

Author Delves Into Politics

By JANE WOODARD
'Out of the Red' is a welcome blast of fresh air concerning a subject that needs just such an airing to keep it in proper perspective.

their existence that is equal to the more primitive drive for human survival. The author sometimes uses his novel as a vehicle to expound his own witticisms, and his asides are not always immediately relevant to the narrative.

However, there is enough truth in the novel to make the satire plausible and enough did humor to sustain interest. You are inclined to "groan warily" over the seemingly surmountable complexities of this "best of all possible worlds" perhaps you will find a temporary respite from the more obvious aspects of the situation.

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MSU Acquiescence Creates Bad Image

ALTHOUGH a recent issue of a national "news" magazine placed Wayne State as academically superior to MSU, it is even more deplorable that outside of a lone State News editorial, we have heard no one at MSU speak out against this nationally circulated innuendo.

This generalization, made with absolutely no valid basis for judgement, seems to be but another indication of this magazine's continuing policy of printing all the news that fits its slant.

There seems to be a general acquiescence on this campus to the idea that MSU is an academically inferior institution. Mediocrity there is—and in super abundance. But there is also a genuine academic greatness here that many people refuse to admit.

A case in point is the history department. Because of a limit placed on the size of the faculty due to a lack of locustative funds, history classes have been inundated with students. Each class is monstrous in size. Some class rosters run into the hundreds.

Even so, the history faculty has continued to do an outstanding job and remains one of the most alive and sensitive groups on campus, publishing outstanding works with regularity. Yet, they receive little or no praise for their efforts.

There is nothing wrong with admitting academic mediocrity, but glorifying only the technical and training potentialities of this university has resulted in our being cast in the light of a giant trade school. Nothing could be further from the truth.

National "news" magazines, with their continuing policy of 45-degree news presentations, and a student body acquiescing to the idea of academic inferiority, have combined to create a picture that leaves the public little alternative but to impute academic mediocrity to this institution.

Tanker Catches Fire

NEW YORK (AP)—A Dutch tanker carrying 26,000 tons of kerosene caught fire on the Atlantic Wednesday and was headed for a possible explosion.

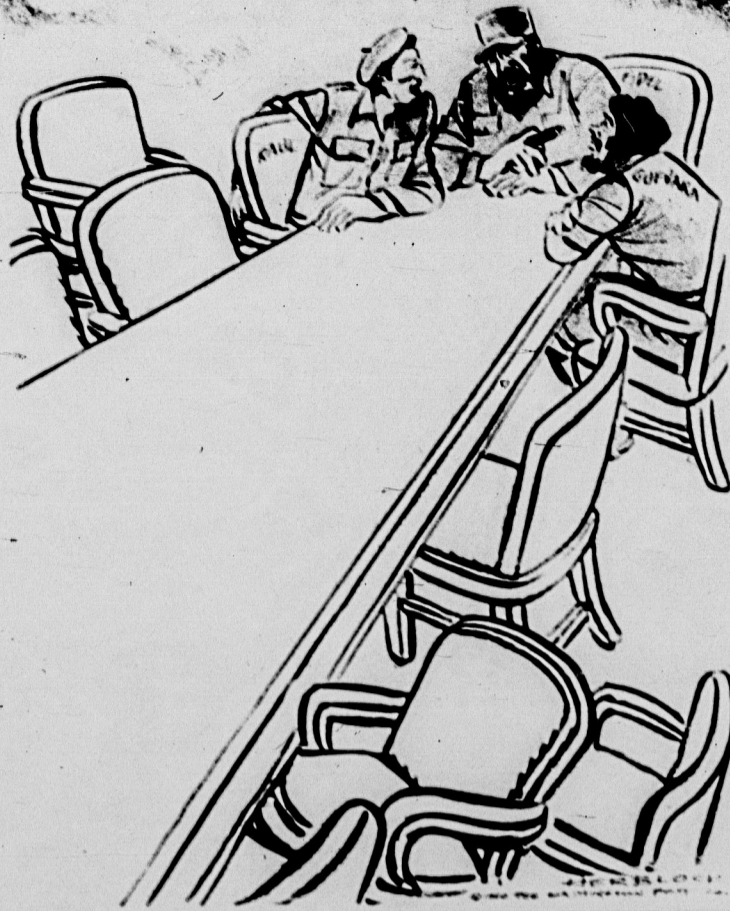
The fire broke out in the stern of the tanker, the Agincourt, some 100 miles off New York, Va. The blaze for a time threatened to turn the 64,000-ton ship into an explosive time bomb.

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Crossword Puzzle grid with clues and solutions. Clues include: 1. Small, 2. Ring, 3. Haven, 4. Strapped, 5. Convent's hair, 6. Oriental, 7. Not prominent, 8. Female, 9. Kitten, 10. Division of, 11. Tense, 12. Swamp, 13. Ewegreen, 14. Lively, 15. Large, 16. Fender, 17. Jan, 18. Invent, 19. Flow at the, 20. Mr. Call, 21. Out of date, 22. Doves, 23. Mr. Call, 24. Out of date, 25. Doves, 26. Brain, 27. Small, 28. Small, 29. Tense, 30. Swamp, 31. Ewegreen, 32. Lively, 33. Large, 34. Fender, 35. Jan, 36. Invent, 37. Flow at the, 38. Mr. Call, 39. Out of date, 40. Doves, 41. Brain, 42. Small, 43. Small, 44. Tense, 45. Swamp, 46. Ewegreen, 47. Lively, 48. Large, 49. Fender, 50. Jan, 51. Invent, 52. Flow at the, 53. Mr. Call, 54. Out of date, 55. Doves, 56. Brain, 57. Small, 58. Small, 59. Tense, 60. Swamp, 61. Ewegreen, 62. Lively, 63. Large, 64. Fender, 65. Jan, 66. Invent, 67. Flow at the, 68. Mr. Call, 69. Out of date, 70. Doves, 71. Brain, 72. Small, 73. Small, 74. Tense, 75. Swamp, 76. Ewegreen, 77. Lively, 78. Large, 79. Fender, 80. Jan, 81. Invent, 82. Flow at the, 83. Mr. Call, 84. Out of date, 85. Doves, 86. Brain, 87. Small, 88. Small, 89. Tense, 90. Swamp, 91. Ewegreen, 92. Lively, 93. Large, 94. Fender, 95. Jan, 96. Invent, 97. Flow at the, 98. Mr. Call, 99. Out of date, 100. Doves.



Letters to the Editor Prof Speaks On Attendance

To the Editor: I read in your issue of 4/11/60, an editorial on the attendance problem. It is a sad commentary on the state of our education system that we should have to discuss such a basic problem.

East Apathy: I am a student at Michigan State University and I am writing you to express my feelings about the attitude of many students towards their education.

Information section containing various club notices and advertisements. Includes: Spartan Christian Fellowship, Catholic Student Organization, Mortar Board, Spartan Wives (Swedish Gym n' Swim), Liformed Christian Fellowship, Spartan Wives (Beginning Bridge), Green Splash, Juno's Panel, German Club, WISE Amateur Radio Club, and Night Staff.

Campus Classifieds section with various advertisements for housing, automobiles, and services. Includes: Housing, Automotive, Lost and Found, Employment, Real Estate, and Service.

Book Review section featuring 'Out of the Red' by Cashie Stinnett. The review discusses the author's political perspective and the novel's critique of government bureaucracy.

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Vertical advertisements on the right margin, including 'Emphasis', 'Brita', 'London', 'Vulnerability', 'Plane', and 'Washing'.

Castro Troops Claim Capture of Top Rebels

HAVANA (AP)—Troops under the personal command of Fidel Castro Wednesday claimed capture of a top rebel lieutenant and two other insurgents fighting in Castro's old guerrilla stronghold of eastern Cuba.

Maj. Rene Vallejo Ortiz, chief of the Institute of Agrarian Reform in Oriente Province, told newsmen the second-in-command of Manuel Beaton, a former captain in Castro's forces, was seized in the mountains.

Beaton is reported leading a band of perhaps 50 men. He is operating in the Sierra Maestra, cradle of Castro's revolution against President Fulgencio Batista's dictatorship.

Vallejo said the three prisoners, who were unnamed, will be taken today to Bayamo Military Headquarters, 60 miles west of Santiago.

There was no confirmation in Havana that Prime Minister Castro actually was in the field against the rebels. Havana radio was still saying he was inspecting agricultural cooperatives in Oriente Province.

Castro left Bayamo two days ago at the head of an unestimated number of regular troops, Vallejo said. The bearded leader was accompanied by Maj. Juan Almeida, Chief of the Army, and other top commanders.

Beaton's band and others operating in the region appear to be disillusioned supporters of Castro's revolution.

In addition to Beaton, the principal target, reports in Santiago said troops also are trying to crush out at least two other small bands.

One is in the mountains outside Baracoa on Cuba's eastern tip and the other is near Guantanamo City. One band is reported under the command of Nino Diaz, Castro ex-mayor, and is estimated at 47 armed men.

Although apparently unswayed, the outbreak of insurgent activity is a point of major political embarrassment for Castro. For the first time, people in Havana are giving serious attention to the exploits of Beaton and other insurgents.

The newspapers and radio, pro-Castro for the most part, have ignored the story.

Anderson Urges Spending Curbs

NEW YORK (AP)—Secretary of the treasury Robert Anderson said Wednesday the federal government must discipline its spending or it will be "courting disastrous inflation."

"Certain things, such as our military security and essential civilian services, we can agree on as indispensable," the secretary said. "But after that we must exercise the discipline to determine how many of the desirable things we can afford to do at one time."

Production Up

WASHINGTON (AP)—The nation's production already has topped 500 billion dollars a year and can be expected to rise through 1960, the United States Chamber of Commerce said.

Mueller Opposes Wage Increase

WASHINGTON (AP)—Secretary of commerce Frederick Mueller, saying he spoke for the Eisenhower administration, Wednesday opposed legislation to raise the federal minimum wage to \$1.25 an hour and apply it to 7 1/2 million additional workers.

Mueller told a House Labor subcommittee the administration favors a separate bill that would simply extend the present dollar-an-hour minimum to another 2 1/2 million workers.

Forty Cadets Attend Field Training Day

About 40 Army ROTC cadets, members of the Pershing Rifles, Army ROTC honorary, took part in a field training exercise at Ft. Custer, Battle Creek, last weekend.

The exercise involved training in reconnaissance, combat patrol, compass and map reading, interior guard, school of the soldier, and platoon in attack tactics.

The cadets were housed in barracks, but spent up to 30 hours each day and four hours each night in the field.

Advanced Army ROTC cadets, led by Cadet Brig. Gen. Douglas Smith, brigade commander and Platoon senior, acted as the aggressor forces during the exercise.

Cadet Capt. Donald Bulger, Olivet junior, was in charge of the Pershing Rifle cadets. Acting as advisors to the group on the trip were Capt. J. D. Edgerton, Capt. T. E. Fitzpatrick, M/Sgt. J. H. Held, and M/Sgt. P. L. Pacciola, all of the Army ROTC staff.

Illinois Primary Turnout Is Light

CHICAGO (AP)—An apathetic turnout of voters—slightly more than a third of the state's eligibles—nominated for the November general election candidates for state offices endorsed by the two regular party organizations.

Both the Democratic and Republican regular organizations counted heavily on a comparatively light turnout to win support for their candidates.

Placement Bureau

The following employers will interview on the indicated dates. If you are interested report to the Placement Bureau at least two school days in advance of interview date.

(B) Bachelor's degree, (M) Masters, (D) Doctors. Where no degree is indicated, all degree levels are eligible to interview.

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Bruin Lake Scout Camp: SUMMER EMPLOYMENT. All majors to work as dining room steward, nature counselor, scout skills instructor, first aid officer, handicraft instructor & archery instructor—must have previous scouting experience.

Caseville Public School: Secondary Social Studies-Spanish (B) majors for teaching position.

Edmore Community Schools: Elem. Vocal Music, Secondary Voc. Agriculture, Spanish-English, & Spec. Ed. (Mentally Retarded) (B) (M) majors for teaching positions.

Liberty Mutual Insurance Co.: All men (B) from the College of Engineering, and Indus. Arts, Prod. Mgt. Physics, Math, and Chem. (B) majors for safety engineering positions. All majors (B) for insurance sales.

J. C. Penney Co., Inc.: All men (B) from the colleges of Comm. Arts, Science & Arts, and Business & Public Service to participate in management training program.

Midland County Girl Scouts, Inc.: SUMMER EMPLOYMENT. All majors for camp positions.

Pure Oil Co.: All men (B) from the College of Business & Public Service interested in sales, distribution and merchandising work.

Remien Agency, Conn. Mutual Life Ins. Co.: All men (B) from the colleges of Science & Arts, Comm. Arts, and Business & Public Service for salaried sales positions.

Reister Community Schools: All Elem. (B) & Spec. Ed. (Visiting Teacher & Speech Corr.) (B) (M) majors for teaching positions. Secondary English-Social Studies, Math & Genl. Science (B) (M) majors for junior high positions. Secondary English (B) (M) majors for senior high positions.

Standard Oil of Ohio: SUMMER EMPLOYMENT. Chem. & Mech. Engr. and Chemistry majors — prefer sophomores but will also interview Juniors.

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Fly-front bermudas. 5.95

B. Deck hand jacket. 8.95

Southampton pants. 6.95

C. Cotton soufflé knit striped bosun's cardigan. 5.95

Fly-front surfer pants. 5.95

D. Sleeveless cotton shirt. 3.95

Jamaica-length shorts. 4.95.



AN AMERICAN TEAM is attempting to trace Jordan, shown here in Dr. Ralph Boney of the last Biblical cities of Sodom and Gomorrah by diving into the depths of the Dead Sea in Jordan. Shown here is Dr. Ralph Boney of the team being assisted with his diving equipment prior to descent into the sea.

Emphasis Shifted to Mobile Bases Britain Scraps Rocket Defense; To Depend on Aid From U. S.

LONDON (AP)—Britain Wednesday scrapped a big part of its Rocket Defense Program. The government stated the future nuclear striking power of these missiles on a U.S. pledge to sell American rockets. Emphasis was shifted from fixed to mobile bases.

Defense Minister Harold Watkinson announced abandonment of a 1 1/2 billion dollar project to build the Blue Streak—a 2,500-mile-range rocket with a Rolls Royce liquid fuel engine which would cost 182 million dollars. Also abandoned were plans for a network of launching sites for a network of launching sites for a network of launching sites.

These had been designed as the chief machinery of an all-British nuclear deterrent to come into full effectiveness in the late 1960s.

"Vulnerability of missiles launched from static sites and the practicability of launching missiles of considerable range from mobile platforms have now been established," Watkinson told the House of Commons in explaining the switch.

Plane Trip Called Perfectly Proper

WASHINGTON (AP)—The chairman of a house subcommittee investigating the trip of President Eisenhower to South Korea said Wednesday it was "perfectly proper" that three federal power commissioners flew to a colleague's funeral in a plane owned by a big natural gas company seeking rate increases.

Rep. Owen Harris (D-Ark), chairman of the house legislative oversight subcommittee, confirmed that FCC chairman Jerome Kuykendall had checked with him before accepting a plane ride to Louisiana and back last month.

The plane was owned by United Gas Pipeline Co. of Shreveport, La.

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Old Friends Feel Snubbed In Ike's Trip

TOKYO (AP)—The Philippines and Nationalist China, old friends and allies of the United States, are grumbling at being left out of President Eisenhower's goodwill trip to the Far East.

Reports from Manila and Formosa say they feel snubbed by the President's decision to visit Japan from June 19-23, with an eight-hour side trip to Seoul June 22 for talks with South Korean President Syngman Rhee. Eisenhower will be en route home from the Soviet Union.

Japanese leftists oppose the visit, and the trip even drew criticism from South Korea's pro-American political opposition.

"We welcome his visit but he should make some gesture to the Korean people, not just President Rhee," said Cho Ye-Nan, policy chairman of South Korea's opposition Democratic Party.

Philippines, still harboring bitter memories of Japan's wartime occupation, are finding it especially difficult to accept the President's visit to their former enemy while bypassing them.



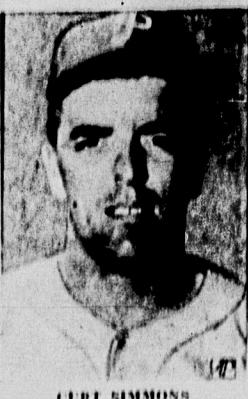
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Jamaica-length shorts. 4.95.

Post-Season Ban Apparently Doomed

CHICAGO (AP)—Although Big 10 schools have brushed off the Rose Bowl game, they appeared set Wednesday against a proposed ban off all post-season athletic competition.

Award 72 Letters, 68 Numerals

Varsity letter awards to athletes on six MSU winter sports squads were announced today by Athletic Director Higginbotham.



CURT SIMMONS starting over

Bobbitt's Operation 'Successful'

Curt Simmons Set To Comeback Again

PHILADELPHIA (AP)—Lefty Curt Simmons starts all over again tonight. Sidelined most of last season after surgery on his left elbow, Simmons has been given the starting assignment for the Philadelphia Phillies against the Milwaukee Braves.



JIM CHESNEY ... fighting to replace Berlich ... ALEX VALCANOFF

Gridder Returning Next Fall

Battle Rages For Specialist

The operation on another more tackle prospect Jim Bobbitt was reported as successful by team physician Dr. James Feurig Monday.

IM Schedule

Table with 2 columns: Team and Location/Score. Includes entries like Phi Kappa Psi vs Delta Chi, Phi Kappa Psi vs Phi Kappa Psi.

It's That Early Hour

Montreal Not Bothered By the Leafs' Offensive

TORONTO (AP)—The streaking Montreal Canadiens, needing only one more victory to win hockey's Stanley Cup for the fifth straight year, called off a morning workout Wednesday in protest of the early hour allotted by the Toronto management.

21 Athletes Make Dean's Roll of Honor

Another outstanding performance in the classroom was turned in by MSU athletes during winter term, with 21 Spartans making the Dean's honor roll.

MICHIGAN TODAY AND FRIDAY! Today at 1:30, 3:30, 8:30, 7:55, 9:45 p.m. TOBY TYLER

JERRY LEWIS Visit to a Small Plane HAL WALLIS NEWS - COLOR CARTOON

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