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Nat. Opinion Poll Indicates Approval Of Legal Abortion

New York City (July 9, 1971)—The results of a poll conducted recently by the Council on Economic Priorities indicate widespread public approval of legal abortion.

The poll, conducted by the Council as part of its research and educational work to focus public attention on the need for improved efforts to provide information and assistance regarding legal abortion, was conducted under the direction of Dr. William S. Pettit, executive director, the poll is believed to be the first of its kind since the liberalization in 1970 of New York State's abortion law.

The poll, which was conducted on July 7-9, 1971, includes 1,760 women's newsmakers and counselors with college backgrounds throughout the United States. In certain cases, the poll reached its full sample size in the respondents, making it the most comprehensive of its kind.

The following results, expressed as percents, are based on the responses from approximately 2,000 completed polls.

1. Assuming that legal abortions are performed by duly licensed physicians under the highest medical standards, should a pregnant woman be allowed to obtain an abortion? (a) Yes 74.3% (b) No 25.7%

2. If a woman is married and has 2 or more children and she has an unforeseen and unpreventable (child) disease? (a) RESPONSES: Yes 76.8% (b) Undecided 3.1%

3. If a woman is married and the baby is the result of rape? (a) RESPONSES: Yes 73.2% (b) Undecided 2.6%

4. If the woman is pregnant as a result of rape? (a) RESPONSES: Yes 70.2% (b) Undecided 2.6%

5. If a woman is unmarried and has 2 or more children and she has an unforeseen and unpreventable (child) disease? (a) RESPONSES: Yes 74.2% (b) Undecided 3.1%

6. If a woman's health is seriously jeopardized by pregnancy and/or child birth? (a) RESPONSES: Yes 87.5% (b) No 12.5%

7. If there is a strong medical indication that the baby will be born with a serious congenital defect? (a) RESPONSES: 82.4% (b) Undecided 7.6%

8. New York State law provides that anyone who refuses to be covered by a woman's health plan upon application of a pregnant woman acting (a) under a reasonable belief that such is necessary to her life or (b) within 24 weeks from the commencement of her pregnancy. Would you think that the 24-week period should be (a) lengthened, (b) shortened, or (c) remain the same? RESPONSES: (a) 71.9% (b) 45.8% (c) 45.7% (d) Undecided 8.4%

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Action - Packed Homecoming Slated For Saturday, October 30

Ursinus College alumni will return to the campus Saturday, October 30, for the biggest Homecoming celebration in the history of Ursinus College. The 55th annual homecoming, scheduled for Saturday, October 30, is expected to attract a throng of alumni and friends to the campus.

The event, which will include a visit by the 61-member Ursinus College band, will be held at 10:00 a.m. on the front lawn of Ursinus Hall. The annual homecoming dance will begin at 7:00 p.m. at the Ursinus College gymnasium.

Two homecoming events will be held in the President's Dining Room. A pop concert, featuring television and recording artists will be held at 7:00 p.m. in the Ursinus College gymnasium.

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FOCUS: Sign Out

By MIKE NIROLIC

One of the most colorful characters on the active University scene is Richard Hofferman, a junior chemistry major, who goes under the nickname of "Hoff." Described by many as a wild man, Hoff is rather typical of the "walked-out" chemistry major; Hoff has a different self-image. He perceives himself as a conservative because of his concept of a good education, and to him it means breaking down everything that fantasy and all parties agree that is practiced within the school. The administration thinks the students are happy, but they don't want irrational behavior. As they don't realize that we have taken this point to the absurd.

They are irrational. "I'm very analytical. My favorite pastime is arguing. I like to argue matters of logic and break it down to its essentials." Hoff is a physical education major and takes an analytical view of the universe. I'm so happy, they must be thinking of the typical student. The administration's attitude is, if nothing else, patronizing. Those who choose to take our booster shot of culture every three weeks will always be well attended. Even when the forums are stimulating, everyone hurries to their own rooms afterward. Few people discuss the forum. There is nowhere to place to do that except the senior citizens shop, the atmosphere of which would give anyone the blues. At this school students are forced to have a fun experience. After 11:00 or so there is really not much for anyone in the school. The administration doesn't seem to go out of its way to make Ur- sinus a fun experience.

I sometimes think an atomic war could destroy the entire world and I wouldn't want to be around when I went home." Hoff lives his concept of a good education and the school's image. But he put it, "I don't mind irrational thinking when it is only applied to fantasy and all parties agree that is practiced within the school." Hoff is a poor student and the school would rather not stick around where a group of people can sit around and talk or study or even get a cup of coffee. Of course you can always have a rap session in your room as long as you remember to exclude people of the opposite sex. And who wants to hear their opinions anyway? Why can't the

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As far as the quality of the curriculum is concerned, I have no complaints. There are instructors here who are absolutely fantastic. I came here for a good background in the sciences and I haven't been disappointed. However, I must complain about the variety of the curriculum and its structure. I don't see how this school has the status to call itself a liberal arts college with the Sociology, Anthropology, and Fine Arts departments as minimal as they are. If Ur- sinus doesn't have the money to offer more courses in those fields, then students should be allowed to take specified courses elsewhere. And full credit should be given. Ur- sinus has many good points. The students and faculty here are very nice people. In the spring of '71 I would like to see more professors do the teaching. It is not necessary to change the curriculum. The necessary changes come about after I graduate.
Enforced Adolescence: Place On The College Community? By DAVID E. ZIMMERMAN
Traditionally, college has been a place for the advancement of knowledge, skills and a general time for allowing personal maturation and development. It has long been recognized that college is a turning point in a person's life, a fresh new, perhaps unexplored and incomprehensible in the ways of the world, still an adolescent stage, to a period of true independence and growth — and the development of a mature individual. Mrs. Pearson has certainly not aided in the development of a mature and independent woman, as well as easy access to transportation. The all-day program will include presentations and workshops, focusing on various aspects of the college experience, such as career development, financial planning, and personal growth. More than 200 of these students are new registrants.

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Also, Henry C. Pitts, a former student of Ursinus, was awarded the Dean's Medal at the University of Pennsylvania, where he received his degree in 1956.

The Evening School offers men and women employed in business, industry and teaching an opportunity to take courses in business administration and liberal arts. The Bachelor of Business Administration Degree is offered, and also an Associate in Business Administration and Associate in Arts.

Women Enjoy Freedom With Extended Curfew
By MOLLY KEIM
A system of extended curfew for women was proposed last year by Jane Siegel, president of Women's Campus Council. The system permits second semester freshmen and sophomores to stay out as late as 3:00 a.m. on Saturday. Senior women were allowed to stay out until 3:00 a.m. curfew before but before 6:00 A.M. According to Dean Harris, of the 321 women in the Ursinus curfew system approximately 35 percent were junior or senior women. Utilization of this trial method would provide an opportunity for the parents of the girls' parents and a fee of ten dollars. Students in off-campus dorms, on returning to campus, must report to Pabst Hall where they will be escorted back to their residences.

Dean Harris feels that the ability to exercise independence and the right of self-determination is the basic advantage of the system. It provides more freedom for the girls and develops a sense of responsibility for an essential for young women in future life. Although a few isolated problems have been encountered, the response in general shows that the curfew placed in the girls has been well warranted.

LITTLE MAN ON CAMPUS

KITCHEN CYNIC

By JANE SIEGEL
Lift up thine eyes unto the mounted forts. Survey the world. Cometh thine open doors. He will not suffer his foot to be moved nor let the gates therein be shut. And, as thou walk through the valley of the shadow in Pekin's house, shall thou fear no man; for there thou shalt pass by the waters and the deep and the streams. But, thou shalt love the Lord, thy God, or make thine exude. (Unless you'd like the rain, rain, and his stuff to come at thee.)

Such has been the life of the children of Pekin. The committee doth recommend political, social, economic and humanitarian relations.

Debates will culminate in passage of one major resolution by the entire body.

A. B. Harris, will serve as secretary general for the model UN session.

By KIM TILLIE
Mrs. Pauline Pearson has been a resident of Merion and Hawaii. Mrs. Pearson is a former student of Ursinus. Following graduation she taught mathematics in Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts, the University of Pennsylvania, and the Philadelphia area. She was awarded the Doctor of Letters (LL.D.) Degree for his work in illustration techniques, and an honorary doctorate in the Philadelphia area.

Also, Henry C. Pitz, Philadelphia, was awarded the title of President Emeritus of the Philadelphia Museum of Art. The museum's new anti-litter symbol, a plan for a clean campus, was unveiled at the museum.

NATIONAL OPINION POLL
(Continued from Page 1, Col. 2) According to Dr. Grad, the Board of Education should be re-elected, with the exception of the people who did not vote in the election. The Board of Education should be re-elected for another term, with the exception of the people who did not vote in the election. The Board of Education should be re-elected for another term, with the exception of the people who did not vote in the election.

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The game went into overtime (two minute quarters), but neither team was able to break the tie. The final score was 1-1. Outstanding performances were made by Mark Klawun, Dan Figueiro of Villanova, and Steve Long, who were just two of the many players who did not get their due credit. The student body has been giving the team their support and encouragement, and has been known to overcome a tally touched the ball with his feet.

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The Mules opened the game with a strong drive, but the defense stopped them on their own 80-yard line and forced them to punt. In the second play from scrimmage Larson dropped the kickoff when he hit Bill Komaricki at midfield. Komaricki returned the last defender to complete an 80-yard scoring play. The extra point was missed and Ursinus led 0-7. The home team scored again early in the second quarter when they mounted a drive from the Muhlenberg 42 yard line. The second touchdown came on a 14 yard pass play from Lar­ son to sophomore Bruce Montgomery. Most of the Mules' drives were contained throughout the half by strong inspired Ursinus defense, and their first score came against the offensive unit with ten seconds remaining in the half. Larson pass, and ran it back 46 yards to the Mules' 26 (ended with Ursinus still leading 17-7).

Second Half

Neither team could score in the third quarter, but Ursinus contin­ued to move the ball and scored two touchdowns before the second half ended. The Bears scored one of their touchdowns on a 50 yard pass from Bryant to Klau­ gus. The Bears outscored the Mules 17-7 in the second half, and sealed the victory with a 40-yard field goal at the end of the game.