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Nat. Opinion Poll Indicates Approval of Legal Abortion

New York City (July 9, 1971).—The nation's first opinion poll conducted recently by the Council on National Affairs indicates widespread public approval of legal abortion.

The poll, conducted by the Council as part of its research and education program, is the result of its efforts to provide information and assistance regarding legal abortion. The Council, 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's results, expressed as percentages, 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) if she is single and does not with her family and does not want to be the baby due to or (b) if she is married and childless and she and her husband do not want to be parents? For: Yes 74.3%, No 22.6%, Undecided 3.1%. 

2. If she is married and childless and she and her husband do not want to be parents? For: Yes 72.0%, No 26.6%, Undecided 1.4%

3. If she is married and has 2 or more children and she and her family do not want more children? For: Yes 75.8%, No 21.9%, Undecided 2.3%

4. If she is physical and/or mental is a severely handicapped disabled by pregnancy and/or childbirth? For: Yes 78.7%, No 18.5%, Undecided 2.8%

5. If there is a strong medical indication that the 34th week will be born with a severe congenital defect, does it matter whether she is married? For: Yes 80.7%, No 12.1%, Undecided 5.1%

6. New York State law provides that the 34th week of pregnancy, when permitted upon a female adult by a duly licensed physician acting under a reasonable belief that such is necessary to save her life, is within 24 weeks from the commencement of her pregnancy, do you think that the 24-week period should be: (a) lengthened or shortened, or (c) remain the same? For: Responses: (a) 71.9%, (b) 46.6%, (c) 45.0%. Note: 8.4% of the completed polls did not indicate any response to the above question.

6. Which of the following choices best describes the status of legal abortion in your State?

(a) therapeutic abortions only (to save the mother's life), (b) above and the mother's physical and/or mental health is dangerously jeopardized by pregnancy, (c) above and if the pregnancy resulted from rape, (d) above and if the pregnancy resulted from incest, (e) above and if the pregnancy resulted from demand (as in New York State), (f) above and if the pregnancy resulted from demand, (g) (h) other. Please specify.

RESPONSES: The answers indicated clearly that there was almost total concealment and unanswer on the part of the respondents to the status of legal abortion in their respective States.

7. Of the choices listed in Question 3 above, which one would you prefer to have adopted for your own state?

(a) 13.3%, (b) 8.5%, (c) 7.8%, (d) 8.2%, (e) 5.1%, (f) 4.3%, (g) 2.7%, (h) 6.0%. Note: The responses to (h) varied from those who would pre fer the status of legal abortion in any condition to those who would prefer to have legal abortion under demand under any situation.

8. Which of the following best describes the need for information regarding legal abortion in your community? (a) great need, (b) moderate need, (c) little need, (d) none need, (e) diverse need, (f) other.

RESPONSES: (a) 11.8%, (b) 25.1%, (c) 27.1%, (d) 6.3%, (e) 8.1%. Note: 6.3% of the community non-responses to the above question.

9. Which of the following best describes the need for information regarding legal abortion in your school? (a) great need, (b) moderate need, (c) little need, (d) none need, (e) diverse need, (f) other.

RESPONSES: (a) 18.1%, (b) 13.4%, (c) 4.5%, (d) 10.4%, (e) 9.3%.

According to Mr. H. T. Petty, the preliminary results of the poll indicate that the public overwhelmingly in support of at least some type of legal abortion; (Continued on Page 3, Col. 2)

Andrew Wyeth to Receive Degree On Founder's Day

Andrew Wyeth, prominent water-color artist, is one of three persons awarded honorary doctorates by Ursinus College, according to an announcement made recently by President Dr. William Pettit, President.

A native of Chadds Ford, Pa., Wyeth has won international acclaim for his water-color paintings, which have been displayed, along with those of his father, N. C. Wyeth, and son, Jamie, in the new Brandywine River Museum.

Wyeth will receive a Doctor of Humane Letters Degree (L.H.D.) at the annual Founders Day ceremonies on the Ursinus campus, November 7th.

Andrew Wyeth

Ursinus College Alumni Will Return to Campus Saturday, October 30

Ursinus College alumni will return to campus Saturday, October 30 for the college's largest Homecoming celebration in the history of Ursinus College.

The alumni will include a visit by the 160-member Ursinus Marching Band and Ursinus College Golden Bear band. The Mounties will conduct the day's activities. The alumni will meet in the morning at the big assembly and proceed to the Mountie Band headquarters, where they will perform a half-time show during the home football game with Goucher College. The alumni will then go to the Ursinus College Golden Bear Tailgate Party, where they will enjoy a light meal on the lawn of Isenberg Hall, and enjoy the tailgate party.

At 10 a.m., the Mounties will begin their parade at 10 a.m. and present their major show at half-time during the football game.

In pre-game ceremonies, newly-elected Bruins Club President John A. Plank, M. S. 1956, T. F. 1957, will present the Club's annual award to persons who have made outstanding contributions to Ursinus athletics. The Mountie Band will play for pre-game ceremonies.

After the game, a reception will be held for alumni in the new gymnasium, which will be held in the President's Dining Room.

A pop concert, featuring television and recording artists will be held at 7:30 p.m. in the student union theatre. The Homecoming dance with Andy Williams' big band sound will conclude the day.
“Women must always sign out before leaving campus,” they said.

“Why?” we asked, and they replied, “In order that we can find you in an emergency.”

So we pondered upon this reason, deliberating on its every aspect. We wanted to ascertain all possible justifications. Unfortunately, their reply did not create or perform miracles, for we still felt that there are questions which are left unanswered. One such question is, “Why is it unnecessary for men to sign out?” Without approaching this problem from the viewpoint of women’s liberation, it still presents a problem. Are men not needed in an emergency?

Perhaps the men find it inconvenient to sign out every time they leave Collegeville. Or is it that they would be too hard to find in an emergency anyway? Of course, we can not truly believe that we are easy to find if we sign out. If an emergency occurred while we were walking in Collegeville, for example to the Acme or to Walebe’s, would we still be easy to find? Of course, there is not much that we can do in Collegeville. But this condition does not necessitate our coming back to the dorm every once in a while. We can start shopping in the library, and then decide to go for some ice cream. Not feeling like going straight back we can detour to the market, and perhaps drop into the stores in Collegeville. But this condition does not necessitate our coming back to the library until it closes. Then, we may at last start for our favorite pastime is the Snack Shop. On a day like this, would we be easy to find?

Of course, there is another side to this affair. Suppose we sign out for Philadelphia or King of Prussia. We cannot believe that such vital information would aid anyone in an attempt to locate us. A possible solution to this problem is to sign out in detail, with addresses and phone numbers. Of course, we would then have to list all the possible stores and places we might visit, looking each up for its number, which would help to keep tabs on us. But what if we don’t know the names of all the places we intend to visit? Are we to be restricted then? Or should we rush back to Collegeville, and supply the new names?

We realize that we have taken this point to the absurd. Perhaps we have, but only to prove a point. Signing out is virtually useless, especially when the college is inconsistent. We are faced continually with the fact that men are not required to sign out when leaving campus. Are men more mature than women? We cannot believe that freshmen men are so much more mature than senior women. But even if this were the case, it would not explain the obvious discrepancies.

However, the worst part of signing out is the attitude it encourages among the women. There is something desperately wrong with any regulation that teaches tomorrow’s leaders to lie.

We hope that this regulation will not be in effect much longer. Perhaps it can be replaced with something less formal, such as leaving a number where we can be found if such is possible, realizing of course that there are places where one cannot be reached by phone, as in a park.

As we are in a time when many colleges have co-ed dorms, thus demonstrating the highest form of equal treatment for men and women, we hope that Ursinus will soon realize the unjust attitude exhibited in its policy of signing out. I am certain that the women of Ursinus would enjoy some of the freedom which the men have been enjoying for years.

Hopefully, some day no one will say to the women of Ursinus, “You must sign out before leaving campus.”

FOCUS

By MIKE NIKOLIC

One of the most colorful characters on the active uranian scene is Richard Hofferman, a junior chemistry major, who goes under the nickname of “Hoff.” Described by many as the “watched-out” chemistry major; Hoff has a different self-image. He perceives himself as a vapid and air-fraught personality. But what if he were to be a point. Sign out is an essential. Because I believe that all introverts deserve compassion. I’m very analytical. My favorite pastime is arguing. I like to argue, because I believe that all introverts deserve compassion.

Culture at U.C.

“I must say I was rather shocked and disappointed with my first exposure to Ursinus life. In high school I had the naive romantic image of everything being opera and all the people being involved. I thought students and professors discussed religion and politics till 4 a.m. over coffee and donuts. I had visited colleges like St. John’s where people think that they are like that and I thought all small liberal arts schools were that way. Boy, was I wrong. The social and social stimulation at Ursinus is completely different. There is a feeling of being separated from the real world because nobody ever talks about anything. As an admin, I feel that the war could destroy the entire world and I wouldn’t find out about it until I went home. This situation isn’t going to get any better. I mean that every time the administration tries to do anything the students are always absent. I’ve heard it said that the Ursinus students are inherently more apathetic, or less curious than students at other schools, or in some way deprived. As a student who deliberately screened the administration to get that kind of person. That means that the Ursinus students are no different than students anywhere else. They are simply thrust into an environment thirty miles from anything to do with many courts, and they react in the way you’d expect. There’s nothing for them to get excited about. Dances in Wiemer have to end at midnight even when

they’re going strong. If a student would rather not stick around on a weekend for one of these wild affairs he’s called apathetic. The students aren’t apathetic; they’re just pathetic. I don’t think the administration tries very hard to improve things. They seem to be predominantly concerned with providing a place on this entire campus where a group of people can sit and talk or study or even get a cup of coffee. Of course you can always have a rap session in your own room as long as you remember to exclude people of the opposite sex. But who wants to hear their opinions anyway? Why can’t the old library be used as a student union? All it needs is some second-hand furniture. When the money is eventually available for renovation, the students can simply vacate.

Academics

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 states to call itself a liberal arts college with the Sociology, Anthropology, and Fine Arts departments as minimal as they are. If Ursinus doesn’t have the money to offer more courses in these fields, then students should be allowed to take specific courses elsewhere. But this is not going to happen. The school should give anyone the chance. At this right this campus is locked up. After 11:00 or so there is really not

“The administration doesn’t seem to go out of its way to make Ursinus a fun experience.”
**Enforced Adolescence:**

**Place On The College Community?**

By DAVID E. ZIMMERMAN

Traditionally, college has been a place for the advancement of knowledge, of 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 place from which, perhaps inexorably, one must move into the adult world and add his personality and his ability to gain achievement and recognition. However, what if some other element might enter into this line of maturation? For instance, if the deterrent is sufficiently imposing as to make the college a more mature student, and not allowing for his natural maturation, in effect imposing stagnation upon his personality and providing barriers for his successful leap into the adult world?

President Pettit's most recent denial of open dorms to Ursinus College certainly does not add in the development of a mature adult, in effect what it does do is provide for enforced adolescence on its campus.

Of what those who choose to forego college and enroll in business- armed forces or other openings in the world? These people are now responsible additions to the community. They make decisions, fly $6 million dollar airplanes, etc., certainly their backgrounds must have been sufficiently broadened to allow for their rapid yet successful change from student to professional.

Maturity comes from trust. Certainly, as in any society there are those who will seek to go around the rules, but in the overwhelming majority, we can find trust, sincerity and a desire to be trusted.

We are asking for the opportunity that College has to offer us. For us to broaden and develop it is intrinsically ours. Enforced adulthood is now a possibility, but the eventual turning point, that of maturation and trust is so close. Enforced adolescence has no place on a college campus, we college students. We will develop trust and maturation only through reciprocal actions. Dorms every week, every month, every year will give us more than ample chance. Please, trust.

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**SPOTLIGHT:**

**Pauline D. Pearson**

By KIM TILLEY

Mrs. Pauline Pearson has been a resident head at Ursinus College since 1920, will be awarded the Anniversary of the girl's parents and a fee of trust placed in the girls has been received. The 19th fall session of the University College Evening School is underway, with 745 students registered, according to an announcement by Dr. Charles L. Leveque, of the Association of Arts.

More than 200 of these students are new registrants.

In keeping with a general decrease from the enrollment of previous years, due to lowered in-

**Evening School Enrolls 745:**

**Numbers Down**

Andrew Wyeth (Continued from Page 1, Col. 1)

Also, Henry C. Pitt, an author of several books on illustration techniques, and an exhibitor in the Philadelphia area.

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 the Associate in Arts Degree 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 freshman and upperclasswomen to remain in their dorms, on Friday and Saturday nights, until 2:00 A.M., curfew but before 6:00 A.M. According to Dean Harris, of the 221 women enrolled in the extended curfew system approximately 35 percent participated.

Utilization of this trial method has been significant. Of the 75 parents and a fee of ten dollars. Students in off-campus dorms, on returning to campus, must report to Paylai Hall where they will be escorted back to their residences.

Dean Harris feels that the ability to exercise independence and the indication of responsibility represent the basic advantages of the system. It provides more flexibility for the girl and develops a sense of responsibility that is essential for young women in future life.

Although a few isolated problems have been encountered, the response in men and women who feel a sense of trust placed in the girls has been warranted.

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**I. R. Club Hosts**

**To Model Uniform**

By JANE SIEGEL

Lift up thine eyes unto the mountains, and see if there be a mountain women opened. He will not suffer his foot to be moved nor let the girls get theirs in the door. And, as thou walk through the valley of the shadow of death, thus shalt thou fear no progress; for there are waters both within and outside the still waters and down the primitive path. Thus, thou shalt love the Board, thy god, or make shine excise. (Unless you'd like the rain, the sun and his stuff to come to you.)

Such has been the life of the children of the future, after the garden of the king. For the Board said, "S Naked might be any horizontal activities before me." And the Board saw that it was all good and the sun was good and the sun was good and it was good enough now. But now there arose among the people a new prophet, fair-haired, not so straight, and cold, and he made himself the wise men (and a cynic) and made up a great council. They counsels to be invited to participate on the wall board and beat their heads until it was logical.

So, it came to pass that the prophet spoke with his council and harnessed the国王, angel of the Board. They carried the stone tablets unto Pharaoh, angel of the Board, and burned them for a covenant. They were steadfast in their humanity and did not suffer any great miracles. Verily did they intend to make the people go into the dorms. This was not destitute of peril. The Angel of the Board said, "Look upon this book of those with much gold. I have read these pages shall be blasphemy except in the presence of the Board and Board shall ordain such special celebrations." The prophet, however, would not suffer his knee to be bent, but burned the feet of this false Board. Twice more he and the angel of the Board faced the court of the prophet and pleaded for the mull-sla. He took into the time of the Last Laugh that the prophet told of the barrenness of the world; the world was not brought under the weight of mere reason and wisdom. It had only shivered, barren, tremendous.

And so the ponderous act was performed with the Board shall ordain such special celebrations. By DAVID K. ZIMMERMAN

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To Model Uniform, The Board shall ordain such special celebrations. By DAVID K. ZIMMERMAN

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**KITCHEN CYNIC**

**“Probable Parable”**

In 1972, a great thaw was observed in all areas standing around like pillars of salt. They weren't turned in, there was a certain thaw and people were silently removing the no trespassing signs and forgiving those who didn't follow the rules. But the many men of Ur began to forge in ever decreasing circles and the prophet and his counsel had no more words to comfort them. The stone tablets lay broken and shattered like loose rocks along the lanes and no one had ever smashed them. They were as close to the board as the peppers they could here. They were intoning, "I think my thoughts after the time, oh Board."
**Soccer Undefeated; 2-0-2 Record**

By MICHAEL REMOND

This year the soccer team has been doing thumbs up. They've been doing it so well that the team has been better than ever before. At the last home game against Villanova there were well over a hundred students watching. One reason that the attendance was up was that both of Muhlenberg's goals were scored by hard-hitting defenders.

The game went into overtime (two minutes plus overtime) before the Bears had a chance to break the tie. The final score was 1-1. Outstanding performance for his great, Hal Heyer, our goalie. Although he wouldn't have needed drive to get up by the presence of friends, it still is behind, and has been known to overcome a tally touched the ball with his Bears shot at their goal 11 times.

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**Kilt Klads’ Comment: Third Team Rolls**

By RUTHANN CONNELL

And roll they did, collecting three goals against a pennant., 4-0. First Albright hit the dust at 0:00, then came Bish and Lucey, a popular choice for the Jim Evers Memorial Hockey Field. Meanwhile, the Steelbeaks are busy beginning their season. Tuesday, the Bears will be playing a home pitch. And today we find U.C.'s first game tomorrow, Friday the 22nd. Come out and see Miss Boyd's Bruton's Eveshavillan Beavers in action. The third and fourth quarters will be a great disappointment. He is credited with 26 saves for that game. Muhlenberg shot at their goal 34 times.

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**Feiter's Field Goal**

By DON McNIVEN

The Mules broke into the win column with a stunning upset victory over Muhlenberg College. The Bears used a hard hitting defense and strategy to gain their initial victory before a capacity Parent's Day crowd. Ursinus. The Mules opened the game with a short drive, but the defense stopped them on their own 80-yard line and forced them to punt. Ursinus led the second quarter as a last second field goal by Don Keane broke the game even at the Muhlenberg 42 yard line. The second touchdown came on an 18 yard pass play from Larson to sophomore Bruce Montgomery. Mules were penalized throughout the half for unsportsmanlike conduct, but managed to win. The Bears led 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 1-yard pass play from Lar- son to sophomore Bruce Montgomery. Mules were penalized throughout the half for unsportsmanlike conduct, but managed to win. The Bears led 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 1-yard pass play from Lar- son to sophomore Bruce Montgomery. Mules were penalized throughout the half for unsportsmanlike conduct, but managed to win. The Bears led 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 1-yard pass play from Lar- son to sophomore Bruce Montgomery. Mules were penalized throughout the half for unsportsmanlike conduct, but managed to win. The Bears led 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 1-yard pass play from Lar- son to sophomore Bruce Montgomery. Mules were penalized throughout the half for unsportsmanlike conduct, but managed to win. The Bears led 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 1-yard pass play from Lar- son to sophomore Bruce Montgomery. Mules were penalized throughout the half for unsportsmanlike conduct, but managed to win. The Bears led the home team scored again early in the second quarter when they mounted a drive from the Muhlenberg 42 yard line.

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**Win For Ursinus**

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