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## edna: the poor students philosopher

The T.V. show "KUNG FU" has attracted much attention to oriental philosophy. I wish to list some maxims from my Highacrial Philosophy known as "GUNG HO:"

If you can do something better than I, please do, just don't tell me about it.

No matter where I am standing, wherever I am going is always uphill.

Women's Lib also guarantees the right to act dumb when necessary.

Let us all live together in harmony, just so we do it MY WAY!

In defiance of all natural

laws, the sun continues to rise over the South Building.

Rejoice, my people, fruitflavored jelly beans are now in season.

The prophets have said that Dr. Aurand's spring hats will outshine his winter ones.

My life tends to follow the course of an uncontinuous continuum.

I wish upon the scheduling committee two missed lunches a week and several Pepsi's with-out syrup.

When you're down and out, lift up your head and shout, "Broom and Selznik on it anyway."

It has been announced that any organization that over-draws its budget will have its advisor towed away at the club's expense.

And so ends another column-Kahlil Gibran beware.

## **BUSINESS**

by James Mullen

What is the position of the United States today? Is it what it should be? If not, then what should it be?

These questions are ones that our Government must supply the answers to every day, but to an even greater measure, they are questions that Congress must deal squarely with when the time comes to decide on our next national budget. A proposed budget for the next fiscal year has already been placed before them and it is time for them to take action. What is that they must decide? Well. they are, to a very great extent, to decide wrat the U.S. will or will not do in the next fiscal year. In other words, they are to determine the future of the U.S., and to a lesser degree, the world; a frighteningly massive responsibility. How does Congress shoulder this responsibility? Unfortunately, it is done in a most self-centered way, with each Congressman fighting for as much as he can get rather than meeting the needs of the nation. More often than not the people see the budget become a political instrument. I will venture to say that the budget begins the biggest political scramble of almost

every year, as politicians jump all over it and each other. Well, you say, isn't this the way it is supposed to work? To this my answer is a reluctanyes: yes, this is the wav it's supposed to work, but I don't see it as the best way. I can see the budget as being a greater aid to the nation if more cooperation were applied and less politics. What I would like to see is a more business-like approach and less ranting and raving. I would like to see legislatures fighting to put the money to its best use, rather than fighting to get as much as possible for themselves and their states. Such a condition, some might say, is too ideal to be achieved, but it can at least be striven for, if people themselves were to pick up more of a nationalistic attitude and drop some of their self interests. Perhaps this would be best for everyone. I think so.

## TIME TABLE?

by Maria J. Rovito

Have you ever wondered what it would be like if some of our favorite activities here in the SUB were made into classes? Better yet, how do you think the course descriptions would look? Well, friends, we here on the Collegian, have decided to compile a list of our favorite activities and turn them into classes. A pseudo-timetable for now, but perhaps a real one in the future, as we take a look at OUR FAVORITE CLASSES.

Pinball I. Introduction to pinball. Students learn pinball techniques such as how to shake the machine without tilting, how to acore 100 points on a ten point light, and how to win games without even trying.

Pinochle 200. Advanced pinochle playing. How to bluff your way through a hand while keeping cool. Prerequisite: Pinochle 100.

Risk 101. New course offering-winter and spring terms only. Technical skills and fundamentals of contemporary war strategy. No prior knowledge assumed. Prerequisite: second term standing.

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