

# Sidelines

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## SPEAKER COMBOS LEAVES FOR ELECTION JOB

by John Pitts

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Jeff Combos, who was re-elected in the spring to a second term as ASB speaker of the house, will resign the position today to join the campaign staff of U.S. Congressman Robin Beard.

The Franklin senior explained in a one-page letter of resignation to president Richard Langford "I feel I cannot give the time and dedication that is necessary to form the ASB into a viable voice for the MTSU student." In the letter, Combos endorsed house parliamentarian Tom Wells for the position.

Combos' resignation was preceded by the resignations of ASB election commissioner Butch Burns, who may seek the speaker's post, and of house speaker pro tempore Margaret Alexander, who plans to devote full time to her work as Homecoming director.

Burns' resignation places Bill Mason, the assistant election commissioner, in charge of campus elections until Langford makes another appointment.

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"The key to developing an effective ASB is continuity, and this was the reason I ran for re-election," Combos said. "A

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## RESCUES TO ARRIVE TODAY

"Rescue", a pamphlet outlining the rules and regulations of MTSU, is due to arrive today, according to Assistant Dean of Students Ivan Shewmake.

Shewmake said that the pamphlets should have been in before now, but that the arrival of them has been delayed due to a late delivery of the materials to the printer and due to the printer's schedule as well.

The pamphlets will be distributed through campus mail to "make sure that everybody gets one," Shewmake added.

The rules book was redesigned this summer to simplify the contents and make it more readable, Shewmake said.

Three major divisions will separate the contents of the book: campus services, rules and regulations and campus life, he explained.

## New speaker needed to fill Combos vacancy

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one-year term does not allow an ASB officer to gain the knowledge needed to fight the veteran bureaucracy of the campus," he continued.

In an interview Wednesday night, Combos said he had felt when he accepted the position on Beard's staff that he would be able to maintain residence here, but as his work progressed he quickly found he could not.

"Tom is the only person who can step in now," Combos said. "He knows the channels, and he won't have to spend the whole year figuring things out."

"Too many of our faculty and administrators look at the ASB as a kind of toy," Combos letter states, "to pacify those students who give a damn about what happens."

The speaker's resignation also accuses some administrators of seeing the ASB "as a public

relations tool for MTSU recruiters."

"These ideas must be replaced with a student government that is able to communicate with the administration and faculty on an adult basis," Combos said.

Burns announced his resignation Wednesday, citing his reason as plans to run for Combos' vacated seat.

"I believe under the present circumstances I would be more effective and a greater asset to the ASB as speaker" than as the election commissioner.

Burns said he had not definitely decided to make the speaker race, but said "chances are good" that he would oppose Wells and other candidates, if any.

Alexander, who was serving as both speaker pro tempore of the house and as director of the Homecoming effort, an ASB cabinet position, resigned her post in the house on Thursday to rectify

a situation some ASB officials had interpreted as being unconstitutional.

The ASB constitution states that no person may hold two major ASB posts at one time, and Alexander said she was not aware that her appointment as speaker pro tempore had carried over from the spring.

Had she remained as speaker pro tempore, she would have been in charge of the house meetings after Combos' resignation and prior to the special speaker election.

"I thought about it for a long time, but I had put so much time and effort into Homecoming that I couldn't give it up," Alexander said.

Wells acknowledged that he is "familiar with the workings of the house," and said he felt he could "take over and go right to work."

In his campaign, Wells said he would maintain that "the primary concern of the house is to guarantee that student rights and interests are being served by the administration, faculty and staff of the school."

"I admire Jeff and his reason's for resigning, and I want to keep working for those things we worked together for" in the area of student rights.

## ASB announces petitions ready for freshmen

Petitions enabling persons to qualify for candidacy in the ASB freshman senate and speaker of the house elections may be picked up beginning today at the ASB office.

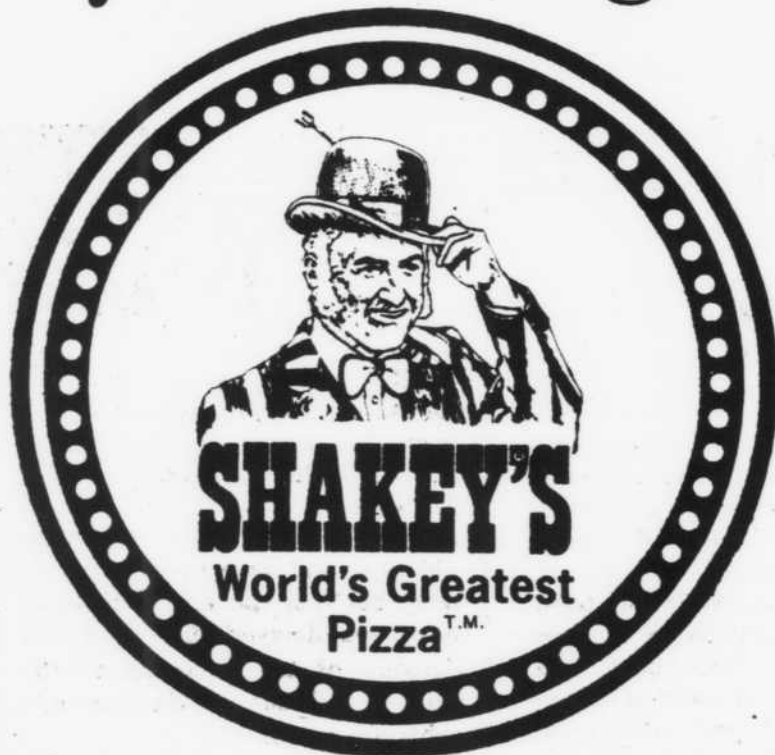
The elections are scheduled for Sept. 21 and 22.

Persons running for one of the five freshman senate posts must be enrolled at MTSU with less than 15 semester hours credit. Their petitions must be signed by 25 MTSU freshman students.

Candidates for speaker of the house must have at least 45 hours of college credit. 75 student signatures are required on petitions for the newly vacated speaker of the house position.

Candidates will not be allowed to campaign until Monday, Sept. 13 at noon when all petitions must be submitted; however, they may begin organizing their campaign prior to the petition deadline.

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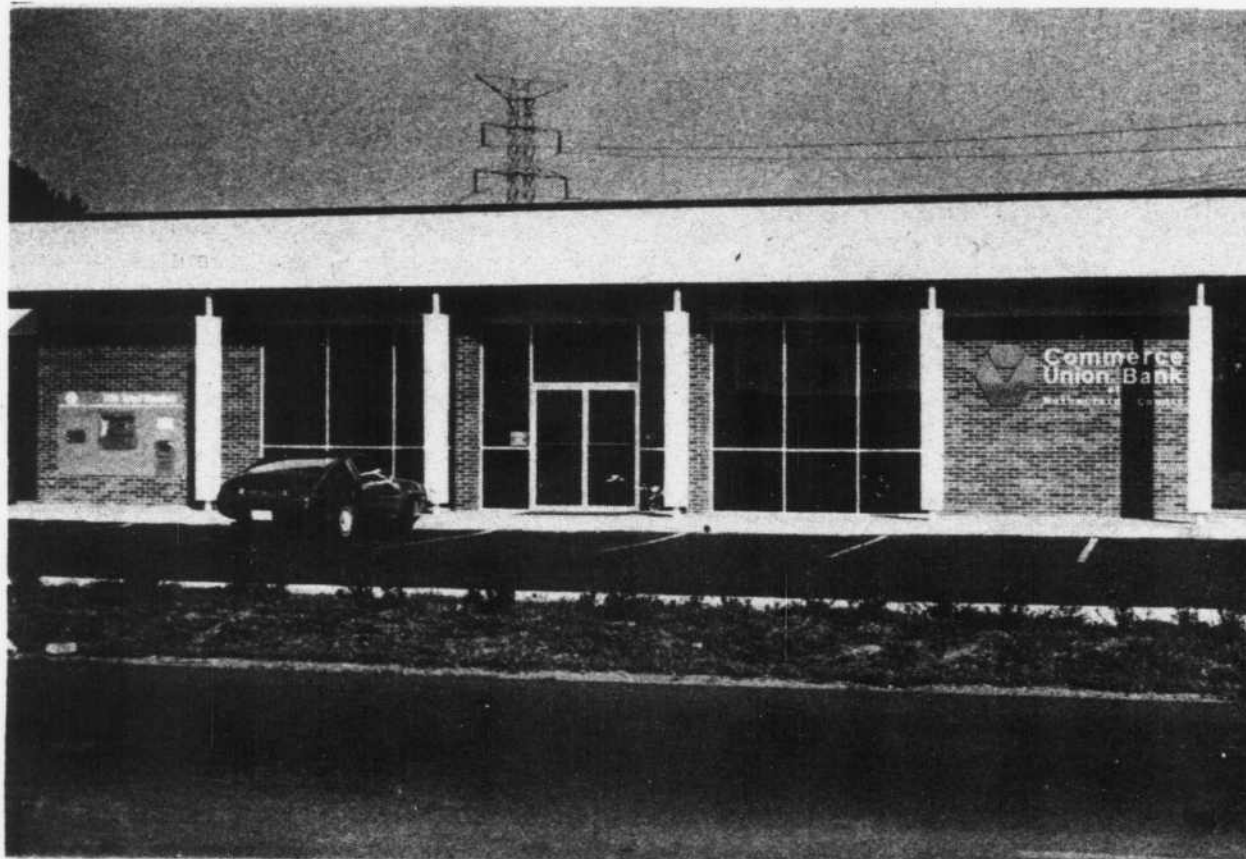
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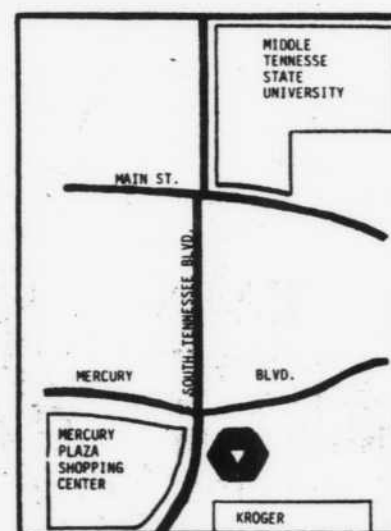
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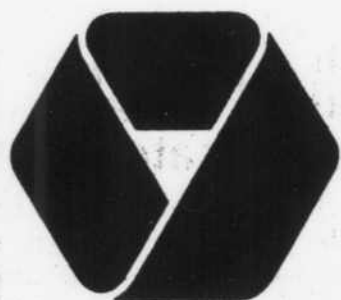
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Charles Berlitz

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## 'Best seller' author featured in DA program

by Jimmy Simms

"Whatever is happening in the 'Bermuda Triangle' may be perfectly natural if only we knew what it was," explained Charles Berlitz as he addressed an audience at the DA auditorium last night.

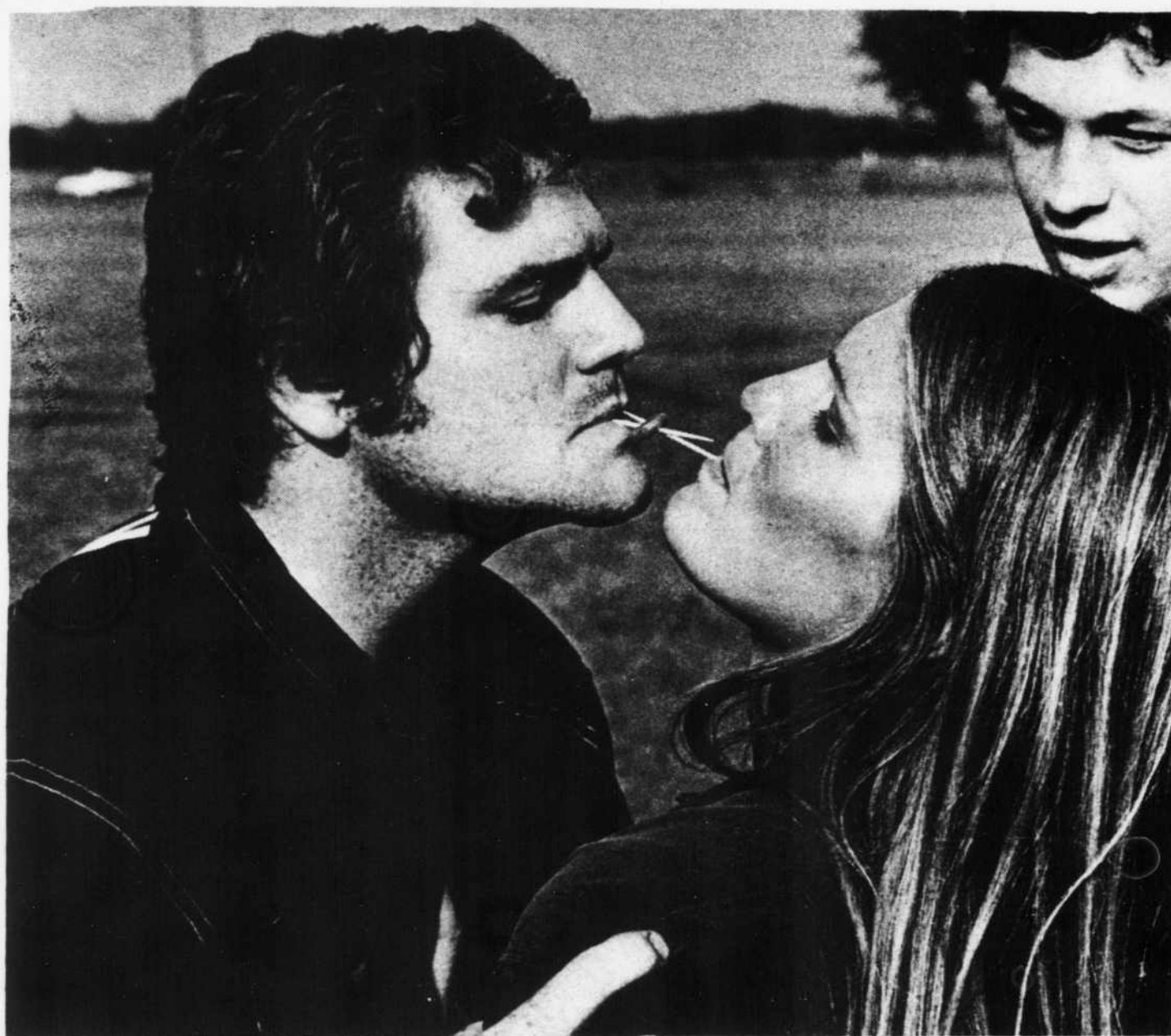
The program sponsored by the Ideas and Issues Committee and presented by the author of the best selling and controversial book "The Bermuda Triangle" gave an account of mysterious and unanswered disappearances which have occurred for the past 100 years in an area roughly between Bermuda, Florida and east of Puerto Rico, the area primarily known as the "Devil's Triangle" or the "Hoodoo Sea" or the "Graveyard of the Atlantic" or the "Bermuda Triangle."

Berlitz pointed out in his presentation that approximately

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100 ships and aircraft with close to 2,000 people have disappeared in the triangle since 1945, when five Navy torpedo bombers took off in perfect flying weather from the Naval Air Station at Fort Lauderdale, Fla., on a routine training mission over the Atlantic and were never seen again.

"The disappearance of the five aircraft in 1945 first brought the triangle to the attention of the public," Berlitz said. He went on to say that since that time disappearances occur on the average of one plane every two weeks and one yacht or sailing vessel every week. "One of my readers sent my



Staff photo by Tom Coombes

The Lifesaver relay was one of several "Greek Day" events held on campus Tuesday

accusation to the Coast Guard and asked what they thought of this statement," Berlitz said, "They wrote back that that was about right."

Berlitz presented many theories as to just what is the "Bermuda Triangle," but he himself thinks the answer may lie in magnetism and time. He presented accounts of a strange mist which engulfed sea craft being towed. One account in particular involved a Brazilian cruiser being towed into port for dry docking by two tug boats.

"A muggy fog crept over the cruiser and the tugs," Berlitz said, "whereby the captain of the cruiser ordered the tugs to wait until it was clear again."

"The tugs slacked their tow lines so the stress of the cruiser would not snap the lines. The fog cleared, the tug skippers looked for the cruiser, but it had vanished."

But even though different sources try to disprove the Bermuda Triangle, Berlitz doesn't think this is a "Cosmic Watergate."

"I believe the government is trying to find out what is happening," he went on to say.

## Graduate announces delegate candidacy to 1977 Convention



Mike Kennedy

Robert (Mike) Kennedy, a recent MTSU graduate, has announced his candidacy as a delegate from the 48th District to the 1977 Constitutional Convention.

Kennedy, who feels his college background has given him extensive knowledge of Tennessee government and politics, says: "My youth may be viewed as a liability by some people; however, I feel that my age will allow me to be flexible in making decisions which will affect all Tennesseans."

"I am a man who works for a living in a position that constantly deals with the public," Kennedy said, "I believe that this enables me to relate well with the average citizen in my district. Most of all, I am a concerned person who is willing to work to represent all the people as a true representative should."

Randy Mills, an MTSU senior, has been named campaign manager by Kennedy. Working with Mills will be Sandra Lyons, a senior sociology major, who has been appointed campus campaign coordinator.

Mills hopes to gather support for his candidate throughout the campus. "During the many years I have known Mike I have gained a great respect for him as an honest man and diligent worker," Mills said.



## Positions open in ASB typing referral service

Applications will be taken beginning Monday for typists to participate in the ASB typing referral service, according to

project director Mike Wesson.

"It will be two or three weeks before we begin taking papers to be typed, as we're still setting up the

procedures now," Wesson said.

Wesson hopes to have at least ten typists in the service when it begins accepting papers for typing. The service, modeled after a similar program at the University of Alabama, will have rates "that are less than others I have seen around here lately," Wesson said.

"I want to see what the demand will be, but we hope to bring more

typists into the program as we go along," he said. Applications will be available for the typist's jobs in the ASB office or the business office, and members of the business faculty will help screen applicants.

"We want to provide quality work for the students, insure a quantity of work and have both fair price and payment," Wesson said.

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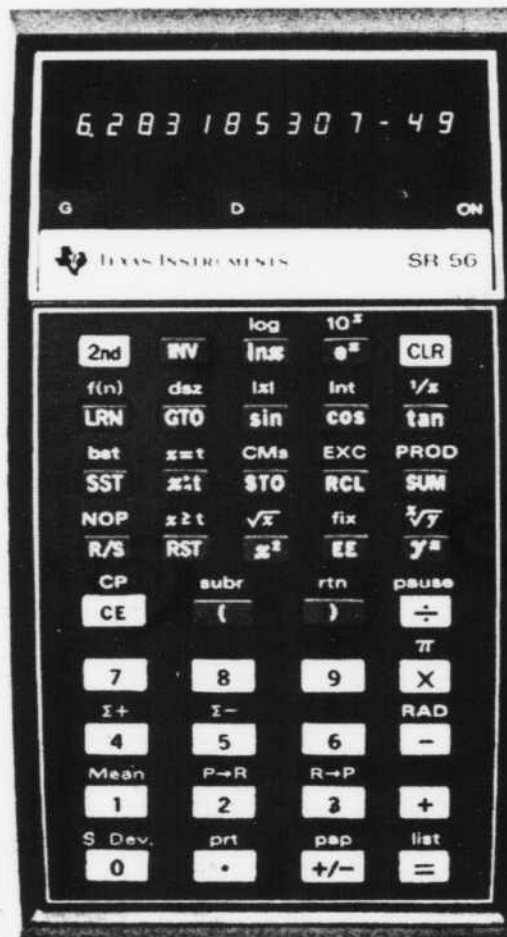
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## Craig appointed housing director, replaces McLean

James A. Craig was appointed Wednesday to the position of MTSU housing director by Robert LaLance, vice-president for student affairs.

Craig, former acting housing director, will take over duties in a post left vacant by former Housing Director Sam McLean, who left last year on medical retirement.

Craig had served as assistant housing director since July, 1973,

and became acting director last January.

He is a member of the National Association of College and University Housing Officials and is state chairman of the southeast region of that association.

Craig is currently serving his third year as secretary of the Oakland Kiwanis Club and is adviser to Kappa Sigma fraternity.

"I'm glad to have this position to be able to work with students," Craig said of his appointment. "Even though we're on the business end of it, we're still very much a part of student affairs."

Craig lives on campus with his wife, who is the head resident of Monohan Hall.



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The caravan consists of five trailers that will be connected in a U-shaped configuration. The interior has been designed to take the visitor through a "time tunnel."

In the first trailer, Indian artifacts will be on display, and the floor is the dirt floor of an Indian dwelling. From entry until departure from the "space area" of the

fifth trailer, the visitor will experience the movement of history as it took place in the South.

Admission to the caravan will be free. Hours will be 10 a.m.-9 p.m. Saturday and 1-6 p.m. on Sunday.

An audiovisual presentation entitled "Celebration" will complement the historical theme of the caravan by featuring contemporary Southern life. This 10-1/2 minute program was awarded a grand prize at the New York International Film and Television Festival last November.

The film uses 15 simultaneous slide projectors and a large screen built into the side of one trailer. More than 900 slides are presented in synchronization with original music.

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## ASB crisis looms in house; leaders must heed Combos

With the semester barely a week old, the Associated Student Body has been thrust close to the edge of crisis, with the resignation of speaker of the house Jeff Combos.

The actions of the members of the student government over the next few days will determine whether progress is to be made this year, or whether chaos shall result.

Combos must be commended for a difficult and surprising decision. Faced with an opportunity to participate in the functions of a hotly-contested U.S. Congressional campaign, Combos decided to leave his post to others who might serve the needs of the students in a full time capacity.

Many of Combos' remarks in his letter of resignation are interesting, but a central theme comes through—the ASB must not and cannot become a tool of outside influences due to inexperience in areas of high responsibility.

Those who know the innermost workings of the administration and know how to deal with them must lead the body entrusted with the responsibility of being the student's voice.

The house of representatives is the body of the ASB which serves this purpose. The vast majority of student-oriented legislation and activity which have originated in the ASB have come not from the executive branch or from the senate but from the house.

Combos could have remained on a speaker all year, taking the students' money and rejecting their crying needs. But he took the path of responsibility by choosing to resign and leave his influence on the government process through his endorsement.

Others in the ASB would do well to heed Combos' concern for the students and decide whether the ASB is to be a play-pretty for their collegiate records or a force for change and for the good of the students.

### OPINION

It is unfortunate that sometimes people get caught in the middle of situations such as this, and as speaker pro tempore of the house, Margaret Alexander found herself on the brink of becoming the new speaker. Little could she realize that her standing as one of the directors of the homecoming program was in a direct constitutional conflict with her position in the house.

Alexander's resignation really has nothing to do with that of Combos, for she only became aware of the conflict this week and quickly and rightly acted to correct the problem.

## A true American 'nut' speaks out for the GOP

There has been a lot of controversy lately on the subject of equal rights for Republicans. As a concerned liberal and a conscientious American, I feel I must speak out in their behalf.

**B.S. AND  
BALDERDASH**  
by C. Cruise Powell

First of all, I would like to say that many of my closest and dearest friends are Republicans. They work hard, live right, and are good with their hands. With the possible exception of voting, they do everything in moderation and are good Christian folk.

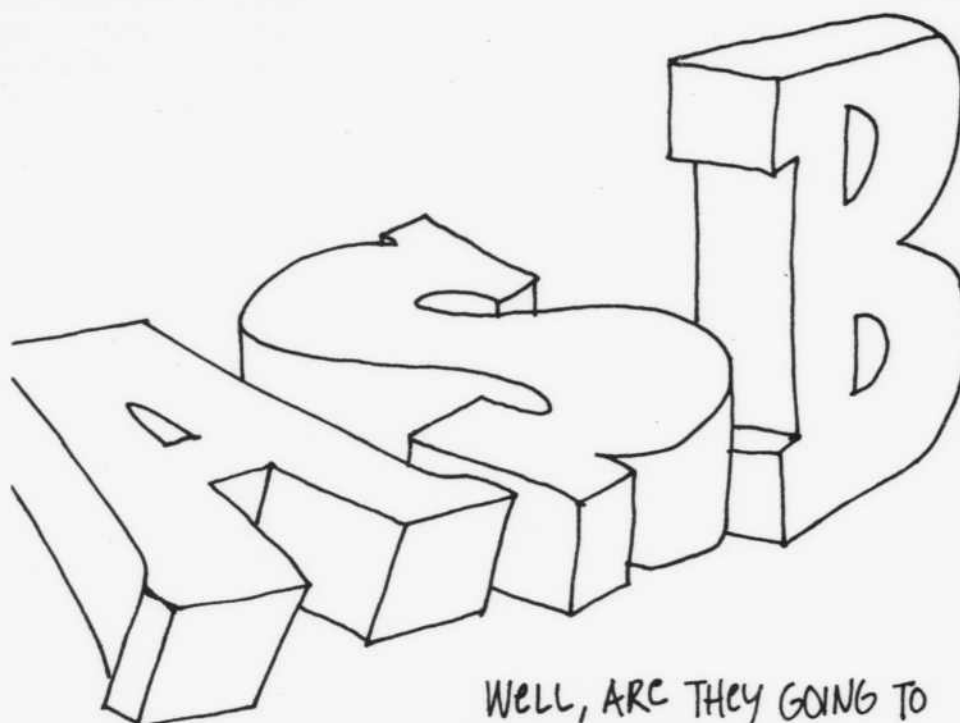
One thing you can say about Republicans is they sure have

rhythm, especially the Catholic ones. They are natural dancers and can do even the most difficult tap dance steps with ease and grace.

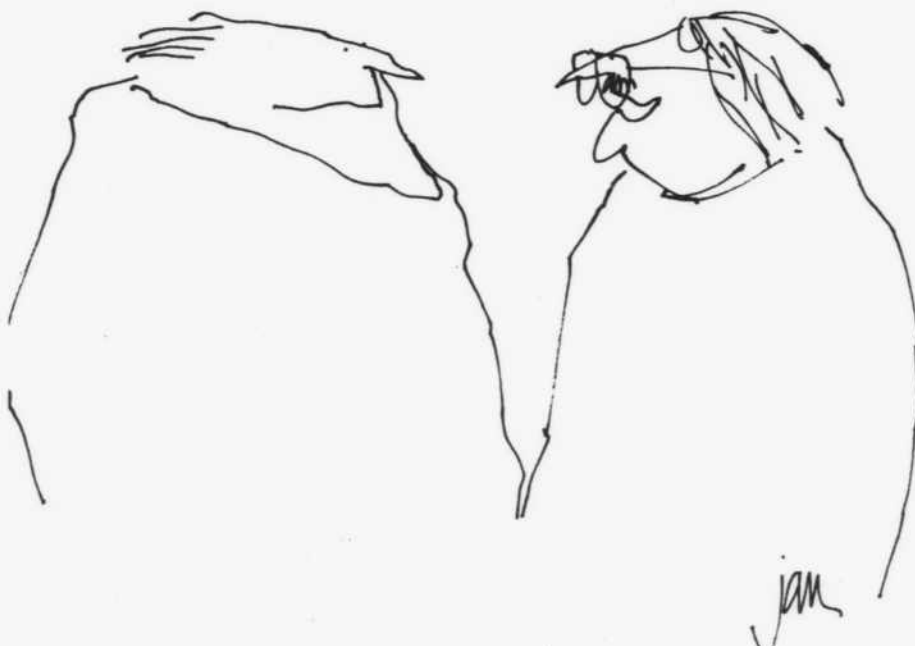
And sing! When Republicans go to church—they are a very emotional—they can sing like a choir of angels at a shepherd's convention.

When I was a young boy in Georgia, we used to have a whole bunch of Republicans to work our farm. We treated them real good and they were always polite and respectful to their superiors. I mean employers.

Now some people will say that Republicans are lazy and worthless and will lie and cheat and steal if you turn your back on them. Well



WELL, ARE THEY GOING TO  
PROP THOSE TWO UP OR  
KNOCK DOWN THAT ONE?



let me say this, if these people wouldn't turn their backs, they wouldn't have a thing to worry about.

Other folks say that "the only good Republican is a dead Republican." I disagree. Think of all the good fighters we would lose if we killed the Republicans. And think about this: Who would do the laundry and drive our cars and shine our shoes if they were dead?

Well?

Once upon a time, long ago, there was this old and wise Republican that looked at a common, ordinary plant and thought about all kinds of things he could do with it. In the end, he had discovered over five hundred uses for this particular plant. And do you know what that plant was called?

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Imagine that!

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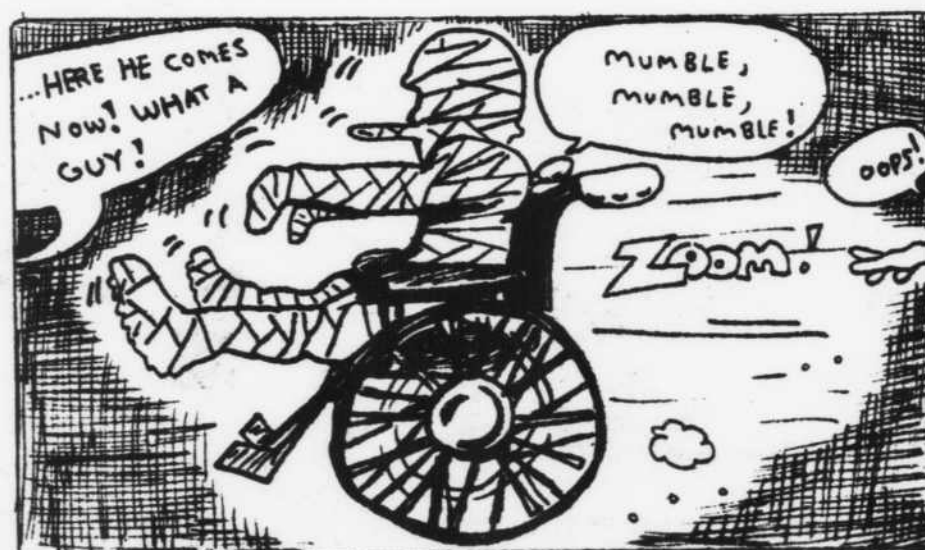
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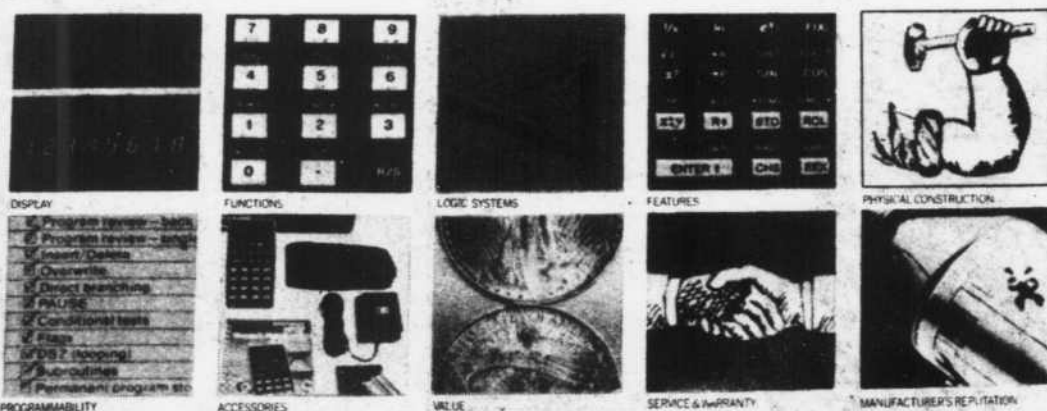
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A plan proposed by the State Department of Transportation last week would require as much as 50 feet of new right-of-way from residential property adjoining the intersection, where Tennessee veers off to one side, forcing drivers to face into oncoming traffic while crossing Main Street.

Another intersection, at the corner of Tennessee and Greenland Drive, is also part of a widening plan, but has not caused the controversy of the Main Street proposal.

At a public hearing Tuesday, more than 80 residents of the area gathered to inform state officials of their objections to the plan. Several persons in attendance submitted counter-proposals as an alternative to the state plan.

Paul Allen of the Transportation Department said the plan would create additional turning and through lanes by widening of Main Street starting at Second Avenue, and matching the expansion with a similar widening of Tennessee.

Many of the trees would be cut down on that side of the street, especially in the yard directly across the street east of Davis' Market. In addition, many trees in the yard of Cecil Elrod III would be destroyed.

"Nobody's blind to the fact that some corrections need to be made," Elrod commented, but he said he objected to the state's present plan.

Elrod and others retained a lawyer to defend their feelings in the hearing. The attorney, Granville Bouldin, compared the plan to "a virus that could spread westward" through the residential district to the city square.

Bouldin presented alternatives to the Transportation representatives at the meeting, one of which included a creation of a pair of one-way street lanes to relieve crowding as traffic turns off of Main onto Tennessee.

## Campus meetings planned

The first meeting of the 1977 Midlander staff will be at 8 p.m. on Sept. 8 in the Midlander office in the Student Union Building.

According to Editor Tim Hamilton, upcoming plans for the yearbook will be discussed and "we'll all get naked and jump in a pile afterwards."

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A meeting of advertising and public relations students and members of PRSSA has been scheduled for 4 p.m. Monday in room 204 of the Student Union Building.



Staff photo by Tom Coombes

Two views of the East Main Street-- Tennessee Blvd.  
intersection that may soon be widened

## Refunds given for SAGA cards

Students who still have \$5 cash value cards from last year's SAGA board plan may redeem them at the MTSU business office, according to Robert LaLance, vice-president for student affairs.

"We're trying to close out the relationship with SAGA," LaLance explained. ARA has

replaced SAGA this year as the MTSU food service establishment.

"It was understood last year by the students that the \$5 cards would be good anytime at all MTSU food establishments," LaLance said. "A number of students carried these cash cards over to this year."

He explained that the university is reimbursing students for the cards in an attempt to "make good" their cash value, and added that the university will attempt to recover the reimbursement amount from SAGA.

## ASB plans free football transport

A free bus to the Tennessee State football game has been acquired by the ASB, president Richard Langford said yesterday.

The bus will leave campus at 5 p.m. for the game at Dudley Field in Nashville, and can hold as many as 60 passengers. Attendance on the bus will be on a "first come, first served" basis, and the

cheerleaders will be riding along on the bus.

"We want as many people to ride to the game and see the Raiders play as we possibly can. No one has an excuse for not going," Langford said.

Persons wishing to ride on the bus should come by the ASB office or call 2464 today, Langford said.

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## Harry gives 'em hell at Landing concert

There are two impressions one receives after watching Harry Chapin perform.

The first is that he's truly a versatile, creative genius in his own right. . Secondly, he is a fairly honest entertainer. By this, I mean that while some performers come out and give you good choreography but nothing to satisfy the hunger for musical ability, Chapin responds to the "spiritual" needs of music.

**SIDE SHOW**  
by Tom Wood

This is self-evident in two ways—by his "story songs" and by his appearance Sunday at Hermitage Landing in Nashville, where he worked for 2 1/2 hours non-stop alone a la Paul Simon.

Chapin opened the show by explaining that he was giving all proceeds to World Hunger Year, a foundation Chapin began a few years back. He said he didn't want to run up expenses by bringing the rest of the group in, the reason for the solo appearance.

After introducing his group anyway, he broke into a somewhat lengthy new song called "Corey's Coming," followed by an explanation of his brand of music.

"I have this bad habit of writing lengthy songs—well over the three minute mark set by AM stations," Chapin said, adding that 45 rpm records are "little pizza wheels bought by pre-pubescent females."

Next came a solo version of W-O-L-D, an almost impossible task. Chapin inserted his own background vocals, a gesture the audience responded to warmly.

"A Better Place to Be," the story of two lonely people, brought nods of understanding from the crowd, followed by the "most perverted song I ever wrote," according to Chapin. "30,000 Pounds of Bananas" was a lively little tale with no real ending.

Chapin claimed his first two endings to the song were met by his band members with the phrase, "It sucks," and added the phrase was a "technical term used in the business to describe the Osmonds."

"The Mayor of Candor Lied" was almost as perverted, though. It's a story of a boy in love with the mayor's daughter, but the mayor will not permit a marriage of the two. Seeking to have it out with the mayor, he goes over to the mayor's



Staff photo by Chuck Thompson

## Twain returns for yearly campus visit

by John Pitts

Sometimes it might seem like Mark Twain or a reasonable facsimile visits this campus every fall.

Well, it's not a bad idea.

There has never been a humorist, American, French or otherwise, who could create the images or capture the imagination like Twain.

And since he's gone, we still have people like B. C. Jones to thank for bringing his words back to life.

Jones' performance of Twain, in a show called "The Trouble Begins at Eight," was a fairly standard recitation of the Hal Hollbrook Mark Twain monologue, and was well received by the small audience in the DA Auditorium on Wednesday night.

Twain's sly and caustic remarks about many topics, ranging from religion to people he has met, dominated the show.

"Man stands somewhere between the angels and the French," Twain/Jones says. He also created "the true religion...several of them."

Jones' ability to create several distinct voices for his characters was a highlight of the show that never seems to get old, from a writer whose words will never be forgotten...hopefully.

house where he finds his mother in the sack with the mayor.

With the mayor's re-election only one month away, the boy attempts to bribe the mayor into permitting the marriage. After saying he would allow such, the mayor does a double-take and goes on a month-long foreign vacation.

When the mayor returns without his daughter, who decided to finish her schooling in Europe, the boy and the mayor have it out once again. And as the story turns out, we find the mayor's affair with his mother has existed for quite some time, and the boy is the mayor's illegitimate son.

Some of the other songs he did were full of Chapin's views of the world, including "Jamie's Song," the "counterpoint to Cats in the Cradle;" "Mr. Turner," the story of a man who loved to sing, tried the stage, was ripped apart by critics, and never sang again except late at night; and "Bummer" the story of a drug addict who went to war, and won all sorts of medals, only to come back stateside as a nobody once again and get killed robbing a grocery store.

# ENTERTAINMENT



## Martin madness invades MTSU

by John Pitts

As he strides onto the stage, you think he could be anything—his casual white suit could be that of an insurance salesman or a golf pro.

But by the time he leaves, you know that Steve Martin is only one thing—crazy.

Armed with such weapons as a banjo, balloons and oranges, Martin came to the D.A. Auditorium Friday night and executed a frontal assault on reality that was, by all appearances, successful.

"It's great to be here," Martin says. Then, moving a few feet, he fires back "In fact, it's great to be here." The stage is set for something the packed house was delighted to see—pure madness.

Martin is a good banjo player, and his musical interludes helped keep the act moving. "I Remember Lilly" is probably his best musical effort, telling of a woman instructing a man to remove her clothes, apparel he happens to be wearing.

Martin's monologue was interrupted on occasion for discussions with audience; when someone got up to go to the bathroom, Martin decided to follow them. "I remember when I drank my first beer," he told an insistent heckler.

Martin said early that "I don't like to offend people," then quickly asked "How many fags do we have here tonight?"

The musician-comedian admitted "I always get sentimental when the bicentennial comes around," then told the tale of how his girlfriend died: She drank too much one night, insisted on driving herself home and so he shot her.

Martin wandered through the audience, went outside for a while and then returned to the inside where he told a few hundred who remained to await his return that his show was really over, a confusing ending to a crazy kind of night.



Photo by Quad Rice

## Concert calendar

Sat., Sept. 4

JIMMY BUFFETT and the OZARK MOUNTAIN DAREDEVILS will be on hand at Hermitage Landing for the outdoor resort's final show of the summer. Ticket price is set at \$5, and are on sale at all Sound Seventy locations and at Hermitage Landing.

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Sat., Sept. 5

Those Texas rock 'n' rollers, Z Z TOP, will appear in conjunction with the State Fair as part of their World-Wide Texas Tour. Over 30,000 were on hand for their last Nashville appearance. Ticket prices are \$8 by mail order and \$10 the day of the show. Send mail orders in care of Sound Seventy in Nashville; 1719 West End Ave., 37203. Enclose check or money order, plus stamped, self-addressed envelope and \$.50 for handling.

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Thurs., Oct. 21

FRANK SINATRA makes his first appearance ever at MTSU, his

second in the mid-state area this year, for one show at 8 p.m. Tickets are on sale now, mail order for \$12.50, \$10 and \$5. A block of tickets will be available to MTSU students, faculty and staff, beginning Sept. 1 in the Student

Programming Office, third floor, University Center. Students will receive a \$1 discount with the first two tickets purchased. Mail order available through: Sinatra Tickets, Sound Seventy Productions, 1719 West End Ave., Nashville, Tenn. 37203. Enclose check or money order along with stamped, self-addressed envelope, plus \$.50 for handling charges.

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## U.C. Cinema



**CANDY** Ewa Aulin, Marlon Brando, Charles Aznavour, Ringo Starr, James Coburn, Richard Burton, Walter Matthau, John Huston, Elsa Martinelli. Dewey-eyed Candy is attracted and attracted to all kinds of men. In her journey to find her half-maimed, half-lost father, she encounters a far-flung gallery of lecherous men; a Welsh drunk poet (Burton); a mixed-up Mexican gardener (Starr); a right-wing general (Matthau); a perverted duo of doctors (Coburn and Huston); a pathetic hunchback (Aznavour); and a salami-eating Gurr (Brando). Add to this several unscrupulous aunts and an egotistical uncle and Candy finds herself in a ridiculous quest verging on the absurd and surreal. The film directed by Christian Maquand parodies and satirizes a whole line of exploitation and exhibitionist literature.

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up in the Student Union Building lobby and went through a number of hilarious impersonations, including Richard Nixon, Elvis Presley, Paul Lynde, and local furniture personality John F. Lawhon.

As for the concert itself, Hot Dancing got a late start because of technical difficulties, and when they finally did get underway, hope for a really great concert dwindled sharply.

While the first set got off on the right foot with "Get Down Tonight" by K. C. and the Sunshine Band, but for some unexplainable reason, got progressively worse as they neared intermission.

The thought struck this reporter that "disco" music was probably their best sounds, until they got around to David Bowie's "Fame", that is.

And the less said about their

version of "Desperado", the better.

It seemed the faster the beat of the song was, the better Hot Dancing performed it. Some examples of this were Stevie Wonder's "Superstition" and the Doobie Brother's "China Grove". Their best number must have been Gary Wright's "Love is Alive," because they played it three times.

The second set was somewhat better although Dick Clark would have rated anything they did a 55.

On the whole, however, Hot Dancing turned out to be no better than lukewarm at best.

## Movie log

Cinema One -- "Murder by Death" now showing, 7, 8 :45 p.m.

"Taxi Driver" starting Sunday.

Martin 1 -- "Midway" now showing, 7, 9:25 p.m.

Martin 2 -- "Billy Jack" starts tomorrow, call theatre for times.



Photo by Tim Hamilton

by Tom Wood

There are, and have been in the past, many things which can be said about the annual dance for freshmen during Orientation Week and this year was no exception.

For instance, the best thing that happened at this year's dance was not part of the scheduled show.

A McMinnville sophomore by the name of Joe Lay (surely you've heard of his brother Frito) took over at intermission of the dance, where a group named Hot Dancing from Nashville was performing.

Lay, urged on by friends, stood

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## Balloons, Thunderbirds to fill Smyrna skies

Balloon races, the Thunderbirds and a 40-man parachute exercise squad will highlight the Tennessee Aviation Days '76 air show, which begins tomorrow at the Smyrna Airport.

Also on hand will be a number of antique and experimental airplanes, dating back as far as 1920.

Spotlighting the Thunderbirds for a moment, the Air Force aerial demonstration team has been making appearances around the country since 1953, and has grown in size from 23 persons to 74.

An assault on the world parachute "hookup" record will be attempted by 46 jumpers who will

try to join hands in an enormous mid-air circle. The group will be given four chances to break the old mark of 36.

The balloon race will be the last event of each day, and judging will be measured by distance and altitude. Eight to 10 balloons will be entered in the contest.

Sponsored by the Donelson and Smyrna-LaVergne Rotary Clubs the festival gets under way at noon with the gates opening at 10 a.m. For ticket prices and further information, call (615) 367-3030. Tickets may also be purchased at the gate.

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## Being a "marked man" won't scare Mike Moore

by Chuck Cavalaris  
Sports Editor

Mike Moore is a marked man. He knows that the crowd will follow him, trying the whole time to unfasten his body from the neck down.

There is going to be a bounty on his head each time he steps on the field. He knows it. The strategy is simple: Stop Mike Moore and you will beat Middle Tennessee.

"I know what it will be like," Mike said. "They are going to be gunning for me. It's something that I am going to overcome, though. That will make my senior year a lot easier."

Moore did what no other sophomore--what no other player--has ever been able to accomplish in one season of carrying the football for MTSU.

On 212 carries Mike strolled 1,247 yards, many times running over some folks. He had some collisions that shook the farmlands around Woodbury.

He became only the second rusher in MTSU history (Bobby Young did it in 1953) to crack the 1,000 yard barrier. Mike finished with 1,247. Somebody decided he qualified for the Offensive Player of the Year. The next day it was made official.

After bringing down the house with his first act, what does the Chattanooga native plan for a curtain call?

"I'm hoping we will win the OVC. That's more important than any goal I could set. If the team does good, the rest will just come natural," Mike explained.

Moore isn't spreading idle gossip. He believes MTSU "will beat a lot of people this year." The team agrees. Head coach Ben Hurt

### TSU discount ticket sale concludes today

Today is the last day MTSU students can purchase discount tickets to the Tennessee State game in Nashville tomorrow night.

Each student with a valid ID can purchase a \$2 ticket. All tickets will be \$5 Saturday.

MTSU ticket manager Jim Simpson is handling over-the-counter sales in the coaching complex of Murphy Center. Tickets will be on sale today from 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

Students must enter Dudley Stadium through Gates S, T and U.

has worked some magic in two years.

"Coach Hurt totally turned this program around. He brought in discipline; short hair, having to shave and all. We work a lot harder now than in my freshman year (under Bill Peck). Coach Hurt has just changed the atmosphere."

Moore's future is bright, according to offensive co-ordinator Bobby Baldwin.

"He can be anything he wants to be," said Baldwin between two-a-day practices this week. "Mike has unlimited potential. He works hard

and has one of the best attitudes I've ever seen."

Baldwin knows running backs. Just ask the Dallas Cowboy's Robert Newhouse. Or Paul Gibson and Dickie Post. All played in Baldwin's veer offense.

The publicity and honors haven't made Mike Moore a stud.

"There is a lot of pressure on me right now. Nobody really knew who I was this time last year. It is something that takes adjustment. I don't want anybody thinking I've got the big head," Moore said.

Moore graduated from Chattanooga Brainerd in 1974. His high school coach, Carey Henley, decided Moore was a good blocker and that's what he did in a full house backfield.



**BREAKAWAY**—Record-shattering fullback Mike Moore (40) explodes from the clutches of a would-be Austin Peay tackler last year.

## Taylor's summer peril: where to play basketball

Larry Brown is the man responsible. But Sleepy Taylor said it was probably the hardest decision of his life.

"I thought about transferring," Sleepy said of his cakewalk decision to enroll in Elon College, a private institution in North Carolina.

"I didn't know if it would be the right thing or a mistake. I knew everybody here and I like the place and all. This team is just like a family to me," Sleepy said last night.

But it was Brown, the head coach for the Denver Nuggets, that stuck in the back of Sleepy's mind.

"The reason I would have transferred would have been having a better shot at professional ball. The NAIA is a good conference for that. But I kept thinking about what Larry Brown said, if you are good enough it

doesn't matter where you are playing."

Sleepy said the reports of the decision to transfer were premature and sometimes false.

"I wasn't going to Elon because my girlfriend goes there," Sleepy said, referring to a report in the Nashville Banner. "I came back because I thought things over."

The knee injured last summer is coming along, Sleepy said. "The knee feels good. I feel my muscles coming back up. By season time I should be in top condition."

Taylor's return eased fears on the basketball team that two possible MTSU starters would enter school elsewhere.

John Hunter, a 6-9 highly sought postman, has yet to enter school. The Junior College All-American reportedly is under pressure to attend Loyola in Chicago.

He didn't care about getting dirty.

"I didn't get to carry the ball all that much. They said to block, so that's what I did. I wanted to go to college, but an injury my senior year scared a lot of coaches away," Mike remembered.

"It was about this time my senior year when I got hurt," Mike explained. "I was trying to cut up field and had to stiff arm this little defensive back. I missed him and fell over his back," Moore laughed.

## SPORTS

The result was a "muscle strain" near the collarbone.

"It took about the fifth game of the season to get over it physically, but it took a lot longer to get over it mentally. Something like that is hard to get out of your mind," Moore offered.

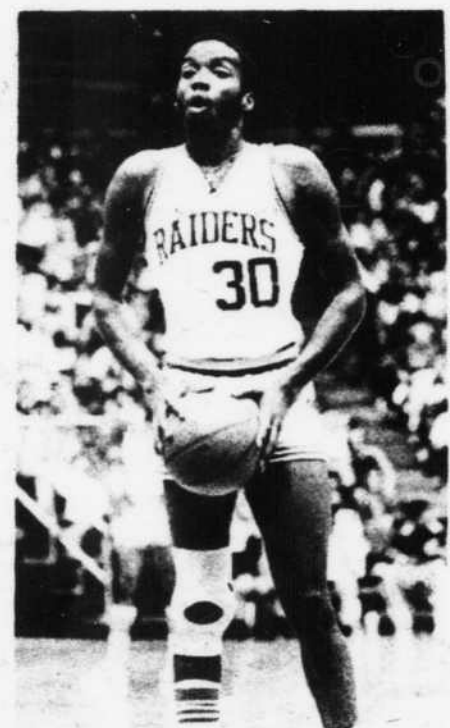
How did he end up at Middle Tennessee?

"I had heard before the TSSAA All-Star game (at Horace Jones Field) that MTSU was interested in me. Fred Rhordanz (previous MTSU quarterback) told me they were interested. He went to the same high school I did.

"When they offered the scholarship, there was no doubt in my mind about taking it. The funny thing is that I signed as a linebacker. And they gave me the scholarship before the game," Mike said.

Mike Moore is one day away from beginning a possible second straight record-shattering year. The record he wants is kept on the scoreboard.

He'd trade all the glory for one OVC championship ring.



Sleepy Taylor



## Merritt says Tigers are gonna come out firin'

by Chuck Cavalaris  
Sports Editor

John Merritt's violin is still finely tuned.

During his 13 years as skipper of the Tennessee State football helm, Merritt has sung many a sad song before gametime. Somehow, TSU has escaped countless disasters with a 106-19-3 record.

"This is the slowest preseason practice we've ever had," Merritt revealed over the phone yesterday. "We haven't got a lot done. We can't find any continuity.

"I'm not just crying either," the TSU coach said. "I've just got to wonder how we are going to do."

Merritt said the problems have permitted him to be on the "practice field just six times so far." He points to three of his stars and says "that's why."

SYLVESTER HICKS is out for the season with knee problems. He is the "Tiger showpiece," according to Merritt. Hicks, a 6-5, 240 pound defensive end, was the leading tackler a year ago and was named the team's most valuable player.

OLIVER DAVIS could have been the best TSU defensive back in the school's history, Merritt says, had it not been for a strained knee injury suffered recently.

SYLVESTER LAWSON, tight end, was suspended indefinitely for disciplinary reasons.

**"Hell, we are just going to rear back and throw the ball."**

"The thing we were most worried about was depth. We just didn't know these problems would hit us so soon, but it has," Merritt said. "But ready or not, we will show up."

Merritt hinted that Frank Thaxton would open at quarterback instead of last year's started Austin Thompson.

Thaxton took over quarterback duties after "an excellent spring practice and a good showing in our last four games in 1975," Merritt said.

"Sure, we hope to come up with the big play," Merritt said. "We throw the ball. There's no secret about that and other teams make no secret about stopping us. We will run from the pro set."

Gerald McRae is the Tiger's big "long bomb" threat in 1976.

"He could be the greatest receiver we've ever had," Merritt explained. McRae missed most of last season with a leg injury.

Like Middle Tennessee, the TSU offensive backfield is stocked.

Nathan (Suitcase) Simpson is the leading rusher on the team. He churned out 4.3 yards per-carry in 1975. The No. 2-3 rushers from a year ago also return (Nate Simpson

and Lawrence Barnes.) Both are punishing runners.

But TSU doesn't plan on running each series.

"Hell, we are just going to rear back and throw the ball," Merritt said. "We just tell 'em to run as far as they can and we throw it. We don't try to hide that.

"Hell, we figure that our four downs might as well be three passing. And one of those three we might convert to a long gain. Our offense is going to get you sometime," Merritt predicted.

Eight starters return on the TSU defense.

"Stan Johnson (defensive tackle) spent more time in our backfield last year than our backs. He was possibly their best player in the spring," offensive co-ordinator Bobby Baldwin said.

The Tiger line consists of Maurice Fitzgerald (6-4, 221), nose guard Sylvester Tibbs, Danny Johnson and tackles Johnson (6-4, 248), Jesse Duramus (6-7, 240) and James Franklin (6-6, 250).

**"I don't even know the**

**color of their uniforms."**

Give it to us straight coach, what do you know about MTSU?

"We will go into this game very cold. Really don't know anything about 'em. I don't even know the color of their uniforms," Merritt said.

"Middle Tennessee should be the favorite. I don't think there is any question about that. As a matter of fact, they should be about a nine point favorite. But I feel like more than a nine point underdog."

## Snazzy Raiderette recruits set sights for 'title match'

by Joe Gregory

Basketball season is just around the corner and it's looking better

than ever for head coach Pat Jones and the Lady Raiders.

The team returns all of the starting five.

Five recruits have been added: Liz Hannah, a Junior College All-American from Cleveland State; Karen Carter, another Junior College All-American

The Lady Raiders also picked up three high school players who played on the Murfreesboro National Championship AAU Jr. Olympic Team. They are Nancy Bolen, Oakland High School, Kathy Riley, Smyrna High School and Patrice Amos, Hillsboro's MVP in the region tournaments.

"With a year's experience, plus the new recruits, we should be tough. Our goal is the national championship," Jones said.

## Probable MTSU Starters

### OFFENSE

No.	Position	Name	Hgt./Wgt.	Class
16	TE	Jack Fuqua	6-4, 226	Jr.
70	LT	Frank Long	6-2, 230	Sr.
68	LG	Tom Wright	6-1, 230	Sr.
51	C	Chris Keen	6-2, 210	Jr.
71	RG	Steve Sullivan	6-5, 243	Fr.
78	RT	Alvin Palmer	6-1, 240	Jr.
87	SE	Jeff Shockley	5-11, 165	So.
11	QB	Mike Robinson	5-10, 175	Jr.
43	RB	John Dukes	5-10, 170	So.
40	FB	Mike Moore	6-1, 210	Jr.
22	FL	Gary Burchfield	5-8, 164	Jr.

### DEFENSE

41	RE	George Goodson	6-1, 220	Jr.
60	RT	Morris Bell	6-2, 230	Jr.
58	LT	Reggie Bell	6-1, 225	Fr.
75	LE	Eddie Wright	6-1, 220	Sr.
31	LB	Andra Bullock	6-1, 192	Jr.
47	LB	Jim Dunster	6-0, 215	Sr.
13	LB	Tony Buck	6-1, 190	Jr.
15	CB	Johnny Carver	5-9, 177	Jr.
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## Blue Raider Veer T is just like a boxer's jab

Bobby Baldwin is in his second year as the offensive co-ordinator for Middle Tennessee State's Veer T offense. He is one of the most knowledgeable football minds in America.

During his nine years at the University of Houston, Baldwin coached such stars as Dickie Post, Paul Gipson, Robert Newhouse and Puddin Jones. He moved to the University of Kansas as offensive co-ordinator in 1974. Baldwin's name is synonymous with high-powered offense.

by Bobby Baldwin  
Offensive Co-ordinator

I certainly appreciate the opportunity to discuss the Veer T Offense with you.

The first thing we feel we must do is establish a total offense, not just plays. We prefer it to be simple, but more important than simplicity is effectiveness.

The most important thing in offensive football is execution, and the best way to get good execution is by repetition. The more times you run a play right, the better chance it has to be effective in a game.

While we try to establish the run, we feel we must be able to throw effectively to have a complete offense. Because we lean more to the run, our throwing out of the running game has been more effective than the drop back pass.

The Veer T Offense gets its name from a play known as the "Triple Option." The basis of the veer is a 3 on 2 blocking scheme which releases the two end men on the defensive line of scrimmage and leaves two offensive men, the tight end and flanker free to be down field blockers or pass receivers.

In all other options, only one defensive man is left unblocked.



Bobby Baldwin

The objective of the quarterback is to get the defensive tackle and end to commit themselves and then react to their commitment.

If the tackle comes up field, the ball is handed off to the diving fullback. If the tackle tackles the FB, the quarterback will option the defensive end. Should the end take the quarterback, the ball is pitched to the trailing running back.

If the end comes up field and takes the running back, the quarterback runs with the ball.

(See Example 1)

The veer play is like a boxer's jab. The veer is our jab. The knockout punch is the complimentary offense that is used after

the defense makes their adjustments to stop the veer.

If no adjustments are made we will jab them to death with the veer.

When the safety comes up to help out the run, we will throw a pass to the tight end who has been blocking the safety.

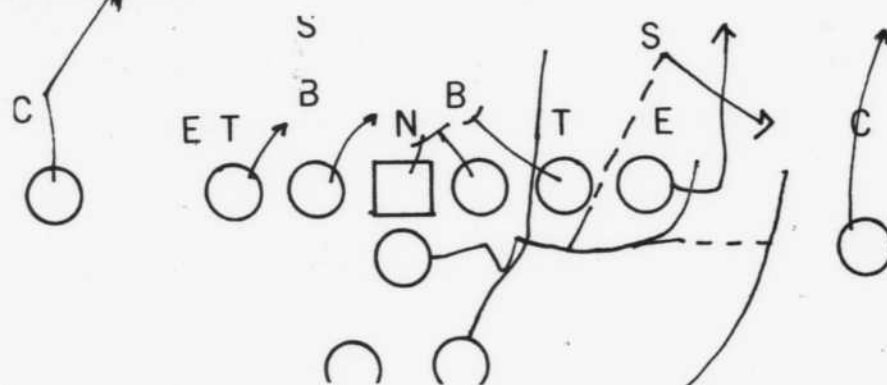
(See Example 2)

I think that the players have proven that the offense is simple.

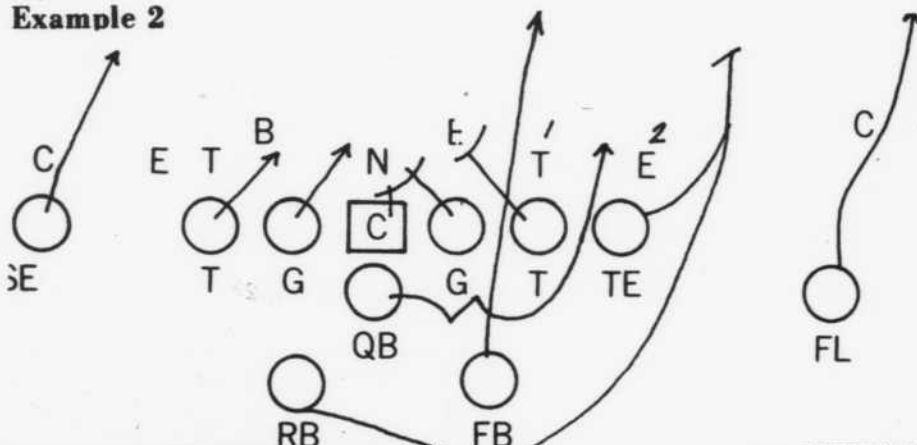
Since we have been through two spring practices and one season and now are beginning our second season of the same repetitions, our execution should be greatly improved.

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Example 1



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## Hurt's opening act: close but no cigar

It's the kind of coaching decision that causes shivers and goosebumps from the sandlots to Yankee Stadium.

You know, the make or break move. That gamble all the great coaches seem to get away with. And the one that sends a verbal tidal wave of "I told you so's" rushing to his doorstep and mailbox.



Coaches, both good and bad, cringe when an enticing piece of strategy backfires.

Ask Ben Hurt, MTSU's second-year head football coach.

It was a pleasant 73 degrees when Hurt stepped onto the artificial turf of Dudley Stadium just about this time last year. They were his first steps as a head coach. Murfreesboro, this is your football savior, they said.

The first half was spent waiting

for Tennessee State to demolish a young and virtually unproven MTSU team...It did not happen.

Middle Tennessee fans stopped talking of "just making a good showing" after the first half. At the concession stand rush, the score was tied 14-14.

John Merritt had smoked a box of cigars.

Midway through the third stanza, Middle Tennessee began a drive from the Blue Raider 14-yard-line. The offense clicked to perfection. After 13 plays, MTSU faced a fourth and one at the Tiger six-yard-line.

Ben Hurt took the daring gamble. MTSU went for the first down. TSU held.

The Tigers followed with a TD drive. Lawrence Barnes plowed into the end zone of the first play of the fourth quarter. The scoreboard didn't change. TSU won 21-14.

"Sure, I'd go for it again," said Hurt, who distained a possible tie with Carson-Newman the following week in a successful move that

netted a dramatic 22-21 Blue Raider win.

Tomorrow night's season opening clash between the budding, but bitter rivals (TSU holds a 2-1 edge) suspends the shadow boxing. They tee it up at 7:30 p.m. at Dudley Field.

MTSU's lone win came in 1974 when the Blue Raiders derailed a national title express, 20-10. TSU took the first meeting (Ed "Too Tall" Jones' final year) without much difficulty, 23-0.

This is a young but powerfully potential MTSU team.

Question marks hang over virtually each facet of the team. Tops on the list is a defense that was last a year ago in the OVC.

A healthy Morris Bell (number 60 in the program) could be the big difference. The 6-2, 223-pound defensive tackle is "quick as a cat and mean as a snake," according to line coach Ray Hughes.

Bell has been resting a sore knee, but he brings Junior College All-American awards to MTSU. He is All-OVC caliber.

Another defensive player to watch is middle linebacker Jim Dunster, a savage-hitting transfer from the defunct Tampa University grid program.

The 6-0, 215-pounder was a

starter his junior year at Tampa.

Both coaches, TSU's Merritt and Hurt, agree that the team with the fewest mistakes will win. But it goes a step farther.

Both schools boast high-powered offenses that can score from any point on the field. It seems natural that the team with the better defense holds the advantage.

Middle's quick (and small) defense could face the biggest test of the season. But the swarming bandits of blue have my vote. I think Middle Tennessee will win by a nose.

## Check 'da tube

### Saturday

TV 5: Noon—US Open Tennis  
3 p.m.—World Series of Golf  
TV 2: 2 p.m.—Rodeo Special  
4 p.m.—Wide World of Sports  
6 p.m.—Skywriter's Tour  
7 p.m.—NCAA Preseason Football Special  
8 p.m.—NFL Football: Houston vs. Dallas

### Sunday

TV 5: 11:30 a.m.—TSU Football Playba  
Noon—US Open Tennis  
3 p.m.—World Series of Golf  
TV 2: 10 p.m.—The Champions  
11 p.m.—The Ben Hurt Show

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## Stanford's 'dirty dozen' dim hopes of second OVC title

by Gary Pryor

Head coach John Stanford is busily rebuilding a Blue Raider baseball team that boasted an overall 35 win-14 loss record in 1976 to become the OVC champs.

"We lost 12 seniors," the coach said, thinking ahead to the 1977 season. "The hardest part will be to replace the good leadership from those seniors. But I feel that the team will come together all right."

Stanford will be looking to All-OVC players Danny Moore and Rick Chesire to spark another championship. Centerfield Moore

broke school records (stolen bases in '76 and batted .376).

Returning shortstop Ben Lankster, pitchers Bob Hardin and Steve Smith, are the remaining seniors who form the nucleus of the highly touted Raider ball club that was 10-2 in conference play last season and advanced to the NCAA tournament.

Second baseman Bert Fuqua, a sophomore, "will have a whole lot of people challenging him for that position," stated Stanford. Third base has a sophomore Keith Rentscler and junior Carrie Maxwell battling for a starting role.

Sophomore pitchers Pete Sinopoli and Mike Graham saw action last year and may figure heavily in the Blue Raider's plans. Other returnees are utility infielder Donnie Johnson and pinch hitter Bob Harrington.

"We look good on paper and our recruiting looks good," Stanford said thoughtfully. "But we can't tell about the team until they hit the field. By mid-October we'll know what kind of team we have when we play Memphis State in a double-header."

The coach was enthusiastic over a good recruiting year, signing several Jr. College All-Americans. There were some late signees, and the coach expects "a whole lot of walkons this fall."

New recruits include rightfielder Tim Womack and left handed pitcher Mike Moore, both All-Americans from Cleveland St., and Tom Nichtene and J.R. Farrah from Motlow St.

Other signees are Carrie Maxwell from Volunteer State, Rusty Scott from Atlanta, Ga., catcher Tom Zakotkit from Silver Springs, Md., and Pete Hendrick from Castle Heights.

When asked about George Ploucher, last season's star pitcher,

who is now in Covington, Va., Coach Stanford said that "Houston is very high on him after his last two starts where he pitched 1-0 and 4-1 wins."

Stanford said he was "happy to have infield coach Steve Peterson back. Our graduate assistant coach is Carmen Fusco, taking over Randy Darnell's place. He works with outfielders."



John Stanford



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# Campus Recreation Activities

## Fall Semester 1976

Office Hours: 8-12; 1-4:30 M-F

AM 203 Phone 898-2104

EVENT	ENTRY MEETING*	START DATE
Softball	7 September	13 September
Swimming	7 September	13-14 September
Tennis	9 September	15 September
Racketball (Singles)	20 September	27 September
Car Rallye	28 September	1 October
Volleyball (Women)	12 October	18 October
Flag Football (Men)	12 October	18 October
Handball (Singles)	13 October	18 October
Bike Derby	27 October	1 November
Turkey Trot #	22 November	22 November
Basketball Free Throw Contest	No Entry Meeting	3 December

#Sign up at picnic area behind Murphy Center.

### \*Entry Meetings

The entry meetings serve a very important purpose. They will be held prior to the beginning of each activity. The rules, dates, times, ground rules, eligibility of players and teams, league and tournament draws, awards to be issued and general info questions are discussed at each of these entry meetings; therefore, it is required that a representative of each team be present to hear these items and to discuss general questions about the particular sport. All entry meetings for sports scheduled for the fall semester will be held in the Alumni Memorial Gym at 7 p.m. on the designated date for each sport.

### Recreation Equipment Check-Out Service

The campus recreation office operates an equipment check-out service which makes available to the students a variety of equipment for them to utilize in their recreative pursuits. The check-out room is located on the lower level of the Murphy Athletic Center, adjacent to the faculty dressing rooms. Students may check out equipment by simply presenting a valid student ID card. Equipment available includes: badminton nets, shuttlecocks and rackets, basketballs, footballs and flag belt sets, golf clubs, handball gloves and balls, horseshoe sets, racketball rackets and balls, soccer balls, softball bats, balls and bases, tennis rackets, tents, volleyballs and nets. All equipment is expected to be turned in on the same day as checked out for use. The only exception is through prior approval of the Campus Recreation Office.

The recreation equipment room schedule for the fall semester 1976 is:

Sunday	1:00-6:00 PM
Monday-Thursday	4:00-9:00 PM
Friday	2:00-9:00 PM
Saturday	12:00-9:00 PM



Campus Recreation Staff, left to right— Alvin Boyd, Activity Supervisor; Jim Starling, Co-Rec & Faculty-Staff Programs; Mitchell Chambers, Team Sports Director; Jane Williams, Special Events & Tournaments; and Joe Ruffner, Campus Recreation Director.

### Officials

Officials are needed during the fall semester for softball, flag football and volleyball. Any persons interested in officiating should check by the Intramural Office, AM 203, prior to the below indicated meeting dates also make plans to attend the official's clinic which is required of all persons working as officials. Scheduled clinics are as follows:

### Recreational Swim

The MTSU swimming pool will be open 28 August 1976 for recreational swimming. All students, faculty, staff and their dependants with a recreation card can gain admittance to the pool be merely showing their ID card or recreation card. Spectators will not be allowed. If you are going to enter, then you must swim. The following will be the operating hours for recreational swim for the fall semester:

Sunday	2:00-4:00, 6:00-8:00
Monday	6:00-8:00
Tuesday	4:00-6:00
Wednesday	6:00-8:00
Thursday	4:00-6:00
Friday	4:00-6:00
Saturday	9:00-11:00 AM

### Fitness Swim

The MTSU swimming pool will be open beginning 7 September 1976 for fitness swimming. All students, faculty and staff desiring to participate must present an ID card to gain admittance to the pool. Spectators will not be allowed. The fitness swim hours are as follows:

Tuesday	12:15-1:30 PM
Thursday	12:15-1:30 PM
Friday	12:15-1:30 PM

### Special Events

		Sign up	Starting time	Place
November 22	Turkey Trot	3:30 PM	4:00 PM	Picnic area
October 1	Car Rallye	1:00 PM	2:00 PM	Driver Edu. Range
November 1	Bike Derby	2:30 PM	3:00 PM	Driver Edu. Range
December 3	Basketball Free Throw	9:00 AM	4:00 PM	Intramural Dept.