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# LAW OPENS SCHOOLS

WASHINGTON, D.C.—The concept of community schools, pioneered in Flint by the Mott Foundation years ago, has gained full recognition as a major component of the nation's federal aid to education program, the Elementary and Secondary Education Act, now extended for five years.

The community education program, authored in the Senate by Donald W. Riegle (D-MI) and Harrison Williams (D-NJ), is now a permanent title of the \$55 billion federal education aid package. No longer a temporary special project, the program has been significantly expanded to further encourage the use of schools as neighborhood centers, providing a host of community and human services.

"Through model programs, such as the highly-successful Flint community schools program, we've been able to demonstrate that this concept works very effectively to provide valuable human services 18 hours a day, 12 months a year, to people of all ages," Riegle said.

More than \$40 million has been authorized for community education programs for fiscal year 1979, an increase of \$23 million over the 1978 level. Funding is allocated through program applications from state and local educational agencies and non-profit, private nistitutions. The federal

costs. Senator Riegle, who attended Flint community schools, introduced legislation in 1971 and 1973, which eventually launched the community schools program. "There

government covers 80% of program

are currently 1400 school districts operating a community schools program, more than double the 1973 level. Now, many more areas can develop this program which better coordinates the human and financial resources of the community – and enhances the lives of all community members – senior citizens, adults, youth and children of all ages."

Under the community education program, schools are used to provide educational, cultural, recreational and health care services in direct response to community needs. Funds may be used to provide preventive health care, dental care and nutrition programs; services for mentally or physically handicapped individuals; rehabilitation programs for juvenile or adult offenders; and special programs for particular groups, such as senior citizens.

The program is also designed to extend the use of the school to community groups or non-profit organizations and to improve the relationship between the school, the home and other community resources, such as libraries, museums and cultural centers.

The President signed the Elementary and Secondary Education Act into law November 1.

## Holiday Inn opening with Holi-dome

#### By Cathy Mason

When completed, the Holiday Inn will have 150 rooms (plus meeting rooms) in a two-level "O" shaped **building with a recreation area** and a commercial area.

In the commercial area facing US 23 N, there will be a restaurant and a bar with entertainment seven nights a week.

In the center of the "O" shaped building will be a "Holi-dome". This is a recreational area with an indoor terrace and swimming pool.

The "O" shaped building surrounding the "Holi-dome" will hold the 150 motel rooms plus the meeting rooms.

The estimated completion date is April 1, 1979. The Grand Opening will be on May 1, 1979.



Sue Dreyer and Laurie Degge coming in for a landing at Hillman.

## Cement Waste Poses Problem

**CAMPUS UPDATE** 

### By Connie Roeske

Alpena Community College has a rising problem of inconvenience and expense involving the disposal of the cement waste from the concrete lab since the new building going up behind Besser Tech has eliminated the area that was used for dumping this waste in the past.

The cement waste left over from the cleaning of the mixing machines in the concrete lab was at one time dumped into three separate underground pockets in the area behind Besser Tech, but the building of the new addition has eliminated this area for disposal purposes and the cement is now hauled off the campus grounds by the Crittenden Construction Company each week.

The waste caused no problems until the builders hit the solidified mass of one of these pockets while clearing out the area for the new building's foundation this September. Since this incident, all three of the large clumps have been removed and reburied between the new building and the Besser Tech Center where no future building will take place.

The waste cannot be pumped out to other college grounds, so the immediate solution is to each week, haul away the 150 gallons of waste -- including 500-600 pounds of sand aggregate and cement. Second se-

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### By Cheryl Beasley

Veteran's Day will be celebrated on Saturday, November 11. Veteran's Day, which used to be called Armistice Day, is the celebration of the ending of World War 1, Nov. 11, 1918. The Government once wanted to move Veteran's Day to October 23, but the Vets got it moved back to the original date. There are 225 Vets on campus at ACC. taken twice a week. Crittenden Construction Company

is presently contracted to dispose of the cement, but after the Besser Tech addition is completed, the job will be left for ACC and its two pick-up trucks.

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double and the loads will have to be

The waste material is not suitable for use as badly-needed fill for the driveways of ACC, since it has a highly-watered consistency that will not harden smoothly, but will form rocky clumps.

Equipment could be obtained to recycle the concrete back into the cement lab or to pulverize it for gravel, but this equipment would cost close to \$200,000, and this figure doesn't fit into the college's budget at this time.

Dale IIsley, administrator of the college buildings and grounds, says that he is open to new ideas regarding the economical disposal of the unused concrete.

## CAR-DEER ACCIDENTS

By Susan Hunt

According to State police records, there were 35 car/deer accidents in Alpena county during the month of October. Many car accidents involving deer are handled by the sheriffs's department, and many more are unreported.

The colder months are usually the months when the deer move. A comparative look at police records in July shows only six or eight such accidents.

When asked if there were any fatal car/deer accidents, Trooper, of the Alpena State Police Post, Jack Brandel answered, "Oh yeah. Nearly all of them are fatal -- for the deer." There have also been a few human deaths due to the driver panicking.

Brandel had this to say to drivers, "Above all, if you see a deer, slow down. Don't panic. Bring the car down slow and safe."

### Canoe Class Takes to the River By Elizabeth Littler Since the first Hikin

"It may be raining, and cold, with a 20 knot wind, but, that's just this afternoon," boomed our fearless, feckless leader to the motley, but courageous crew assembled before him. "Tomorrow," he resumed, "there's only a 20 per cent chance of rain, so plan on going "

Cheered somewhat, we rechecked our equipment and food lists, confirmed routes and transportation, then dismissed into the cold, wet, windy afternoon. Since the first Hiking, Camping and Canoeing class in September, we had studied the canoe from stem to stern. We learned care, safety and a raft of paddling techniques. Sweep strokes, J strokes, jams, deepwater switches and portages filled our Friday afternoons, in preparation for the overnight trip down the Thunder Bay River.

We met next morning at 6:30 behind Van Lare Hall. Embarking on this adventure were Julie Albert, Julie Bowen, Jody Cadarette, (continued on page 4)

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### CAMPUS UPDATE **EXPANDS COVERAGE**

#### LETTERS.....

We would like to remind our readers that they are more than welcome to express their opinions to the campus in the form of a Letter to the Editor. To make contact between the staff and the letter, drop your letter in the box marked "Classifieds" in VLH right outside the lounge. All letters must be signed; however, names will be withheld upon request. We reserve the right to edit unfit-for-publishing material.

### CLASSIFIED ADS.....

We would also like to remind you that we have added a new section to the paper-a classified section. If a person has an item he or she would like to buy, sell, trade, or giveaway, simply write the ad on a piece of paper and drop it in the "Classifieds" box. Classifieds are free of charge. **NEWS SERVICE.....** 

Although we may be reminding our readers of the "new and improved" advertising gimmicks, we promise that we are no gimmick. We are your school paper trying to keep you better informed. To further expand our information services, we have subscribed to a national college news service which will give Campus Update readers a view of what is happening on campuses around the antion.

# CAMPUS UPDATE, Nov. 8, 1978, Page 2 WAFBREPORT

### Familarizes students with Business World

By Greg Longacre The recently formed ACC Business

Club at Wurtsmith is busily planning activities for this school year. The Business Club, organized last May, has a membership of twenty. According to club president Betty Moore, the primary function of the club is "to familiarize our students with the business world, and to encourage interaction among stu-

dents and the business community". The first activity, a program on resumes and job interviews, had an attendance of thirty participants.

The club will provide advertising and promotion for the second annual ACC Reader's Dinner Theater set for November 18.

Area businesses are presently being

### **BUSINESS CLUB PLANS** DRAMA WITH DINNER By Elizabeth Littler

The Business Club, of Wurtsmith Air Force Base will present a Reader's Dinner Theater on Saturday, November 18, beginning at 5:30 p.m., at the N.C.O. Club in Oscoda.

Following the dinner, the faculty and students will perform dramatic readings.

Tickets are available from members of the WAFB Business Club or the Studnet Advisory Council and the ACC office at the base. Tickets for the dinner, which is open to everyone, cost \$5.50 in

advance and \$6 at the door.

contacted concerning donations for the club's scholarship fund for Wurtsmith business students. Director of these efforts is Chris Bishop.

Several fund-raising activities are being planned. According to Moore, These efforts are to enable the club to sponsor workshops and other activities.

Moore indicated that the club is hopeful that an internship program for students can be established with some area businesses, and that the club can soon begin communicating with business clubs at other colleges.

Club membership is open to any presently or formerly enrolled ACC student. For more information contact Betty Moore at 739-1145.

# **CIVIC CENTER** REMODELED

### By Cathy Mason

Building, rennovation and landscaping are what have been happening to the Alpena Civic Center in recent weeks.

Plans include enlarging the auditorium to double its former size; adding an office, foyer and three meeting rooms; and remodeling the kitchen and mechanical room. Also, the grounds will be landscaped.

The work should be completed by May of 1979.

### POPULAR ROCK OPERA

ing glass. The cast includes most of rock's great stars (Ann-Margaret, Oliver Reed, Roger Daltrey, Elton John, The Who) and they successfully merge their musical talents with Russell's bombardment of poetic imagery. The film superbly captures the overwhelming feeling of Peter Townshend's original "Tommy".

Dec. 4 - "Nashville Girl" Although driven to achieve stardom in Nashville, Jamie Barker is ill-prepared for seamy backstage rituals which make or break countrywestern royalty. Underage and naive, she finds herself on a treadmill of struggles dragging her through a juvenile detention camp, confronting musicians on the make and slowly but surely sapping her ideals and virtues. Produced on location from an insider's point of view, "Nashville Girl" blends the glamour and the errors and denounced the students blunt realities of the country-west- for their inability to write "a simple ern music industry into a boiling statement correctly, even halfway

# DORM NEWS



Swinger Hangs Out at Wilson Dorm.

## **TRY YOUR** LUCK

By Margaret Boyea

Vernie Nethercut was guest speaker at the residence hall association (RHA) meeting of Nov.1. She briefly explained the volunteer center which is located at East Campus.

Later that night Donna Schmidt headed a rap session for interested dorm students. This session concerned drugs and lasted from 7:30-9:30.

On Tuesday Oct. 31 the Pied Piper students enjoyed an afternoon visiting a spook house, eating cookies, and drinking cider. RHA and Golden "Z" sponsered the activity which lasted from 1:00-2:30. Both the Pied Piper students and dorm residents enjoyed themselves dancing, eating and talking.

A Halloween Dance completed the day. The band, "Shay", was well received by dorm and college students.

Future activities include a Slave Auction on Dec. 7, and Cassino Night Nov. 9, from 9-12. Try your luck (lady or lad)! Sponsoring such games as roulette, black jack, dice, and more is RHA and the activities board. "Funnie Monie" will be used for scoring.



## LETTERS FLY

MADISON, Wis. (On Campus Report)-An ungrammatical letter from two U. of Wisconsin Student Association leaders blasting officials for being unresponsive to student needs prompted another letter from a UW regent. She identified at least 28 correctly."

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## **Violations-**Hang In There

#### By Susan Hunt

According to acting dean of students Max Lindsay, the parking ticket situation this year has not changed much from that of last vear.

The main parking violators continue to be freshmen who fail to read the handbook.

Students are allowed to park only in the student parking lot and the 30 minute lots. These designated areas are maintained by the money paid for parking stickers and violations.

The college leased cars and vehicles being worked on have been parked along the service drive causing many inconveniences.

Students should just hang in there and continue to do what they have been doing in regard to the problem, unless of course, it's illegal. the other side of an electronic look- motion picture of startling expose.

By Cheryl Beasley Movies on the calendar for November and Decemberinclude "Tommy" and "Nashville Girl", a mixture of rock-musical and country-western.

Nov. 13 - "Tommy" The greatest rock-visual extravaganza ever recorded on film. The most popular rock-opera ever written is given bold, gothic treatment by director Ken Russell. No other rock-musical film has ever enjoyed such stupendous success. "Tommy" is a dazzling spectacle that demands and excitement. It shakes your and holds the interest. It stuns the senses in a swirl of color, energy, nerves and rattles your brain. The Wizard looks like a character from



# SPORTS HIGHLIGHTS



1978-79 Lumberjacks co-captains (from the left): Earl Buckingham, Alonzo Weatherly, Chris Harris, Mark MacArthur.

# **SCHRAY PREPARES TEAM**

### By Rene' Johnson

only one week away, Coach Steve through 19. Shrav has his ballplayers hitting

paring themselves for the largest With the Thunder Bay Classic tournament in Michigan, Nov. 17

This year the Lumberjacks those boards hard and long, pre- boasts four top sophomores, Weath-



The Champs: Good Old Buds

The intramural football season closed last Tuesday as the Good Old **Buds Team defeated Team Number** Six by a score of 14 to 6.

What was thought to be a wideopen offensive game turned out to be a tight defensive struggle. As the the temperature dropped into the low 40's, Good Old buds Kicked off to Team Number Six. After a couple of turnovers by both teams, Good Old Buds got the ball and moved steadily upfield and finally scored the first points of the game. The extra point was converted and the Buds were in the lead 7 to 0.

The next series of plays saw Team Number Six move to the Buds fifteen yard line before penalites forced them back into a punting situation. Once again the Team Six



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erly, Buckingham, Mac Arthur, and and Mark DeSmet, show strong Alonzo Weatherly 6'7" Harris. forward, All-Conference last year with All-State potential. A leader on the court, he has quickness, jumping ability and good inside shooting. Earl Buckingham, 5'10" guard, a starter last year averaging 11 points a game, provides speed, ball control and good leadership. Mark MacArthur, 6'4" foward, is a strong defensive player and good shooter. Chris Harris, 6'2", is an all-around player. During the second half of last year, he became a good ball handler and a strong defensive player.

But the power must come, not only from the sophomores, but from the freshmen as well."

Coach Schray feels he has conquered this problem with three transfer freshmen, Jeff Cottrell, Rick Nielson and Dennis Rainey, all veterans of college basketball who know what to expect on the court in the Classic.

Four beginning freshmen, Kevin Anderson, Dale Beard, John Crooks



Runner-ups: Team Number Six

potential, outstanding quickness, defensive ability and leadership.

Comparing this year's team to last year's, Schray said, "I have a smart team this year. All my freshmen have potential to play well and to be good leaders, and when vou get this from your freshmen, along with your sophomores, then you have a ball club." JOCKS FLOCK

Contenders for the Thunder Bay Men's Basketball Classic:

Alpena Oakland Muskegon Lakeland Kalamazoo Cuyahoga Western Southern State Washtenaw

Game times are: Friday and Saturday at 3:00, 5:00, 7:00 and 9:00 p.m., also, Sunday at 1:00 and 3:00 p.m.

Evening schedule for open gym: Nov. 1 thru Dec. 24

Mon., Tues., Wed., and Fri.:

7:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.

All varsity games supercede other activities.

Varsity basketball schedule:

Nov. 17, 18, 19: Thunder Bay Classic for men.

Dec. 2: Delta C.C., 8 p.m.--men Dec. 9: Lake Superior, 1 p.m.--

women Dec. 9: Lake Superior

Dec. 9: Macombe C.C., 8 p.m.-men

Dec. 20: Oakland, 8 p.m. --men Dec. 22, 23: Thunder Bay

Classic for women.

DBUDS UPSET TEAMSIX By Len Gabrysiak defense held tough and forced Buds Six would need some breaks to get

> to turn the ball over. Both defenses had controlled the game up to this point as the Buds received the ball were controlling the game and Team with about four minutes left in the half. Two beautiful running plays and a couple of controversial pen-

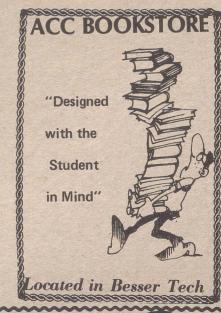
talties put the Buds up at halftime by a score of 14 to 0 as Tim Michiels made a spectacular leaping catch for a touchdown.

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As the second half began it was quite apparent that both defenses

vard line. With only 4 minutes left, the Team Six defense held and the offense took over. They drove to the 10 yard line, but were left with only one minute on the clock. With 14 seconds left, Team Six finally hit paydirt on a pass, but missed the point after to make it **College Fashions at** 14-6. The Buds got the ball and ran the clock out to take the championship.

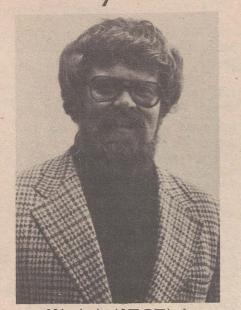




back in the game. Team Six finally

got one of those breaks and incepted on the Buds' 20 yard line. However, penalties once again put them out of scoring postion and Buds took over on their own 50

### CAMPUS UPDATE, Nov. 8, 1978, Page 4 Faculty Feature Andrea Dean, Laurie Degge, Ta-



## JIM MIESEN

...he takes a "psychological,

analytical approach to teaching."

### By Cathy Mason

Jim Miesen, one of six children of a farmer, grew up doing chores on the family farm in the small town of Fremont, Michigan.

He was able to begin his educational advancement at Albion College via a football scholarship, but an injury ended his career early. Consequently, he worked to finance his educational goal,

During the summer, he worked at the Gerber Baby Food packing plant; during the winter, he was the only unmarried night watchman at the girl's dorm at Albion College.

Miesen acquired his BA from Albion College, his MA from Central Michigan University, and has continued his studies at the Indiana University at Pennsylvania.

Miesen, an instructor of advanced composition, and American literature, says of himself that he is a "disciplined, structured teacher" and that he takes a "psychological, analytical approach to teaching"

As chairperson of the ACC English department, Miesen strives for variety and unity. He feels that the teachers in the department make it "one of the finest" in the area.

As well as being an instructor and department head, Miesen is also an actor. He has performed in over forty plays. Locally he has recieved best actor and best supporting actor awards from the Alpena Civic Theater.

The most endearing character he played was King Pellinore in Camelot. He identifies closest, personally, with Macduff in "Macbeth".

Travelling, along with acting, are his most avid interests.

The Miesen family - wife Barbara, a teacher at Oxbow School, and daughter Beth, a junior at AHS spend the summers exploring the North American continent in sections.

Miesen is a self-proclaimed advocate of change, especially in education. Yet personally, he is happy with himself and his life.

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myra Detloff, Susan Dreyer, Deborah Jakiel, Tom Kane, Elizabeth Littler, Bob Magyar, Cheryl Kimberly Schaudt, Pauquette, Noel Skiba, Clark Dierking and Chris Craighead, under the watchful eye of Dick Miles, physical education director and veteran outdoorsman.

The visible stars meant the sky was clear. The group, outfitted in caps, mittens, parkas and long johns (not visible) meant the temperature was low.

Gear was loaded and the caravan headed toward Atlanta. We parked a yellow Gremlin on the beach in Hillman, our welcoming beacon two days hence.

Would we make it?

We launched our canoes into the mist that rose from the water. The river was high, but the paddles still bit the bottom with every stroke. The sun shone and our muscles began to loosen up.

We were soon separated from one another, but, because the river twists and turns on itself, we heard the voices of our fellow canoers thru the trees. Usually there was a shout followed by a bang as canoe hit rock, a scream, a stream of yelled dialogue on a background of aluminum scrapping over gravel, then silence. And so it went until lunchtime.

Our first meal out gave us an inkling of what feasts lay ahead. This was not Henry Thoreau's spuds, it was grilled hot dogs with the works, potato chips and cool-aid in four flavors, around a cheery fire.

As the afternoon wore on, we experienced occasional cloudiness, a little rain, and even hail, but, we managed to stay dry. However, some people are fond of the water, so, our tally for that day was, one body wet from the waist down and one total immersion. This led to a campfire lecture on the evils of hypothermia (subnormal temperature of the body core) and some unforgettable anecdotes.

Our campsite overlooked the rivver from a level bluff. Early arrivals scrounged for firewood and, when all were assembled, we set up tents and started the fire. Jobs became evident and soon

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every camper found something to do.

The food committee featured barbequed chicken and baked potatoes for supper. It was an incredible sight to see eight chickens, slathered with sauce, laid wing to leg over two grills, roasting brown and crispy. It was enough to make a dormy cry.

The sun set and the sky darkened. The bright, warm fire drew us together. The lively ones shared stories and laughter; the weary ones nodded. All were glad to be there.

Sunday dawned cold and overcast. People wandered out of their tents in various states of disarray, blaming "the other guy" for all the wild-animal snoring.

Following a "humungeous" breakfast cooked in a 21-inch frypan, we packed up and were on the water by ten.

## **Printmakers Exhibits Art**

#### By Cathy Mason

Picture, in a dusky setting, two carnations with red, yellow and green haloes in a vase buried halfway in the sand. Intrigued? You will be by the "Donald Hopkins: Graphics" exhibit at the Jesse Besser Museum now until November 30.

Striking, thought-provoking drawings and prints cover the walls for this exhibit. The works are a "collage of events, objects, time and space ... "

The drawings and prints are grouped into four series: the Boundry Series, the Pilgrimage Series, the Combat Series, and the Hitodama Series.

Hopkins, a native of Alpena who is now living in Seattle, Washington, is an active print-maker whose works have been exhibited nationally, including the 20th National Print Show at the Brooklyn Art Museum in Brooklyn, New York.

On the previous day, the swift current and riffles challenged our skills and provided an exciting ride. We navigated the conduit of a low bridge by lying on our backs. This maneuver is not for people with claustrophobia.

The river widened and deepened on the following day, but, was still fast. Ducks and a solitary great blue heron kept one riverbend ahead of us - drawing us on. The only other wildlife was a canoe full of amateurs from another college. The trees were in full fall color, doubly beautiful as they reflected in the water below.

The river slowed and meandered around grassy islands and drowned trees. Gradually the woods gave way to lawns and in the distance we spotted the Hillman watertower.

We lunched together in the park, but, by now people were dispersing. The trip was over.

## EARTH TO AWARD **CASH PRIZES**

#### By Gudren Hagen

earth magazine has it's feet planted firmly in the ground nowand is beginning to sprout this year's Spring issue. The theme and main topic of interest for the issue is "GROWTH'

Activity is brewing in the magazine. With March 26 as the starting date for sales, the deadlines for all material are creeping up fast. (Monday, January 15 has been set for writing, and Thursday, February 15 for artwork.)

A short story/essay contest is being held again this year. Prizes of \$30 first place and \$15 second place are being awarded to the short story and essay best depicting any variation of the theme. Contest entries should be typed and submitted by December 15 to a staff member or to Faculty Advisor Terry Hall (office in VLH).

The magazine is still in need of interested people to get involvedespecially in the area of artwork and writing. Anyone can participate in staff meetings Mondays at 3:00 and Thursdays at 4:00 in VLH 102.

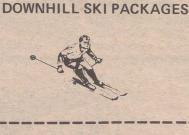
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