After all who in their right mind, or in their wrong mind, would make an attempt on Nixon's life knowing that Agnew would take over.

The nation's leaders are trying to keep the details of the movement a secret until everything is settled and decided on. But don't be surprised if very soon the president issues a special statement concerning the vice-president of the United States.

Independent Party Beliefs

The Independent Party of the State of Washington, Inc. affirms its belief and is dedicated to the following:

A recognition of God as the source of the rights of man.

Establishment of a form of government in the spirit set forth in the Declaration of Independence, the Constitution of the United States, the Bill of Rights, and the abrogation of any and all treaties in conflict therewith.

Upholding the sovereignty of the United States and opposing any and all attempts of the United Nations to subvert the same.

A strict adherence to the Monroe Doctrine, and no further participation in "un-declared wars."

A severance of all diplomatic relations with the USSR and all other Communist regimes.

An end to all foreign aid, gifts and loans, to any Communist power.

The appointment of all federal judges for a limited term only.

Prohibiting the Federal Government from any manner of participation in the administration, financing, or conduct of

schools, public or private, or elections, within any state of the Union.

The repeal of the Seventeenth Amendment, thereby returning the election of United States senators to the legislatures of the respective states.

Repeal of the personal income tax (Support the Liberty Amendment).

Abolition of the entire Federal Reserve System, with the Congress, exercising its exclusive right to coin money and regulate the value thereof.

Sustaining the McCarran-Walter Immigration Act, and prohibiting the importation of all merchandise from Communist countries in the interest of American labor.

The time-honored doctrine of separation of church and state.

The private ownership of property, and management thereof — putting the Federal Government out of competition with private industry.

The recognition of the national sovereignty of the United States of America, as opposed to any and all forms of world government whether political, financial, or religious.

Letter to Editor; Avato Replies

Dear Editor:

Yes, fellow truth-seekers, I have once again set pen to tablet in order to express my dissent towards almost all of the recent editorials. To Gary Russo and friends, I say congratulations!

Once again you have show the power of observation — You've found a little filth and corruption. Surprising what you'll find if you look hard enough for it. I trust you will do something about it besides protesting and talking about it.

By the way, while you're on your observation trip, you might take notice of the few minute things of worth that take place in the service — and elsewhere — small things like bringing out leadership, maturity, self respect, discipline, and pride.

Do your part to cleave away the bad, but don't under emphasize the good in the service world and Student Senate.

To Mr. (Mrs., Miss?) Avato (who thinks there is no hope for the world), I suggest he whip out his "psych" 100 book and read about the "self-fulfilling prophesy." It might add to the enjoyment of his waning years.

Drop out? That's right, if you pretend the world isn't real, I'm sure it will cease to exist. This will also help make the world a better

place to live in.

Make love not War? This sounds like fun — or do you mean "Screw your enemy"? At any rate, sex without love and meaning is useless and lowers man to an animal, in my opinion.

Keep busy? Surprise, I agree with you. Keep busy, but do things that are worthwhile and things that need to be done. I quote the late John F. Kennedy, "God's work on earth must surely be our own."

Steve Whitford
Senator at Large

Mr. Avato answers:

Now, Mr. Whitford, cleverly avoids my question — "Where Is Hope?" — by introducing "psych" 100 and using other intellectual tricks.

First, dropping out does not mean ignoring the world. To withdraw, you must have something to withdraw from. Right?

Second, to make love not war does not necessarily involve an absence of love and meaning. I love everybody.

Third, quoting JFK is no fair. Quote the Bible, I might be able to contradict that, but JFK's words are to sacred.

In summary, I ask you to answer my question — "Where Is Hope?"



Orchid Island Princess Named



MISS HAWAII — Susan Spurlock has been selected as Miss Hawaii this month by the Hawaiian Club International. — Photo by Pat Robinson

Susan Spurlock Reigns As Hawaiian Princess

Susan Spurlock is the newly-chosen Princess of Hawaii in Hawaiian International Club. Each month will see a new princess for a new Hawaiian island and they will be eligible for Miss Hawaiian Islands next spring. A majority vote in the club elects the girls.

The club will sponsor the first Green River basketball game of the year, November 29. The members will say welcome chants to the teams and entertain at intermission.

An initiation in the club scheduled for some time in November involves reliving Bonnie and Clyde in Auburn. Tony Canque, president of the organiza-

tion, said city officials have given their ok on the plan.

As part of the Winter Frolic, the club plans to have body painting in Pa-8. The difference between this and other body painting, said Tony, is that you don't paint your body — you paint with it. Anyone who wants to can dress in old clothes, emerge in paint and leave his image across a long sheet of paper. Music will set the mood.

The other officers in charge of the Hawaiian International Club are Vice-President Susan Spurlock, Secretary Sharon Tabor and Treasurer Ken Acoff.

The club's motto is: To live, to laugh, and to forget time.

Christmas Course Underway

A class embracing many facets of Christmas decorations, both traditional and contemporary, will be offered at the Renton Branch of Green River Community College on Wednesday evenings from 7-10 p.m. which began October 29. The instructor will be Mary Nist.

Christmas cards and soft toys as well as indoor and outdoor decorations may be made. An exchange of materials should lower the cost of supplies. There will be no lab fee.

A personal approach to decoration will be encouraged. Cost of the class is \$6. Registration is from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. and 6-9:30 p.m. Monday through Thursday, and from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Friday. For further information call BA 6-9210.

Family Life Classes at Hazen

The college's Renton Branch has scheduled eight sessions in Family Life Education which began October 30.

The classes will take place at Hazen High School, Room 101, and there is a \$2 material fee.

Prime objective of the series is to improve communication between parent and child. Topics to be discussed will be parent's roles and responsibilities, communication between parent and child, understanding human growth and development, understanding morality, talking to children about sexuality — pre-school, young children, pre-teen, and teen-ager. Class time is 7:30-9:30 p.m.

For further information call BA 6-9210.

Wenatchee Holds Political Action Club Formed—Pie Contest

The Royal Squires of Wenatchee Valley College had a pie eating contest Wednesday, October 22. No hands were used.

Amarillo College in Texas has started a new men's service fraternity. The fraternity, Alpha Phi Omega, is largely made up of men who have formerly been active in scouting.

De Anzo College in Cupertino, California, is offering free lunches to about 100 students, according to their school officials.

Washington State University is offering a course in palynology.

The Circle K of Eastern Oklahoma State College sponsored a powder puff football game Monday, October 27.

Law Course to Be at Renton

A course entitled Layman and the Law started at Green River's Renton Branch on October 27.

Layman and the Law is a six-week course aimed at acquainting the citizenry of the community with various aspects of the law and their implication to the citizen as a member of his community and as an individual in his daily dealings. The class consists of lectures, movies, and guest lecturers speaking on topics relating to traffic law, community property laws, probate laws, laws of fire, and many other facets of the law.

This course will be geared to a non-lawyer approach with the emphasis of acquainting the citizen of many facets of the law so he or she may be better able to understand the law's workings.

Driving Course Set November 18

Defensive Driving Course will be offered Tuesday, November 18, by the Washington State Patrol. The program is scheduled for 4 to 7 p.m. in the Holman Library Conference Room. Anyone may attend.

The course will also be offered Monday, November 10, at Bellevue Community College from 1 to 5 p.m.; Wednesday, November 12, at Puget Sound Power and Light in Bellevue from 8 to noon; and Wednesday, November 19, at the University of Washington.

As a result of the October 15 Moratorium Day activities, a few students decided to form an organization to combat apathy on the Green River campus and in the community. Their purpose is to get people involved in the government.

A group of about 25 to 30 students decided that they wanted to do more than just rehash old ideas and thoughts; they wanted to organize some type of club or committee that would not be limited to just the Vietnam war, but to any and all issues that concern the students and community.

An organizational meeting took place the next day in the PA

BEC Club Elects Officers

The Green River Business Education Club has had two of its meetings up to this date.

Arlene Haaven, Business Education teacher, is the club's advisor and Karen Rogers is meeting conductor.

Items discussed and acted upon at last week's meetings were the adoption of a constitution, election of officers, and club colors.

Dues were set at two dollars per year, or one dollar per quarter. The colors decided on were green, white, and gold.

The club will have a membership drive and summer events, but nothing definite was planned.

The club is still accepting new members. Anyone wishing to join us invited to contact Mrs. Haaven or Karen Rogers.

building. John Barnard, political science instructor, was in attendance. He explained that he was the adviser for the Political Action Club last year and he would be happy to help again this year.

The group elected officers. They are Gilbert Ziegler, president; Duane Moody, vice president; Maggie Kysar, secretary; Nickie Moran, treasurer, and Jim Moran, representative to Interclub Council.

The first activity sponsored by the club was a talk by Mr. Vern Loland on the general history of Vietnam. The club is getting started on the Vietnam issue and will spread to others as they pick up momentum.

WWSC Announces Restrictions

The Office of Admissions at Western Washington State College announces an emergency restriction on admissions, effective immediately.

For winter and spring quarters of 1970, admission may be granted to those students who will have earned at least 75 quarter hours of transferable credit by the beginning of the term for which they seek admission.

The grade average required for admission remains at 2.0, as stated in the 1969-70 College Catalog.

Admission restrictions are effective for winter and spring quarters only. In the event that fall quarter (1970) admission procedures are altered, a full announcement will be made early in winter quarter, 1970.

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In a recent network shake-up, 35 of the staff of 40 pageboys got the axe for smoking pot on the premises. The supplier, however, escaped notice and still carries on in his duo capacity of pusher and page boy . . . First rising Columbia Records star Johnny Winter poo-poo's the ideas that you have to be black to know the achin' that the blues is all about. As a cross-eyed albino from the South, the guitarist-blues singer says he was "always lower than the spades and treated worse" . . . Grand Central Station has a hot new concession. It's called Astroflash and it dispenses individualized, computerized horoscopes . . . Jack Newfield, author of Robert F. Kennedy: A Memoir, told Campus Radio Voice correspondent Dennis McCabe: "After Ethel Kennedy read the book, she called me up and said, 'J'ck, It's great! I knew you'd give it to Gene and Lyndon, and I'm glad you gave it to the New York Times too!'" . . . Management of Oh, Calcutta! the off-Broadway smash musical that makes Hair look like a Christmas pageant, proudly lists the famous authors who have contributed sketches but won't tell who wrote what. However, word's leaked out that John Lennon penned "Four in Hand" a randy bit . . . A man turned up at the Gillette headquarters in Boston wearing his complaint. His face! He was sprouting 5, 6, 8, and 10 o'clock shadows in between clean-shaven areas, and he denounced the nice complaint lady in bitter terms. Developed he's used the adjustable razor band, neglecting first to insert in the razor . . . The times they are a-changin': Bob Dylan, who was once a poor wandering minstrel, has bought a \$250,000 town house in Greenwich Village's exclusive MacDougall Gardens . . . "A lot of things wrong with society today," according to Frank Zappa, (Mothers of Invention leader), "are directly attributable to the fact that the people who make the laws are sexually maladjusted" . . . Fashion note from West Germany: Hairy youths are dyeing their beards pastel colors. Some are even blending their colors for rainbow effects . . .

The sex attitudes and experiences of ghetto teen-agers are explored in A Three Letter Word for Love. Film is set for TV release and sex education classes . . . This pessimistic observation from Bill Graham, the rock impresario who masterminds Fillmore East and West: "The business changes the personality of the artist because the artist is so busy making \$50,000 and meeting with the publishers and meeting with the chairman of the board of one of his corporations. He should be making a lot of money, but he doesn't trust anybody because he's a revolutionary and he fires 17 managers in a row and he himself becomes so involved in that business that he forgets to write songs, he forgets to rest, but he has to get a girl 20 times a day. But then what happens to him — he gives a listless performance" . . . Positive thinking: Look at air pollution as giant sunglasses . . . Last Summer Bill Kerth and Bob Putnam of Amherst competed for gorging honors with ice cream sundaes versus sardines from Maine. Bob put away 2½ pounds of sardines; Bill put away 8 sundaes. Shortly thereafter the ingestive pro-tained that the menu was easier to swallow than cafeteria food. . . There'll always be a Sensible England: In London the National Westminster Bank Group is recruiting male personnel with ads featuring heavily bearded youths. Quoth the ad: "We want bright young men. And if they prefer to be hairy that's their affair." But the ad does warn that a man's hair shouldn't fall below his shoulders. "Such hair," the copy points out, "tends to get caught in our computers" . . . Popular sign on motor bikes: Hire the Morally Handicapped . . . A patina of by-sexuality coats the current rock scene: Grace Slick and the Jefferson Airplane are doing David Crosby's Triad (Why can't they go on as three?), and Alice Cooper is a male singer who performs in dresses his father bought him . . . Keep smiling: Sunshine is good for the teeth . . . And remember FIGHT LIKE CRAZY FOR MENTAL HEALTH! We'll give \$25 for the best graffiti. Send to SCENE, 178 East 79th St., New York, N.Y. 10021.

Pharmacy Representative To Visit

A representative from the College of Pharmacy at Washington State University will be at Green River Wednesday, November 12. Dr. Keith Campbell, assistant professor of clinical pharmacy, will arrive at 2:30 p.m. in the Holman Library

Conference Room.

He will answer questions regarding the program for counselors, faculty members and pre-pharmacy majors. Interested students may make an appointment in the Counseling Center.

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INTRAMURAL FOOTBALL — Huskers' ball carrier runs against Behrbaum's defense.



TOUCH? — Behrbaum catches ball, defense catches Behrbaum in touch ball Wednesday.



IN VAIN — John McNeil gives fine pursuit in losing effort against Huskers. —Photo by Pat Robinson

Soccer Team Looking For More Members

Green River Community College is organizing a soccer team. If organized in time, the team will join the Puget Sound league in January. Games can then be scheduled with Seattle University, the University of Washington and others.

Until now, soccer has not been well known, and has been played very little in the United States. Today, however, it is becoming more and more popular here, as it has been in South America. Many schools and most colleges are now forming teams. In the Kent valley alone, there are now forty teams, ranging from grade schools through colleges, to men's teams.

In soccer, the ball may be kicked, butted or struck with any part of the body except the hands and arms. The goal-keeper is the one exception, and he can pick the ball in his penalty area. Field sizes range from 100 to 130 yards long, and 50 to 100 yards wide.

Most tournament fields measure 115 by 75 yards. The goals are eight yards wide and eight feet high. The team is composed of eleven members: five forwards, three halfbacks, two fullbacks, and one goalkeeper. The game is started and re-started with each goal scored, the scoring team beginning the play from the center of the field. A regular game consists of two halves of forty-five minutes each, with one ten-minute break.

Compared to football, soccer is an uncomplicated sport, for no extensive protective clothing is needed, and the players need no other requirements than having good health.

The only problem with our team right now is a shortage of manpower. Eleven players are needed, and at least four substitutes and so for only seven boys have tried out. Interested students are urged to come to the practice field during the noon breaks.

GR Runners Place Second In Meet

Running into a stiff Seattle team, the Green River harriers had to settle for second place in a four-way meet Saturday at Green River. The final score was Seattle, 20; Green River, 46; Highline, 58, and Olympic, 105.

Paced by a 18:10 first place finish by Riley Shirey, the Seatlites captured five of the first ten places. The best time for Green River came in Bill Mendenhall's third place finish of 18:33. Norm Snodgrass took seventh for Green River with a time of 19:05.

Other Gators crossing the finish line were George Casanova, Don Pollard, Dennis Creson, Wayne Brown and Dan Elkum.

Highline's top spot was filled by Steve Peterson's sixth place finish of 18:50. Olympic, which was clearly outclassed by the other teams, could place a runner no higher than 15th, achieved by Ranger Don Ficarra in a time of 20:17.

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Badminton Tourney Tomorrow

A badminton tournament will be held at the GRCC gym on November 7 through 9.

The tournament will be open to anybody in the county. Spectators are welcome to come, there being no admission charge. The preliminary action will begin tomorrow at 7 p.m. and will continue the next day starting at noon. Hopefully, the finals will be played Saturday night around 8 p.m.

If the finals cannot be completed on Saturday, the games will be continued the following Sunday afternoon.

GRCC'S, Huskers Find Victories

Intramural football now going into its fourth week of action found no surprises as the undefeated stayed undefeated and the winless stayed winless.

The G.R.C.C.'s, who lead the seven team pack, pushed their win streak to 4 and 0 as they knocked over the S.S.T., 12 to 0. The second place Huskers stayed one game behind the G.R.C.C.'s by taking the third place Jake's, 18-12, leaving the Huskers with a 3-1 mark. Bouncing back from the Huskers defeat, the Jake's romped passed the sixth place S.S.T., 50-12. The fourth place

Road Runners, 1-1, the fifth place Behrbaum's, 1-2, and the seventh place Hogan's, 0-3, all were idle.

Intramural Football Standings

Team	W	L
G.R.C.C.'s	4	0
Huskers	3	1
Jake's	2	2
Road Runners	1	1
Behrbaum's	1	2
S.S.T.	1	3
Hogan's Heroes	0	3

Football Results

G.R.C.C.'s 12, S.S.T. 0
Huskers 18, Jake's 12
Jake's 50, S.S.T. 12

November Activity Schedule Announced

The recreation program of November will include such activities as 3-on-3 basketball, volleyball, wrestling, skiing, and a turkey trot.

The major event for November is a turkey trot, scheduled for December 22 at 1 a.m. in Les Grove Park. This event is open to all persons who wish to run for some fabulous prizes.

First prize is a turkey, second prize is a duck, third prize is a chicken, and the last person to cross the finish line will win an egg. For more information, see Jack Johnson or Don Sweaney.

Last Monday an organizational meeting for 3-on-3 basketball was held in PE 7. The deadline for participating in this activity has been set on for tomorrow, Friday. A tournament will be held from November 12 to December 5, on a double elimination basis.

On Tuesday, volleyball had its first meeting. Yesterday, wrestling and skiing had their first meeting.

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