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Class vice presidents to be members of new student court.

The President's Committee met on February 16, to discuss plans for Pioneer Days. The committee is composed of the presidents of all the school organizations, fraternities, sororities, and clubs at Armstrong.

This year's Pioneer Days are to be held on May 1 and 2. As planned now the town will move along the side-walk between the Science and Gamble Buildings with the following events.

March 25 - "The Bacchae," a play presented at the Masquers at 8 p.m. in the Jenkins Hall auditorium

April 25 - TB Clinic, free, in the Student Center

May 4 - Intramural softball and volleyball games begin

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Armstrong students respond to questions on assorted topics: pot to premarital sex

by Dan Browning

In the last issue of the Armstrong Student Question-
naire was received with the same attitude that other school functions have been received in the past, poorly. Only 288 students filled out and handed in the ques-
tionnaires. After all the questionnaires, the total for unanswerable was put at 85%. The percentages are based on the number of "yes" answers out of a total of 240.

The results were as follows:

Seventy-six percent of the students voted in the last national election while only 49% voted in the last school election. This 49% figure gives some ideas of the value of the survey. With something under 20% of the total student body voting in the last school election and 49% of the students voting having voted, it shows that the survey is divided almost equally between students who are inter-
est in their school and who participate, against those who are non-participants.

Twenty-eight percent of the poll belong to a fraternity or sorority. Of the group polled, 61% believe that fraternities and sororities do discriminate, but only 34% say that they are on the way out. Forty-five percent of the students belong to some school organization, which again shows the almost equal distribution of particip-
ating students that this survey covered.

As to the right of pre-
marital sex, 77% of the stu-
dents admitted. This has been divided with 67% of the fe-
male students and 66% of the males in favor. Sixty-three percent of the students said they indulged in pre-marital sex of some form of another. Fifty-
three percent of the females have done so as have 84% of the males. It is to be noted that the Baptist females and Catholic males indulged more than any other religion in their respective sexes with the Methodists running a close second in both.

Concerning the right to use marijuana, 63% said, "Yes!" After reading through the surveys and getting rid of those that were unusable, it was found that less than 3% of the students smoke. The American Cancer

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Survey indicates 21-year-olds want college to accept boozing

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Society must be content with 28% of those who did smoke, stop.

Eighty-two percent of the A.S.C. students drink. This would bring up another question, because the majority of the students who filled out the questionnaire were under the age of 21. The Catholics seem to drink the most, with the Methodists again running a close second.

Thirty-five percent of the students are engaged, married, or going steady, 56% being males and 44% being females. From those students married or engaged, especially those engaged, can be told the higher percentage of those persons who indulge in pre-marital sex.

Thirty-four percent of those polled attended more than three basketball games this season, whose games and where they attended was not determined. An even 50% read the sports page of the Inkwell. (66% of the females and 46% of the males.) Twenty-eight percent of the students would like to see a football team at Armstrong, 88% of the males and 68% of the females.

It should be brought to the attention of the Board of Regents and the Administration that only 30% of the students fail to have a P.E. credits following graduation. This shows signs of a change coming about in the students’ ideas toward a sound mind over a sound body and should be considered in making up the requirements for graduation from Armstrong. “Which is more important, developing muscles or the mind?” Sixty-three percent of the students say the mind.

If an SDS chapter was organized at Armstrong 2.7% of the students would support it. The student government should take warning for 21% of the students believe in the right of rioting, a larger percentage than those who voted in the last school election. Sixty-five percent of those polled say “yes” to a volunteer army with 76% of the males in support of such an army. Sixty-two percent of the students say the U.S. should leave Vietnam. Eighty-three percent say “yes” to airliner highjacking being an international crime. There is an even division among the students concerning Red China’s admission to U.N. The division was 50% male and 50% female, which shows even more clearly that there is an equal thinking for and against Red China in the U.S. on the Armstrong campus. Is organized religion on the way out? Forty-nine say “yes.” After careful elimination of the survey, it was found that 21% of the students profess no organized religion.

Fifty-three percent of the students said “yes” to a college diploma being necessary to succeed in business. Fifty-four percent of those polled need more leisure time to study. Thirty-eight percent of those polled have done outside reading, 53% of the females and 24% of the males.

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PRESSING PROBLEMS TO PONDER

Those of us who are true friends of education and who have been concerned about certain “things” going on at Savannah High School had good reason to take cheer recently. For the Savannah High Administration took a great step forward in reviewing some of our County’s school policy by stopping the publication of an inflammatory underground paper, entitled The Avatar. Though it may be seen unbelievable to all the graduates and friends of Savannah High School, the student body of that institution very narrowly escaped being duped by an insidious alien ideology, an ideology that prejudices belief (in quote "the Star") “freedom of expression, specifically that of the press.”

The type of mind that could adhere to such a doctrine is obviously that of one who actually took seriously that business about a Bill of Rights, and thought about in the same manner as they would any other anachronism. Only someone who had swallowed the leftist line could actually think of a concern for freedom of speech really intended to be implemented by our Founding Fathers. Yes, it’s a sad commentary on our educational system that students could need to continue to believe such a thing. This is a classic case of what happens when a school lets students go off and start thinking for themselves.

Our educational system also stands indicted for failing to install proper Christian standards into such students. For The Avatar actually makes reference to the fact that “Jews wore long hair and sandals.” This blasphemy, of course, is actually part of the leftist liberals fan explanation to the National Council of Churches. And, as we all know, the un-American activities of this group have long since been documented by patriotic organizations seeking to inter a correct understanding down the throats of good Christian churches.

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SUCH IS SUBVERSION?

Apathy and lack of a social life seemed to dominate the armory of the survey. (Do you have any comments pertaining to Armstrong in general,) which can be answered by a questionnaire published in the previous issue of the Inkwell.

Many students seem to feel that the problems of apathy and the lack of a social life exist, but do not exist if Armstrong had dormitories adjacent to the campus. These dormitories would provide Armstrong with more students, thus facilitating a larger social activities: Dormitories and the resultant influx of students would tend to reduce the apathetic attitude of the students. Generally when students live on or near the campus they are attending, they show more interest in activities of the college because it becomes the focal point of their lives. However, dormitories will not end all our problems.

There were also numerous complaints that Armstrong is “too high-schoolish,” from the direct results of Armstrong’s being a community college. People who evaluate their own attitudes and their total involvement in Armstrong State before they charge that the school is apathetic.

Arts festival to feature Al Hirt in lawn concert

The Savannah Arts Council has recently announced its plans for the 1969 Savannah Arts Festival to take place in Forsythe Park, April 10–13.

Included in the festival will be four days of cultural events—ballet, symphony, jazz, and museum tours.

According to the Arts Council, the following specific events have been scheduled.

April 10–11—the major South-eastern Art Exhibition, April 10–11—literary lecture by James Dickey at the Desert-O-Hilton, April 10–11–the exhibition of the Savannah Civic Art Show at the Savannah Civic Center, April 11–4 lawn concert by the Savannah Symphony Orchestra with Johnny Mercer and Le Baci Masque at Telfair Academy (by invitation only)

April 12–14–a live play by the Savannah Children’s Theatre, sponsored by Youth Symphony concert, afternoon lawn concert featuring Al Hirt, April 13—social church services, flintlock and waterfowl exhibition, river street tour.

Tickets for this four-day festival may be obtained by writing to P.O. Box 9031, Savannah, Georgia. The lowing prices are in effect: $5 for adults, $3 for students, $1 for children.

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Dear Editor...

Asst. Prof. of Economics

Dear Editors,

Last weekend the magazine section of the local papers carried a feature on the presumed relationship between personality factors and the way a woman arranges her lower extremities while sitting. It was written by a psychologist. As a psychologist and "leg-man," myself, I must comment.

The first and most important question is whether or not there's anything to it. I am immediately tempted to say "no!" but I must keep my mind open to all possibilities.

The article did not allow us to make a scientific judgment. Scientific study was alluded to, but no data was provided. Until such data is developed and presented, we must withhold judgement.

Most responsibly developed personality measures are not presented to the scientific community until the statistical validity of the measures has been established. Thus, we have no more than the hypothesis that there may be interesting correlations between the behaviors mentioned.

But let us give the author the benefit of the doubt. Let us assume that we can deduce personality from "leg-use" as specified. Will the reasonable clinician make such intelligence available to the general public? It is my opinion that there are good ethical and/or practical reasons why he would not. One of the first expected results of such divulgence would be that women would consciously modify the way they sit, in order to project the "perfect personality" they would find suitable. The clinician would have destroyed the effectiveness of his own measure.

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Student Govt.

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National student group fights for youth fares

The U.S. National Student Association (NSA) will fight the recommendations of a Civil Aeronautics Board (CAB) examiner calling for the abolition of youth fares as "unjustly discriminatory," and has retained legal counsel to prepare briefs and oral arguments for presentation before the CAB. The announcement of NSA's action came from Services Division director Alse C. Handel, who noted that at present the Association is the only group representing student users of the airline youth fare which will make arguments before the Federal board. Abolition of youth fares is being sought by a number of bus companies. NSA will argue that in view of the educational, social, economic, and cultural benefits afforded by the youth fares and young adult fares, the fares should not be cancelled.

Written arguments will be presented to the CAB by Feb-

uary 26. Oral arguments will be made at a later date. NSA is being represented by the Washington law firm of Kotoor and Burt, who are experts in air fare matters.

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Dedications scheduled for new campus halls

Dr. Henry L. Ashmore, President of Armstrong State, recently stated that the dedication ceremonies for Sam Hall and Victor Hall will occur on April 22, 1969, at 11:00 a.m. An anticipated guest for this occasion is Governor Lester Maddox. The total approximate cost for these buildings is $1,200,000 equipped.

Under present construction is the addition to the student center with the projected date of completion being September, 1969. The new facility will include an entrance lobby, formal lounge, an informal TV lounge, game room, student government offices, new dining areas for faculty and students, offices for the Director of Student Activities, placement office for job interviews, and six student meeting rooms. The present student center will be remodeled during the summer of 1969 and will include such changes as the expansion of the bookstore. The total cost for construction, renovation, and equipment is $850,000.

The Board of Regents has approved the need for these other building projects on campus; however, the funds for these projects have not been appropriated by the state legislature. These building projects include an addition to the library with an estimated cost of $1,000,000, a new Fine Arts Building with an estimated cost of $1,800,000, and an addition to the present gymnasium.
Eight students attend Atlanta SEA meeting

"The Student Education Association is becoming one of the most active organizations on campus," said Ellen Salter, one of its members. She indicated that its purpose is "to bring together all education majors and introduce them to their first professional organization."

Recently, a convention was held in Atlanta, bringing together all SEA chapters in Georgia. Armstrong was represented with eight members — Georgia Edwards, Cindy Smith, Beverly Thiers, Myrtle Davies, and Ellen Salter — and the SEA advisor, Dr. Paul Ward.

The convention, held February 14 and 15, included a tour of the Atlanta Arts Center, small sessions in which all representatives could speak out. The Honorable Carl E. Sanders spoke at the evening banquet.

The theme this year was "Take a Stand — Future Teachers." All future teachers were encouraged to take a stand in student participation, encouraging student faculty committees, student leadership, citizenship, public relations, looking to new horizons in education and student voice.

"One of the members commented, "The SEA can be a meaningful organization to all future teachers on campus." Interested people are encouraged to look for notice of the next meeting.

Childs, Bunker outline SDS future action plans

(Continued from page 1) Students indicated that the new University System is wanted, as Gerry Bunker stated: "A free University where learning for learning's sake would be the motto."

Miss Childs stated that with college recognition of the group, outside speakers would be invited to head panel discussions and movies would be presented under their sponsorship to help "educate the people."

COLLEGE STUDENTS' POETRY ANTHOLOGY

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Pinard is key to ASC hopes as season opens

With four lettermen returning from last year's District 25, GIAC championship team, the ASC golfers seem to have a fair chance of repeating last year's performance which, in addition, saw them place 37th among the nation's leading college linksmen.

Jim Pinard, the only all-conference man and last year's state medalist, leads the roster for this year's squad. Also returning are Jim Brehmeyer, Ed Winter and Bruce Smith - a letterman on the Bucs' 1967 team. Joining the Pirates on the fairways will be Leo Beckman, a 3-year letterman from Wofford College. Robert Bradley, ASC's basketball standout as a freshman who also lettered 3 years at DeLand High School in golf finishing in his senior year with a handicap of nine strokes, and Bob Morgan, a freshman from Hinesville, Georgia.

Athletic Director, Bill Alexander, will take over the reigns of the golf team this year. Alexander has had experience coaching college golf teams before. At Brevard Junior College, the BJC linksmen finished their season 8-2 and took 4th place honors in the Coral City Opens which counted some 30 Junites and senior collegians. Alexander has put the team on a weight program for general conditioning and the team are practicing daily. The Pirates' first match is in Valdosta on April 2. There will be five home matches - tow-off time in 1 p.m. at the Windsor Forest links. The Pirates have also added the Citadel, a major college team, to this year's schedule.

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PIRATE PATCHES

by Dick Sanders

There is a subject that does not appear in print very often - probably because the roseliness of the argument is so definite. The subject that this column will concern itself with is basketball referees.

As the referee my self, I know as well as anyone else how difficult a job the two jobs are. It is that job that involves judgment is going to upset one of the two coaches or teams of both. By judgment calls I am referring primarily to those concerning offensive fouls or taking advantage illegally of a player on the opposing team. I have no legal complaint with these calls because the referee must make a split-second decision which no one makes correctly every time.

The calls that I question, made by nearly every Georgia Intercollegiate Athletic Association referee that I have seen this year, are those which are flagrant violations of the rules and, even though he is in an excellent position to make the call, no whistling sounds. Not only does this malpractice cause the officials to lose a little of their control over the game, but it is very often dangerous for any or all the players involved.

In a recent basketball game - out-of-town - a classic situation developed which, I'm sure, added gray to Coach Alexander's hair and a little more experience to Armstrong's struggling freshmen. First of all, the Pirates were called for 29 total fouls and their opponents were whistled down only 13 times. This, in itself, is unequalled enough, but there is, however, more to the story.

According to collegiate rules, receiving a chance for a free throw gets a bonus shot when the seventh foul on one of the half of a team committee by their opponents (called a one-and-one with sixteen minutes - one-and-one situation). Armstrong's opponents are shooting one-and-one with sixteen minutes left in the second half. The Pirates fixed their first free throw of the half after sixteen minutes had already been played!

A.S.C. of course, was committing some fouls which we should have. But, and we were agreed with by the opponent's scorer, the referee, the officials were calling an unfair ball game. Some of the fouls that occurred involved no contact whatsoever and many fantastic calls on the back line and roundhouse punchers even not called at all!!!

In this situation, I would not have written about it. However it is not isolated. Many of the GIAC officials should not be allowed to referee YMCA-GY-V basketball. It is the consensus of other statisticians and scorekeepers as well as coaches that a great number of our officials are definitely not qualified to referee college basketball.

Many of you students have voiced your complaints about the officiating that you have seen at Armstrong - believe me, compared with the ones that I've seen on the road, the officials that we get are really champions!

Speed, defense are Bucs' diamond hopes for year

With basketball season drawing to a close, the eyes of the Athletic Department have begun to turn toward the Spring sports of baseball and golf.

Kelley: ASC batters was 5-8 last year

As a new coach this season in Bob Backus, the ASC baseball squad is working out daily in an effort to prepare for the first game of the season against Western Carolina on March 17 at Pirates' home field. Backus, coach of last year's GIAC and District 25 championship team, hopes to improve on the Pirates' 19-18 slate from last season.

The Pirates have only 8 lettermen returning: infielders Albert Lodge, Larry Thompson, Bob Houchins and Ralph Fennie; outfielders David Smith and David Layden; pitcher Doyle KeUey (5-8); and catcher Ray Finnegan. There are currently twenty-five segments attending practice and, according to Backus, only 20 will be dressed out for games.

In a interview, Backus revealed that the Pirates have "good speed" and are pretty "good defensively." The question in two areas included no left-handed batters and only three left-handed batters. The biggest problem for the Bucs had last year was their hitting per game. This will have to be overcome. They are to have a winning season.

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