Senate opposes Akron U. plan

By Karl Held

Opposition to the movement which would make the Stark County Branch a south campus of Akron University was endorsed by the student senate at a meeting last Sunday in the reading room.

According to a resolution submitted by Senator Robert George, the University of Akron is initiating a movement to make the Stark Branch a south campus.

The resolution pointed out that the Canton Professional Education Association and other Stark County educational organizations have endorsed this move.

Provisions of the measure stipulate that both Kent State and Akron universities be made aware of the opposition to the movement.

A resolution to make the administration aware of the need for the installation of a telephone in the Cedar Chest Theatre was adopted by the legislative body.

First reading was given to a resolution to investigate the establishment of a temporary road to serve as an exit from the Branch. The measure was referred to the student services committee.

The senate took action to express its opinion in favor of compiling a student and administration-faculty directory.

Donation of $50 to the March of Dimes fund was approved by the senate. The funds will be drawn from the Student Government allocation.

Blood will flow freely (hopefully) here next week

By R. George Lehner

Next Thursday, blood will be collected here by the Massillon Chapter of the American Red Cross' bloodmobile unit.

The operation will be centered in the second floor reading room from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Students under 21 years of age must have parental permission slips signed to donate; these are available in Room 103.

In case you have never given blood and are hesitant to do so, here is a brief summary of what's involved.

When you first report, nurses will ask you about past diseases, your present health and related questions about hospitalization, allergies and surgery to make sure you are qualified to give blood.

The next step is to take a quick sample of your blood. The doctor, who is always on duty, gives the final word, and the work begins.

The reading room will be equipped with cots, and the donor will rest on one of these while the blood is drawn.

After you are comfortable on the cot, a needle is inserted in your arm (I've been assured it doesn't hurt), and the blood is taken.

A nurse remains on duty at all times to coordinate the operation and make sure there are no problems.

The donor is given a rubber ball to squeeze while the blood is being drawn. This is to exercise the muscles and make the blood flow more freely.

After the blood has been drawn, you will remain on the cot for a period of time to give your blood sufficient time to circulate and make up something for what has been removed.

Then comes the good part—cookies, grape juice, fruit and other quick-energy foods!

The entire procedure takes about 30 minutes depending on how long you have to wait to donate.

If you're under 21, don't forget to obtain that parental permission slip before next Thursday so that you can participate in this program.

All is not lost

"Finders keepers, losers weepers" is an old adage which is confronting campus security for the time being.

If you have lost or misplaced anything at the Stark County Branch, chances are it has been found and is waiting to be claimed in the campus security office in room 103.

Text books and notebooks lead the list of unclaimed articles. Presently there are 58 texts gathering dust.
Montage explains Ron's views

A small controversy has been raging over Ron Sigrist's letter to the editor in the Feb. 6 issue of Montage.

Since many people seem to be angered at Ron's apparent lack of "school spirit", we feel that it is time we stepped in.

Unfortunately, Ron did not portray his true feelings accurately in his letter. He is not against backing the team, athletics and queen contests, but the evil of successes.

When classes and students are disturbed by athletic events cause students to fail or miss classes, then maybe it has reached the critical point.

When the money spent on athletics outdistances the advantage students can or will take of it, then it is time to slow down.

When a queen contest is run so that the athletic office nearly picks some candidates and so that the ballot box can be easily stuffed, then, again, it's time to stop.

Emme Kemp Trio performs for music classes

By Karyl Burwell

"People don't realize that they are creating when they go around humming things," said singer-composer Emme Kemp speaking to a music theory class at Stark Branch.

The Emme Kemp Trio performed here last Friday night in the artist-lecture series sponsored by the Student Activities Council.

Visiting two morning classes at the Fine and Professional Arts Building, Miss Kemp demonstrated improvisation on the piano.

Noticing a student's necklace, she created a song at the piano, composing the lyrics as she improvised the tune. She called it "The Jewel."

"Any creative thing from anybody is so precious that to kill it is really murder," she said. There is "so much personal satisfaction in the arts... people in other businesses often cheat themselves."

There are many kinds of art, she said, and everyone should find his own. "You have to find your own basic footing — your own kind of art."

Sometimes an audience feels it will be disrespectful to respond to a performer, she said, but "any kind of response should be appreciated... if there is any sort of life that you arouse, be grateful for it and play on it."

Miss Kemp, in addition to singing, does much solo piano playing which is her "real love". Playing alone gives her great freedom of expression, she said.

However, the performer who plays the piano or organ is least able to communicate with his audience. "The spoken and physical thing has much to do with it," she said, and "when you play the piano, you often have your back to the people."

Miss Kemp likes to work in New York because she wants "to be where the competition is." Competition is a very healthy thing for a performer, she said.

Miss Kemp enjoys composing. Two of her songs, "I'm Looking For A Face In A Crowd" and "Traveling Band," have been recorded by other persons.

Students too loud?

To the Editor:

I, being of the silent minority at KSU Stark, have decided to speak up for myself and cohorts whom I know exist, but from whom I never hear.

After abandoning all hope of trying to study in the reading room on the second floor because of lack of quiet and gross inconsideration from other students, I retreated recently to the library.

However, the loudmouth majority seems to have taken over that area too, so now I suppose the parking lot is my next retreat.

- Lowell D. Thomas
46 brown eyes watch Branch grow

By Terry Scott

Ever step out of your car into the parking lot and find the big brown eyes of a cow gazing at you in the not too distant distance?

She and 22 others belong to our neighbors, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence K. Teeple of 6105 Frank Ave.

Mr. Teeple owns and farms 30 acres of land across the street from the university.

Although Mr. Teeple rents out the white two-story house directly across from us, he and his wife occupy the brown-shingled bungalow next door to it.

With the assistance of two high school boys, Mr. Teeple also farms over 125 acres of land to the northwest.

A section of the land he farms is the property owned by Kentview Inc., a supposedly campus-oriented development to be constructed.

Mr. Teeple feels he will be farming that tract of land for some time yet.

The Teeples resided on the farm 30 years before construction of the Stark County Branch began.

Mr. Teeple said he was surprised to see a university being built on what previously had been two farms.

He and his wife have not been annoyed by the once calm and serene land being replaced by a bustling college campus.

A college graduate herself, Mrs. Teeple works as a lab technician for a local doctor.

With traffic coming and going day and night, Mr. Teeple said he has had no trouble with students and has found them to be quite courteous when he moves farm machinery across the road.

Mr. Teeple continues to grow corn, wheat, hay and oats with practically no interference.

In fact, even the cows take university life in stride. To them it's all "udder" nonsense.

Mr. Teeple at work

GOP unit expands

The Stark County Young Republican Club is seeking new members.

Stark County Branch students interested in joining or obtaining more information may contact Mark Whiteman at 499-4067 or Lyn Sl ease at 494-2077.

Club members will work for candidates for governor and senator from Ohio and will participate in door-to-door and telephone campaigns for GOP candidates.

More brains!

Lee Brubaker, assistant director for administrative services, has formed a new honor list for students who have achieved academic excellence.

It includes 45 Stark County Branch students who carried 12, 13 or 14 hours and received a quarterly average of 3.40 or better.

These people could not be on the Dean's List due to the requirement of 15 hours carried to make the list.

In addition, students who have an accumulative average of 3.40 or higher have been posted.

These lists are posted on the bulletin board outside the Registrar office, Room 108.

Theatre to present 'Lysistrata'

According to Greek mythology, the sacred rites of Bacchus, god of wine and fertility, gave birth to drama.

One subsequent play, "Lysistrata," will be presented by University Theatre next Friday, Saturday and Sunday at 8 p.m. in the Cedar Chest Theatre.

Written by Aristophanes in 411 B.C., "Lysistrata" is one of the oldest plays in existence. No Greek scripts produced previous to it have been preserved.

"Lysistrata," a classic anti-war comedy, took place in the 5th century B.C. during the Poloponessian War.

The fictitious story depicts the successful strategy of Greek women to obtain peace by banning their husbands from bed and board until the war was ended.

"The humor of the play," said director Dennis L. Bettisworth, "exists in the conflicts which result."

Aristophanes, classed among the greatest comic playwrights of all ages, was the predominant Athenian playwright of Old Comedy which aimed personal, and often obscene, abuse against contemporary persons and controversial subjects.

"Lysistrata" reflects the extreme unrestrained criticism and openness characteristic of pre-Christian era when moral censorship was non-existent.

Ironically, liberality must have reached its greatest intensity 2,500 years ago when such plays, creations of a god, became an intrinsic part of religious festivals.
Baseball, track practices near

Stark County Branch's first baseball program will begin next Friday with a team meeting in Lecture Hall 100 at 4 p.m.

According to Coach Jerry Lyke, anyone who is interested in playing baseball is invited to attend the meeting.

The track team will begin its practice on March 2.

Track coach Arvis Averette said candidates should begin preparing for practice, which will probably be held at Jackson High School.

Baseball candidates endured a fall practice last quarter and have been preparing for the coming season with a training program initiated by Mr. Lyke.

The program includes isometrics, weight training, flexibility exercises and conditioning activities.

A running program consists of jogging up to two miles every other day.

Weather word

The mystery of weather forecasting was explained recently to 15 members of the Geography 364 (Principles of Climatology) class here.

Instructor Charles Dayton and the class visited the U.S. Weather Bureau (Environmental Science Services Administration) facilities at Akron-Canton Airport.

The tour, arranged by chief meteorologist Terry Ritter, was conducted by Robert Nibert of the weather bureau staff.

He explained the bureau's equipment that is used to measure barometric pressure, temperature, wind, visibility, and radar for the detection of approaching storms.

The weather bureau receives other information on weather conditions around the country from the National Meteorological Center in Suitland, Md.

This information is made available to airplane pilots so they can be briefed on the weather conditions they will encounter on flights out of the local airport.

In another recent trip, four Montage staff members accompanied advisor Glen Himebaugh to central campus to hear an address by Norman Isaacs, president of the American Society of Newspaper Editors.

Intramural play continues here

Intramural basketball continued last weekend with three tight games capping the play.

Flory rolled to a 3-0 season record as Reynolds forfeited.

The Dudes, the team many consider to be the intramural league's best, won their second with a 40-36 victory over scrappy Cooper.

In another close game, the Bucks defeated Zyzzogetons with a 15-foot jump shot and a 40-38 score.

Down by eight points at the half, the faculty team (Establishment) came back in the fourth quarter to win 40-36 over Heigle.

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Parking reminder

Campus security Sgt. James Mitchell has requested faculty and students to refrain from using the two parking places reserved for the handicapped.

These are the top two spaces located on the far north corner of the staff and faculty parking lot.

According to Sgt. Mitchell, these areas have been violated quite frequently and doing so places an added burden upon those whom they are reserved for.

He said tickets will be issued to anyone illegally parked there at any time.

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