# Jamie Kneen - Jenny McLaren victors in Council election 

BY KATHLEEN EATON
Jamie Kneen and Jenny McLaren merged the victors in last Tues day's Student Council elections for e 1971-78 academic year. PresiByron and Vice-Peated Jennifer Byron and Vice-President-elec ent Student Council President Jef Weenink labeled, "an extremely visible campaign effort on the part Voter turnout was good although specificection mation regarding specific infor votes cast and individual totals was not available, In heavy noon voting at Van Dusen Commons, the Coun cil ran out of printed ballots for Student Council offices.
The total overall voter head cunt was more than any other year I can remember," commented Weenink. In all elections held this year the turnout has been increasing over the last two years. "This past turnout was nothing earthShattering, but it is another step in
this increase," said Weenink this increase," said Weenink. Kneen said, 'I want to thank all of
my supporters and those who helped canvas the campus. I will campaign." Kneen also said my campaign. Kneen also said that ing these last few wreks of schoo and over the summer to avoid having to do it in the first six weeks of school next fall.
A "very happy and excited" Jen ny McLaren said, "I want to express my appreciation to all those who voted for me. I'm very eager to get started." She hopes to nance Committee members ted this week for the upcoming

Elected Student Council Representatives - at Large were John Sefcik, Brian Stork, John Swartout, and Kathy Wolfe.
class of exception of the junior dents were elected with a write-
For the
Fon was elected class, Hanon was elected president. "I was very surprised when I found out mented. "I did want the she com-
didn't think I stood a chance to win ecause I had no previous experince win sttient government. in Hansun was convinced to run n the evening before the elections and put up posters in both the commos very pleased her candidacy. ' that i had been elected and I capable of doing a good job" apable of with Val Hanson, Along class officers are: the se President, DanDosson; Secretary Sue Stohrer; Treasurer, Kare Bell; and Board of Trustees Representative, Carol Furrow. There
is currently a four-way tie between the write-in candidates for tudent Council Repi `sentative. Junior class officers 3 re: Pres ident, Gary Thompson; l. - -Pres Stang. Sue Ashton, Secretary, Buh Board of Trustees Pepresentative Ken Riddle; and Student Counci Representative, Steve Rideout. Elected as a write-in candidate Kor sophmore class president, classmates to wants to get her tivities together next year ${ }^{1}{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{M}$ y officers and I have already gotten
together and have come up with some ideas such as sponsoring a dance, selling roses for Valentine's Day, and helping to put together a winter carnival. I hope we ll be able to get more motiation for our class and the co lege as a whole," commented Ms.

Other sophmore class officer are: Vice-President, Beth Brede, Secretary, Sue Sabo; Treasurer Betsy Falvey; Board of Trustees Representative, Leslie Mathiak; tive, Ulrica Aumen.

## \$2,000 expected from fast

BY KEELEY HESSLER
The picture: bloated bellies, tick thin arms, patchy baldness ad listless eyes. There are jus some of the physical effects prolonged malnutrition which may

## Prof Eyer honored



Dr. Lester Eyre speaks to one of the many guests that attended his retirement dinner and reception Almanian Staff Photograph

BY KANDI FREY

Dr. Lester Eyer, professor of Biology, was honored at 2 recep26. Eyer is completing 30 years of teaching at Alma College. A reception was held in the Highander Room from 5:00-6:30 p.m.
and the dinner was in Van Dusen and the dinner was in Van Dusen
Commons at $6: 30$. All the faculty Commons at $6: 30$. All the facuity
and staff at Alma Coilege, alumni biology majors, and some local biology majors, and
residents were invited.
Dr. Harlan McCall, ProfessorEmeritus at Alma College gave the invocation. Kemarks were g1ven by Alma College President,
Robert D. Swanson, Dr. Arlan Edgar, Dana Professor of Biology, Dr. George Wallace, ProfessorEmeritus Michígan State University, Dr. Howard Potter, Pro-fessor-Emeritus, Alma College, and colleagues and friends. Eyer was raised in Alma and graduated from Alma College in 1936. He attended summer sessions at the University of BioloThere he met his wite Alma He taught in Saginaw from 1936-1943. Ever was in the militarv serAlma College faculty, He was chairman of the Biology Department from 1951-1971.
Eyer received his doctorate
from MSU in 1954. He concenfrom MSU in 1954. He concentrated on the biology of the common grackle.
In $\begin{gathered}\text { 1958, Eyer helped to found } \\ \text { Beta Beta }\end{gathered}$ the Beta Beta Beta Biologi-
cal hoorarary Society at AmaColleme, He was regional Vice President of Tri-Beta.
vation. The unseen effects are even more horrifying. Bone and tissue growth is severely impaired and reception to disease is high, but more importantly, the brain growth and development of malnourished children is extremely stunted. Brain development be gins in the mother 's womb and cruearly years. Thus tum child's proper nourishment from the very point of conception. Nourishery that over $50 \%$ of today's children are not getting.
Children who are malnourished at the time of birth and in their early years are smaller in stature, lighter in weight and have smaller heads then normal children. Behaviorally, they are behind; they have problems with and speaking. Thesectildrension not been hungry for two or have days at a time. They or thaye hungry their entire lifetime.
Hopefully, this short paraphrase has made you think aboui the starving people, not only in our country, but in other regions as well. Besides raising money for people in undernourished countries, this
was the purpose of the CROP was the purpose of the CROP
fast: to raise and intensify the consciousness of people to the massive problem of malnutrition and starvation.
The CROP fast, a service project chosen by Student Council President Jeff Weenink, was held in Tyler lobby from 1:00 p.m. The 10, The people who chose to fast then monained sponsors who pledged ment without food. chose whether or not they wished to remain in Tyler for the duration of the fast. A TV, stereo and a movie were provided in Tyler for the faster's entertainment. Margie White, one of the five CROP coordinators, said that most people 'Sat around, played cards and talked."
The whole CROP Commiltee (Jeff Weenink, Phil Ropp, Jack and Charles Creamer) enthuasastic about the success of
the fast. Phil Ropp felt "Very uplifted by the spirit and togetherness of the fasters
The money pledged to CROP is now being collected by the fasters and the results will be ais able April I. The project with 70 ected to bring about $\$ 2,000$ actual sudents participating in the lected will The money colChurch World Se se sent to the ganizes CROP Service, which ortribute food, machiney will disgrain to needy countries.
Did the CROP coordinators feel they accomplished anything by promoting the fast? Jack Quirk and
Phil Ropp feel that besides rail sing money for a worthy cause, they made a few more people in the campus community aware of the crucial hunger problem. Margie White also stated that '"asting gave people a chance to experlence just a fraction of what other people experience every day."
Quirk also vation is "not the lack of faod but rather the lack of proper food distribution and individual bility to the problem." He states that "capitalism desensitizes usto hunger in other areas. You hear quite often, Well, I've worked to
get where I am , why shouldn't Neither Jack or Phil are hope ful about society's help or concer or the proble firs starvation, bul ting this concern step in generating this concern is raising the awareness level of society and
making people face the fact that dying by starvation is a reality, Quirk even admits, "I don't know what it's like to be really hungry to the point of starvation," but he does feel that there is chance people can be made conscious of the situation. 'Movies pictures, and visual contact that can relate to people's commo flesh are ways of getting through to the public.
Phil Ropp feels 'Western man Who can now feed himself but jus
sits sits on it, must shift his life-
style around a lot, but people fus aren't willing to sacrifice their

# ACCD announces placement listings for March/April 

March 28 US NAVY; Rescheduled. Information on file.
March 29 EARLHAM SCHOOL OF RELIGION: A Quaker grad school.
March 31 TBE ST, PAUL PROPERTY \& LIABILITY INSURANCE, seeking candidates for their training program for underwriters, adjusters, lossprevention engineers, bond field underwriters and marketing field supervisors. (No direct sales involved. L Primarily looking for BA's with general business background, although some accounting would be helpful for bond underwriter. BS degree needed for Loss Prevention-Audit representative. Financial report and career brochures are available in Room 210.

April 1 YMCA OF METRO DETROIT, Camps Nissokone $\&$ Ohiyesa, Interested in all Liberal Arts majors. Would be helpful to have lifesaving and first aid. Interviewing in Acaderic Center, Sign up for a time in Room 210.
April 5 LANSING SCHOOLS.
April 7 MLDLAND SCHOOLS.
SUMMER PPARTTIME JOBS
Local LADY WANTS BABY SITTER FOR ONE WEEK, Mrs, Misner of St, Louis is looking for a Бaby sitter to live in her home for one
week, starting Wednesday

POUNDATION POR THE JUNTOR BLIND SUMMER CAMP: At least one year of colleges preference given to those who have work experience in fields which are related to camping, group leadership and counseling. Camp is located in Malibu, California. Also positions available as counselors, student nurse, secretary, kitchen crew, directors, etc. Posted in Room 210.

CAMP ROTARY, Clare, Michigan 48617 Phone: 386-7943 Staff positions avallable for college students and instructors. Contact Mary Valentine, 3201 s. Clare Avenue. Posted in Room 210.

## What in the world is going on?

# briefs 

## Homeowners forego hike

State Attorney General Frank Kelley has upheld a law that lets home According to Kelley, it was constitutional for thing a tax increase add the cost of normal repair and maintenance to legislature to no to calculation of a A homeowner the
years on minor home upkeep without risking a tax hike for up to three

## Frisco water consumption cut by rationing

San Francisco Public Utilities Commission passed regulations last week to begin water rationing in that city.
The water conservation policy, which goes into eifect April designed to cut overall consumption by 25 per cent, Each dwolling unit--single home or apartment--may use up to 70 per cent of the amount used in the same period last year. Industrial customers will be required to reduce consumption only 10 percent from what they used a year ago.
lations. lations.
Customers will be allowed one minor infraction and a second infrac-
tion will result in a written warning tion will result in a written warning. If the customer exceeds the limit a third time, a water-limiting device will be installed on the pipes at
the owner's expense. Residents were
year drought that has parched the of water is important as the two continues.

## Minimum wage of ${ }^{5} 2.50$ considered by Congress

The administration has called on Congress to increase minimum wage to $\$ 2.50$ an hour by July 1 and provide for regular annual in creases in future years. Minimum wage now stands at $\$ 2.30$ an hour. to keep up with the economy.

## License plate deadline is set for April 1

The Automobile Club of Michigan is encouraging passenger carowners who have not yet purchased their license plate tabs to do so. The deadine is April 1.
To obtain a tab, motorists must present either the prepared rehe certificate of ve Department of State, the 1976 registration or rty damage insurance.

## Ford signs contract NBC

Former President Gerald R. Ford talked last week with NBC executives about his lucrative broadcasting contract.
Ford has signed a contract to appear on one NBC "special" each
His wife, Betty, has also agreed to make commentaries.
two contracts were reported to total almost 1.5 millionces. The

# The Ministry 

LOUISVILLE SEMINARY PREPARES MEN AND WOMEN TO MINISTER THE ANCIENT GOSPEL TO A MODERN WORLD

Write the Financial Aid Office, Louisville Presbyterian Theological Seminary, 1044 Alta Vista Road, Louisville, Kentucky 40205

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## Thrills and spills characterize Banana Split extravaganza

BY KEELY HESSLER
A hardy congratulations goes to Dave "Pinky" James who won the Contest" after eating six banang splits and literally drinking the seventh in four swallows in 20 sec onds. The night was filled with "chills" and "spills" as thirtyfour of the expected fifty-two showed up to brave the evening's vents.
The contest was held last Thursday, March 24, in Hamilto Commons beginning at 6:50 and ending approximately at 8:20. It was hosted by Mr. Dick Anderson the two repre order to determine which will be held on Aprill 1977 at 8:00 at Olivet Since Dave, came in first this sentitles him to all expense paid trip to Olivet Coll ege to compete against the inramous unknown girl who holds
the record of 15 banana splits in one and a hall hours. I think it's impossiblel" com plained Lamott Britto after finishIng his fifth and last banana split, Idon't care who you arel I don't care if you're superman-I don't care if you're King Kong-it's im possible to eat 15 banana splits! ${ }^{\text {" }}$ And so went the cunsensus of opinion as one by one the thirty-four original contestants dwindled down to eighteen by $7: 15$. One valiant effort ly began shoveling his banana split in with an aire of confidence and a table spoon. The crowd cheered five banana splits in five minutes. Unfortunately for Mr. Dewitt, the banana splits came out as quickly as they went in. "Looks like he son of Saga "Mr. Dick Anderblown lunch-it's all over."

The situation grew stickly as
narrowed itself down to four by 7:45. Dave James, Sue Gooch Randy Berhns, and Craig Gate were slowly competing as the num er of banana spits comsum ed of to five and six.
'Every little burp means disaster sald Randy Berhns while cheered on as he abruptly lost his title as competitor and Sue Gooc stopped a little after eight and walked 2 way. This, however, stil did not give Dave James his first place lead. Since first place was currently held by four other people, Dave was compelled to eat a seventh banana split. H e quicly downed the seventh in 20 seconds, asked ine had won and then mad Rumor has it that he didn't makeit When asked about his victory h said, "It was a thrill to be in the competition... I feel good".

## Private

## are a

## phones <br> possibility

BY GARTH GLAZIER
There is a good chance that the residents of the South New Dorms Complex will be receiving private pompes in their recems by privat phones in their rooms by the fall would be followed by the installa tion of phones in all dorm rooms on campus.
Although the administration has long been considering the possibil ly of installing private phones in the dorms, the idea has met with resistance on the part of the students. Those students living in Bruske, Gelston, Mitchell and Newberry do not want private $a$ vote taken two years accoraing to the idea was rejected.
Apparently, the conflicting op inion which has arisen betwee those residents of New Dorms and those of the rest of the dorms on campus is the result of the fact that none of the New Dorms facilities are equiped with either a desk or switchboard to handle incoming calls. Consequently, all calls pass directly to the hall phones. Residents, particularly tired of having to answer are people's calls at all hours of the night and day.
Because of this situation, several residents of New Dorms have formed a petition which is presently in the hands of Robert Fraker of the Purchasing and Persone Department. Fraker, who is handling the situation, stated that the petition simply emphasized the desire for private phones.

According to Mr. Graker, the problem at the moment is one
cost will depend on whether

## them. they will be the first to receive

## Chi's collect $\$ 200$

## in dystrophy drive

The Theta Chi fraternity has collected over $\$ 200.00$ for mus cular dystrophy during a driv which lasted from March 18th to the 22 nd. The money was collec ed through 2 door-to-door can vass made in Alma on Saturday March 19, and through cans Shamrocks for Muscular Dystrophy -- which were placed ineac Alma This is the first year Theta Chi has undertaken this project
phones are installed in New Dorms only or in all dowrs on campus. Installing two hunderd private phones in the New Dorms Consplex Would be much more costly than installing a full six hundred phones for the entire campus. As Fraker pointed out, "Toput phones inSouth
Dorms only would take more equipment than we have and the cost paid by each student would be out of porportion,
Fraker, who favors the intallation of private phones in all dorms, says he "will ask the administration to consider improved or expanded service this summer which means that if it were approved and executed, we could have this new service by the fall of
78. This new service is the Centrex System which would Centhe college's phone equipiment to handle this new load created by the private phones. According to Fraker, the Centrex system would make installation of the phones more economical, but only Fraker believes the all dorms. uation" would be to let the desks uation" would be to let the desks
remain along with the private phone lines so that not only with people lines so that not only wil people
from outside the college be able to call direct but they also be able to "leave messages",
The entire college is already wired for the Centrex System At present, however, New Dorms are the only halls which have outlets to which the private phones could be connected, meaning that is phones are installed on campus

According to Jack Quirk, the idea for making this collection was heard about through Jeff Weenink and was then taken to a Theta Chi After the project was initiated by the fraternity they contacted Ms. Gerri Ceasar of Saginaw, director of the program in this area, who suppiled them with the necessary information and materials. The money will be sent to the ansing. Dystrophy Foundation in Lansing.

## ROTC program attracts a variety of students

Our purpose in Army ROTC is to train students with a wide variety of nadividual backgrounds and academic interests for commissioning (upon college graduation) and sub
sequent service as officers in the United States Army. The program is a direct manifestation of the our nation's military posture has

## Chapel Announcements

March 28-Monday-7 p.m. in A.C. 113 -Inter-faith Seminar
Cher 29-Tuesday-7:45-8:00 2.m.-MATINS (brief worship service) Mape 10 ice)- in Chape
March 31-Thursday-7:45-8:00 a,m. - MATINS--in Chapel
April 3-Sunday-11 a.m.-Worship service on PARENTS DAY- led by Cathy McCloskey and Mark Turner. Theme of service: "This One's for Youl"
The theme of the Chapel Service Sunday morning April 3, will be This One's for You". It will be led by Mark Turner and Cathy McCloskey, along with others who have been at Alma College for four brance of Things Past and (2) A Look at the Future-- 'Where Do We Go From Here?
On this Parent's Day, parents of Alma College students will be special guests.
been based throughout its 200 -year history. ROTC graduates are obligated to serve from three months to four years on active duty as commissioned officers and are then able to pursue a civilian career, should they so desire. While many choose to exercise the option of returning to civilian life, others choose to complete a career of service in the Army

The Army ROTC Basic Camp was created when Congress estabgram in 1964 and first held in 1965 at Fort Knox. It is currently conducted annually at Fort Knoxunder the control of Second ROTC Region. Students who successfully complete the six-week camp are eligible to enroll, or cross-enroll, in the two-year ROTC Advanced Course at an institution offering Army ROTC. Upon graduation, those who have completed the Advanced Course (which includes : six-week advanced camp) are sethree years active duty, and some become lleutenants in the Army Reserve or National Guard. A
unique feature of the basic camp ts he voluntary nature of this proram Particinating of this program. Participating students make they are under no obligation to atend or to remain at camp and are ree to leave any time they wish While undergoing the six week of training, students at the basic camp have the opportunity tocom pete for two-year Army ROTC cholarships. These scholarship pay for all tuition, textbooks and student receives in addition, the tipend for up to $\$ 100$ months ach school year ten monns twenty five of these scholarships were awarded to gracuates of the 1976 basic camp. All Army ROTC cadets - nonscholarship as wellas scholarship students - receive the 100 monthly stipend during their inal two years of on-campus in struction. Including the pay for the basic and advanced camps, all ROTC cadets receive approxi mately $\$ 2,800$ during their fint ship funds, camp pay and month stipend is in addition to any othe
form or source of financial aid which the student may receive. monthly allowances are amp the elements of our program whichallow many students, who would otherwise be able to do so, to continue their education. More important, however, the program offers students a chance for personal and professional development that their non-ROTC contemporaries do not have. Whether or not these young men and women ultimately elect an Army career, the leaderof Army ROTC and service as an Army officer are invaluable as sets to their growth as individuals. Nationally, nearly 55,000 students are now participating in the senior Army RƠTC program; cver 13,000 of these cadets are enrolled in institutions with the Second ROTC Region.
The ROTC Contact is LTC Jo-
seph K. Brown, Professor of Mil tary Sclence, Central Nehirim chigan, 48858 , 517 )
ues. This 'quote-me-don't-quote me' syndrome would prove distrac that Ms. McLeporters, but I found that Ms. McLaren's statements
er's notes, and both the reporter and I feel that this story was a fair and unblased report of
Student Council vice-presidenti Student Council vice-presidential
candidate.

It seems hard to believe, but next week the new ALMANIAN staff for 1977-78 begins training for next year, and this issue is our last with the 1976-77 staff
hope that this year we have brought you what you have wanted in a student newspaper. to be able to produce a lot this year, and i hope year.

At this time l'd like to say good-bye and thank you to our editors who will not be coming back next year: Ruth Perlberg, Mary Ellen Liike Susette Balog, Kathy Eaton, Dave Andrews, Bob chultz, and Cathy Murphy. All of you have done a fantastic job this year, and your professional ism and care have improved the paper tremendously and made it rewarding and fun for me

If any of you students, faculty, or administration have any criti isms, comments, suggestions year's paper, please like to make about this staff may learn what drop me a line so that the new ed or deleted. What needs to be changed or improvyou, and we need your feedbake a good paper for

One more word -- I wi Lansing on April 6 to talk If you about any ste I can bring it up to him. Currently know so that like to discuss the P.B.B. Currently, I would if you have anything you'd like feafarer issues .about these or other issues,

Cher adduigtsx

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## RA rehire explained: hall

## views not sole consideration

We are writing this letter in hopes of clearing up any misunderstanding that may have resulted from last Monday's Almanian aricle concerning certain R.A.'s sot eing rehired for next year.
First of all, it is certainly true looked for in important quality poople on th rehire is how the R.A However this viewed their

## o imply that the was not meant <br> being relirired - -in each cor caseit it int <br> McLaren expresses "disappointment" in story

Student Council I would like to the spond to last week's Almanian reticle on my platform. I understand and empathize with the work load of the staff, however, I feel it is article she when one writes an represents students and honestly for as important an issue as the Student Council elections
The article stated that ib
sically discounted the impar ' ba of business or mathematical ability
as chairman of the Student Budget and Finance Committee (SBFC) I had hoped to suggest that my lack of business classes would not intercommitten mability to chair the committee. It was also stated that I thusiasm and an ardent intense enlearn the ropes of the $C$ desire to tion." It also said. "I hancil posiminutes and talked to read the Which minutes even?) Hopefully through my past experiences with not only Student Council, but other overnment committees, I had not ust desire but some knowledge am disappointed that the story ade it appear that I had no ide of what the job involved. Not only but went to Mr .
advisor or the committee and Mr Gazmarian to find out what qualifications were necessary and how the might better prepare myself for jhe job, should I be elected. Absolutely none of my qualificaall were mentioned. I had listed mitte Student Government comto committees served on, in addition committees from Council itself. During my interview Ieven asked how she could remember so much plained so few notes a also explained more specifically some I also did not sould be made. "more" not state there should nearly everyone I knew I said that College had leadership of Alma but it was a lack of proper infor mation and motivation ther wasn't more participation ther quoted in my interview, from Jo Gardner, 'it is the failure to encourage top students to gain leadership experience that leads to a lack of confidence in our own decision-making ability.
believe the Student Council not only has the responsibility for provities in support of the and facilprogram, but it is a total campus provide for the personal involve ment, interaction and experiveimportant to the development
R.A.'s corridors did not think highly of them. The fact is that the residents of these corridors do think point of the of their R.A.'s. The point of the description of the reis involved in was to explain what are sever in rehire and that there addition to the opinion of thiven in dents. How the rinion of the resicorridors felt toward their of these was not the folt toward their R.A.'s
volved some of the other consider ations listed in the article. Secondly, each R.A. was told why they were not rehired. The point in question is whether or not the R.A.s agree with or accept these We
misund hope that this clears up any isunderstandings that may have Thank youm parts of that article. Thank you,
avid Campbell, Jamie Kneen, ack Rasmussen, and Mark Zook

## Greek Bon Voyage



Greek Bon Vayage, the title of this year s ureek Although the nuat sarday than in years past, all of those who attended had


Inter-faith<br>\section*{seminar tonight}

The Chapel Affairs Committee is sponsoring an Inter-Faith Seminar or Monday evening is scheduled p.m. in AC 113 ,

Participants in the seminar include: Father Foglio of the St. John's Student Parish in East Lansing, Rabbi Philip Frankel of the Congregation Shaarey Zedek in East Lansing, and Rev. Malcolm brian Church in Mt Preasant Each of the participants will make a presentation concerning his faith--Catholic, Jewish or Protes-tant--and then the meeting will be opened for questions and discussion.

## Choir on TV and radio

BY KANDI FREY
"Church of the Crossroads" hosted 25 members of the A Cap pella choir Sunday, March 27 a 8:00 2.m. It was on WWJ, channel 4 on Detroit television and ori the AM radio dial. The program is a series of sponsored by the Detroit Council sponsored by the Detroit Council Willingham is the executive director of the Christian Communication Council.
Arrangements for the choir to les Mccloskey, Director of Church Relation for Alma College. Under the direction of Ernest Sullivan, the choir sang, "Oh Taste and See", by Vaughn Williams,
L et My Prayer Come Up" by L et My Prayer Come Up" by
Henry Purcell, "Oh Sacred Head Now Purcell, "Oh Sacred Head Now Wounded" from J.S. Bach's
St. Matthew Passion; "Canticle of Praise" by John Ness Beck,
"Setting of the 23rd psalm to the "Setting of the 23rd psalm to the
tune of Crimond", and "Aaronic

Renee Coke (above) one of the dozens that gaye, blood last Thürsday and 年riday patiently watches as the nurse takes her blood. Almanian Staff Photograph

## BOB'S AEWW DRIVE-IN

"It is our pleasure to be serving you again"

Mon. - Thurs. 11-10 p.m. Ciosed Sundays
Fri. - Sat. $11-11$ p.m. 1975 Michigan Ave.

Benediction" by Healy Willan. Brian Taylor, a freshman from Howell was the accompanist for the choir.
The show was taped on March 22. Sullivansaid that the engineers commented, 'this group really knows what it's doing." Ed Sullivited the choir to participate again.
man at the end of the week. We've missed you, Coles! We'd all like to thank Drs. Vogan and Walser for coming to our incassion extra special
cassion extra special.
Some volunteers are needed to Church during the Maundy Thurs day Service. If you're interested please contact either Dr. Walser or Karyn Stockwell. Also, the pop-corn has arrived and is ready to be sold,
The sisterhood was pleased to have "Papa Joe" appointed to the exaited position off assistant of last Thursday. Better get praclast Thur
tising!

## GAMS

The Brothers would like to conratulate the new pledges to the Brotherhood.
We have a lot of activities going on. We are preparing for our Saturday. We have a lot of work to do to get ready for this and
hopefully Eathorne will do his house duty.
Our party last week was a great success and a good time was had
by all. Congratulations to Jeff Stommen for landing both a job and giving up his pin to Sue Tait. only a few steadfast holdouts left Keep up the good work. and with our Senior Sendoff coming p. the brothers of DGT would wis everyone well on their exams and bid a fond farewell to the seniors It was fun while it lasted.



## Thursday, March 31, 1977

 Breakfast:Fruit Fritters with Hot Syrup Scrambled and Cooked Eggs unch:
Meatless Vegetable Soup Hot Dogs on Bun Ground Beef and Green Bean Cass Banan
anana Split Fruit Plate Cheese and Veyetable Bake

Cream of Mushroom Soup Gr. Cheddar Beef
Beef Ragout-Burgundy
Western Omele
Welsh Rarebit over Grain Toast
Friday Aprill, 1977
Breakfast:
French Toast with Hot Syrup Scrambled Eggs w/ diced Ham Fried Eggs
French Onion Soup
Hot Roast Beef Sandwich -whipped potatoes and gravy
Eggplant Parmeson
Juliene Salad
Creamed Eggs on Whole Wheat Toast
Dinner:
Meatless Vegetable Soup Batter Fried Fish Dinaer:
Meatless
Meatless Vegetable Soup
Batter Frie
Pork Chops
Pork Chops
Stuffed Gr mato sause Vegetable Quicke

## Saturday April 2, 1977

 Breakfast:Fruit Pancakes with Hot Syrup Soft and Medium Cooked Eggs Bacon
Cream of Tomato So
Beef Patty on Bun
Creamed Chipped Be Creamed Chipped Beef over toas Tomato Rice Casserole Dinner:
French Onion Soup
\}arbecue Soareribs
Top Butt Steak
Deep Fried Shrimp
Baked and French Fried Potatoes

Sunday April 3, 1977
Breakfast:
French Toast with Hot Syrup
Fried Eggs
Lunch:
Pepper Pot Soup
Baked Ham with Fruit Sause
Roast Ins. Rd. of Beel Scrambled Eggs Dinner:
Cream of Tomato Soup
Sloppy Joe on Bun Macaroni and Cheese Nut-Oatmeal Casserole

Monday, April 3, 1977
Breakfast:
Waffles with Hot Syrup Scrambled and Poached Eggs

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## Lunch

Canadian Cheese Soup
Fishwich on Bun
Pot Pie - Chicken
Mixed Fruit Salad Plate
Cheese Tostadas with Hot Sause
Dinner:
Pepper Pot Soup
Turkey Cutlet
Pancake Excursion
Deep Dish Vegetable Pie
Tuesday April 5, 1977
Breakfast:
Hot Cakes with Hot Syrup
Scrambled Eggs and Fried Eggs Smoky Links
Lunch:
Split Pea Soup
Tuna S
Tuna Salad Sandwich
Egg and Green Bean Casserole
Julienne Salad
Canadian Cheese Soup
Baked Meat Loaf
Oven Baked Cod Fillets
Pork Chow Mein-Chinese Noddles Cheese Souffle
Wednesday April 6, 1977 Breakfast:
Fruit Fritters with Hot Syrup
Scrambled Eggs and Cooked Eggs Beef
Beef Noodle Soup
Grilled Ham and Cheese Sandwich American Style Lasagne
Dinner:
Split Pea Soup
Southern Fried Chicken
Variety Omelets-Hashed Brown Poatoes
Vegetarian Eggplant

## Crop

From page
Jack sums the CROP fast up when he emphasizes, "What we did wasn't a whole lot, but is was
something, and concern has aot to start right here, right where 1 am, right where you are."
high standard of living to raise The thought that scares Phil the most is that "our system the take care of it's own people hunger goes on even on a local level. It happens right here in Gratiot County. The problem of hunger is not only raising consciousness, but also a political problem, but the governmental bureaucracy has become so cold and unfeeling that it doesn't even care about one separate indivicare ab
dual."

## Speech related

 to professions is topic of discussionBY SUSETTE BALOGH News Editor
Each day, every one of us is confronted with communicationencounters and, often, problems. As part of the Career Preparation Program, Dr. Robert Smith of the Speech Department has invited three speakers to add insight to these encounters and problems. AC 104, Nancy Bratt, a public AC 104, Nancy Bratt, a public school nurse and a nutritional and ager of Home Credit Company and the founder of his own bill collection agency, and Bill Potter, a personnel manager at Alma Auto Products will address the theme: "Speech: Bane or Boon to Professional Life?"
The speakers will open the pro-
gram with a four to five minute statement on their views on speech communication in relation to their jobs. They will then concern themselves with the problems of talking with superiors and "inferiors," talking with the oppoof your own, motivating the instead ling, handling hostile clients, parling, handling hostile clients, par-
ents, and workers, the importance of nonverbal communication such as appearance and timing, and how to know when to end a speech situato kno
tion.
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The program is designed to last one hour. Dr. Smith says, "Every one will häve some responsibilities in speech communication. This program will show how these people. who are professionals, handle speech communication probems."

## Speech competition

to be held on April 8

BY SUSETTE BALOGH
Are you a persuasive person? Is there a contemporary topic of controversy in which you are interested: II so, the opportunity to On Thursday April 7 , hand. venth Annual Speech Night will be held. This is a competitive event open to all students. The best speaker will be judged by the audience. The winner will be awarded the Preston Bradley

Speaking Award and will be presented with a gavel and have his or her name emblazoned on
a plaque which nangs in the Reid Know Administration Building.

All those interested in participating must submit a full sentence outline complete with bibliography to Dr. Robert Smith of the Speec The controversial topic must be treated in 8 to 10 minutes. Smith says, "This has proved in years gone by to be one of the the most exciting and challenging speech experiences in whic students have participated." Any one with questions or desiringfur Smith Smith

## Steinway debut



Rice(soprano) and Annette Johansson (contralto), both faquity members of the music department of Central Michigan University. A special community chorus has been formed to sing this selec tion.
Also on the program will be the March of the Toreadors from the opera Carmen by George Bizet. The program will be conducted by Jack Bowman. Tickets are available at the door: Adults
$\$ 2.00$, students $\$ 1.00$, Alma College students admitted free with
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## Alma is granted \$16,000

by gail swanson
Alma College has been granted $\$ 16,000$ from the National Science Foundation to support Undergraduate Research Projects (URP).
This yearly allotment has been aThis yearly allotment has been a-
warded to AlmaCollege since 1962, warded to Almacollege since 19ar,
with the exception of two years. The primary objective of the URP program is to "provide promising students with firsthand experience in research processes. In adddents* knowledge and help them develop a degree of creativity es sential to scientific inquiry." Dr. Edgar, of the biology department, also added that it often helps students decide if they want to go on to graduate school.
In order to receive this grant, the school must submit a proposal that includes a detailed report of the project, the costs involved, what research opportunities will be provided, time limit, qualifications for the program, etc. Alma's proposals have been good enough to receive a three-year tion projects cover ail fields of science, including mathematics and engineering, with high prior-
ity given to research dealing with
environmental and societal issues.
In order for the students to be accepted into the program, they should be between their junior and strated some career potential They also should have completed a major portion of their college science and technology programs. The projects are conducted in the summer and last about ten to twelve weeks. Students must fill out an application for the URP program; and if accepted, an undergraduate student and a professor work together, with the professor supervising the project.
Dr. Edgar is especially pleased with Alma's students oecause the results of about half of the research funded by these grants has been of high enough quality to be published in scientific journals. Greg Kloos, Mark McMurray, and Richard Wheeler presented their research results before the MichIgan Academy ofscience, Arts, and their research in botany, under the supervision of $D r$. Kapp, of the biology department.

Greg Kloos gave a presenta
tion on Hamamelidaceae: A Pollen
Morphological Study. Mark Mc Murrays presentation was on Paloecology of Crystal Lake. Mont en and Sediment Analysis. Gre
nd Mark have submitted their
results the MIC ""J k-"c-2»Jak-^J k-"" 'JAk-. 'Jnk-. 'Jak"DJlk-"DJtk-"DJsk-"N""JekI.JI"IJoJuk-"^J k-""cJ k-"ca2»Jak-tJ

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Newspaperwork Is "good experience"

# Eaton Incorporates Correspondent Job With Education 

Some Kenlog in their list Inffghtraxtrits and campuspersonnel
semester of college just cotst till Her first story to appear In the
graduation day, sick of education Gratiot County Herald was a full grad Gratiot county Herald was a full I. Not Kathy Eaton. halma years of page article regarding Junlorscott finnll ^'dlngton. Michigan
higan
many students only had suntans on the agenda. Kathy took the job of Alma College correspondent for the Gratiot County Herald newspaper. Kathy decided to take the Job even thajgh she already had a full schedule this semester because "it definitely Is good ex"erience. It fits In well with my "*fruste Public Relations, designed around/'
Each week Kathy's job Involve and finding
ly translatingion. Scott Is current y translating.
kathy said, " It took about four hours of research to write the
story because I had no background on the subject at all.*'
Kathy also has written on: presently performing in a hospital for a practicum and Becky Flower he famous playwright on campus (The story on Rick Michael has not appeared yet due to the fact Rick in the hospital with a knee injury. Kathy is also the assistant news accjiired experience in writing

## Parents Day to be held

## April 3, at Alma

| Sunday, April 3, is Parents Day on Alma's campus. | Clack Art Center (from 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.), and the Scot Shop (from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.mA |
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| Parents of students will come | These will be followed by another |
| spend a day that beg | cafeteria style meal--supper--In |
| Chapel Services at 11:00 a.m. and | Hamilton Commons from 5:30 to |
| ra concert | 6:30 p.m. |
| Stu Strait, Director of Develop- | Entertainment will include an |
| ment. views Parents Day as | hour long A Capella Choir Pop |
| time when we hold open houses | Concert directed by Dr. Ernes |
| and encourage parents to come | Sullivan at 2:00 p.m. in Dunning |
| ck...there's many things open to | be a performance of the Th |
| come back for.*' | Department Play, <our Town |
| These open houses follow acafe- | under the direction of Dr. Philid |
| teria style dinner in Hamilton | R- Griffith5 at 3:00 p.m. in Dow |
| Commons from 11:30 a.m. to 1:00 |  |
| p.m. They Include the residence |  |
| hails (from 1:00 p.m.to5:00p.m.) |  |
| the admissions office in the Hood' |  |
| Building (from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 |  |
| toe financial aid office (from |  |
| 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.), the Senior |  |
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Hi Goldilocks.
To our dearest, sweetest Moose--
You may be short, but you're cute! Right? Right! Who says you never got a personal? Love from all your Many Moose admirers

Cindy: You caused quite the sensation Saturday evening. What legs--WOW.

Res--
Red becomes you
we were there

Congratulations to the K.K.A. pledges for their (finally) successfuj capture!! Initiation ought to be soon since both orbs are now on campus. We I come! !

The actives
Don't miss it!
Hey Cheech and Mark: do you want to play nosey-nosey, cheek-ie-cheekie?

Dimples--
If you got them, Flaunt them. R. Mutt

## Personals

Tony
Only 2 more weeks 'til Missouri. Thanks for being a super frienc this year, I just don't know how I would ever have made it without you: Signed by a Tony Tiger fan. P.S. No Sunday Picnic's for me this Spring.

Martha: gone star gazing lately?

Cheri, Glen, $\varepsilon$ Bruce: ATRAIN was simply out of this world. Have you considered Going Hol lywood?

Don't forge't the first women's softball game April 7 against Oakland at HOME.

R'D'S
Some have them, some don't. Don't keep them all to your self.

Sleppy bear

Laurie,
A melon is only ripe if it is Sweet Melon

Congratulations AZT's for giving Bruske their first loss of the season, 23-20. Good job women!!!

Mort---
Welsome to GSS, grand-
daughter!!!!

> Love ya,
> Grandma Joyce

## Dimples--

Don't hide 'em, Enjoy
Your \#2 choice
To third floor South Mitchell
Due to technical difficult:es
the Phanton Strikers will not be mysteriously striking you as we had planned. So please don't look for us. Have a nice spring term and summer (you see, we're still pretty nice people)

THIS WEEK IS NATIONAL WOMEN'S WEEK!!! STAND UP AND BE COUNTED, WOMEN.

Schaf, Drugs, Sebelic, Bonsai and thanks. WK

- SEX .What you won't find in "Our Town," but come anyway.Main and only attraction in Dow Aud. this weekend, March 31, and April 1 \& 2, 8 pm .

Liz and Kathy, Congratulations on making O.C. I know you'll both have a good time and contri bute much!!
M.E.

To my most favorite person: Happy 23rd birthday!!!You can be sure 1'll be by to help you celebrate
P.C.

Congratulations, I knew you could do it. Now we have to start working. Ha! Thanks for everything. Much love from a grandaughte of yours.

Homemaker,
I could have asked for a better lil sis or a more beautiful passle. Congratula-tions--you're finall active. Losing your pin 4 times isn't
bad for a beginner. Much love, Big sis

Pam,
For acting so tough, you are a sweet thing Shorty

Wish your favorite senior a Happy Graduation (or whatever) in next week's Classified Section. It's the ALMANIAN's last edition this year.

Sherry,
Just another not to say "'ou're beautiful Have a good day.
signed,
Secret Admirer

