

some people here care. Some persons around the campus have scuffed at sending Christmas cards to the men in Viet Nam, saying that when one is faced with killing every day, Christmas would seem like a joke. Rest assured that the men in Viet Nam have a clearer meaning of the worth of the traditional "Peace on earth, good will to men" wishes than any of us could even begin imagine. Do take the time to write at least a short note. It will be appreciated more than you could ever know.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Dear Editor:

No doubt about it— This is a great country and a great people— a people in danger of becoming the world's biggest and flabbiest slobs. The handwriting isn't on the wall. It is in the slack muscles, bulging stomachs, and growing passivity of American men, women, and children.

This apathy shows in our daily lives. We waste our time watching T.V., talking on the telephone, wasting time while supposedly doing our homework, or complaining that there's nothing to do and no place to go. Well, isn't that too bad — because there are places to go and things to do — yes, even here in Erie. For example, here at Behrend there are foreign films and cultural programs. Ok! So maybe you're not interested. Why aren't you? Oh, that's right I forgot you're too busy and anyway why go sit through a ballet? Why don't you like it? Oh, I see what's-his-name said he went once and didn't like it, so you know you wouldn't like it either. How do you know if you've never gone yourself?

Gae Baker

FROM UNIVERSITY PARK

The University Appropriations Bill was passed — allocating \$30.1 million to the University for operating expenses during the fiscal year of '65-'66, the Appropriations Bill provides in state students with a reduction in tuition (\$150 for main campus and \$150 for commonwealth campuses) and increases by \$100 per term for out-of-state students. The reduced tuition is effective January 1, 1965 (next term).

Freedom Week Rally Last Wednesday— was lead by Fanny Lou Hamer. Mrs. Hamer appeared in Simmons Lounge where she discussed the success and setbacks of the Mississippi Freedom Democratic Party that she helped organize. The party, she explained, is not fighting for Civil Rights, but rather for Human Rights. (see The Daily Collegian, Nov. 17)

Students Rally in Viet Support— by participating in drives to send Christmas cards and cookies to GI's in Southeast Asia.

"The purpose of the drive," said Thomas Sharbaugh of Sigma Chi (a supporting fraternity), "is to show appreciation for what the GI's are doing in view of the recent anti-Vietnamese demonstrations."

I.F.C. Plan Approved!

The 14 fraternities with high academic records will be eligible for the ruling next term.

The original proposal of the I.F.C. on October 18 was weakened by the administrative committee with pertinent modifications.

According to the original plan, fraternities, who passed academic requirements, would be allowed to entertain women in their houses from 7 to 11:30 p.m. on Sundays through Thurs.