CALENDAR OF EVENTS

February 20
Circle-K variety show; 12:30 p.m. in the Jenkins Hall auditorium. Bloodmobile on campus, see story on this page.

February 21
Bigmam Bergman's "Through a Glass Darkly," to be shown at 8:00 p.m. in the Jenkins Hall auditorium.

February 23
Chamber Music Concert -- 3 p.m. -- Fine Arts.

February 26
Senate meeting in the large Conference Room.

February 28
Circle-K variety show at 12:30 in the Jenkins Hall auditorium. Basketball game here, followed by proposed dance featuring the music of Jorg, $1.00 per person in the cafeteria.

Last day to turn in questionaries to the Inkwelk (see pg. 2 for information) Go Southern basketball -- 8 p.m. -- gym on Piedmont College--basketball -- 8:00 p.m. -- gym. Final game of season.

Beltz develops machine; measures oxygen intake

Dr. Alex Beltz, associate professor of biology at Armstrong, has recently developed a new machine for measuring the respiratory rate of living tissues. According to Dr. Beltz, his machine contains modifications which made respiration experiments much simpler and less tedious than was previously possible.

The machine, a "constant pressure gas respirometer," is a modification of a machine conceived by Dr. E. P. Reineke of Michigan State University. Dr. Reineke was the former major professor of Dr. Beltz when he attended Michigan State.

The principle of the machine is based upon the fact that tissues utilize a certain amount of oxygen for respiration, and also give off a certain amount of carbon dioxide. The carbon dioxide is absorbed, causing a column of fluid in a manometer to rise, due to the removal of the oxygen from the column. By means of a carefully calibrated syringe, the oxygen is replaced and measured.

According to Dr. Beltz, he thought of the modifications while attending a concert by Benjamin Britten, whose music he adds, he does not truly appreciate. He then built a model of the machine, and upon arriving at Armstrong State, he completed the work.

The machine will "be published soon" in a scientific journal to be published by Lab-Line of Chicago. Lab-Line is paying the expenses of the machine and will pay royalty to the inventor.

The respirometer is sensitive enough to measure the respiration rate of a single mosquito egg, and is currently being used by the United States research center on Oakland Island to determine the oxygen uptake of the eggs of yellow fever mosquitoes.

A simplified model of the machine will be produced for High School teaching; this model will be accompanied by a manual which is being contracted by Lab-Line.

The research model will sell for approximately $3000.

Frank Chew and Yvonne Tenney do a scene from Anouilh's "Dinner with the Family." The play was presented by the Masquers last week, February 12-15.

McKinnell and students unite to present ASC art exhibit

The art exhibit in the lobby of the Administration Building is a showing of some of the work done by Ken McKinnell's Basic Design and Drawing 101 class last quarter. Working with pen, ink and cut paper the students made close-up, detailed studies of both organic and mechanical objects such as a bell pepper, a sewing machine, and a car and can openers from which they were supposed to "extract elements that gave the object character." Using the objects as a starting point, the non-photographic designs were made to reflect the aesthetic essence of a mechanism or an organism. McKinnell said that a recurrent course of action takes in the mechanics; you would superimpose one part of the mechanical object upon itself over and over again in different positions to create an intricate design. The exhibit was given two television spots on WSAV. Mr. McKinnell said the designs showed up very nicely on the black and white telecasts.

The pictures will probably come down at the end of this quarter so that they may be returned to their owners. Many of the owners are not sale, anyone wishing to make a purchase should contact Ken McKinnell at the Student Affairs Office in the Fine Arts Building. Another show is scheduled for April 7-21, and will feature linoleum block prints made by seniors from the University of Georgia.

Psychology group presents pot film

The Psychology Club of Armstrong last week presented a movie called "Pot to Psychodolitics" on January 30 in the college's Jenkins Hall auditorium.

The film, dealing with the problems associated with marijuana and LSD, featured interviews with a number of doctors and lawyers. Several doctors explained that more research is needed to discover whether marijuana depersonalization and concern to students was the question of possible chronic hallucinations when using LSD. Dr. Werhing commented on this question saying, "I am more concerned by the possibility of permanent after-effects of LSD than on the breakage of chromosomes which has not been significantly proven."

Adviser. Any student not in good standing with the College in academic or disciplinary matters will not be allowed to serve on the Student Court. The Court will elect a chairman from its membership.

The sentiment of the Student Conduct Committee is to select the students at random; however, Dr. Hall feels that for the protection of students could be chosen on the order of the Honor Council. Accord-
The concern of a state legislature are quite often intelligible only to the legislators themselves; such seems to be the case with the Georgia State Senate, which recently unanimously passed an act which provided for a minute of mandatory silent prayer to be observed by the students of our state's public schools. Leaving aside the question of priorities, one should take note of the particular timing of the passage of this measure. For it comes in the wake of the emancipation of President Nixon of a period of spiritual re-awakening in America, a renewal heralded by the rhetoric of Billy Graham and by the pros of Tom Coffee. Obviously, we are in the first fluster step towards the shining vision of Law and Order, the Nirvana of this country's hitherto silent WASP majority.

The moral decadence of the '60's has constituted a world chapter in this nation's history. Black people have not stayed in their place. Kids have worn long hair and have grown beards. (Remember, Lexin sported a goatee.) More and more people have turned to smoking pot and have neglected alcohol. Movies have depicted human anatomy, much to the horror of unsuspecting children. Clergymen have participated in civil rights marches and have neglected their church's Rednesday night Bingo games. Hippies have brazenly used offensive four-letter words in public, while neglecting such old standards as "kill," "bastard," and "thief." Every conversion of little pupils have gone the way of Satan, with songs like "Why Don't We Do It to the Road?"

But now the vision of the straight-and-narrow path has been clearly delineated. Using mandatory silent prayer as the first step in attaining Law and Order, State Senators have hit upon the unique mode of operation to stamp out evil, naturally, to make people good. Oh sure, a lot of technical problems have to be worked out before this goal is achieved. There's the little problem of the decision of the Supreme Court, the so-called highest court in the land, that prayer and Bible reading in the public schools should be allowed. But, as every real advocate of Law and Order knows, Supreme Court rulings are made to be broken. Besides, desperate measures are called for at a time in which God's prestige has sunk to an all-time low in the Gallup Poll.

STUDENT QUESTIONNAIRE

Today there is much discussion about the feelings, beliefs, and morals of college students in America. In order to have a better understanding of the Armstrong student, the Inkwel is conducting an independent survey. Please fill out this questionnaire and leave it in the box provided in the Student Center some time within the next seven-day period. The results will be published in the next edition of the Inkwel.

Age
sex        race        religion

Please answer by writing yes or no.

Did you vote in the last national elections?

Did you vote in the last school elections?

Do you belong to a fraternity or a sorority?

Do you believe that fraternities and sororities discriminate?

Do you believe that fraternities and sororities are on the way out?

Do you belong to any school organizations?

Do you believe in pre-marital sex?

Have you ever indulged in pre-marital sex?

Do you believe in the right to use marijuana?

Have you ever used marijuana?

Do you now or have you ever smoked?

Have you stopped smoking?

Do you drink?

Are you engaged? married? going steady?

Have you attended more than three basketball games this season?

Do you read the sports page of the Inkwel?

Would you favor an intercollegiate football team if the funds permitted the creation of one?

Do you believe that P.E. credits should be required for graduation?

Would you support an SDS chapter at Armstrong?

Do you agree with the principles of student riots?

Do you favor a volunteer army?

Do you think that the U.S. should pull out of Viet Nam?

Do you think airline hijacking should be declared international piracy?

Do you think Red China should be admitted to the U. N.?

Is organized religion on the way out?

Do you believe that a college diploma is in necessary for success in the business world?

Do you favor a pass or fail grading system?

Have you read any books required by the college curriculum this quarter?

Do you favor allowing those students over 21 being able to drink at college sponsored functions?

Do you have any comments pertaining to Armstrong in general?

by HENRY L. ASHMORE

During the past few weeks, I have had several students to tell me that I needed a public relations man to help change my image on campus. As I understand it, my image is not too good. One student told me I had too much power and was considered a dictator. Another told me that I was too con-servative and that he had even heard that I had voted for Nixon! One young man told me I was too liberal and let students have too much auth- ority. Students have told me I should wear sideburns. One day last week I re- ceived two petitions in the mail. One censured me be- cause it was alleged I was against free speech; the other praised me because I was for free speech (what on earth is "free speech"). The inter- esting fact was that I had not spoken for either position.

Gene Smith and members of the student government who attended a Georgia-wide con- ference in Atlanta told me that other campus leaders expressed amazement at the authority and free involvement of stu- dents at Armstrong State Col- lege. Contrariwise, some faculty members have told me I should never let the student government control the student activity budget. An official in Atlanta told me I was con- sidered the "most liberal" college president in Georgia; some campus persons told me I was a resurrection of Machiavellian.

Proposal to add court of appeals to ASC judiciary

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Tjoumas, president of the Honor Council, and Dr. Orange Hall, chairman of the Code revision committee, Mass Tjoumas, an advocate of keeping the Honor Council and Code separated from behav- ioral matters, discussed various dangers in combining the two. A person be- come guilty by the Honor Council, he would have to appeal to the appellate court, and finally then to the Presi- dent of the college.

According to Mass Tjoumas, this is possible, in some cases a student's reluctance to appeal to another court for a retrial. Security could be sacrificed because of the larger number of people involved in the case.

In concluding her remarks, Miss Tjoumas cited an old saying as a reminder; "Justice delayed, justice denied." She also questioned whether or not the creation of the combined judiciary were ready to "sac- rifice the rights of students for this machinery."

Dr. Hall, speaking before the Senator, indicated that an appellate court above the Conduct Committee and Board of Trustees could be valuable before people went to the Presi- dent, but he added that letting the two develop parallel to each other, without a common appeals court at the top, is not a must.
Dear Editor...

Editor, the Inkwell: I have no intentions of continuing verbal argument between the Athletic Department and the students who submitted the anonymous letter to the Inkwell editorial section. However, there are some points and statements that I would like to retort with for the benefit of this student body.

It is true that this year Armstrong has the best talent and height since becoming a four-year, degree-granting institution. It is also true that the majority of this best talent and height are all freshmen who just recently made perhaps their first difficult decision of their lives—to attend college. They are away from home for the first time. Because they live on a commuter college campus, they have no college parties or fellowship experiences after 5 p.m. everyday. They are faced with rigorous academic requirements which are totally new and vital to their careers.

Also, I might add, in addition to a strenuous two-hour practice session each day, they practice in 27 basketball games during the season. Our other players are expected to go through the same ordeal; however, they are upperclassmen and their adjustment should be somewhat easier. And this anonymous student spoke of lack of "intestinal fortitude".

The Armstrong State College Pirates are ambassadors for our students, college and community. And everywhere we go we try to represent our institution to the best of our abilities. On many occasions this year we have received great press, radio, and television coverage. The Players are primarily responsible for this. They have placed Armstrong State College's name in several national newspapers. I cannot help wondering how many times our sophomore or junior student can say he would have equal success and has added this accomplishment to his repertoire.

I also believe the student's accusation about lack of "guts" and leadership should have been made specifically to the coach because the players are performing and making adjustments at my direction. And I might add that I believe wholeheartedly in what we are doing, because this year we have experienced more successes than failures. Our immediate situation is one that we have faced many times before. It is the situation where our year-to-year student has thought about next year when we will be faced with the same situation. In starting his job as a freshman, his co-workers and superiors will have experience that he will have to compete with man to man. He, too, will have talent, height, and education but will lack an important ingredient—EXPERIENCE. He will be confronted with important decisions and responsibilities; and I'm sure he will make mistakes. If he is a man—a competitor—he will succeed and become a vital part of our organization; if not, he is doomed to failure. Frustrating, isn't it?

Our players are competitors and we are trying very hard to do something worthwhile for the institution we love—are you? Must you admit you have an advantage over an because everybody knows who you are. The public knows Danny Stell, for example, and how many points he scores. They also know when he makes a crucial mistake that might mean the difference between winning and losing. But you can bet your invisible name that Danny will be performing at our next game trying desperately to improve and to make Armstrong State a better institution for your children.

Again, I can't help wondering; an graduation draws near, just how many successful feats our anonymous friend can say he was directly responsible for toward the advancement and development of our fine college. And he talks about "guts"!

Bill Alexander
Athletic Director

Work continued by constitution revision group

The Armstrong State Constitution of the Student Body is still undergoing revisions after almost a year on the drawing-board. Last April, the present Constitution was found to be inadequate because of the absence of detailed information and the needless repetition. Many of the delays have occurred because of the extremely detailed nature of the document. To insure accuracy, each detail has had to be researched and approved by the Senate.

Another difficulty lies in the revision committee itself. Most of the original committee has been graduated from Armstrong State College. Because of the detailed research involved, adding members to the committee is difficult. Thus, the burden of the revision now is left to the

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FOREIGN PRINCESS CHARGES
AMERICANS TO BE PRUDENT

Catherine Carjda, a 76-year-old Rumanian Princess was the
guest speaker at the regular meeting of the Young Demo-
crats on February 13th in the Fine Arts Auditorium.

Princess Carjda spoke for 60 minutes to a crowd of
some 35 students in the poorly-attended meeting. The
Princess presented a docu-
mentary history of communist corruption and subversion to
Europe from 1870 to her home-
land in 1952.

The Rumanian Princess has been touring the United
States for 13 years to tell
only what (she) has seen
and to enlighten the populace
of what it is like to live under
a rule which allows no in-
dividual freedoms.

In her closing comments, Princess Carjda asked that
we "be more prudent" and
"hold what we have" in our at-
ttempts to restrain communism.

The disagreement between
Russia and Red China is not
whether or not to defeat the
United States, but "how to
defeat the United States," the
Princess stated.

ROMEO & JULIET IS WHAT’S HAPPENING

The story’s been around for over 400 years. The play’s been
on the shelf for more than 350 years. The picture? That’s today, tomorrow
and maybe another 400 years to come.