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BULLETIN BORED

Table Tennis enthusiasts . . . your chance has come. The Student Union Board is sponsoring a tournament, the finalists of which will compete in the Inter-Campus League Tournament.

A double elimination tournament will be held for singles and doubles competition. The finalists of this tournament will compete in the Regional Inter-Campus League Tournament which will be held at Shenango Campus on February 13 and 14. The winners will be awarded trophies.

The entry deadline for the tournament is Monday, January 26. The fee is \$.50 per person payable to the Union Desk. The tournament play begins Monday.

If anyone's noticed the drilling rig on the hill in back of the dorms, it's not there for water. No, oil hasn't been discovered at Behrend either. The drill has been used to take samples for the foundation of the next residence hall and food service building. The samples are necessary so the architects know how deep to dig the foundation. The drill holes, if followed will outline the foundation.

I. M. volleyball entries are due February 12 and play will begin February 16. Watch the CUB for further information.

I wonder who the heating contractor for the R.U.B. was? He must come from Florida 'cause his pipes don't hold up to Behrend weather. The heat was off in the R.U.B. Lecture Hall on Monday.

Are you a Warren Beatty fan, a Natalie Wood fan? . . . Phyllis Diller? They're all in "Splendor in the Grass," the next movie in the Union Board series. Set in the U.S. of the 1920's, it's a story of sex, love, frustration, and the generation gap. That's 7:30 Sunday night in the R.U.B. Lecture Hall. Admission \$.50.

Rumors Dispelled In Library Death

by Charly Lee

November 28, 1969 the body of Betsy Aardsma was found in Pattee Library, University Park. The young co-ed was apparently stabbed. The Pennsylvania State Police have been trying to solve the murder ever since then.

Since there is a great deal of mystery surrounding the case, many rumors have been circulating as to what the exact situation is.

One of the stories is that Miss Aardsma was working for the Federal Bureau of Narcotics and that a professional killer was hired to "eliminate" her.

Another tale says that the murder weapon was either an ice-pick or a surgical instrument. This led to further speculation that her boyfriend was the A-1 suspect. He allegedly was a medical student and therefore would have been able to obtain the surgical equipment.

Many incidents have been rumorically tied-in with the murder. The slashing of a Clarion State co-ed shortly after the murder was thought to have had a direct connection with the Penn State incident.

In an attempt to assign some sort of validity to these rumors, I contacted the officer in charge of the investigation, Lt. William Kimmel. His statement was brief

but exacting.

"If Miss Aardsma had been for the F.B.N., I'm sure our investigation would have uncovered that by now. She was not involved with narcotics."

About the murder weapon Kimmel said, "We have not even issued a statement which said we even have the murder weapon. Whether we do or do not have it cannot be released at this time."

"As to the report that the victim's boyfriend may be involved, we can say that he has been interviewed many times and that he is not connected with the slaying."

Kimmel said many incidents have been investigated for possible tie-in with the murder but to

Religion, Mysticism "... It's all the same."

The roots of many of the problems which plague us here on earth lay in the tendencies we have to forget that "it's all the same." Two problem areas which illustrate the need for realizing "it's all the same," are religion and nationalism. Hostilities arise over issues involving both. Changes in the world would come about a lot sooner if people would come down from their ego-religious and ego-nationalistic trips.

All religions believe in God and really makes no difference what imagery is used to identify God. Mystics and the Bible each have pointed out that in the future there will be a universal religion. The idea that God is dead is a prevailing attitude of the world today. However there has in recent years been a shift from the feeling of no God and the half-ass worshipping of the "go to church on Sunday" people towards a belief in the mystical religions. The mystics realize the need for the "all in one" flow. They know how to flow with the tide of the universe and roll with the natural. The followers of the mystical ideas have made God a guiding factor in how they live their daily lives. It's not these people who are creating the wars and suffering in the world.

Perhaps the second largest obstacle hindering the progression of mankind is the strong patriotic feelings which the leaders of the world's power structures have instilled in so many flag-waving fools. The people who run around waving flags, while screaming "my country—right or wrong," are sick. These people are of the same type that rallied to Hitler's call. We of the upcoming generation should attempt to instill in our children feelings of love for all mankind. By doing all we can to dispell the feelings of patriotism to a particular country we can help our children to develop a love for all the people of the world.

The opportunity to bring about needed changes will someday be in our hands. When our time comes we must be ready to act. Until the day is ours each of us should strive to rid ourselves of the bad influences that society has imprinted in our minds. We can best prepare ourselves by rapping amongst each other to search for the needed answers and by rapping to the uniformed to enlighten them. We should most of all find ourselves by finding God and by realizing that every person is our brother.

date nothing has been uncovered to suggest a connection.

After a Clarion State security officer was asked about the incident of the woman student apparently being slashed, he said that the wound was self-inflicted.

A composite picture of a young man seen in the core area near the time of the murder was released on December 10. This is the one and only lead in the case.

The picture of the man who is a white male, in his early twenties and weighs between 185-200 pounds, was printed in the January 10th morning edition of the DAILY COLLEGIAN. The picture is on hand at any S.G.A. office.

Lt. Kimmel has appealed to students who might have any information "however insignificant it may seem" to contact any State Police barracks or discuss this information with their Dean of Students representative. All information will be kept in confidence.

Universal Life Church "Mail Order Ministers"

Rev. Art Fox, D.D. and Rev. Dick Kerekes are two young actors from the Miami, Florida area. They attend acting workshops in the area and have appeared in several productions, TV commercials, been guests on local talk shows and are presently scheduled to appear in a TV pilot.

They became ordained ministers by mail and were granted a charter to start their own church; Universal Life Church of Custer St. in Hollywood, Florida. They are quickly gaining notoriety for their practice of making anyone an ordained minister, just for the asking and free will offering to support the Church. Fox tells, "Over 265,000 ministers have already been ordained." He adds, "The ULC has no doctrine itself; it only believes in that which is. We recognize everyone's belief." Fox says, "The ordination papers are legal and are recognized by all 50 states and several foreign countries." He also says, "You may perform marriages, Baptism, funerals, dedications, visit hospitals and jails." Kerekes reveals, "Many modes of transportation offer reduced fares when you show the pocket License issued. We will help you start your own church if you want to plus we also issue Doctor of Divinity degrees for a free will offering of \$20."

The two "MAIL-ORDER MINISTERS" have now begun a "WHITE PANTHERS" program on behalf of their church. They tow their "WHITE PANTHERS" canteen trailer into ghetto areas and distribute sandwiches, coffee and donuts. "This is a stopgap program," says Kerekes, "to tide these people over to payday, over the rough spots, until the government provides a way for all Americans to have adequate food." He adds, "We are also planning a program to see that the community elders, on fixed incomes, get enough food. Many of the aged are actually starving to death." Fox tells, "We hope to open chapters all over the country. College students are becoming "Ministers" on many campuses plus many other people from all walks of life." He also says, "The White Panthers have no official connection with the "Black Panthers" although we are in sympathy with their cause and plight." Kerekes stresses, "It is time to 'come together', right now."

DEAR CHARLY

(Anyone having a question about anything, send your question to Charly Lee, c/o Publication Office, Reed Building, Behrend Campus. All letters will become the property of the CUB and will be eligible for printing.)

Dear Charly,

When I enrolled as a student at the Penn State University last year, the doctor at our dispensary gave me prescriptions for birth control pills. This term, however, when I went to get the prescription from the visiting campus doctor he said that he was no longer allowed to give them out. How come campus doctors can no longer prescribe the pill?

Signed,

Worried

Dear Worried,

In the past, the doctors at the Commonwealth Campus have been prescribing the pill without any word on the matter from University Park. This fact was brought to the attention of the administration and in the interest of the female students of the university, the pill will no longer be given out by the University Dispensaries. Why? For two very good reasons:

1. Most dispensaries are not equipped to allow the physician to examine the females adequately, as is required by law.

2. Anyone who has read up on the pill knows that to certain individuals, it poses possible dangers to their health. Previously the pill was just given out without any investigation of the girls' health histories. This leads to the possibility of unforeseen complications. A doctor can't tell by just looking at a young lady, her medical history.

This mandate is not a moral judgement by the University on the use of the pill, but it is a health reason.

This solution can be offered: if a girl wants the pill, stop in at the campus dispensary and either the nurse or doctor there will direct her to a local gynecologist. He administers the proper examination and can prescribe the pill with a higher degree of safety than the campus doctor. Play it safe, you may not only be endangering your life, but also the life of your potential children.

If you want to play it safer; join a convent.

Signed,

Charly

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