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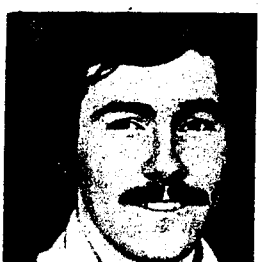
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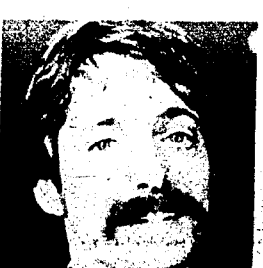
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Vote March 19, 20

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CANDIDATE RALLY MARCH 18 12:00 NOON SUB SNACK BAR

See the candidates in action!!!

ANY MORE
QUESTIONS?

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Contrived Events

Back before the dawn of the ASBSU, before the need for a student government was born, there existed a happy type of chaos. College kids and college professors drank together and learned together with a smile on their lips and a song in their hearts. Today, it is much different. There is an ASBSU, a student government, junior politicians and the Students for Students. All of these minor factions combine themselves together for one big mess called Boise State University.

It is election time, a time to stop--look--and listen to those people who will be governing for the next year; however, there are serious differences this year which have complicated matters.

As you look through the ARBITER this week you will undoubtedly notice the letters to the editor concerning basically two subjects, 1. Individual statements of support for a particular presidential candidate; and 2. The Students for Students organization. Both of these subjects have raised enough interest to command unusual participation from our rather uninvolved student body; however, if you will note the signatures on most of the letters dealing with these two subjects the names will sound more and more familiar. Yes, the infamously involved are again infamously involved.

You will note that at the bottom of this very page a Mr. L. A. Trine has given his support to the SWAT candidates...I am perfectly flushed L. A. Trine at your wasteful pursuance...you have wiped me out!

A learning experience, that is what student government should be; that is how it should exist. It is here that the mistakes of past governments and previous leaders should be explored, and ultimately recognized. However, this is not what is happening. In conversations with people involved in student government and with certain members of the Students for Students it is very apparent that there is a commanding, vindictive (vin-dik-tiv adj. 1. Disposed to seek revenge; 2. Unforgiving, bitter, spiteful) martyrdom connected with this year's election. It is no longer a learning experience, it is an end to justify the means. Have we been witness to controversial politics and due argumentation bearing a striking resemblance to that of the Florentine statesman and political theorist Machiavelli; or have we been the dupes of an amazingly contrived game? J.W.E.

Day Care NOW

Last semester, the ARBITER came out in support of a Day Care Center for Boise State University. At that time it was suggested that the university was in dire need of such a service. Recently, a group of people have started up where last semester's group left off and have come up with a proposal that is more advanced and more in keeping with the principles of higher education. The Day Care Center they are proposing would not only be a place where parents could become more attune to their children's formative years - those years preceding kindergarden and elementary school periods. This center would also provide an observational area for students in the fields of sociology, health care, medicine, psychology and linguistics. But most importantly, it provides a mature Day Care facility-concept, well planned economically and theoretically.

Children are individuals, human beings of miniature stature, and as living beings must be given the opportunity to learn and to grow. The proposal the Day Care committee is formulating shows valid intellect and humane concern. This writer feels that the Day Care Center proposal merits due consideration; administrative investigation and - if judged feasible - immediate implementation in the interests of the children's well-being and future academic possibilities for the students of this university. J.W.E.

Indian Club President thanks speakers

Editor, the ARBITER

What was last week? Last week was mid-term week but it was also Indian Awareness Week. On behalf of the Boise State Indian Club, I would like to thank the individuals and departments that made it possible for the Indian speakers we had. These speakers, Mr. Slickpoo, Historian, Dr. DeLoria, Lawyer, and Mr. Brightman, Educator, all touched on problems that Indians face today in

our society. Some of these problems are in education, health, and communications.

Personally, I thought listening to what these speakers had to say was

worth it. Indian Awareness Week might have attracted more people if the event had been better publicized, but due to some circumstances it wasn't.

Norman Cavanaugh
Indian Club President

SWAT candidates supported

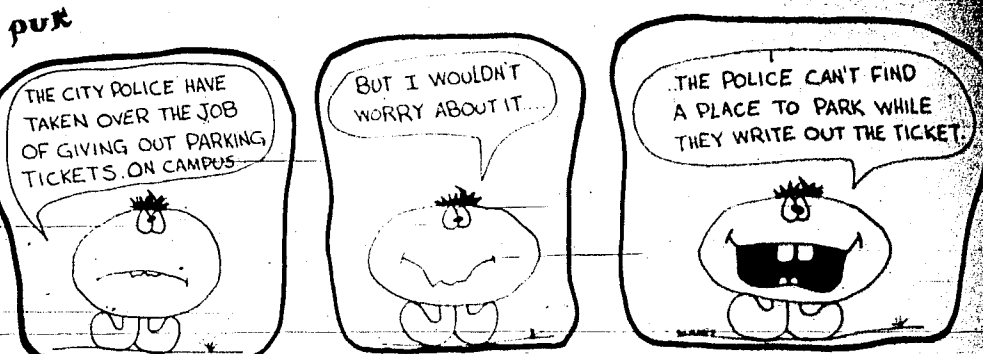
Editor, the ARBITER

I am writing in support of the SWAT candidates. These are the only candidates that I know of that will take a stand on an issue. Now, I realize that their platform is apathy just like all the others but at least they'll admit it.

After having talked with a few of SWAT's candidates I am convinced that they will be truly apathetic;

unlike our present student body which can't even claim apathy they are so wishy washy. (ah, excuse me senator; what's your opinion on the parking problem? Who me?

Um, well, that depends on whether you are faculty or student and anyway, I don't have an opinion, its in committee and they haven't told me what to think yet.
L. A. Trine



An optimistic view of the Students for Students amendment

Editor, the ARBITER

It is the intention of this letter to set-forth an optimistic view of the amendment to the ASBSU Constitution which has been proposed by Students for Students.

For those who are money conscious, the proposed amendment could represent a significant reduction in fees paid by full-time students. At the present level of ASBSU expenditures (\$180,000 per year) each full-time student is assessed \$16.50 per semester. If the burden of supporting the ASBSU were equally shared by part-time students, the student fees of full-time students could be reduced to about \$11.00 per semester. Now, about 5,250 students who are considered to be full-time support the full-range of ASBSU programs which are appreciated by another 2,750 students, many of whom take full advantage of concerts, films, lectures and other student services. For this reason I believe the proposed amendment is desirable at face-value for full-time students.

The absurdity of the existing system is that the obligation to pay student fees is based on the arbitrary calculation of credit-hours to be assumed by each student. I can only surmise that the number of credit-hours assumed by a student has practically nothing to do with the actual use of ASBSU facilities by that student. One inconsistency of the existing system is that vocational-technical students who assume zero credit-hours are paying full-time student fees, have the right to vote and have representation on the ASBSU Senate. Meanwhile, students who take less than 8 credit-hours do not pay such student fees, are disenfranchised and lack senate representation. It is possible that part-time students who work full-time are better prepared to pay student fees than full-time students who work part-time. It is also possible that part-time students would benefit from access to the ASBSU Senate.

Money is easy to manipulate, so I apologize to those who may be offended by a few approximate calculations. However, I am

attempting to communicate a similar viewpoint about voting. Payment of student fees is clearly an "obligation" but many students construe voting to be the sort of "privilege" that could be granted to part-time students. Given the circumstances of ASBSU politics, I suggest that if voting is a privilege more full-time students would make use of it. I doubt that part-time students who would receive the right to vote under the proposed amendment would be fooled by the well-intentioned effort to liberate them from their "under-privileged" status.

The optimistic view of this letter is probably perceived by most full-time students although part-time students may be less enthusiastic about the possibility of increasing their student fees. Yet, full-time students comprise the majority in this case...and if it really is the intention of ASBSU politicians to represent the majority of students, the proposed amendment should be considered in favorable terms.
Howard W. Welsh

Students for Students called hogwash

Editor, the ARBITER

It seems to me that I have had a lot of opinions on various things having to do with this school lately and this paper has been kind enough to print them.

I would hope that they have sparked some thought among the students who can think, because I am of the opinion that the majority cannot come to a decision without hearing the other persons views on a particular matter.

As any person will tell you, the concept of power does many things to many people. When you think you are wise and the thing you are working on is a wise thing, you will, no doubt, be thought of more. On the other hand, if you think you are wise and what you or a group are working on is stupid, in more ways than you can shake a schoolbook at, you, the student body, should think twice about supporting the action.

I am referring to (as if it hasn't dawned on you yet) the purposed Students for Students amendment which is the brain child of some students who have, I am sure, better things to do with their minds than sit around and think up hogwash like this.

If I have your attention now, I would like to touch upon some of the points raised. First, the point that students should be able to govern themselves is and is not true. Now, I remember a story which I would like to tell. Once upon a time, a certain school had some things that they wanted to send somewhere, but didn't have enough money to get them there the right way so the backers of this project invested their trust in a

student who sent the things the wrong way. As a result, 200 pages were lost. I don't think I have to say more on this point. Do you?

Secondly, the point that students don't want the elders of the school or the administration to tell them what to do, is unthinkable. That's the only word I can think of at this point. When the students think

they are smarter and can govern better than the others who are experienced, the students might just as well leave.

Now, that I have finished, I realize that space on this page is limited but I think the Arbiter can serve students by printing this and other letters on the subject, however long they may be.
Dan Lawrence

Scribner endorsed

EDITOR THE ARBITER

The school of education is without a voice in the Senate. There were write-in candidates for the primary election but not enough people voted to even get one candidate on the ballot. I can't feature our being the only school on campus without any representation in the Senate. At this late date we still have a chance to get someone elected.

Sylvia Scribner is concerned and ready to represent the school of education in the Senate. We need to give our support to a candidate and I feel Sylvia is a responsible person who is ready to listen and work.

We need to help Sylvia Scribner to represent us!
Christy Burgess
School of Education

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PEOPLE BY DON HAY

McCabe endorses Ward

EDITOR THE ARBITER

I figure it's time someone spoke up about a solid issue. "The candidates are all talk and no action." Everytime I turn around someone seems to be mentioning that, or a related phrase.

Well, I can't speak for Nate Kim, but I can speak for Dave Ward.

For beginners, the Broadcast Board has \$15,000 in surplus monies, waiting to be used on equipment purchases for a brand new student operated radio station.

If it hadn't been for Dave, that money might not be there now. He helped prepare the needed inform-

ation and even helped write the presentation for the Senate.

Second, Dave helped write the Broadcasting Board Bill, and is solely responsible for its presentation to the Senate.

Everytime I've asked for help from Dave, he has been more than happy to assist me in anyway possible. He's a good man and the best man for the job. That's why I am whole heartedly endorsing Dave as a candidate for Student Body President.

Gary McCabe
President, Student Radio Association.

Large crowds attend shows

Editor, the ARBITER

This letter is in rebuttal to Sydney C. Kooyman. Again, it seems we are to be flogged with ideals of special interest groups. Mr. Kooyman seems to feel that the people that go to the X and R rated movies at this institution are in the minority. If this is so, then why have the showings of the afore mentioned movies always been to capacity crowds? Of course, I am well aware that other shows, such as *American Graffiti* were also packed, of which, I would assume a number of these persons are perverts in Sydney's eyes, as they probably came only to see the "bare-ass moon shot" at the first of the movie.

Sydney, I respect your feelings on the films we present, but I think you should do the same for the rest of the student body. The purpose of the film series is to provide the best entertainment for the most students. This can only be judged by the number of students that attend each film. From this process, it is a fact that we serve as many students by showing *Last Tango in Paris*

(which was the first movie ever shown twice to accomodate an overflow audience), *Jesus Christ Superstar*, *The Godfather*, or any of the other movies we have put on, or will put on.

And again, it has to be said that no one is forced to go to any event the Programs Board puts on at this institution. If you don't like what we're putting on, Sydney, then don't come, as there probably won't be a vacant seat because of the students who do not share your opinion.

Robert W. (call me bob) Hopple

Arkoosh thanks supporters

Editor, the ARBITER

I want to thank all the people who generously gave me their time and support in the primary election. I urge you to dedicate yourselves with the same ambition as you gave me, to Dave Ward, in the generals. Dave is willing, competent and has a kinship with the students no other candidate can offer.

Jim Arkoosh

Huck's Realm

For the benefit of the reading audience, this week's column will be divided into next week. Option 1-this weeks is straight, believe it or not, and option 2 is in typical Huckerian fashion. In his manner you have the choice of which option to choose.

OPTION 1: On the days of March 19 and 20, an election will be held. In this country, the United States of America where what seems to so long ago, a proud parent would utter: "perhaps some day my child will be President." Yes, in the past prior to corporations, lunar walks, Vietnam, Watergate or \$100,000 quiz shows, an offspring could harbor aspirations for attaining such a position, but now with what

we gladly point at with such pride, hopes of this nature have vanished as some day clean air will become a rare commodity. Connections,

finances, etc., determine our leaders and direction while beneath lies what Alexis de Toqueville described as "the Great Unwashed Beast".

Boise State is a far cry from national politics, indeed, but one point is obvious. We are merely a microcosm of that nebulous political system which encompasses us

and as such, react to politics in the same manner. We hear very little from our local candidates, campaign ads spouting promises here

and there, occasionally an Arbiter staff member has to solicit a comment and generally the aspiring two Presidential candidates vent their views in this publication.

In correlation with the national system, a variety of issues are sidestepped, with a finesse which would make an accomplished master as Rudolf Nureyev blush

with envy. We differ in one respect at BSU in that we tolerate what the highly touted novelist Rachel Carson so vividly described as "The Silent Spring". Take this

with you to the polls and wonder how much longer it will be before our version of Watergate occurs.

Ward aware of student needs

Editor, the ARBITER

Since 1970, I have seen five different ASBSU elections. In this time, there have been many candidates, some more qualified for the positions they seek than others. Such is the case again this year. Never before have I seen two candidates more suited for the position of President of the Associated Students.

Although I have the greatest respect for Mr. Nate Kim, and what he represents, I feel that Mr. Dave Ward is more aware of the demands of the office he seeks, as well as the interests of the students. After serving two years on the Student Senate, and one as ASBSU Vice President, I can assure you that the Executive

Offices are a full-time responsibility, which requires many hours of dedicated attention. Dave Ward has not only met those responsibilities, he has turned them into positive accomplishments on behalf of the students of BSU.

Often campaigning for an office can be an unpleasant and distasteful task. No one feels this more keenly than Dave does. Frequently, many see a low-key personal touch such as Dave's as being a lack of confidence in his ability, while at the same time hoping that mere attacks at the current administration will be seen as honorable campaign strategy, and in the true spirit of statesmanship, instead of desperate attempts for victory. This is far from the truth. It has been my experience that not only

do the students see through such attacks, but they develop a bitter distaste for those who find criticism so convenient, without proposing a true alternative for their appraisal.

Those who resort to such approaches are ultimately rejected by the students they have hoped to represent.

I am certain, that when all the facts are sifted from the "shells" of campaign enthusiasm, the choice for Dave Ward will be an obvious one. In any event, the students of Boise State owe it to themselves to examine the candidates and their platforms. Remember, our future as students will stand or fall on the very platform we choose.

Henry Henscheid

Nate Kim surpasses requirements

Editor, the ARBITER

With the General Elections only a short distance in the future it is time for the candidates to state their positions and talk to their constituents as well as students voicing their opinions on candidate platforms. We as a concerned group of BSU students feel that there are two individuals running for ASBSU office that would really meet and surpass the requirements for their position. These two individuals are Nate Kim and Ron O'Halloran and they are campaigning for the office of ASBSU President and Vice President, respectively. We would like to state that we do not advocate change just for the sake of change, but instead believe that these two individuals would better represent the student body as a whole. We feel that one of the present administration problems is that it does not take the issues to the students, but rather states the results of action already taken and therefore the students feel at a loss to do anything about it. Point in fact, is that the Senate which is headed and controlled by Dave Ward (also running for President) has been considering student seating in the stadium and only after much discussion finally decided to allow the students to exercise their opinion and placed the seating proposals on the ticket with the general elections. However, they have failed to inform the students that they are also considering raising the student guest ticket from \$1.00 to \$2.00 per ticket. Now, we don't know what everyone else thinks, but we are not in favor of this increase and instead believe that students should be offered one free guest

ticket and the increased cost should be in the General Admission tickets. After all, students are paying for the facility. The question should be raised - why aren't we being told? Why aren't we being asked? Too often, our past elected officers feel that just because they were elected, they represent us and don't need to find out what our opinions are. But instead, we feel that our elected officers responsibilities are to represent us by asking us what our opinions are!

Think back over this last year - did any elected officer, re. Senators, Vice President, or President come to you or any of your peers in your majors and inform you on what is going on or ask you for an opinion? This is not and should not be considered an impossible task for our officers. There are some

officers and appointed people that do try to inform us. An example of this is Ron O'Halloran, two years ago as a Senator from the School of Health Sciences and this year's Personnel Selection chairman as well as Nate Kim, Student Services Director. These gentlemen did try to reach organizations and individuals via assorted media and personal contact and in doing so explained services available to students and positions open in student government. This is only one of many reasons why we endorse Nate Kim for ASBSU President and Ron O'Halloran for ASBSU Vice President.

Doug Bagley, Jeff Davis, Steve Brainard, Lane Birch, Doug Jones, Steve Mengel, Karen Johnson, Linda Bennett, Nancy Pierson, Buffy Williams, Jack Brown, Tony Wilson

Swanson supports Ward

Editor, the ARBITER

After over a year of involvement in student government, I feel compelled to speak out in support of the one person who has consistently impressed me - Dave Ward. I do not usually support one candidate over another, but I cannot restrain from speaking out when someone as qualified as Dave runs for ASBSU President. He was one of the bright spots on the 1973-74 Senate and has done a fantastic job this year as Vice President.

Dave is both hard-working and conscientious, always willing and available to talk to any student by maintaining an open-door policy

this year. Dave has impressed me as being a "work horse" in student government. I have never seen him pass the buck and ask others to do his work.

Through working closely with Dave, I have gained great respect for him. He is concerned and involved for the students, not for his own personal gain or a future job. I honestly believe in Dave Ward and his ability to be an effective President. Student government would be greatly improved with such a clear-thinking student in charge!

Claudia Swanson
Senator, School of Education



Governor Andrus proclaimed Great Lunch Day as April 2.

Great Lunch Day proclaimed

Thanks to Governor Cecil Andrus and four Boise State University students, April 2 has been proclaimed The Great Lunch Day in Idaho.

Late Wednesday morning, Gov. Andrus signed the proclamation designating April 2 as the special day while the four BSU students who thought up the charity event looked on. The four students are Nick Casner, Campus Community Coordinator; Randy Birkinbine,

Special Events Chairman; Patrick Boyington, Program Board Chairman; and Hentry Henscheid, member of National Youth for Easter Seals Committee.

The charity event which will take place April 2 in the Bronco Stadium will feature a 400 ft. sandwich and a 600 lb. ice cream cone. A student donation of 50 cents and a \$1.00 donation from the general public will be collected with the proceeds going to the Easter Seals Society.

VOTE



DOUG GOCHNOUR
Arts & Sciences

Candidate platforms

Gari Allen

As student body elections are being held this week, you the students must decide on who you want for the job of Student Body Vice President. Some of the main issues of my campaign are the following:

1. The Student Senate must be aware of the needs of the students. It is my feelings that the Vice President should encourage more openness in the Senate meetings. Also, he should encourage each

senator to seek the opinions of his voters as much as possible on each issue.

2. The Vice President should have the obligation to attend all organizations and ask for their viewpoints of each issue of importance. His office should be open to all students

and his hours should be in the Arbiter so that all students can have the opportunity to know the hours they can visit him.

3. That all activities of the Student

Body Senate be put in the Arbiter as soon as possible. This must be done so each student can know when the activity is being held so they can attend and voice their opinion of the issue.

4. Finally, I would like to see all students vote in this election. I have gained a great deal of knowledge in running for this office and

I want to thank each of your for giving me the opportunity.

Ron O'Halloran - Vice President

1. I wish to see a genuine input from all campus groups, organizations and individuals so that student government as a whole entity can approach a consistency in policy and ideology.

2. I wish to see all student govern-

ment officials - both elected and appointed - be held accountable for their representative duties as designated by the constitution and established judgement. This would negate irresponsibility in legislative action in reference to motions, bills, directives and all other encompassing data.

3. I wish to see a clearly defined route of communication between

the members of the academic community, the students and the student's government to assure a fair accountability in representation dealing with all academic affairs.

4. I would like to take student government out of the Student Union Building and put it on the

Scott Harmon - Treasurer

1. Stronger controls on all funds generated throughout the ASB in order to establish a more efficient economic liaison between the concerned organizations, the students and their government.

2. An "open-door - open-book" policy to assure the student that at any given time they can see where their money is going and how it is being spent.

3. A more diversified ASB; negating the chances of governmental duplication in all student-related services and opportunities.

Ron Buchanan, Treasurer

As candidate for ASB Treasurer, I would like to extend my appreciation to those students who supported me in the primary election. There was more student involvement than in any previous primary. I urge even more students to participate in the general election, and to become familiar with the workings of student government. As ASBSU Treasurer I will promote:

1. Monthly Reports: I will report the revenues and expenses of the ASBSU to the student senate on a monthly basis. This is an effective measure of the budgeting of student funds. This reporting pro-

cedure would also help eliminate overspending.

2. Accounting Procedures: I feel consistent accounting procedures within the framework of student government would increase the value of monthly reports. This entails utilization of a consistent format, and would eliminate duplication of effort.

3. Allocating Student Funds: As a member of the finance board, I will pursue the allocation of funds to areas that will increase student involvement in campus activities.

4. Budget Hearings: I will seek a fair and equitable budgeting of student funds. For example, will a budget requirement of a recognized organization be necessary?

cold-drill is coming

Student radio notes

The Student Radio Association met Thursday, March 6, in the Minidoka Room at 6 p.m.

Vice-president Duane Campbell presided. The license for the upcoming BSU radio station was discussed. The license is ready to be sent for approval by the FCC except for maps of the area to be served, and the weekend format. The radio station should be a reality by the middle or end of this summer.

The radio station will be set up at 213 College Blvd. A ten watt transmitter will be used, which will transmit power in a ten to thirty five mile radius of the station.

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Lou Barker is the only woman in BSU's Powerlineman class. She spends her days digging holes, operating trucks and climbing forty foot poles.

Powerlineperson likes job

[BSU News Bureau]

If you think raising three young children by yourself is a job, then you should talk to Ms Lou Baker.

From 7:40 a.m. to 3:30 daily, Lou digs holes, operates a lifting truck, unloads and climbs forty foot poles. And then she goes home to her three children and cares for them.

Lou is a student in the first Powerlineman class to be held at Boise State University. The class consists of eleven male students, one male instructor, a puppy named Frank who is the class mascot, and Lou, the only female.

The course, an eleven month program is designed to instruct students through actual experience the techniques involved in becoming a powerline person.

From these students will have first bids for jobs with private companies because of their invaluable experience and training.

As most of the other students in the course, Lou Baker is taking the Powerline course so that she may have a career in a high paying field. "I have three kids to support, that's why I'm here, to learn a trade and make good money while I'm at it," explained Lou.

Previously, Lou had worked in retail sales and just couldn't make enough money. Boise State is the only school she has attended so far; she came here to learn a trade and put it to work.

Governor's internship program open

The Governor's Summer Intern Program will be held in Boise this year from June 9 to August 6, 1975. This program is open to all college students who are Idaho residents, and gives them the opportunity to work with varied projects in executive branch agencies. Twelve interns will be chosen for the program and will be individually placed in an agency for project work. The interns will complete 40-hour weeks, with weekly internship meetings. Compensation is at \$2.00 per hour, or \$690 for the summer.

Credits for the internship should be individually obtained through the student's academic advisor and institution, but may also be obtained through Dr. Syd Duncombe, U. of I; Dr. John Eyre or Dr. Richard Foster, ISU; or Dr. Bill Mech, BSU.

Selection will be based on written resumes, recommendations, and other information the student

wishes to enclose, with attention given to grade-point, activities, and the student's reasons for wishing to join the program.

Applicants are requested to enumerate 3 specific internships, in order of preference, from the following list that they wish to be considered for. This list includes the agencies offering positions, the number available, and any unique subject matter involved. Further information may be obtained through the professors listed above or the Department of Administration. Students should be informed of their selection and placement by April 30, 1975.

Resumes must be submitted by April 18 to the: Department of Administration, 145 Len B. Jordan Building, Boise, Idaho 83720, Att: Diane Plastino.

employment: data processing-1, accounting-1, writing personnel and training material-1, economics-1; Health and Welfare: budgeting-1, legal aide-1; Historical Society: library-1, museum-1; Industrial Commission: workmen's compensation law-1; Insurance-1; Labor and Industrial Services-1; Lands: administration; finance-1, forest inventory, research-1; Lieutenant Gov.-1; Legislative Fiscal Office-1; Parks and Recreation: recreational and range planning, landscaping-3; Vocational Rehab: casework-1; Revenue and Taxation: inheritance tax, student must be in advanced accounting-1, circuit breaker tax-1; Secretary of State: writing biographies, gov't info for Idaho Blue Book-1, Sunshine Law research, must be advanced law student-1; Transportation: writing administrative brochures-1, real property analysis-1, environmental impact info-1, personnel projects-1, State Library-1.

Attorney General-1; Bicentennial Commission-1; Education-1; Em-

Schroeder to represent AKPsi at convention

On Thursday, March 6, members of Alpha Kappa Psi adjourned from their weekly meeting having made two important decisions. They designated Dave Schroeder, fraternity secretary, as their delegate to the national convention this August. He will represent Theta Omicron's views concerning a number of important issues. The foremost of these entails the admittance of women as members of the fraternity. Schroeder will be supporting this policy and will work for its acceptance by the national organization. Should the convention delegates vote to sustain national's present position, then Theta Omicron will abide by the decision. "We've stated in the courts all along," emphasizes Bob Naugler, fraternity treasurer, "that if we got the chance, we would go to the national convention and fight for the right to allow women into the fraternity."

Schroeder states that he is well aware of the awesome task ahead of him. In a sense, he will be fighting for Theta Omicron's life on the BSU campus. Only AKPsi's University of Utah chapter and

possibly a few eastern schools will be promoting the same policy.

Hopefully, a few of his fraternity brothers will be able to accompany him to Minneapolis (the site of the

convention), and assist with the lobbying effort. As a delegate, Schroeder will be on the convention floor most of the time; consequently, he will not be able to lobby effectively.

Veterans conduct survey on farming program

The Boise Regional Veterans Administration is conducting a survey to determine the possible interest in a "Farm Cooperative Program".

The "Farm Cooperative Program" would be a course which would be open to people involved

or interested in agricultural employment. Classroom instruction and on the job training would be featured in the program.

People interested in having students work for them through this program should call the VA, 345-7491.

Senate opposes Board rule

After contemplating the possible political moves available to them, the student senate (in their regular meeting last Tuesday) passed proposal one of a resolution opposing the State Board policy (Section 513-513.6).

This policy deals with Tenure, Non-tenure, Dismissal, and Termination of faculty members and would make it possible to dismiss non-tenured faculty without a statement of reason. In addition, it would deny the affected faculty member a hearing on the termination unless he was exercising his constitutional or legal rights.

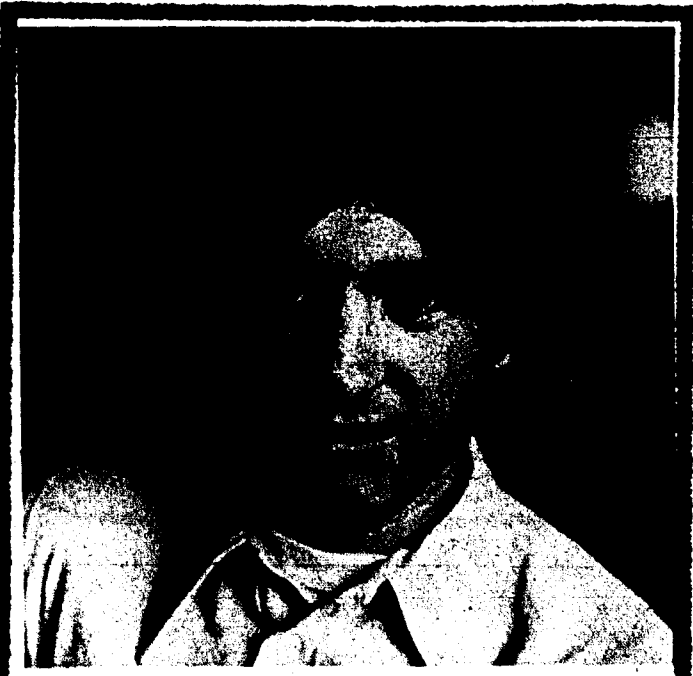
A week before, the faculty senate had voted unanimously to oppose the measure and termed it "unfair". They requested that the student senate pass the resolution which, "so affects the quality of our education". Senator Doug Gochnour had hoped to delay acceptance of the resolution, and

use it as a lever for inducing the faculty senate to accept the open parking proposal. He held that the situation should be one of "we'll scratch their backs, if they scratch ours".

Senator Ken Butler maintained that the level of education at BSU might suffer, if the teachers had to work under such a policy. He also stated that politics should not enter into the senate's decision.

Senator John Frazier suggested that accepting proposal one would be just "giving the teachers due process of law". He originated the idea to vote on proposal one as a separate part of the resolution. Proposal two would allow faculty members equal pay between departments regardless of sex.

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Day Care moves onward

The new BSU Day Care Center drive is picking up momentum and support throughout the university community. The greatest support at the moment is coming from various departments on the BSU campus.

Dr. Carol Harvey, Assistant Professor of Sociology, Department of Societal and Urban Studies, stated her support in a letter to the Student Senate on March 7, 1975. In her letter she stated that she would like to have a place for her students to observe. "Approximately 25 students would observe for 2 hours per semester."

Other members of the faculty to announce their support for the Day Care Center to the Student Senate are Carol Rinnert, Special Lecturer, Mark Hansen, Assistant Professor, Carol Mullaney, Assistant Professor (English Department), Trudy Comba, Early Childhood Education and William B. Eastlake, Assistant Professor of Economics have stated support for the center in letters to Howard Welsh.

Welsh is a member of the Day Care Center committee.

In an interview with the ARBITER, Welsh stated that there were several other departments who are willing to participate in the Day Care Center when it is established.

Welsh said than an initial appro-

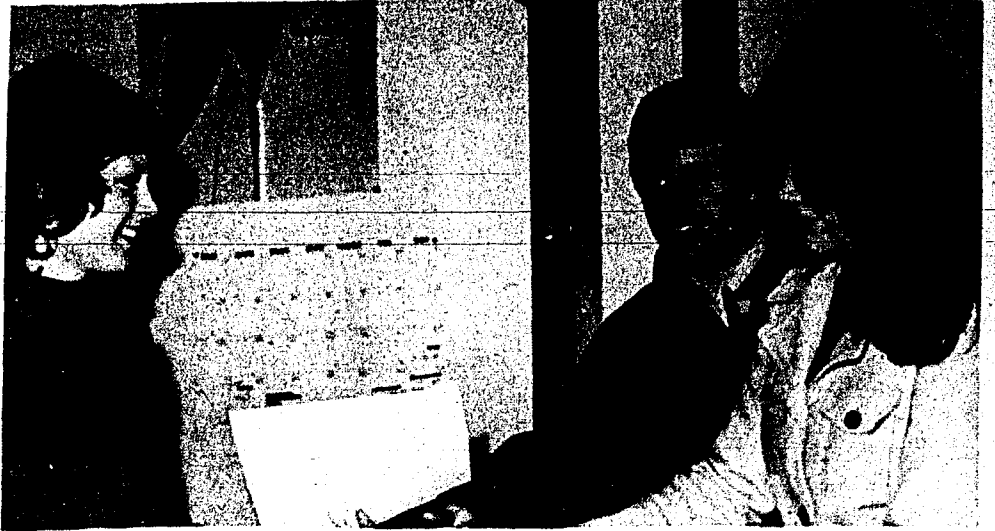
priation from the ASBSU Senate could get the ball rolling. "If we are granted a one-time appropriation from the student senate, we will be able to apply for a three-to-one matching from the department of Health and Welfare.

When we get it going, the funds can come from several areas outside the university. The initial one-time appropriation could be obtained through many options: such as fund raising projects, the student senate or any other available method." Welsh stated.

The operation would be able to handle more and more children as money is made available. Welsh believed that the initial enrollment for the center would be in the neighborhood of 30 to 40 children.

"Parents would be required to support the center through time or monetary sources." Welsh said. "If any program does not meet with the best interests of the child, then that program would be stopped. This, we feel, would aid in the maintenance of what the child's parents feel is good for the child, along with giving us valid input as far as the center's curriculum is concerned."

Welsh urged student support for the Day Care Center. He concluded by saying that the center could be more than just a baby-sitting service to be of genuine value to the parents and to the children.



Kit Christensen and former Miss BSU, Lori Larsen sign up for carpoools.

Transportation expenses reduced by carpoools

Americans are looking for ways to economize during the present economic squeeze. One of the major expenses any American has is the amount of money spent on transportation.

Utilizing the Internal Revenue Service's figures for mileage and subtracting a small percentage for compact cars with better gas consumption averages, we find that a typical 10 mile trip to the downtown area costs the driver \$2.64.

Paul Joos, Carpool Project deputy for the Boise Metropolitan Transportation Study, says that transportation expenses can be reduced by the organization of a carpool.

According to Joos, "There is no cheaper way to help on traffic control and air pollution than through carpooling."

Joos stated that several area businesses and governmental agencies are encouraging their employees to participate in the new carpool project. "Carpooling is nothing new to this country. During World War II carpooling did a tremendous job for the country, but after the war was over and we failed to see the necessity for pooling the concept lost its real appeal. It was sort of like a person who has been on a diet and then goes off and does not use good common sense in what they eat; pretty soon, a diet is again necessary."

Carpool studies show the average car occupancy for work and school trips downtown during rush hour is 1.6 persons per car. The per person cost is \$1.65. The studies note if car occupancy could be increased from the present average of 1.6 persons to 2.0 persons per car, twenty per cent of the cars would be removed from traffic and the per person expense would be decreased.

The new B.M.T.S. agency is conducting a study to see how effective carpoools would be in the greater Boise area. With the results of the study they feel that they will be able to provide valid documents and information that could help toward obtaining a more effective transportation system for the area.

"We are working with the bus companies," said Joos. "Not competing with them. Now, with carpoools we can see how many people might use a mass transit system."

The forms for the carpool studies can be obtained at the BSU SUB information booth.

These forms will help the B.M.T.S. agency define and derive rush-hour traffic information; how many people use the Boise area streets

and at what hours; and through the information gathered the agency feels that they will be able to provide valuable information which will aid the commuter in establishing his or her own carpool.

Joos concluded the interview by stating that we want to conserve what we can now. The facilities are available so let's do what we can now to conserve what we have.

For further information on carpoools, contact Tony Chirico at the ASB Public Relations office on the second floor of the Student Union Building; Gordon Phillips, Coordinator of Administrative Services on the second floor of the Administration Building or at the Carpool Boise office, 511 Highland Street in Boise, phone number 345-7665.

Carpool Forms can be obtained through your academic department or at the SUB information booth.

Assistant Director's job open

This is to announce a vacancy which will be occurring within the Office of Student Residential Life for the position of Assistant to the Director. This is a part-time job involving approximately 20 hours per week for \$300 per month for ten months. The assistant to the Director of Student Residential Life should be a student of upperclass standing who has a minimum 2.25 GPA.

The job involves working with

residence hall students, married students, and off campus students. It includes counseling and advising, organizational supervising, staff training, research, and general programming. The Assistant often is expected to attend evening meetings, but the schedule of work hours is generally left up to the student.

Applications can be picked up in Room 100 of the Ad. Building. The deadline for submitting applications will be March 21, 1975.

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Library records for blind

The BSU Library has recorded an adaptation of its Library Handbook for blind students. The Idaho State Library has duplicated the recording and has sent individual cassette copies to all known BSU blind students. There is also a copy

available at the CRC desk on the second floor of the library for any student wishing to hear it. Any blind student who has not received a copy and who desires one should see Mrs. Bettis, Room 116, Library.

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House kills tenate-landlord bill

The Idaho House of Representatives killed a tenant-landlord bill for the fourth year Wednesday, 34-35.

The measure, which would have defined the rights and obligations of tenants and landlords, was voted on twice. It originally failed by a vote of 34-36. The House voted to reconsider the measure, 39-31.

The bill previously passed the Senate unanimously in February.

One of the reasons the bill failed, according to Mick Meyer, Executive Director of the Idaho Student Lobby, was a group of apartment owners, called the Idaho Apartment Owners Association, a Boise based group created in January, who submitted amendments watering down the bill.

The Apartment Owners contended that the bill was a "tenants bill", favoring tenants over landlords.

Rep. Ralph Gines, R-Nampa, led the debate against the bill on the floor. He said that the bill was not a compromise bill, but that it was a tenants bill. He said he could also not understand why the state might want to limit subleasing.

According to sources within the Idaho Apartment Owners, the group never knew of the bill's existence until after it was passed by the Senate.

However, according to Kym Ravsten of the Idaho Student Lobby the group submitted several amendments prior to the bills passage by the Senate.

Greg Culet of the Idaho Housing Coalition stated that "The move to kill the bill was made by an obstructionist minority."

The Idaho Apartment Owners alone could not kill the bill, he said, but they were compounded by "legislators who wished to punish the Senate for defeating favored House legislation."

Ravsten also stated that "The Legislature was upset because of

Senate action killing favored House bills and this started the House voting against Senate bill, not even looking at their merits. This led to the defeat of the tenant-landlord bill."

The legislation was specifically designed to benefit responsible landlords and tenants, according to Ravsten. The bill would have adversely affected only irresponsible tenants and landlords.

The defeat of the bill is a definite blow to Idaho college and University students, according to Ravsten. "There are 24,000 students in Idaho and of that number 77 per cent live off campus. The bill would have helped them."

As a result of these petty politics, she stated, the current patchwork of tenant-landlord laws will continue to exist.

Communication party

The Communication Department of Boise State University is sponsoring a party for communication majors Saturday, April 5, from 7 to 12 p.m. The event will take

place at the pavillion at the east end of Ann Morrison Park. To cut expenses, the Communication Department asks that you bring your own food, music, or liquid refreshments.

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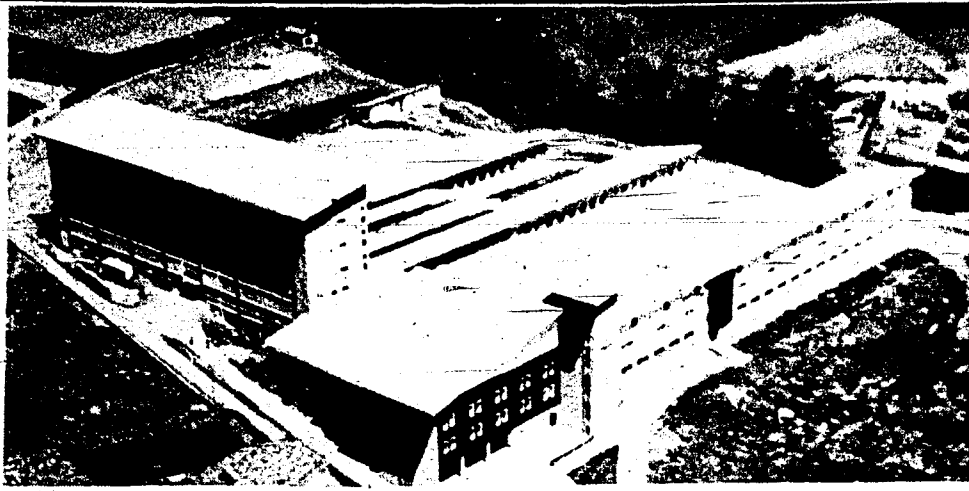
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BSU's Campus in Spain is coming to the close of its first year and students who wish to attend next year are being urged to sign up. The cost is between \$3500 and \$4000.

Spain—a new experience in learning

A new experience in learning, that's what the BSU Oate, Spain, campus is all about.

The campus which has been in existence for the past academic year has a beautiful country setting just off the edge of town. The dorm rooms all have an angelic view from their windows of the rolling hillsides and snow capped mountains.

Not only is the surrounding area of the campus beautiful but it is located just a short distance from the resort area of San Sebastian. Italy, France and the Mediterranean are within driving distance of Oate for those students who wish to pursue special areas of interest.

The curriculum offered at the fully accredited campus in Spain includes foreign language (Basque and Spanish); humanities; communication; Basque and Spanish culture and history; education; english composition; European literature and history; pottery and art courses.

Expansion of the courses will depend upon the needs of the students enrolling for the 1976-77 year and future years.

Students now attending the Oate campus are enjoying their stay as their comments suggest:

Bill Peterson, Idaho State University: "...as Shakespeare once said in the *Tempest*, 'We are such things as dreams are made on...' and Oate has been one of these dreams."

Bonnie Anostegue, Boise State University: "Oate is a fantastic experience for learning Basque and Spanish and for getting to know many beautiful people."

Jim Schisle, Boise State University: "The biggest advantage of living in a foreign country is learning to love people without language to mess it up."

Dee Dee Keller, University of Nevada-Reno: "This year I have spent in Oate cannot be defined in a few words. It would take me hours to clearly explain what an experience and an everlasting significance it is to me. I wouldn't change one minute of the entire year with or for anything. It's taught me the love of traditions, the beauty of language and the true sincerity that lies within all. This knowledge is irreplaceable. I do have one small

bit of advice - lose at least 10 pounds before coming, the food is just too great!"

Commitment to this program must be completed by March 30, 1975. \$100 should be forwarded for reservation.

Students will enroll as resident students from Boise State University.

Cost of this program will be between \$3500 and \$4000; this cost includes air fare to and from Oate, room and board at the Spanish campus, registration fees, student medical fee and several excursions in Spain.

For more information concerning the BSU Spain Campus, contact: Boise State University, Dr. John L. Beitia, Campus in Spain, School of Education, Boise, Idaho 83725 or phone Dr. Beitia at 385-3307.

Ecologists discuss merits of coal fire power plant

by Rick Christian

Dr. G. A. Wyllie, resident ecologist of the Biology Department met with representatives of Sterns-Roger, Inc. on Friday morning, March 7. Sterns-Roger, Inc. is an engineering firm out of Denver, Colorado that specializes in the building of coal-fired electrical power plants. They have provided the specifications for a number of power plants around the west, in-

cluding the Huntington Power Plant in Utah for Utah Power and Light. Idaho Power has dealings with the firm concerning the construction of the Pioneer Power Plant at Orchard.

Sterns-Roger also has a department which conducts environmental impact studies. They have finalized negotiations with Dr. Wyllie and a group of three other

Senate leaves SFS open

To accommodate the overflow crowd, the Student Senate convened in the Big Four, Tuesday, as controversy over Constitutional Amendment 2 continued unabated. A gathering of about 175 people witnessed the second reading of the SFS-supported amendment after 1½ hours of constant discussion and debate.

Since the procedural rules for handling an amendment are not defined in the ASBSU Constitution, the Senate had few guidelines with which to work and had to set precedents in many areas. This added confusion to the emotion that was already existent over the issue. If the amendment readings are made consecutively, the third reading will be given at the March 17 senate meeting. The amendment will then be available for placement on the ballot of the general election, March 19 and 20.

Although the discussion covered every conceivable aspect of the issue, most of the opinions that were given centered on two main topics: 1. the actual powers of the Executive President of the University, 2. the manner in which the SFS is seeking acceptance of its proposal.

Travis Updyke, representing SFS, read a portion of the State Board of Education Policy Manual concerning the Presidential duties and responsibilities. They are to govern, to set guidelines, and to provide proper educational instruction, but they are not to be inflexible. The State Board has the ultimate voice in all matters.

Executive Assistant, Douglas Hutchison, maintained that presenting the amendment to the State Board would be the worst path to follow. He was irate because no representatives of SFS had shown the courtesy to consult Dr. Barnes about the proposal. He also held that the students should work "through logical order" and use the channels made available to them.

Huck Hovey, countered by saying that the SFS proposal is not a vendetta, and that the SFS is working through channels. He declared that the present publicity is needed to make the student body aware of the issues. "Let the students vote," he suggested, "let the students decide."

Leland Mercy, University Registrar, cautioned the students against rash action and said that "there are certain things that you can do" which are assumed in the preamble. These powers are devested through the President to the students. In this sense, Mercy urged the SFS "to tell it to the man (Pres. Barnes) who was responsible".

Dr. David Taylor, Vice President of Student Affairs, maintained that the faculty and administration should not become involved in the debate. He said it was an issue that should be settled among the students themselves.

Senator John Frazier recommended that the Senate request the legal opinions of the school lawyer and the State Attorney General's office. He said these would be available at the next senate meeting on March 17.

professors for a year long research project. The intent of the project is to obtain valuable baseline data about the Snake River ecosystem. The EPA requires this data as part of the application for permission to begin construction of the power plant.

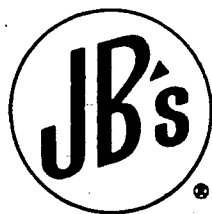
The research will determine the number and diversity of organisms at various locations on the Strike Reservoir and along the river below the dam. This information will serve as a standard for which to evaluate any future changes in the population of the existing life forms. Sterns-Roger is funding the project and will use the results to

determine the effects on the freshwater habitat of the coal-fired plant, if it becomes a reality.

The research group is composed of Dr. Harry Fritchman, Dr. Herbert Pappenfuss, and Dr. Fenton Kelley. Dr. Wyllie will

function as the project director and will handle the statistical analysis of the data. He will coordinate the findings of the group and stated that publication of the results would probably be forthcoming after the research is completed.

The research group will also employ a number of BSU students as biological aids.



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Crafts class offered

Instruction in a number of Arts and Crafts will be offered by the City Recreation Department beginning on Monday, March 10. Classes will cover a diverse range of topics including: candle making, ceramics, needlepoint, mosaics, leather craft, quilting, cut-flower making, and decoupage. The rules and strategy of games

such as: pinochle, bridge, and pool will also be taught. In addition, puppet making, stage presentation and painting will be offered. An initial processing fee of 50 cents will be charged upon enrollment for a six week course. For details contact Kathy Olsen at 342-4621 extension 295, Fort Boise Community Center.

Lennon album rated

by Aleta Fairchild

The latest album by John Lennon, *Rock n' Roll*, attempts to bring back the "good ole days" of 1950. It's hard to understand why the 1950's is emulated so much in the music field these days. In that period, most the rhythms and melodies were repetitious and predictable.

Since his *Plastic Ono Band* album, John Lennon, one-time genius, has slid farther and farther into obscurity. He seems to have reached it in this album.

The first cut on the first side is an Elvisy tune with a catchy rhythm, but the lyrics aren't distinct enough. I found that throughout the album this was the rule rather than the exception. That makes it really hard for those of us who want to know what we're singing when we sing along with the record...

There is not a single original by Mr. Lennon on this album. Instead he relies on such 50's giants as Chuck Berry, Sam Cooke, and Buddy Holly to help him scale the charts.

Most of his renditions of erst-while classics, (i.e. Sweet Little Sixteen and Slippin' and Slidin') are just plain rank.

"Peggy Sue" was copied reasonably well, but was not as tight and crisp as Buddy Holly made it. There are a couple of other cuts which are "tolerable" as well. John Lennon gave no credit to the musicians on the album. He should have given the keyboard and saxaphones a lot of thanks for pulling the album together. (Well, anyway, they tried.)

This album has no musical significance. It only goes to prove why John Lennon wrote awhile back, "The dream is over...."

Opera Theater to produce Il Tabarro

Students, faculty, and staff of Boise State University will have the opportunity to hear the rich and dramatic music of Giacomo Puccini this week when the Department of Music's Opera Theatre will produce the two one-act operas *Il Tabarro* (The Cloak) and *Suor Angelica* (Sister Angelica) on Thursday and Friday evenings, March 20 and 21, in the Music Auditorium. Curtain time is 8:15 p.m. Tickets will be available at the door.

The opera *Il Tabarro* is a short but dramatic work built around the theme of love and tragedy, taking place on a barge moored on the

river Seine, near the outskirts of Paris. Leading roles will be sung by BSU singers Donald Walkup (Michele), Patricia Berg (Georgette), and Glen Grant (Luigi). Supporting roles will be sung by James Dobson (Talpa) and Susan Fisher as Frugola. Other singers in roles include Steve Noland, Jeff Loviza, Jon Irwin, and Patty Panik.

Suor Angelica is a beautifully melodic one-act opera taking place in a convent in Cellole, Italy, in the latter part of the 17th century. The serenity of the opening scene, involving the nuns of the cloister, is changed to abrupt severity and tragedy with the dramatic encount-

er between Suor Angelica (sung by Lori Larsen) and the Princess (sung by Mrs. Catherine Elliott of the BSU Voice Faculty). Supporting roles (nuns) are sung by BSU students: Carla Miller, Patricia Berg, Sue Nichols, Angela Wurdella, Jan Lythgoe, Patty Panik, Sue Fisher, Barbara Lingenfelter, Barbara Howard, Cheryl Anderson, Teresa Shrock, and the singers of the Opera Theatre.

Curtain time again for these operas is 8:15 p.m. on Thursday and Friday, March 20 and 21, in the music Auditorium. Tickets for these special performances will be available at the door.

Subal ends season with Count Dracula

Count Dracula, Ted Tiller's version of the chilling Bram Stoker classic, will wind up the season at Boise State's Subal Theatre. Dr. Lauterbach, who will direct the play, held three days of tryouts last week. He listened to thirty people audition for over ten hours, "which should," Lauterbach said, "be some sort of BSU record."

The title role, Count Dracula, will be played by David Six, and his prime victim, Mina Seward, by Gwyn Harms. Dan Peterson plays Mina's guardian, the director of an insane asylum which houses the flamboyant inmate Renfield, played by Eric Bischoff, who eats flies

and aids the devious Dracula. Trish Coonts will play Seward's zany sister Sybil, and Rich Durrington Mina's worried fiance Jonathan Harker.

Others in the cast include John Elliott as Heinrich Van Helsing, David Farnsworth as Wesley, and Jon Irwin as Hennessy, the two attendants in the asylum.

R.E.O. Speedwagon in concert

by Aleta Fairchild

Blue Oyster Cult, R.E.O. Speedwagon, and Mann will be presented by United Concerts in Boise, March 18. The concert will be held at 8 p.m. in the Western Idaho Fairgrounds. Tickets are available at General Pants, Budget Tapes, MacArthur Park, and Revolution 2.

The cost will be \$5 per ticket. General admission tickets will also be available at the door.

These bands are not particularly "popular" in this area, as the radio stations in this locale tend to follow a "Top 40's" format, and too often neglect the underground bands.

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Rhonda Miller was named the winner of the talent competition in the Miss BSU pageant. She played a flute solo, and she says her main interests lie in music.



Susan Rinard was crowned the 1975 Miss BSU. She stated that she wants to represent BSU students in the best possible way and that was one of the reasons she ran.

Rinard crowned at Miss BSU Pageant

Tall, slender, and lovely, Susan Rinard was crowned the new Miss BSU for 1975. Her attendants were: first runner-up, Rhonda Miller; and second runner-up, Terri Mortensen. Miss Miller also received the honor of being named Miss Congeniality by her fellow contestants.

From its inception, the Miss BSU Pageant was beset with considerable criticism. Six contestants withdrew before the competition began. Thursday night, the emcees were unprepared and the judges were slow, but the program was nonetheless quite enjoyable.

It started with a parade of contestants in which each girl was briefly introduced to the audience. In the same pre-arranged order, each girl appeared in the evening gown competition. As part of this competition, the contestants answered the question: With all the controversy that has centered around the pageant this year, why did you enter and remain in the competition? The reasoning behind this question was to provide the girls with the opportunity of expressing themselves in a pressure situation. It requires much poise, self-confidence, and grace to speak before an audience.

Miss Rinard performed very well in this aspect and later said, "I was really glad they asked me because I think that rather than ignoring what's been going on, we ought to find some answers, and make sure the pageant is what we want to do. The controversy has happened because people think of it as a meat show, and it isn't at all. I don't know about the other pageants, but this particular one isn't like that. I stayed in the pageant because it really does challenge a girl to try harder to be a more well rounded person, to be more poised and really gracious... to know how to be with others, and to know how to act."

The talent competition was next on the program, and performances ranged from modern dance to a dramatic reading on war. Rhonda Miller won this part of the pageant with an impressive nimble-fingered flute solo. She expressed afterward that music is her main interest, and that she plans to teach it on the college level. Since she is equally

adept at playing either flute or piano, she said that it was a difficult task selecting which instrument to play. She decided on the flute because it is "unique and refreshing."

Terri Mortensen also rated for her performance of Chopin's Scherzo in C minor. Miss Rinard presented and discussed a series of paintings hanging on the wall. "I started thinking about art and these people, and how I would very much like to get across to them how I feel about art," she said. "I don't think talent is something a girl picks up to put on a little show for the pageant. It's something you do all the time and you've got to keep on doing it. I know that is what art is to me; I've done it ever since I can remember."

A slide presentation by the ASBSU Public Relations Board was given following the talent competition. It portrayed aspects of student life on the BSU campus this past year. Kit Christensen was the narrator.

In the Health Fitness part of the pageant, the girls modeled casual sports-wear. Since most of the girls made their own outfits, it was a good occasion for them to reveal their poise and creativity. It was a stunning part of the program.

As the contestants changed into their evening gowns for the final parade, Lori Larsen, Miss BSU 1974, gave a farewell speech. She expressed thanks to those who helped her make her reign an unforgettable experience. She said that the pageant and the opportunity to serve as Miss BSU had contributed to her personal growth and maturation.

With the girls back on stage and the audience primed for the judges decision, the winners were announced. In the excitement that followed, Miss Rinard found it hard to express herself, but later, when she had a chance to collect her thoughts she said, "I want to represent the school and those students that I come in contact with, the best I possibly can. I hope that somehow I can help them to learn what I have. I am looking forward right now to next year's Miss BSU Pageant because it's amazing how much you learn in one week. The pageant is worth it no matter what happens."

THE MARX BROS. in "Room Service"



W.C. Fields IN The Fatal Glass of Beer

Charlie Chaplin IN The Vagabond

March 19-23

8:00 p.m.

SUB Ballroom

Concert Presented

The Boise State University symphonic Wind Ensemble presented a concert of band music on Sunday, March 16, in the BSU Music Auditorium. The program was opened with the Overture to Mozart's Così Fan Tutti, followed by the Finale from Symphonic Metamorphosis by Hindemith. Featured on the program was the percussion section in composition entitled Gamelan Gong, reflections on the Balinese ensemble of tuned gongs, metallophones, cymbals, and drums. The concert also featured traditional band music including Gustav Holst's Second Suite for Military Band: Sequoia, a tone painting by Homer LaGassey and Karl King's "Barnum and Bailey's Favorite" march.

Proceeds from the concert went to the BSU Music Scholarship Fund. The program was conducted by Boise State University Director of Bands, Melvin L. Shelton.

AMENDMENT PRO'S CON'S

1. More student input.
2. More proportionate representation.
3. More people responsible to student needs.
4. Allows senate to fluctuate with enrollment.
5. Limited governmental elitism.
6. More untied voices to protect student rights and powers.
7. The re-introduction of defined procedural order.
8. Elimination of extraneous debate.



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3. Added strain on already crowded office facilities.
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5. Procedural time elements.
6. Possible lack of control at meetings. (The vice-president must be responsible for maintaining order.)

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- A. There shall be one senator for each three hundred and fifty (350) students in each of the schools, with one additional senator for each additional three hundred and fifty (350) students or fractional part thereof of above one half.
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The Kappa Sigma fraternity recently pledged new members.

Vo Tech dedicates building

BSU's Vo-Tech Department held the dedication program for its new Mechanical Technology Building on Thursday, March 13 at 10:00 a.m. The program was presented in the room scheduled to become the new Air Conditioning and Heating Laboratory.

William R. Swenson, Assistant State Director of Vocational Education, gave the opening remarks and told of the state's efforts to provide adequate Vo-Tech facilities. William Onweiler, Chairman of the Local Government Committee, Idaho State Legislature, was the featured speaker and presented the keynote address. He expounded on the development of Vo-Tech

education and said that 89 per cent of the present jobs in Idaho are of the non-professional type. G.M. Miller, Director of the School of Vocational Technical Education, gave the concluding remarks.

The new Vo-Tech Building will facilitate operation of four vocational programs, including parts counterman, Small Engine Repair, Auto Body and Refrigeration and Air Conditioning. Three of the four vocational programs to be housed in the new vocational facility are established vocational programs that are now being conducted in less than adequate facilities. The new building has a projected total cost of \$499,910.00.

Ballot Placement for General Election

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1. Nate Kim
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2. John McKay
3. Royanne Klein
4. Jan Lythgoe
5. Lenny Hertling

6. John Steppe
7. Mike Hoffman
8. Mark Stinson

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2. Mary Jane Jorgensen
3. Jeff Kelly
4. Donald Hay
5. James Crawford
6. Dave Wynkoop

Health Science Senator

1. Howard Welsh
2. Mike Stampke

Vocational Technical Senator

1. Pamela Jahn
2. Rodney Brown

Education Senator

none

Philharmonic

The Boise Philharmonic will present its final concert of the season on Tuesday, April 15, 1975, at 8:15 p.m. in the Capital High School Auditorium.

Music Director Daniel Stern and the eighty member orchestra will be joined by the Boise State University Singers and Meistersingers in a memorable performance of the Mozart Requiem.

Season tickets for the 1975-76 series will be on sale in the auditorium lobby.

Tickets for the April 15 concert are available by calling the Philharmonic office, weekdays, 2-5 p.m., 344-7849. They are sold at the Allied Arts booth in the downtown Bon Marche and at Capital High on concert night. Prices are \$4.50, \$3.75, \$3.25, students, \$2.00.

Preview night, Monday, April 14, will feature excerpts from the regular program in a ninety minute performance. Tickets will be sold at Capital High a half hour prior to the 7:30 p.m. curtain. Ticket prices are: adults, \$2.00, senior citizens, \$1.50, students, \$1.00.

VO-TECH SENATOR



PAMM JAHN

support me in the following issues:

1. Amendment to reapportion Senate membership
2. Dave Ward's open parking system
3. Efforts to upgrade Vo-Tech faculty

Calendar

Monday, March 17

3-5 p.m. Election Board orientation, SUB Clearwater
 6:30-10 p.m. Student Recognition Dinner, SUB Ballroom
 6-7 p.m. Sigma Nu, SUB Caribou
 6-7:30 p.m. Dama Soghop, SUB Clearwater
 7-9 p.m. Rodeo Club, SUB Minidoka

3:30-5:30 p.m. SUPB, SUB Teton
 Noon, ice cream eating contest, Snack Bar
 8-12 p.m. Pop film, SUB-Ballroom
 6-7 p.m. Golden Z Meeting, SUB Bannock
 7:30-10 p.m., SIMS, SUB Senate Chambers

Friday, March 21

8-12 p.m. Pop film, SUB Ballroom
 5-6 p.m. TKE Meeting, SUB Minidoka
 6-7 p.m., Esquire Club, SUB Owyhee
 8:15 p.m., Opera Suor Angelica and Il Tabbarro, Music Auditorium

Tuesday, March 18

7-8 a.m. Pi Sigma Epsilon, SUB Owyhee
 5-6:30 p.m. Sigma Nu, SUB Clearwater
 6-8 p.m. IK Meeting, SUB Teton
 8-12:30 p.m. The Great Comedians, SUB Big Four
 Noon- Candidate debate, SUB Snack bar
 7-10 p.m. Alumni Meeting, SUB Clearwater

6-8:30 p.m., Alpha Eta Rho, SUB Teton
 8-11 p.m., Chess Club, SUB Big Four

Saturday, March 22

8-12 p.m. Pop films, SUB Ballroom
 Spring Vacation begins

Thursday, March 20

8-12 p.m. Pop film, SUB Ballroom
 7-9 p.m. Alpha Kappa Psi, SUB Bannock
 11:40-12:30, Club Espanol, SUB Minidoka
 2:30-4 p.m., Public Relations, SUB Owyhee

Sunday, March 23

8-9 p.m. TKE Meeting, SUB Owyhee

Wednesday, March 19

6:30-9 p.m. Black Student Union, SUB Clearwater
 9 a.m.-noon, Student Affairs Staff, SUB Bannock

7:30-9 a.m. Alpha Omega Bible study, SUB Clearwater

5-8 p.m. Black Student Union, SUB Clearwater

8:15 p.m. Opera Suor Angelica and Il Tabbarro, Music Auditorium
GENERAL ELECTIONS

8-12 p.m., Pop film, SUB Ballroom
 8-10:30 p.m., The Christians, SUB Teton

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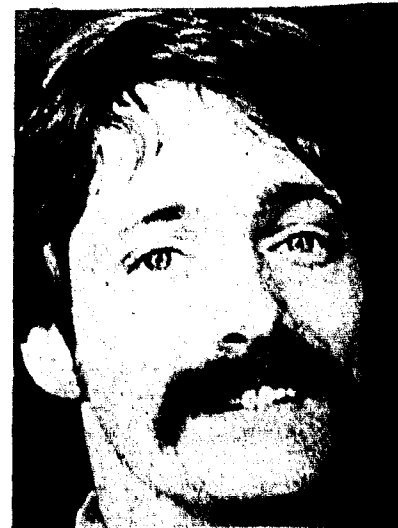
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VOTE Scott B. Whipple



Senator-at-Large

Broncos wrap up Banana Belt

by Tim Ritter

The Boise State University Varsity Baseball team bared their way to a 2-3-1 record in the annual Banana Belt Baseball Tournament held over the weekend in Lewiston. Coach Ross Vaughn's charges now sport an overall 4-5-1 record, and have a non-conference game with Northwest Nazarene College Tuesday afternoon in Nampa and then host the powerful Utah Redskins this weekend. The Broncos and Utes will play doubleheaders Friday and Saturday, with action starting at 2:00 and Saturday at noon. Utah is a member of the rugged Western Athletic Conference.

Friday morning in Lewiston, the Broncos were given a rude welcome to the Inland Empire as the Washington State Cougars (after beating the Broncos twice last Sunday in Pendleton) popped BSU again by the score of 9-4. Paul Lever took the loss for BSU, his first of the year, while striking out 2 Cougar batters. Bob Papworth and Chriss Chinn each had two hits for

the Broncos.

In the Friday afternoon game, a superb 2-hitter pitcher Ron Estes gave BSU their first tournament win, 5-2 over host Lewis-Clark State. Estes, 2-0 on the year, was overpowering, striking out 5, while Mike LaVoie connected for two hits to contribute to the Bronco run total.

Saturday was a dismal day for Boise State as the Broncos met tournament powers Gonzaga and Oregon State, and came out on the short end of both games, 5-0 to the perennially tough Zags, and 10-4 to Oregon State.

Three critical errors by Boise State aided the Gonzaga cause as Bulldog hurler Paul Shotwell gave up only five hits to BSU batmen and struck out 5 Broncos in the process. Kevin Nelson suffered the loss for Boise, his second of the young season. Nelson struck out 6.

Against PAC-8 Oregon State, the Broncos took an early lead at 1-0 before the OSU bats opened up, as the Beavers put 7 runs across in the fourth inning to cinch the victory,

despite a late comeback by BSU. Tom Coates started on the mound for Boise State, and with relief help from Nick Mitchell, took the loss. Bronco shortstop Eddie Yurick, who had an excellent tournament with the bat, pounded out two safeties against OSU.

In Sunday's closing contests, only final scores were available at press time. BSU stopped Puget Sound, who figures to be a power in the conference this year along with Gonzaga, by a score of 5-2, and then came back to battle up-state rivals the University of Idaho Vandels to a 4-4 tie before the game was called (for reasons unknown to the Arbitrator).

Before starting conference action in June, the Broncos will travel to Redding, California, over spring break, to participate in the Redding Tournament. Play is slated for March 27-28-29. Teams playing against the Broncos are Southern Oregon College, Humboldt State, Chico State, Puget Sound, Portland State, and St. Mary's College.

Spring sports alive

The BSU Outdoor Activities program is undergoing basic changes in its program now that spring is here.

We are trying to get away from the "strong man" image and are going to cater to the interest of the beginning backpacker and/or climber. Of course this will not make the program any less interesting for the harder people.

The program will have no more meetings on Tuesday as such, but we will try to have an activity on most weekends.

It is the time of year that all the apathetic students sit on their duffs and talk about the nice weather.

Why not get out and do something about it? Skip your subology class and get out and take part of the beautiful weather.

Most outdoor sports have certain risks but these are healthy risks.

For example you might stub your toe backpacking. This will probably hurt but it will increase your self awareness.

Fresh air and exercise will

We who are in this program will share the basic skills with beginners, or to others who have missed something along the way.

In the interest of all people, beginner and hardcore alike, we don't just hike or climb. Most of us like to take it easy when ever we can; take pictures, throw rocks, tell stories around the campfire, or just sit and catch a few rays.

If you have no camping or hiking equipment it can be rented in the BSU Gameroom for a modest fee. We can give you a few pointers on just what you will need for a hike.

stimulate your mind and your body. If a person is physically healthy, he will find that his mind is a bit clearer and it is easier to think.

If you don't feel like taking a hike in the mountains then organize a basketball game or soccer. This equipment can be checked out at the BSU Gameroom. Backpacking and camping equipment can also be checked out there. Anyway, don't sit back and watch the weather go by. Get out and partake of it.

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Thursday, March 20-8 p.m.
Sawtooth Mountaineering
Bruce Otto will give a slide show pertaining to the controversial Chamberlain Basin Area

Saturday, March 22, 8 a.m.
BSU Gameroom
The BSU Outdoor Activities Club is taking a backpacking trip to Halverson Lake for a good time and some fishing

Thursday, April 17
Sawtooth Mountaineering
Bill March, a Rack and ICP climbing expert from Scotland, will be putting on a show co-sponsored by the BSU Outdoor Activities Club

Eagles 7:00 p.m.			
Press			
8:00 p.m. Maroons	Pete's Pistols	7:00 p.m. Main Court	
What It Is 8:00 p.m. Outcasts	Blitz Boys 8:00 p.m.	7:00 p.m. Main Court	Champion
Warriors 9:00 p.m.	Bombers 8:00 p.m.	8:00 p.m. Main Court	
Sweets	North Idaho		
Monday, March 17		Wednesday, March 19	Thursday, March 20

ASBSU STUDENT GOVERNMENT APPLICATION FORM

Date: _____

Procedure to be followed:

1. Fill out entire application form NEATLY, and sign below.
2. Fill out separate application for each position desired.
3. Return to Secretary of ASBSU or to SUB Information Booth.
4. An interview may be required with the Personnel Selection Committee.

NAME: _____ TELEPHONE #: _____

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Harriers drop meet in Reno

Although the Broncos received a number of sparkling individual performances, they dropped their first outdoor meet of the season to University of Nevada at Reno by a score of 77-76.

It was a particularly disturbing loss to Coach Ed Jacoby because he had been very optimistic prior to the meet. He stated that the team was two deep in every field event and three or four deep in the others. Rolley Woolsey, who has "shin splints so bad they hurt his ears" and Steve Collier, who had a sore leg, were the only question marks. "We should be strong in the sprints, 440, and the halfmile."

Jacoby said of the Broncos, "barring any unforeseen problems, we should do well in the relays."

The unforeseen problems arose in the pole vault, long jump, and the 3 mile run. Uninspired performances in these events probably cost BSU the meet. "Our long jumpers and our pole vaulters did very poorly," stated Jacoby. "That was a disturbing factor. I don't what the cause of it was or anything else, but our vaulters didn't even make the opening height. Our long jumpers weren't consistent on their steps and weren't hitting near their marks.

The bright spots for BSU were Sam Jenkins and Steve Collier. Jenkins, who is a fireplug of a

sprinter out of the Ivory Crockett mold, swept the 100 and 220 with times of 10.0 seconds and 21.8 seconds. These times were set in cold weather and on a poor track. Collier shook off the effects of his sore leg and set a new career best of 4:13.8 in the mile run.

The Broncos also set four new meet records. Larry Stark won the 440 in 48.2, Howard Hockenberry captured the 880 in 1:54.9, and Bob Walker won the 3000 meter steeplechase in 9:38.8. Collier's time was the fourth record. In addition, the Broncos took first place in the relays, the 440-yard intermediate hurdles, the discus, and the shotput.

These were not enough, however, to offset Nevada-Reno's overall team depth and their strength in the distance events. BSU now stands at 1-4 in the series with the Wolfpack which started in 1971.

Next Saturday the Broncos will travel to sunny Santa Barbara, California for the Santa Barbara relays. Then on Sunday, the 440-yard relay team of Bartell, Lierman, Woolsey, and Jenkins will compete in the Meet of Champions. Jacoby states that the team will have to regroup for this meet. "Every guy will have to contribute and do his share," he said.



TV star Michael Coles fabulous "Mod Rod" of Mod Squad was among the over 160 entree's on display this weekend at the Boise Roadster Show which ran Friday, Saturday and Sunday at the Western Idaho Fairgrounds.

Bowling scores

Varsity Scratch Singles League

Mixed Doubles League

Game	
Dave Hohnhorst	201
Alan Melby	178
Bob Harvey	178
Series, Men	
Dave Hohnhorst	500
Ken Dick	496
Bob Harvey	489

Game	
Bob Harvey	231
Greg Hampton	229
Chris Moore	216
Series	
Bob Harvey	804
Greg Hampton	783
Dave Jessick	744

Men's Varsity League

Game	
Mike Hofferbar	204
Freddie Quintana	200
Dave Hohnhorst	175
Series	
Freddie Quintana	530
Mike Hofferbar	524
Dave Hohnhorst	499

Women's Varsity League

Game	
Susan Morgan	165
Patsy Wilson	156
Terri Franklin	152
Series	
Terri Franklin	452
Susan Morgan	442
Patsy Wilson	440

Game, Women	
nancy Mathews	160
Lou Jenson	156
Luann Simpson	144
Series, Women	
Nancy Mathews	399
Lou Jenson	394
Luann Simpson	389

Swimming club proposed

Many students have indicated a desire to have an organized swimming activity. In view of this fact,

Ken Cole and John Fluewellen are in the process of organizing a Swim

Club. Further information for any student interested in participating, please contact Ken at 385-1762, John at 342-7000 or leave your name and phone number at the SUB Information Booth.

ELECT

EFFICIENCY

EXPERIENCE



E. Scott Harmon
ASB TREASURER

Gameroom news

The BSU Games Area will be open during Spring Break. Check to see what opening hours will be.

This week's free day will be on Tuesday - free table tennis.

Don't forget to sign up for the Marathon Tournament. Check with Games Area desk for details.



Reelect John Steppe Senator Arts & Science

Intramural standings

Final Standings Intramurals		Warriors	
League A		Chico & Men	4-2
Eagles		Outlaws	3-3
North Idaho	5-1	Challengers	2-4
Blitz Boys	5-1	Food Service	1-5
What It Is	4-2		
Sweets	3-3	League C	4-2
Raiders	3-3	Maroons	4-2
Full Court Press	1-5	Bombers	3-3
	0-6	Capt. Howdy	3-3
League B		TKE's	3-3
Pete's Pistols		6 Ft. & Under	3-3
Outcasts	6-0	Esquires	2-4
	4-2	Jokers	2-4

Co-ed softball sign-ups till March 20

Thursday, March 20, will be the last day rosters will be taken for Co-Ed Softball. Five girls and five guys on each team - Slow Pitch. Sign up NOW! Turn rosters in at the Main Gym Office (room 105)

COED SOFTBALL
5 Women & 5 Men Per Team
Everyone Bats
Rosters must be in by March 20
Intramural Office in Gym

PFA to hold ski contest at Bogus

Professional Freestyle Associates will bring one of their six National contests to Bogus Basin March 21, 22, 23. The PFA currently represents the 65 top freestyle skiers in America who will be competing in three events, Mogul Skiing, Stunt and Ballet, and Aerials.

The contests, sponsored by Midas International and Colgate, will carry \$25,000 in prize money which will be awarded for first through tenth place in the various events. Currently, Boise's Ed Ferguson and Mark Stiegemeier are amongst the top four money

winner from contests held at Stowe, Vermont and Park City West.

Competitors will be arriving at Bogus Basin on Tuesday, March 18 for three days of training prior to the competition which begins with the Mogul Skiing event Friday, March 21 and continues with Stunt & Ballet, and Aerial competition held on Saturday and Sunday respectively. This contest will give skiers in this region an opportunity to watch the world's best freestylers who have thrilled thousands over the past few years with their skiing and aerial acrobatic maneuvers.

Soccer Club asks for new members

The Boise State University Soccer Club is having practice every Tuesday and Thursday afternoons at 4:00 p.m. on the soccer field next to the SUB. The team is preparing for the BSU/

Treasure Valley Invitational to be held at BSU on April 12-13. Any interested persons are asked to come to the practices and sign up or to call captain Tom Kelly at 344-4019.

Spring boaters given safety warnings

The early spring boater is confronted with the most serious hazard a river has to offer... cold water. Sudden immersion in cold water may produce serious consequences. Immediate death may result from drowning or cardiac arrest. Exposure to cold water for anywhere from a few minutes to an hour or more leads to hypothermia, a lowering of the core body temperature (measured by rectal, not oral thermometers). Unconsciousness and consequently a risk of drowning occur whenever the core body temperature is reduced appreciably. A further lowering of the body temperature inevitably leads to death.

Sudden immersion in water colder than 50 degrees causes immediate and intense difficulty in breathing. Gasping and inability to control breathing may cause the dunker to panic within a few minutes following a cold water tipover. Whenever the head of a gasping dunker is covered by a wave (even if only for a few seconds), he is likely to inhale water and possibly drown. Gasping and rapid breathing can produce hyperventilation within 10 seconds, and this can lead to unconsciousness. Consequently the likelihood of drowning increases because even the best lifejacket cannot be expected to hold the head of an unconscious dunker above the water in turbulence.

In addition to the breathing difficulties associated with cold water immersion, the dunker's body rapidly loses heat at a rate much faster than the dunker realizes. Depending on skin thickness and the amount and kind of protective clothing worn, the dunker's core body temperature drops from a normal value of 98.6 degrees fahrenheit within 2 to 10 minutes. At these low core temperatures, useful work becomes difficult and often impossible. Consequently the dunker is unable to swim or in any other way assist in his own rescue. A drop in core temperature to 88 degrees fahrenheit leads to unconsciousness,

and a further drop to about 77 degrees fahrenheit usually results in immediate death.

To understand hypothermia, consider how the body gains, conserves, and loses body heat. The human body is heated in two ways, externally and internally. Heat is produced internally by the oxidation of food (metabolism) which occurs at one rate in a resting individual and at a higher rate during exercise. Shivering is an involuntary form of muscular exercise that produces heat from the surroundings (sun, fire, another body, etc.). Body heat is conserved by the insulative layer of subcutaneous fat and by constriction of the blood vessels to the extremities. Body heat is lost by exhalation of warm air, by sweating, and by radiation, convection, and conduction from exposed body surfaces. To the boater, convection and conduction are the most important means of heat loss.

Rapids boaters are generally subjected to continual wetting even in the absence of tipovers. Wet clothing drains heat from a boater's body at an alarming rate because water conducts heat away from the body at a rate 20 times faster than air. Complete immersion is an even more serious hazard to the boater. Within seconds after immersion, clothing loses its insulative properties; these are due primarily to trapped air which prevents heat loss by reducing convection. Unless a garment is waterproof, wet clothing cannot prevent the rapid circulation of cold water past the skin (convection). Within minutes, the skin temperature of the dunker who is not wearing waterproof clothing will drop to within a few degrees of the water temperature. The dunker's body automatically responds by cutting off blood circulation to the skin in an attempt to conserve heat.

Reduced blood circulation prevents the transport of energy stores required by the muscles to do voluntary work. Thus voluntary movement of the extremities becomes increasingly difficult, sapping body strength and incapacitating the dunker.

Muscular activity on the part of the dunker creates a dilemma. Muscular activity is needed for the dunker to "rescue" himself, but it also increases the rate of heat loss since blood forced to the extremities is cooled rapidly by the cold water. In short, the dunker should always get out of cold water as quickly and with as little exertion as possible. If feasible, he should lie on his back in a feet-first position and let the current carry him downstream as he works his way to the shore. He should forget about saving his boat and rescuing other equipment. Unconsciousness can occur within 5 minutes after immersion in cold water. Scientific experiments and personal experience have shown that even good swimmers cannot swim a distance of 200 yards when the water temperature is less than 40-45 degrees fahrenheit. Differences in skin thickness, basal metabolic rate, and other physiological parameters produce variability in the timing of an individual's response to immersion in cold water. Physical fitness is not an indicator. The physically fit person may be the first to go because body fat provides protection against cold.

Protection against the serious consequences of cold water immersion may be obtained either by acquiring a substantial layer of body fat or by wearing protective clothing. Neoprene wet suits and woolen underwear worn under a wet suit (and life jacket) provides the best protection against cold water.

Paddlers who have been wearing wet clothes for several hours may experience a mild case of hypothermia. Consequently, be on the alert for signs of hypothermia in yourself and your companions. Symptoms include a lack of coordination, thickness of speech, irrationality, blueness of skin, dilation of pupils, and decrease in heart and respiratory rate. These symptoms are similar to those of a drunken person, and the judgement of a hypothermic boater is generally equally irrational.

Treatment: At least two persons in every boating party should be versed in mouth-to-mouth resuscitation and external cardiac massage, so that if one of the first-aiders becomes the victim, there will be another available to provide assistance. Whenever a boater has been in the water for more than ten minutes, hypothermia is almost certain. Under these conditions artificial respiration would be given only if breathing has stopped completely, and then it would be applied at no more than half of the normal rate. Otherwise, the would-be rescuer may cause the victim to become hyperventilated since during hypothermia is slower, and less oxygen is consumed.

The hypothermic victim must be supplied with external heat as rapidly as possible. Removal of wet clothing facilitates heating. If the victim has experienced only a relatively mild case of hypothermia, replacement of wet clothing with dry apparel usually suffices. However, in instances of extreme hypothermia, external heat must be applied since the victim is incapable of generating enough heat himself regardless of the amount of dry clothing supplied. A bath of warm water is the best source of external heat.

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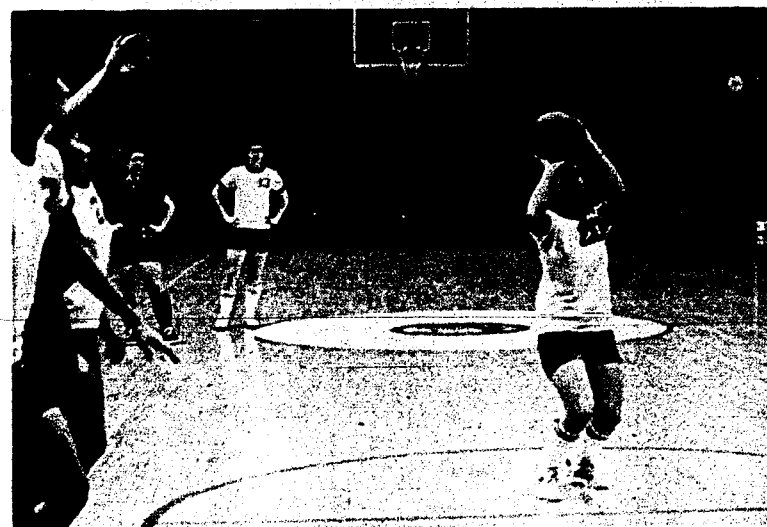
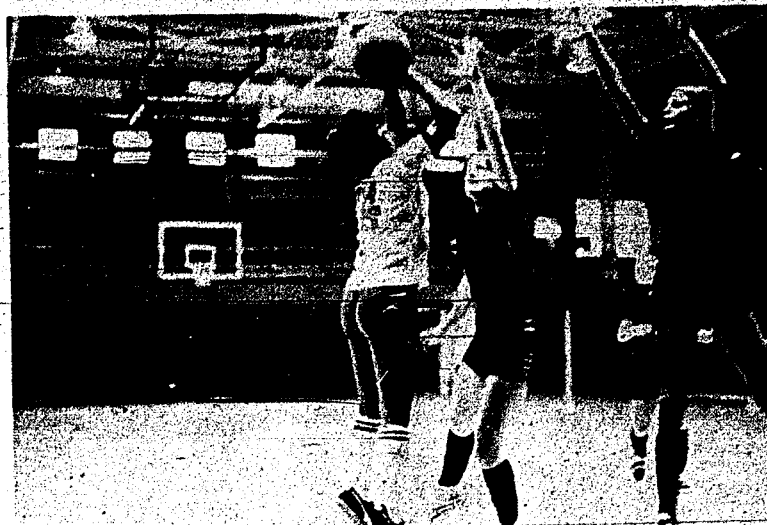
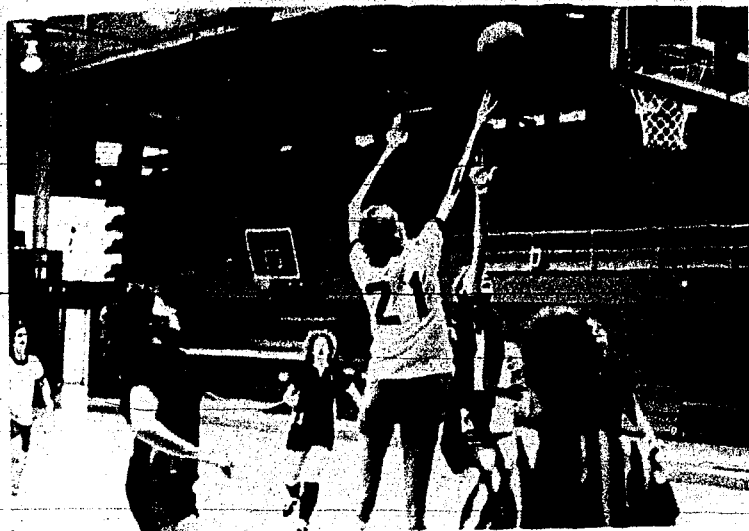
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