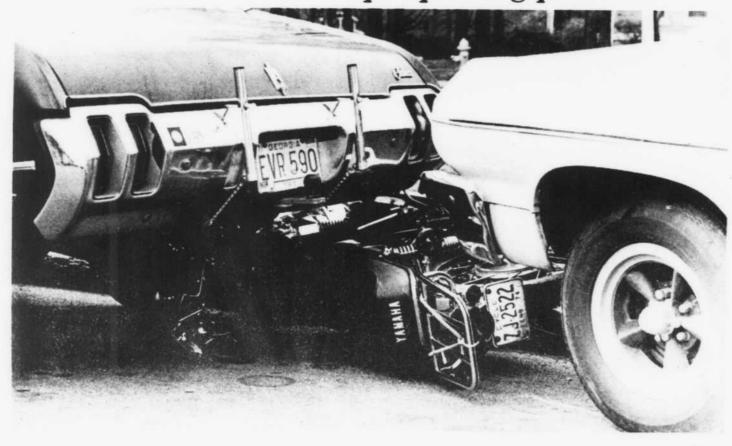
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### New solution to campus parking problem?



The owner of this motorcycle hasn't really solved the parking problem. Thomas Sullivan of Murfreesboro rounded Loop Drive in front of Old Main Tuesday when he crashed into a parked car, right, owned by Johnny Jones. The Jones auto was then knocked into the parked motorcycle, owned by Guy Anderson, which was smashed under the car, left, owned by John Campbell. Sullivan was charged with reckless driving.

Charles Steed photo

# Ideas panel plans for '76

Although the Ideas and Issues Committee has not received its fiscal 1975-76 budget allocation, the group discussed Wednesday plans for sponsoring a speaker on campus this summer.

Speakers under consideration include Eric Fromm, social psychologist and author of "Escape From Freedom" and "The Art of Loving"; Richard Bach, author of "Jonathan Livingston Seagul!": U.S. Sen. Birch Bayh (D-Ind.) who helped draft the 25th Amend ment to the constitution the allows for vice presidential suc cession to the presidency; Le Whitten, chief investigative reporter for Jack Anderson; and John Barth, author of "The Sot-Weed Factor" and "The Floating Opera."

Harold Smith, director of student programming, said the current budget has been exhausted and that financing for a summer speaker would have to come out of the new budget. Smith indicated the new budget set by the

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# President declines action on Salib appeal

by John Pitts

President M. G. Scarlett declined Tuesday to take further action in the case of Anis Salib after receiving a request from the Faculty Senate to "intervene forthwith."

Salib, an assistant professor of economics since 1968, was informed last summer that he would not be rehired for the 1975-76 school year. A law barring aliens from receiving tenure was cited as the reason for not rehiring Salib until he could complete his Ph.D.

In 1972, however, Salib was in-

formed that an attempt to waive the law would be made in his case after his first six years of teaching were completed, at which time he normally would be eligible for tenure.

A request to file for an appeal originally was made to Scarlett last summer, but in his reply to Salib the president said, "I find no substantial reason to ask the Board (of Regents) that an exception be made."

In replying to the request from the Faculty Senate, Scarlett told Senate President Harold Baldwin that time limitations would prevent proper preparation of a complete case for the Regents. The Board opened its session Wednesday, only two days after the senate motion was passed.

Salib petitioned the senate to act after Scarlett's statement in the Oct. 22, 1974, Sidelines that Salib's performance "did not warrant" a request for an exception. Scarlett said he based this decision on information from school dean Alexander Simon and Howard Kirksey, academic vice president.

In the petition, Salib termed "inappropriate" Scarlett's statements, calling them "potentially damaging" to his reputation and classroom effectiveness. He also questioned the accuracy of the statement, "which directly contradicts the evaluation of my former chairman," Hans Mueller.

In the committee findings, "no substantive merit" was found to Salib's assertion of possible damage coming from the Sidelines quotes. Scarlett's statements also were judged to be accurate, in terms of informa-



Anis Salib
tion he had in his possession at
the time.

The senate did acknowledge that Salib had been led to believe he would be recommended for tenure if he met certain qualifications pertaining to receiving his Ph.D, and also that the decision to terminate Salib's contract had been made without "sig-

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### Scarlett settles court suit

A lawsuit brought against President M.G. Scarlett by a Murfreesboro woman was settled out of court for \$550 Monday.

The suit stemmed from a March 4 accident in which Scarlett bumped into the rear of Jeane Bratcher's 1969 Volkswagen at the intersection of East Main Street and Loop Drive.

A hearing on the suit had originally been scheduled for Tuesday in General Sessions Court.

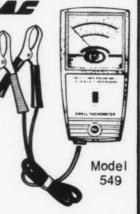
An attorney for Scarlett said he was "not at liberty" to discuss the reasons for the out of court settlement.

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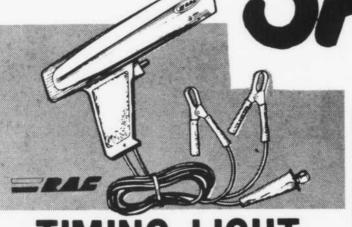
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# Panel reviews special events

by Scott Perry

Discussion Monday focused on the past record of the Special Events Committee at a second meeting of joint student-administrative group organized to review its activities.

The investigation of the Special Events Committee was launched in accordance with a recent ASB resolution to assess the committee in terms of its stated objectives and procedures.

"We're basically to gather information on the Special Events Committee and then make this information public," Ivan Shewmake, assistant dean of students, said yesterday.

Harold Smith, director of student programming, questioned the committee's power and voting rules. "We have had a very wellrounded program this year," Smith said.

Another meeting of the investigating team will be at 4 p.m. in the student affairs conference room on the second floor of the University Center. led for a "broad spectrum of communication and alliance concerning all facets of the university — the students, the faculty and the administration." which we are judged," he said. Helberg pointed out that the ASB must be constantly reminded of the responsibilities to both the students and itself.

# Helberg calls for 'flexible' ASB

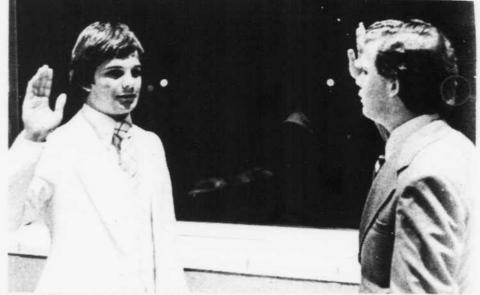
by Lisa Marchesoni

Student government must be flexible and ever-growing to meet the challenge of student problems, ASB President Ted Helberg said during the annual ASB banquet Wednesday night in the SUB's Tennessee Room.

Helberg, Speaker of the Senate Jane Carroll and Speaker of the House Jeff Combos were inaugurated to one-year terms as student government officials during the banquet.

"It is our job to provide that type of representation most conducive to the welfare of the individual student," Helberg said. The ASB must include students who are interested in the problems that affect them daily, he added.

"We all must arrange ourselves under the will of the majority and unite in common efforts for the common good," the new president said. Helberg called for a "broad spectrum of communication and alliance concerning all facets of the university — the students, the faculty and the administration."



ASB President Ted Helberg takes the oath of office from Chief Justice John Boutwell during the annual ASB banquet.

Helberg promised that the opinions and ideas of all persons would be heard and considered. "The energy, strength and devotion which we initiate into our performance will be the basis on which we are judged," he said. Helberg pointed out that the ASB must be constantly reminded of the responsibilities to both the students and itself.

Outgoing ASB President David Dodd reviewed the success of his adminstration which included the ombudsman program, a tutorial reference service, student discount month, expanded residence hall visitation, and the groundwork for a group legal aid program.

"An extremely frustrating thing for every ASB president is the slow dawning realization that many of his most cherished goals take more than one short year to attain," Dodd said.

Awards for Who's Who, Outstanding Seniors and cheerleaders were also presented at the banquet.

# Smith sees no budget increase

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Co-Curricular Committee might be a trim one.

"I'm not expecting a cut, but I'm not expecting any appreciable increase in the new budget either," Smith said. The committee's budget for the 1974-75 fiscal year was \$16,219.

Other possible speakers mentioned by the committee include Dan Rather, former CBS White House correspondent; Arthur Schlesinger, a historian who chronicled the Roosevelt and Kennedy administrations; Gene Roddenberry, creator of "Star Trek;" and Thomas Harris, author of "I'm OK; You're OK."

### Midlander workshop set

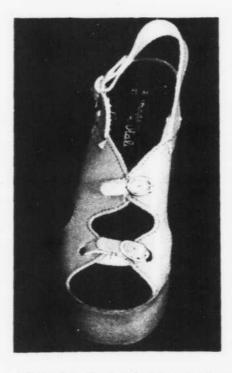
Anyone interested in working on Midlander next year is invited to attend an all-day workshop at 10 a.m. Saturday at the yearbook office on the third floor of the Student Union Building.

The workshop is designed to teach various skills necessary in yearbook production like photo editing, layout, design and copyfitting.

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# Salib prepares Regents appeal

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nificant and informed faculty
participation."

The report noted that several administrators involved in the case object to the usage of the word "terminate" in a situation they contend constitutes a "non-appointment." The report says "the committee believes the nature of the case precisely coincides with the usage of 'termination' on page 18 of the faculty handbook."

During discussion leading up to the vote on the motion to contact Scarlett, Roy Shelton, who chairs the committee responsible for the report, hit the "slipshod investigation" that was made prior to refusing Salib tenure.

The termination of his contract represents "a serious breakdown" of faculty evaluation procedures, Shelton added.

Acting business and economics department chairperson Barbara Haskew said she "learned only from this report . . . what went on" prior to the refusal to grant tenure.

Shelton noted that "two people nowhere near a degree" were granted tenure last year.

According to Baldwin, Salib is in the process of preparing an appeal to present to the Board of Regents.

Baldwin noted before taking the committee report and the motion to Scarlett that it might be too late in this case" and that he felt it had been "decided some time ago."

# Outstanding profs selected

Twelve MTSU professors have been selected among the Outstanding Educators of America for 1975 on the basis of their civic and professional achievements.

The MTSU honorees include Mary Tom Berry in education; Earl Eugene Keese, professor of mathematics; Richard Henry Gould, professor of industrial arts and technology; Maggie Buleah Davis in health, physical education, recreation and safety; John F. Schnelle, Robert E. Prytula and William Beryl West, professors of psychology; Ronald Albert Messier and

Robert L. Taylor from the history department and Marion Robert Wells, John Gerald Parchment and Clay Morris Chandler, professors of biology.

Guidelines for selection include an educator's talents in the classroom, contributions to research, administrative abilities, civic service and professional recognition.

# NORML seeks area recognition

MTSU's chapter of the National Organization for the Reform of Marijuana Laws (NORML) will go before the university Screening Committee at 3 p.m. Monday seeking official recognition, according to NORML spokesman Lee Cohen.

Cohen said NORML does not advocate marijuana legalization, just decriminalization, and that "we do not advocate the use of any drug."

"I'm counting on being recognized," the NORML spokesman said, adding that 30 people attended the last meeting.

Cohen said the group may sponsor a showing of the film "Reefer Madness" on campus.

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# Marx Brothers head fall films

A showing of the Marx Brothers' film, "Cocoanut," will head the fall semester movie

Other movie selections by the Film Committee include "Fritz the Cat," "Fanny Hill," "Clockwork Orange," "Between Time and Timbuktu" and "Harry and Tonto."

Admission charge will be 50 cents, and the showings will be Mondays through Thursdays at 3:30, 6 and 8 p.m.

Eight-minute cartoons will precede each film.

Completing the film list are: "Diary of a Mad Housewife," "Buster and Billy," "The Way We Were," "Day of the Jackal,"
"Ryan's Daughter," "The Other," "SPYS," "Take the Money and Run," "Arnold," "Cries and Whispers," "The "Mephisto Producers," Waltz," "2001: A Space Odyssey," "On a Clear Day You Can See Forever," "Buck and the Preacher Man," "Stepford Wives" and "The New Centur-

Three alternate films are "Lady Sings the Blues," "Summer of '42" and "Maurie."

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### Today

Movie: "Finian's Rainbow," 3:30, 6 and 8 p.m., UC theatre, 50 cents.

Interfraternity Council softball tournament: 3 p.m., softball fields A, B, C. Triton Club water show: 8 p.m., swimming

pool, 50 cents. Ticket sale: "Count Dracula," 10 a.m.-3

p.m., UC ticket booth.

### Saturday, April 19

ROTC Intercollegiate Drill Meet: 7 a.m.-6 p.m., maintenance and Murphy Center parking lots.

Interfraternity Council softball tournament: 9 a.m., softball fields A, B, C.

Gamma Beta Phi convention: 10 a.m., UC 322A, B; luncheon, 12 noon, dining room B, SUB; 12 noon-5 p.m., UC theatre; 7 p.m., AM gym, volleyball and basket-

National Junior AAU wrestling meet: 10 a.m.-9 p.m., Murphy Center arena, ages 16-20.

Meeting: Weight Off Club: 10 a.m., AM dance studio

Concert: Music department, 8 p.m., UC

### Sunday, April 20

Gamma Beta Phi convention: 8 a.m. -12 noon, UC theatre

Baseball: MTSU-Kentucky Wesleyan, 1 p.m., baseball field.

University Community Chorus: 3:30 p.m., Tennessee Room, SUB Senior recital: Gary Lamb, 8 p.m., UC

### Monday, April 21

Display: Home Economics department, all day, UC lobby

Film festival: Cartoons, 12:30 p.m., UC

Meeting: Karate Club, 4 p.m., dance studio B, Murphy Center

Film festival: "Charlie Chan at Treasure Island," 6 and 8 p.m., UC theatre Banquet: Gamma Beta Phi, 6 p.m., Ten-

nessee Room, SUB Meeting: Gymnastic Club, 6:30 p.m., AM

gym stage Meeting: HPERS Club, 7 p.m., dance

studio A, Murphy Center Meeting: MTSU Fencing Club, 7 p.m. AM

Meeting: Badminton Club, 7:30 p.m., AM

Ticket sale: "Count Dracula," 10 a.m.-3 p.m., UC ticket booth

### Upcoming

Reception: Introduction of new foreign student adviser, 3:30 -5 p.m., Wednesday, UC 324. All international students, faculty and staff are invited.

Last day of screening for Education 211: Tuesday and Wednesday.

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# VP jokes with ASB

With his veto of an ASB resolution which called for a table in the University Center for off-campus groups Robert LaLance, acting vice president for student affairs, has made a joke of the student legislative process.

The question is, "What is the purpose of having a student government if administrators smother all attempts at legislation

that they personally do not agree with?"

By providing a table for groups not recognized by the university, the school would be exposing its students to many different facets of thought. Unfortunately, it looks like the university wants to control this process.

This becomes even more evident when you consider their flimsy excuse, interfering with the easy "flow of traffic."

LaLance did suggest that ASB could sponsor off-campus groups to use other rooms. Wouldn't that be nice. Closed off in a room on the third floor of the UC, the group would be far enough away from "traffic."

Curiously enough he did not suggest they meet in the field

behind the horse barn.

# Stereotypes satisfy kids

Anytime a newspaper reports on controversial issues that are clouded by false stereotypes, half-truths and deliberate lies, it travels the treacherous path of incredulity.

Such is the problem this paper faces in running a series on the different aspects of the campus drug scene.

What does a paper do? Ignore the scene and pretend that all the stereotypes mama and papa told you about actually exist on campus?

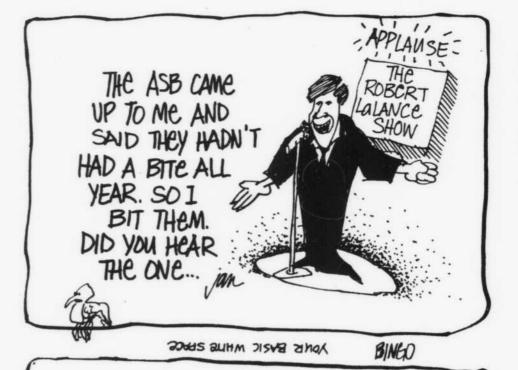
Hopefully, the series will place the campus drug scene in perspective instead of presenting stereotypes that are actually the perverted daydreamings of an older generation.

The campus dope dealer does not lurk in the musty shadows of a dilapidated building, shooting up heroin into infected veins while handing out polluted dope from a gray stained palm.

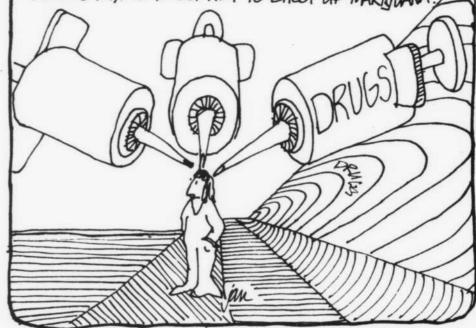
And one hit of acid isn't going to make you run through the streets

like a raving lunatic. Unfortunately the stereotypes still exist in the minds of innocent babes as does the childish idea that the press should deal only

with the "good" on campus. When these stereotypes are questioned, the first reaction from those who were duped into believing them is disbelief. Tsk. Tsk.



THE AVERAGE COLLEGE STUDENT IS HARASSED DAILY BY PEOPLE TRYING TO GET HIM TO SHOOT UP MARITUANA



### Letters to the Editor

# LaLance insults student's intelligence

Congratulations Robert La-Lance . . . You have made the front page of Sidelines on April 11, when you vetoed the request for an off-campus group spot.

Grow up.

The ASB resolution, which was adopted by acclamation by both houses, would have provided a

### **Sidelines**

Michael Gigandet editor-in-chief

managing editor

Published Tuesday and Friday by the students of MTSU. Editorials represent the majority opinion of the editors and do not necessarily reflect the views of the administration or faculty. Columns and letters are solely the author's opinpermanent spot on the second floor of the university center for use by an off campus organization to stimulate an academic expansion of the minds on this

Our acting vice president for student affairs casted his unchallenged "wisdom" on the matter for the reason that an off campus organization could "interfere with the easy flow of traffic."

LaLance's rationale was an insult to the student's intelligence and another repugnant excuse

to suppress the fact that the administration disdains students that think.

LaLance's termination of the bill was a weak act which was carried out by a weak administrator. His action represents an urgent need for an administrator who can see that the student's interests will be served better when its legislative body passes bills by acclamation.

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### Letters

Sidelines invites letters to the editor. Letters should be short to fit space allowances. We reserve the right to edit letters for libel and length. Send letters to Sidelines, box 42.

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umns are solely the opinion of the author and do not represent the newspaper, faculty or adminis-

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# 'Man on hall' angers resident

I would like to voice an opinion regarding the vast number of men who "grace" the women's dorms almost constantly. We get them from all walks of life.

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The problem is we never know when they are coming. Couldn't the dorm directors announce over the P.A. that there will be a man on the hall?

In our dorm, she comes walking around the corner with the guy, proclaiming the classic "man on the hall" as you are face to face with him in your bikini underwear and T-shirt.

Name witheld by request

# to be shown

MTSU interior design students will display their work in an exhibit tentatively scheduled April 21-24 on the second floor of the University Center.

The designing plans, which are for the renovation of the Home Ec Living Center, are the results of a class project. Renovation plans include changing the center into a night club for students, a dress shop and a restaurant.

Floor plans of the building before and after renovation, perspectives and sample boards will be included in the designing exhibit.

# Interior designs Campus will honor secretaries

by Robin Freeman

When you think of someone minding everybody's business everywhere, who comes to mind? If you guessed "secretary," you're right.

Campus and Murfreesboro secretaries will be minding everyone's business as usual next week during the 24th Annual Secretaries Week. President M. G. Scarlett will honor all campus secretaries and clerical personnel with a morning coffee break from 9-10:30 Wednesday (National Secretaries Day) morning in dining room C in the Student Union Building.

The theme of the week is "better secretaries mean better business." It's true, according to Zadie B. Key, secretary for Edwin Voorhies, dean of the School of Basic and Applied Sciences. "The smoother a man's office operates, the more time he has to do a better job."

Imogene Bolin, deputy commissioner for the State Department of Personnel, will discuss "Secretaries and State Government" at a banquet at 7 p.m. Tuesday at the Holiday Inn in Murfreesboro.

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# Road rally sign-up set

WGNS radio and the Stones River Kiwanis Club will sponsor a road rally April 26, with proceeds to go toward building a girls' softball park in Rutherford County.

A qualification check for the rally will be held tomorrow at Mercury Plaza Shopping Center from 8 a.m. to noon, Jerry Brown, a radio station representative, said. All cars must be inspected to run in the rally, Brown added.

The cars will leave Mercury Plaza on the rally day with a map showing the location of three checkpoints they have to drive to. The rally route will cover 70-75 miles and will take several hours to cover,

Trophies will be awarded to first, second and third place winners, and a set of steel-belted radial tires will be awarded to the first place

In addition, some 10-15 other prizes will be awarded, including a car stereo, a \$50 savings bond and a free car tune-up, the representa-

The ball park is being built as a memorial to three local children who died last year in an automobile accident, Brown said.

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# Earle at New Mexico State for interviews

by Tom Wood Sports Editor

Raider head basketball coach Jimmy Earle is in Las Cruces, N.M. being interviewed for the head coaching job at New Mexico State, and speculation varies as to whether he will accept the position.

The Nashville Tennessean reported yesterday that "Sources close to the situation said Earle was 'definitely interested' in the job, and will accept it if offered," while the Murfreesboro Daily News Journal reported that, "members of the local media and

### Raiders shut out by Commodores

MTSU's Lady Raider tennis team, in hope of upping its season record to 7-6, will travel to Cookeville today for a 2 p.m. match against Tennessee Tech.

The Lady Raiders will return home tomorrow for a 10 a.m. contest against George Peabody College of Nashville.

Vanderbilt stopped MTSU's netters 9-0 Wednesday. The Lady Raiders failed to win a set in the Vandy bout.

Janet Simpson is top seeded in MTSU's singles lineup, trailed by Sandy McMillan, Lynn Burklow, Margie Nix, Becky Branch, and Carrine McDonald.

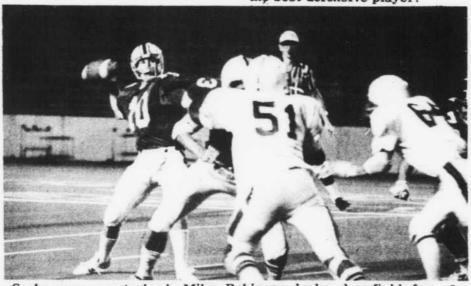
a few of Earle's closest friends feel he will reject the offer."

Assistant basketball coach Stan "Ramrod" Simpson would not comment on the situation, except to say that, "I'm just putting all my efforts into recruiting right now. I haven't even given it any thought." Assistant coach John Ferguson was not available for comment.

Earle is reportedly one of three prime choices for the job which was vacated by Lou Henson when he took the head post at the University of Illinois.

"I told him to go out and hear what they had to offer," Athletic Director Charles M. Murphy said yesterday. "I understand he met with their president this afternoon." The job reportedly pays almost twice what Earle is being paid at MTSU.

Other notes of interest: George Sorrell became the first MTSU basketball player to have his jersey (40) retired, when he and other members of the 1975 OVC championship team were honored at a banquet Wednesday night at Stones River Country Club. Sorrell was also selected as the best offensive player, while junior center Tim Sisneros was voted the best defensive player.



Sophomore quarterback Mike Robinson looks downfield for reciever in last night's annual spring intersquad scrimmage game. Putting the rush on Robinson is (51) Victor Lane.

Tim Hamilton photo

### Blue wins 56-20 in spring game

Mike Moore rushed for 167yards and four touchdowns while backfield running mate Bobby Joe Easter totaled 109- yards and three touchdowns tto lead the Blue squad to a 56-20 romp over the White team in the annual spring game last night at Horace Jones

Mike Robinson tossed an 18yard scoring pass to Leigh Kolka midway through the first half to put the Blues out front 7-0.

After Moore rammed the ball in from the two-yard line to give the Blue squad a 13-0 lead, Tommy Beavers hit Bobby Kavanaugh with a 12- yard pass in the corner of the endzone for the only White score in the first half.

Easter capped a 70- yard scor ing drive with a three-yard endsweep to give the Blues a 21-7 advantage at the half.

The Blue team added 21 more points in the third period and 14 more in the final quarter, while the White squad scored 13 points in the fourth quarter.

Marty Adams scored both times for the White squad in the second half.

Both teams worked the veer offense which was brought to MTSU by new head coach Ben Hurt, who made his debut last night.

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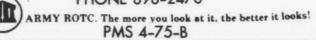
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# OVC considers reductions in athletic scholarships

by John Pitts

In an effort to curb spiraling scholarship costs, the Ohio Valley Conference is considering a number of economy moves for its member schools, including scholarship cuts and eliminattion of fall baseball, according to a recent announcement from the OVC office.

In a plan to be considered Thursday at the OVC meeting, the number of football scholarships would be reduced from 70 to 60, basketball scholarships would be cut from 18 to 16, baseball would be cut from 12 to 10, track would be reduced from 14 to 12 and golf and tennis would be cut from five to four, the announcement said.

"If all the schools do it, it would be alright," head football coach Ben Hurt commented, "but if the big schools don't do it, it will hurt us."

Athletic director Charles "Bubber" Murphy, said a reduction in football scholarships "will hurt" if other schools continue with their present number.

Murphy pointed to Ball State (85 scholarships) and UT Chattanooga (65-75 scholarships) as two schools MTSU would not be competitive with if the scholarships were cut.

If the OVC goes through with the football cuts, MTSU will "have to get some smaller schools to play," Murphy said, adding that it was the least likely cut to be approved.

Cutting basketball scholarships "wouldn't hurt us a bit," Murphy said. "We've never had more than 16 to 17 on a squad, he added.

Tennis coach Larry Castle feels the proposed cut in his team's scholarships could kill his conference chances. "We've spent the last four years going from a very low level to the top five per cent in the country," Castle said. "By cutting scholarships, it will take us back to the level we were on."

Golf is in a similar situation as tennis, needing another schol-

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arship to make a full squad, as opposed to the reduction proposal, Murphy said.

Track "can get by" on a reduced scholarship load, as could baseball, since neither squad now uses all the scholarships alloted to them Murphy pointed out.

Murphy said he expects most of the OVC proposals to be approved, including complete elimination of fall baseball.

# Blue nine down Trevecca 13-7

In an awesome display of power, the baseball Raiders rallied from a three-run deficit to score ten runs in the final four innings to defeat Trevecca-Nazerene College 13-7 yesterday.

Denton Peters led the way with two home runs and five RBI's while Wally Mathis followed closely behind with two singles and a home run and three RBI's.

Spot Howard, who also had three singles and two RBI's, releived Jackie Crowell in the third inning, and allowed but four hits to gain the mound decision.

Bouncing back from a five-game losing streak, the rejuvenated Raiders trounced the University of the South 8-2 Wednesday on the five hit, 15 strikeout performance of George Ploucher.

The victory over Trevecca pushed the season mark to 20-13 as the Raiders will host Western Kentucky in a twinbill today at 1 p.m.



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# MTSU signs two roundballers

Another junior college Player of the Year and one of the top 15 high school prospects in Georgia are the latest players signed by MTSU's basketball staff.

Lewis Mack, a 6-2, 180-pound guard from Jamestown Community College in Jamestown, N.Y., was the Region 3 junior college Player of the Year, while Ronnie Hinson, a 6-8½, 200-pound forward from Jones County High School in Gray, Ga., was a member of Georgia's tallest high school team.

Mack, a Silver Creek, N.Y., native, broke five records at Jamestown and scored 1,317 points in his two years to set a career scoring record. He collected 765 of those points in one season, establishing a single-season record.

Other single-season marks broken by Mack were most free throws made (169), most field goals made (298) and most assists (273).

"Mack is an extremely unselfish basketball player whose biggest asset is his ability to pass the ball," MTSU assistant coach John Ferguson said.

Averaging 21.2 points per game at JCC, Mack also led the Jayhawks in scoring, rebounding, assists and steals this year.

Hinson, an 18-year-old native of Macon, Ga., averaged 16 points and 14 rebounds per game last season, and "In all probability will grow to 6-10 or 6-11," according to assistant coach Stanley "Ramrod" Simpson. "He is a good shooter with unlimited potential," Simpson added.

Hinson, an all-region pick, has been rated as one of the best 15 players in Georgia.

### Racers host thinclads

Depth may hurt the Blue Raider thinclads tomorrow when they take on the Murray State Racers in a 12:30 p.m. dual meet at Murray Ky, according to MTSU mentor Dean Hayes.

"They (Murray) don't have but one real star," Hayes said. "But they have a lot of depth," he added.

High jumper Steve Martin leads the Racer squad as the Raiders' major threat, along with distance runners Martyn Brewwer and Brian Rutter.

Ernest Bea will be running for the first time tomorrow since injuring his leg during the indoor track season.

# Netters, Eagles clash in OVC

by Mark Barebo

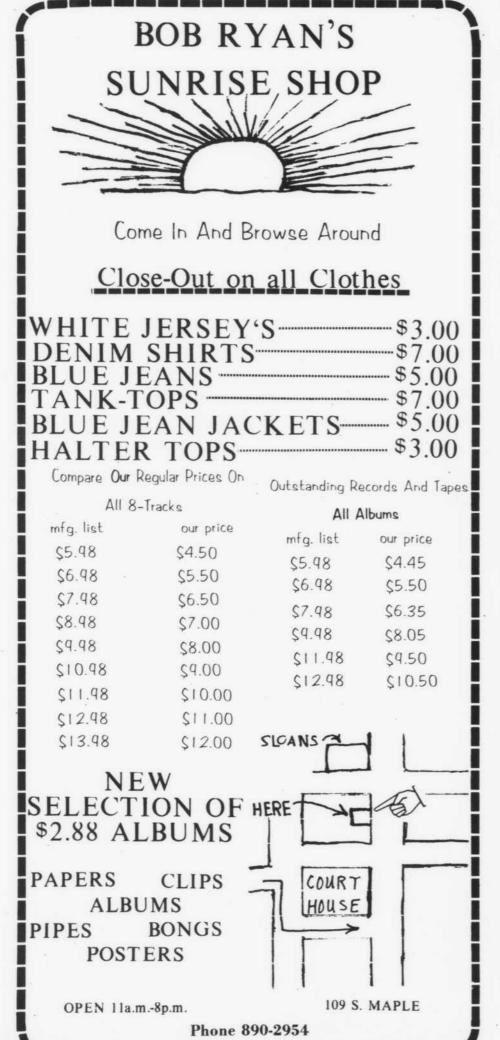
In a race to catch first place Western Kentucky for the Ohio Valley Conference lead, MTSU's tennis team travels to Clarksville today for two conference matches.

The Blue Raiders, three points out of first place, will take on Morehead State University at 2 p.m. today. Coach Larry Castle said the Eagles have a good team this year and that his squad was looking for a "real tough match." "We need an 8-1 or 9-1 victory," Castle said.

MTSU will face the Colonels of Eastern Kentucky at 10 a.m. tomorrow. EKU, ranked seventh in the OVC, shouldn't be too much of a threat to the Blue Raiders, according to Castle.

Lasse Durchman will be top seeded in this weekend's singles lineup, followed by Bob Butterfield, Geoff Gilchrist, Doug Baxter, Neal Barnard, and Doug Miedaner.

In doubles action, Castle will field the Gilchrist-Butterfield, Durchman-Baxter, and the Clyde Smithwick-Barnard teams. Castle indicated that Peetri Pihko also may see action this weekend.



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