## The fitumentian

## Students fear sociology prof was hired in haste <br> with the decision." He points ou

## by JoEllen Ottenberg

On the first day of the term, Lawrence interviewed its first candidate to fill an opening in the sociology department. Three days later, the candidate, William Markham, was hired to fill this second position in the twoman sociology department.
Markham was one of three candidates whom Richard Kurz, instructor of sociology, Charles Simpkins, instructor of sociology, and Chong-Do Hah, professor of and Chong-Do Hah, professor from government around 65 or 70 applicants among around 65 or 70 applicants for the position. A search committee composed of themselves, three other faculty members, and a committee of seven students a presentation by Markham and an informal reception. Its members then submitted their evaluations to the sociology department.
According to Kurz, the faculty who verbally presented their pinions to him all gave Markham "reasonably strong recommendations." He felt that the students' response, in the form of written evaluations and questionaires, on which he put a "strong, emphasis," was
reservations on the part of the students.'
While the students found Markham to be fairly wellqualified, they felt strongly they needed a basis for comparison in order to adequately judge him. As committee member Mark Krogman, '78, points out, "Virtually everyone wanted to see more candidatates before the decision was made." Cindy Figge ' 77 also regrets "not that they gave the bid to Markham, but gave the bid to Markham, but
that they didn't interview other that they didn't interview other
candidates." The students excandidates." The students ex-
pressed this concern in their pressed this concern in their
evaluation forms by urging that more candidates be brought to Lawrence to be interviewed.
When Markham was hired immediately, students were frustrated and felt that their input which had been encouraged by the faculty and administration, was, in the final analysis, ignored. Linda Fisher ' 79 a member of the student committee says that what committee says that what
"bothered me more than anything else"' was that student "interest and time" put into the "interest and time" put into the hiring process was "wasted."
Phoebe Grant, 76 , an economicssociology major, commented, "I
don't understand how they can justify hiring without any comparison. It was the most subjective and incompetent hiring process . . . now they've lost student interest and they're going to have to get it back somehow."
The sociology department began recruiting immediately after Simpkins resigned on 20 February. Letters were sent to all graduate institutions which offer degrees in Sociology. An advertisement was placed in Footnotes, a monthly publication put out by the American Sociological Association (although it had not yet appeared when Markham was hired.) In addition, letters were written to five or six caucuses within the Association who have contact with minorities and women sociologists. "We did not want to estrict our hiring practices at all," says Kurz.
The department then received 5 or 70 applications out of which 65 or 70 applications out of which there were only three "really strong candidates for con sideration, Kurz said. Kurz at tributed this problem to the fact that the market in sociology is "no nearly as tight" as the market
in other disciplines. "I was concerned about the fact that the people we want can find jobs. Most good sociologists have found jobs by March." In that regard, he explained, the recruiters had a late start. "So we had to move."
The two other qualified candidates, both women, were doubtful prospects - one flatly turned down the interview offer and the other could not come to Lawrence unless her husband could find a job in the area. Since Markham had a competing offer at another institution to which he at ad to reply in a couple of days, had to reply in a couple of days, Kurz, Simpkins, and Hah made the recommendation to Thoma Headrick, vice-president fo academic affairs, that Markham be hired immediately
Headrick describes the student attitude at the time as "neutral" With regard to their feelings about hiring Markham with no basis for comparison, he com ments, "I'd like to have looked at three or four other people . . . but I've seen people who haven generated overwhelmingly positive interest succeed very well." Headrick, who has "in terviewed 35 sociologists in six years" feels that Markham has the "strongest academic record" of any candidate he has ever of any can
interviewed

Although Simpkins feels that "in principle, it would have been "in principle, it would have been candidates at the minimum," he says, "I certainly can't disagree
that Markham did not use his that Markham did not use his Lawrence offer as "leverage in
the bargaining process the bargaining process
elsewhere." Instead Markham elsewhere." Instead "Markham
was a candidate who "late in the was a candidate who "late in the
hiring season genuinely wanted to come to Lawrence

Student recommendations also reflected their concern about the reflected their concern about the candidate's willingness to defend and maintain the sociology department in the case that it continued existence should ever come into question by the
University. Fisher hopes that University. Fisher hopes that Markham "would really fight for us."
In this respect, Headrick feels Markham is "very strong" and will maintain the quality of the department. When he cut the third position from the sociology department in January, he was hoping to stabilize the department. He feels that in Lawrence's present financial situation a "two-person department stronger than $a$ three-person department a third person brings in the possibility of inbrings in the possibility of in stability. It presents an unknown quantity , which we're better off without.'
He believes that two people can "mold a good, solid curriculum He thus feels that it is a very important factor that Markham is "different but compatible" with Kurz. "If we can get two people who are really cooperating, it's going to be a strong program.

## Long range planning first meets Tuesday

The Long Range Planning Task Force will hold its first meeting on Tuestay afternoon, President on Tuestay afternoon, Presk
Smith announced this week.
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Though Smith has set. Though Smith has set. the agenda for the first meeting, hes has not yet appointed the trustees and alumni who are to serve on the Force. In addition to the four trustees, three administrators, and three alumni, the Task Force includes ten students and ten faculty.
The students appointed by LUCC are Cindy Estlund, Peter Musser, Cindy Figge, Ben Graebel, Dave Woboril, Linda Pride, Margaret McCulla, Jim Murphy, Ann Hackler, Steve Glowa, and Paul Schwab (Term I).

Smith will discuss structure and procedure for the group in he first meeting, and plans to outline some of the large questions the group will be asked to consider. These questions were formulated by Smith and Sherwin Howard, assistant to the president.
Smith indicated that the main part of the work will begin after part sub-task forces are named This should be done at the second This sinal meeting of the term which will be held before commencement
Work will proceed slowly at Worst according to Smith; for first, according sudgeting may prove to be a problem. "We have proved asked a number of foundations for aid amounting to about 35,000, but so far we have had no response. The money will be used to pay those who will be working onmmer. It will also be
used to pay professors who will be released from teaching to concentrate more fully on the project. Possibly, the money could be used to bring in experts o confer with the group on specific problems
Smith stressed that money is already available to cover some of the costs of the project. "We have a little budget of about $\$ 10,000$ which we scraped together. But with outside fun ding we'll be able to do more. ${ }_{\text {Smith }}$ believes the job will be difficult because it involves so much proction The committee will be making projections about changing demographic patterns changing demographes in the as well as changes in th economy. They wimportant liberal evaluate how importanten year arts colleges will be fitteen might from now, and what mo happen to enrollment and plan student-faculty ratio. Thistan will be subject to constared modification, Smith aittee will not get bogged down in not get bogged down that "philosophic discus,
could go on forever results will come together a year or so from now," said Smith. "I don't know of any school of this size that has atschool of a planning procedure like this one The final results the his be of interest to all should be of have less than 2500 students.

Smith has indicated that there may be an opportunity for public hearings on the proceeding wich are open to the comunty. The first meeting of the Committee will be held in Downer at $4: 30 \mathrm{pm}$ Tuesday.

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## Messy hiring policy

The procedure used in hiring the new sociology professor, Markham, is questionable. Why was the first serious can didate, who was not overwhelmingly approved of, hired?

The Sociology Department's contention is that Markham looked like the best candidate, though they qualify the statement, adding that they were working within time constraints.

It's hard to believe there were only three candidates out of 65 who were worth interviewing. It is unfortunate, too, that Hah, who was a member of the hiring committee, refused comment on the ground that "I am a faculty member." He added that "the administration is the official source.

But perhaps the question of how much input the students had in the decision-making process is the most unsettling of all. Their reactions were mixed. Not totally impressed, they made the reasonable request that other candidates be brought in for purposes of comparison. It is unfortunate that their request was denied

No one, except the students, is willing to re-evaluate the hiring process now. The general feeling of the faculty and administration seems to be "it's over, forget it." Simpkins says he is worried that condemnation of Markham's hiring will give him a bad start here.

Our aim is not to pre-judge Markham, but to suggest that perhaps as a result of this incident we should take a closer look at hiring policies. The Affirmative Action committees are examining important questions about what groups will be represented at Lawrence in the future.

But there are some other, perhaps more basic and disturbing questions which need to be answered, such as: are enough faculty members directly involved in the hiring process, and do students, the ones most directly affected by hiring decisions, have enough say in this hiring process?

## Smoking bill vetoed <br> other legislation

President Jim Reich President Smith vetoed an which would have banned smoking in classrooms. Smith said in a letter to the community said in a letter to the community the main reason for his decision was that the "bill would have encouraged "strong emotional responses." While smoking is clearly a health danger for smokers and offensive to many non-smokers, he continued, am convinced that laws prohibiting it will not stop it," discouraging see advantages in iscouraging smoking.
'One has to be realistic," Smith went on, saying that he thought hrough the day without smoking "Outright prohibition would not change their needs," he said, but such legislation enforcement would only create problems: He oresaw the possibility that the bill could create disrespect for

Smith wondered if there were not other ways to encourage the reduction of smoking, such as those considered by LUCC las segregation of smokers and non smokers. As for the provisions this year's bill palling smoking breaks duringing fo Smith said he found it "diffieult to fathom". the disruption to fathom" the disruption o classroom continuity which the said, 'has not yet worked he enough on the yrat worked hard enough on the practicalities of the legislation, no matter how laudable its objectives.

In conclusion, Smith said any new action by LUCC, "should the needs and accommodating the needs and desires of both well as paying moreaters as well as paying more attention to the rights of both groups

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## Don't rush cut-backs

To the Editor:
As the products of the baby boom pass their college years, those important in making tenure decisions at Lawrence con tinually emphasize the dim future for private institutions of higher education and the necessity for these institutions to plan for decreased enrollment in order to survive. I question the value of the survival of an in stitution, the professed purpose of which is the "liberal education" of its students, when its concentration on selfpreservation leads it to forget or disregard its function.
The recent decision concerning he Slavic Trip namely the the Slavic Trip, namely the decision to limit the number of undergraduates who may par icipate in the experience offere biyearly to a mere 30 , is one such attempt at survival. Eliminating the unique educational op portunities currently offered by Lawrence will dim rather than brighten Lawrence's "Light more light," perhaps more rapidly than the light of other similar private institutions is dimmed.
The report of the Select Committee on Planning dated September 1969 valued the four years at Lawrence for what they mean ". . . by themselves: the time of inquiry, of intellectual emancipation and growth, of falling in love with the world of deas, and of making a habit of i all." The Slavic Trip is the most "emancipating" of the programs Lawrence offers. Withou demeaning the value of other foreign programs, I would like to emphasize the unique quality of
the opportunity afforded students by the Slavic Trip
Students travel through many countries, experience a wide variety of cultures, and develop an increased self-awareness. They correspondingly improved their understanding of others as they encounter not only the various cultures but the day to day problems and joys shared with each other. The eight "young adults" cruise, sometimes not so smoothly in their "little mothers" that many people refer to as "vw many" people refer to as ". Germany or and studying in Germany or France is not difficult for a student to arrange without the aid of Lawrence University, the relatively free travel in the Eastern European countries afforded students by the Slavic Trip would be implausible without the cooperation of a large number of students and the organizational leadership of Prof. Smalley.

Cutting the number of Slavic Trip participants will have many derogatory effects. The trip will become a program, for all practical purposes, exclusively for Slavic majors. Thus, not only will the "inquiry" of non-majors be reduced, but the learning of students on the trip from one another will also be limited. Without a geology major on the bus, I am sure that we would never have learned about the geologic formation of the geologic formation of the push our bus through the rapidly washing-away-beneath-us
Georgian Military Highway
The future of private institutions for liberal education does not lie with conservatism;
nor does it lie with maintaining or
unique. It dependent on the ability of those n authority to recognize the various ways in which programs can be enlightening, and a concern - with the constant development of those activities which prove to be most rewar ding.
Cutting the number of potential Slavic Trip participants will not ncrease the number of terms spent at Lawrence by Lawrence students. I, for one, would probably not have returned to years if it had my sophomore anticipation of the Slavic Trip the following of the Slavic Trip the alone. Other students have told me that they, too, questioning the value of a "liberal education" at Lawrence, also came back for a sophomore year only because of the Slavic Trip.
Fortunately, the many programs offered by ACM will continue to draw students to at east one of the thirteen affiliated colleges. Expanding and developing programs unique to Lawrence, such as the Slavic Trip, will continue to draw students of diverse backgrounds to Lawrence specifically, and will make them want to stay here and be an active part of the Lawrence community for four years. Hopefully, Lawrence's purpose, that ambiguous "liberal education" which, being unique for every individual, can only be provided by offering many alternatives within the institution, will prove to have been not temporarily forgotten and authoritinently disregarded by maintenance of the institution.
-LESLIE BOUTON

## REVUEWS.o.REVIEWS.

Mr. Smith Goes to Washington Unfortunately my financial situation limited my ability to go to a movie this week. Also, the only new movie in town happened to open the night of my deadline. I decided instead to look at some of the movies that are being offered on campus this term. I admit that I was influenced by the Film Classics' selection this week-end Mr. Smith Goes to Washington, which is a personal favorite of mine.

In comparison to All The President's Men, Frank Capra's fable of corruption seems rather sophomoric and quite naive. But the movies are of different eras, reflecting the cheer that Hollywood was producing in the 1930's for the Depression-struck audiences. In the 40 some years since that time, social realism in film has fashioned bleakness to replace much of the fantasy Film, as a medium, has too much of a hold over the public's consciousness not to be used to deal with reality. But the escapism inherent in many of the films of the ' 30 's', allows people some release from the overwhelming bad news that is constantly being broadcasted.

This sermon does actually have a point. All The President's Men concisely details the powe workings of an American President with all the trapping of a semi-documentary, Mr Smith gives us a caricature of political corruption, using all the stereotypes: the drunken reporter the cynical side-kick reporter, the naive hero But ckick has the naive hero. But Capr with across. Both movies the poin across. Both movies are worth quality. What I lament is the lack
of magic which films today possess.
Mr. Smith Goes to Washington is one of Frank Capra's long string of social comedies. Capra never hits the audience over the head with his message, but prefers rather to cloak it in laughter. Exercising a personal control over the entire production that was unusual in the days of tight studio control days of constructs movies that Capra, constructs movies that keep the audience's attention. Much of the credit is due to Robert Riskin, the co-screenwriter, who als
It Happened One Night.

Capra handled the actors well; he never let them bog down the action. His comedies always move from one clearly defined goal to another; each point is carefully set off for the audience. Jimmy Stewart makes a perfect Jefferson Smith; a country hick who does bird calls. His foil is Babe, Jean Arthur, the aide who
knows where all the bodies are buried.
If you
If you can handle some of the more blatant cliches, then you'll find the movie enjoyable and not completely worthless

Spring Term 1976 Exam Schedule
Monday, June 7

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Tuesday, June 8
8:30 a.m.
11:10 MWF
1:30 p.m.


INDIA students say cheese.
Photo by Alison Tallard

## Text of Smith's veto

The recently passed legislation concerning moking in the classroom has evoked widespread interest and some heated feelings. The attendance at the LUCC meeting was among the largest in recent years. The letters in the Lawrentian pointed up the intensity of feeling. I have also been called upon by a representative of LUCC to support the
legislation, and a petition signed by thirty faculty legislation, and a petition signed by thirty faculty members strongly recommends a veto of the legislation.

The legislation raises an issue not limited to our campus: may some people have the freedom to smoke where other people may be offended by or, indeed, even suffer from the smoke? Yet in its present form on this campus the issue is now framed to encourage strong emotional responses. If one opposes the legislation, he appears to favor smoking and the health hazards it may entail for all - smokers and non-smokers alike. If one favors the legislation, he appears to ignore the freedom of smokers and to countenance infringements upon their personal style.

Smoking is clearly injurious to the health of the smoker. It may injure those who, voluntarily or unvoluntarily, inhale air contaminated by one or more smokers. In other ways, smoke may be offensive to non-smokers as well. Much as I see advantages to all in discouraging smoking, I am onvinced that laws prohibiting it will not stop it.

One has to be realistic. Some people, both students and faculty members, cannot function for 70 minutes during their waking hours without smoking. Deprivation increases their tension level and affects their performance. Outright prohibition will not change their neeeds. It only encouourages
non-compliance which, if it occurs, may tarnish the respect for other regulations and their makers. Is there a way to encourage the reduction of smoking in general and smoking in classrooms without taking a position which makes some faculty members for students dysfunctional? It has been reported to me that the resolution concerning smoking in classrooms, which was passed by LUCC last year, was not well communicated and explained to those who should be concerned. There has not been a fair chance for teachers and students to respond to that particular resolution. Maybe there should be. A physical separation within the classrooms, the smokers from the non-smokers, may be attempted in large lecture rooms. That cannot work, however, in a small seminar with six cannot work, however, in a smants seminar with six who are offended by smoke need not take a class who are offended by smoke need not take a class which includes smokers is scarecely a way to encourage sensibly developed academic programs. Equally difficult to fathom is LUCC's suggestion that a class have its continuity broken or its spontaneity interrupted by an exodus of smokers to the narrow hallways for brief periods. It strikes me that LUCC has not yet worked hard enough on the practicalities of the legislation, no matter how audable its objectives.

I have, therefore, vetoed LUCC Legislation No. 44, dated April 14, 1976, and received in my office on April 26. Any new action or initiative should, to my thinking, work on ways of accommodating the needs and desires of both smokers and non-smokers and, perhaps more to the heart of the issue, increase the concern and respect which members of each group have for the rights of the other
-THOMAS S. SMITH
by Ann Francis The atmosphere of the Lawrence campus is "really Student organizations seem to 'have a very low energy level,' "'There are a lot of activities her. during weekdays but on weekends things seem to peter week

These are impressions of Jenifer Hale, a sophomore from St. Olaf College, who has been at Lawrence for five weeks She is one of the students preparing for one of the students preparing fo the ACM India Program

Students on the program are studying Hindusim, language, politics and history in preparation for six months of study in India beginning 10 June Hale and other members of the program expressed mixed feelings about how Lawrence compares to other ACM schools Hale said she agreed with others on the program who had voted the Lawrence campus the ugliest in the ACM. She remarked that the St. Olaf campus is "prettier" and more secluded than Lawrence's. "Here there is nowhere to get away.
Randy Best, a junior from Grinnell College, said tha because Grinnell is "in the middle of nowhere" studen committees are forced to give campus activities a high priority The activity organizations at Lawrence, he feels, are less ef fective than at Grinnell. The campus is deficient in "little things, such as a chess club." He cited the recent problems of Coop as an example of low student morale.

Overall, Hale does not fee Lawrence organizations are
administered as efficiently as are those on the St. Olaf campus "There is just more to do on campus there," she said Dances are held every other weekend and there are weekend professional are severa "It really bums me out year people think there is nothing when people think there is nothing to do every weekend ", she
Thom Garrard, from Carleton College, said his from Carleton College, said his school's ac tivities committee receives $\$ 40$
from every student providing an from every student providing an annual budget of $\$ 70,000$ for tha committee. Much of the money is used for concerts. "This week I'm missing Bonnie Raitt," he said. He feels Carleton is much more academically oriented than Lawrence. "I spend a lot of my time in the library," he said adding that he is very impressed with Lawrence's library.
Best put the case more strongly. '"Mudd makes Grin nell's library look like a barn.' He was less impressed with other campus facilities. Alexander gym is inconveniently located and has "really poor" equipment.
The housing at Grinnell also poses less of a problem to the student. There are more facilities, which makes the room selection "less cut-throat." The typical dorm at Grinnell he said, "makes Brokaw look like a mausoleum.
Hale admitted that it is difficult for a visiting student, who is not active in student organizations, to "get a fair picture" of campus involvement. "I really like the people I've met here," she said, and my professors have been very helpful.'

## Pap tests available

Pap tests will be administered free of charge, courtesy of the Wisconsin chapter of the American Cancer Society The test will be available to student the health center Saturday, at the 12 noon, 1 pm- 5 pmand May 9 m - Women 12 pmond $6 \mathrm{pm}-8 \mathrm{pm}$. Women hould sign up in person with the health center nurses.
The American Cancer Society indicates that the Pap test developed by Dr. George Papanicolaou, has been a significant factor in reducing the death rate from uterine cancer The test is 95 percent effective in detecting cervical cancer, one of the two types of uterine cancer. Women should have the Pap test yearly.
Data indicates that there is a higher-than-average rate of cervical cancer among the following groups of women: those who have early sexual activity those who engage in sexual ac tivity with several partners black women; and women in low
income groups Abnormal bleeding or discharge may be importan early signs of uterine cancer Results of the Pap test will be sent to the woman's personal Physician, if the doctor practices in Wisconsin, or if the woman can provide the doctor's address Other women may specify the health center physician as the recipient of their results

Due to time restrictions, only a limited number of women will b able to receive the test. Women who have had a Pap test in the last year, who are, or think they may be pregnant, or who wil have their period at the time o the test administration should not sign up for an appointment. If it becomes necessary to cancel an appointment, students are asked to contact the Health Center promptly. Further information may be obtained from the nurses at the Health Center, or from Jeanne Tissier, ext. 654

## Saturday is the end of the sixth week. Thismans

1. Last chance to return textbooks until the end of term buy back peroid.
2. All textbooks are returned to the publisher next week.

Winning Through Intimidation, Robert Ringer, 1.95
-This best seller explains what intimidation is, why you are often imtimidated, and how not to be intimidated.

## Reminders for Seniors:

1. Cap and Gown orders are due by May 24 to avoid a 2.00 service charge.

Operators and Things, Barbara O'Brian, 1.50
-The personal account of a woman's six months as a schitzophrenic.


# THIS WEEK AT LU 

Tonight
:30 p.m. Arthur Simon will the Right to Food Symposium in Riverview Lood Symposium of his address is "Citizen title of his address is can on Th Why Winter, ood .00 p.m. Cathy Winter, a Bostonparform in She is widely a coffeehouse. Boston area for hermed the Boston area for her innovative lues and slide guitar as well as her original ragtime and folk numbers
11:30 a.m. "The Last Hurrah" will be the Sig Ep's final spring party. Besides the music there will be a Tug o' War (with prizes), 15 cent beer, 25 cent burgers and brats, and 10 cent ice cream. In case of inclement weather, the party will be held in the second floor bathroom of the Sig Ep House.

Sunday
$: 15$ p.m. The Children's Recreation Program will meet at Plantz prior to taking part in the Phi Tau sponsored "Olympics.
:00 p.m. There will be a genera meeting for all interested sky divers and prospective sky divers in Colman Lounge proposed date for group and a will be the topics lessons meeting, For more inform the contact Jon Sterbe ext 64 Tuesday
7:30 p.m. The Photographic Society will hold a modeling ession at the Art Center and either take the picture come at your picture the pictures or get your pictures taken
grass Boys will Hill Bluegrass Boys will once again be performing at the Coffeehouse. An admission fee may again be charged. Coffeehouse eats and beverages will be available. Come dance the night away.

Wednesday
.00 p.m. There will be an International Folk Dancing session in Riverview Lounge. Come and learn folk dances from Europe, the Balkans, and the Middle, East. No previous experience is necessary. If you have any ethnic music records please contact Randy Best at ext. 330 .
neral Announcements
Polling and elections
Anyone interested in chairing the LUCC Polling and Elections Committee, please contact Rolf on Oppenfeld, ext. 649

University committees
Petitions for positions on University committees are still being considered; please return the forms to Rolf von Oppenfeld (Sig Ep House) immediately. from petitions are available off-campus rep
Anyone inferested
Anyone interested in the position of off-campus LUCC representative please contact Rolf von Oppenfeld, ext. 649. Tropos editor
An editor is needed for Tropos for next year. If you are interested, contact John Holdridge, ext. 383, or Sarah Mustoe, ext. 379.

J-Board elections
Anyone interested in running for J-Board, please contact Rolf or J-Board, please contact Rolf Wednesday The Judicial before Wednesday. The Judicial Board junior, a soped of two seniors, a junior, a sophomore, and a freshman. The board handles all matters of non-academic rule infractions.


Photo by Alison Tallard
CLEVER LAWRENTIANS liberating a forest friend to use for May Day planting.

## Larrys plant their roots

Hundreds of people from the Lawrence community planted 44 rees around the campus last Saturday. It was campus last Saturday. It was the May Day
gift brainstorm of Anne and Tom gift brainstorm of Anne and Tom Norman, the head residents at Forty
Forty-eight groups and individuals sponsored the treeplanting. The included administrators, office staffs and faculty. Student groups, small house residents, fraternities, dorm floors, and classes were also involved.
All types of trees were planted: ash, birch, flowering crab, locust, maple with the strategic exception of elm. Four trees are being held until spots are ready or them. The others were planted near dormitories, in front of the Chapel, on Union Hill and the red brick house near Sage, which is now University property. Nó trees were planted around Main Hall, since Smith is developing a fifty-year plan for hat area.
When Anne was commended on her efforts to maintain the ecology of the campus, she commented.
"I know how easy it is to say strip-mining and air pollution are bad, and sit back in your arm chair and do nothing So I just want to say that all the people who chipped in for a tree are really preat," , for a tree are


Matrix concert
There will be a Matrix concert on Saturday 15 May at 8 p.m. in the Chapel. the concert is sponsored by Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia. Admission will be $\$ 1.00$ in advance and $\$ 1.50$ at the door Campus tours
Giving tours of the campus is more than just pointing out buildings - it is letting a prospective student see how he or she might fit into the whole picture of Lawrence. The Admission Office is looking for 15-20 students to give campus tours to prospective students and other visitors next year. If you are interested in spending two or hree hours a week showing people what Lawrence is all about (and getting paid for it) call ext. 232 to arrange an in terview.

Senior art exhibit
Works by Tim Shillcox will be displayed in Worchester Art Center May 9-15. The exhibit will be open for public viewing from 10 to 10 daily and 2 to 5 on weekends.

Graduation reservations Make reservations now if your parents want the convenience of staying on campus when they come for graduation For the per person per night the $\$ 3.00$ per person per night they can and Saturday Friday 11 June and Saturday 12 June, or both is limitedervations soon, as space is limited. Call Peter Watt at ext 354 to reserve a room.

Head residents
The Dean's Office announces three openings for head residents for the 1976-77 school year. Ap plicants may be members of the faculty, staff, recent graduates or other interested persons. Basic qualifications include an interest in undergraduates, a commitment to the residential philosophy in undergraduate education, and ideas about enriching the residence hall environment. A baccalaureate degree, experience in residence hall setting, and human relations skills are also highly desirable Interested persons or couples should contact Dean Hirby, Dean Pillinger, or Mrs. Kasten at ext. 227 or 228 . Completed ap plications are due on Friday 14 May.

General Announcements Continued
Munich seminar
There are still a few openings for the Fall 1976 Munich Seminar In exceptional cases students who have not fulfilled the language requirement might be considered. For further in ormation please contact Miss Friedlander at ext. 404, Main Hall 24C, or 733-3342.

Financial aid meetings
All students leaving Lawrence after this academic year who have received educational long. term loans from Lawrence are asked to attend one of two meetings. The purpose of each meeting is to ensure that each student knows all of the terms and conditions of the loan in cluding when the loan repayment commences, deferment options and possible teacher cancellation for part of the loan. The meetings will be held on Sunday 9 May and Sunday 16 May at 2 p.m. in Main Hall 119. If you cannot attend one of these meetings please call the Financial Aid Öffice, Ext. 240.

Waples counselors
Waples House group rome is seeking two responsible, mature young persons interested in working with delinquent boys to be live-in counselors at the house Duties include tutoring, coun seling, and weekend supervision of the boys, as well as par ticipating in recreational ac tivities with them and occasional weekday supervision The position, which is full-time during the summer and half-time during Further school year, begins 15 June. Further information about the Waples House program may be obtained from the director, William Siebers (734-9681). Submit letter of application and resume to Dean Hirby no later than 20 May
Anyone student week
New Stue wanting to work on any Student Week should contact any of the following people as soon as possible: Marina Tanzer, ext. 314, Mike Wilensky, ext. 232; Dean Lauter, ext. 225.
The secretaries for the Coop, LUCC and the Student Activities office will be available during the following hours for dittoing, trip sign-ups, equipment rental, and sales M. 9.45-12 1. $\cdot 30-4 \cdot 30$ Tu: $9-12$; $1: 30-2: 30$. W: $9: 45-12$ : $3: 30-4: 00$. Th: $9: 45-12 ; 11: 30$ 4:00. F: 2:40-5:00.

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## Our tennies

by Bob Liebman
Alternating between Alexander Gym and the Fox Cities Racquet Club the Lawrence University Club, team defeated Michigan Tech 5-4, in a match which went ech 5-4, in to the final set
right down to the Vikes took a 4-2 lead after single play and looked like they ere heading for a sure victory were ho 1 for LU Bob Liebman was defeated by Wally Wright 6 , 4-6, 64; No 2 Jack Anderson , 4-6, 6-4, No. 2 Jack Anderson John Chandler romped past Dan Olson 6-2 6-3. No 4 Dave Toguchi Olson 6-2, 6-3; No. 4 Dave Toguchi lost to Rod Norris 7-6, 6-3; No. 5 Gary Kolker slipped by Ken Cooper $7-6,6-3$; and Kevin Rhoades came back to beat Greg Oliver 3-6, 6-1, 6-4.
Lawrence's top two doubles teams were beaten and the match suddenly became very close. Anderson-Rhoades lost 6-3, 6-3 and Liebman- Toguchi dropped a $6-5,6-4$ decision. It was up to the No. 3 doubles team of KolkerChandler to pull out the victory. The Lawrence duo scored a 6-0, 5-$6,6-5$ victory by winning the deciding tie-breakers in the third set, 5-1.
Wednesday saw the netters travel to Beloit where they romped past the Bucs 9-0. Rain forced the matches to be played in the world famous Wagon Wheel (home of Janet Lynn)


RUGGERS PREPARING their brothers for extreme action.

## Beloit awaiting trackers

by Don Arnosti
Last Saturday the Viking track team took on Michigan Tech, St. Norbert, and Ripon in a quadrangular meet at St. Norbert's. Lawrence soundly beat both St. Norbert and Ripon, (for the third or fourth time this season) while they came in second to a strong Michigan Tech team by a mere five points.
Outstanding performers for the Vikes were Bob Eddy, who took first in the high jump at 6 ' $51 / 2$ " and Ron Wopat, who grabbed a first in both the shot-put and the discuss. Eddy's jump was only discuss. Eddy's jump was only $1 / 4$ " under the school record.
Wopat hurled the discus $167^{\prime} 1^{3 / 4}$ ". Wopat hurled the discus $167^{\prime 3 / 4} 1^{\prime \prime}$.
He broke his old school record by He broke his old school record by
more than 6', and put himself more than 6', and put himself
among the top three in the nation in the NCAA's division III. Dave Rosene nabbed first in the pole vault with a jump of $13^{\prime} 3^{\prime \prime}$. First in the long jumb was Dave Foss, with a spring of $20^{\prime} 4^{1 / 2 \prime}$.
Clinching seconds for Lawrence were Gary Weiss in the shot, Shawn Woods in the 120 high hurdles, Rob Stevens in the long jump, and Steve Neuman in the discus.
Tomorrow the team travels to Beloit for the Beloit Relays, a big
meet with 16 competing teams from all over the Midwest. It starts at noon and does not end until past 9 p.m. Many team Lawrence has not seen all season will be there, such as Grinnel Coe, and several Illinois teams The Beloit Relays is the last meot before the Midwest Conference Championships at Grinnell May 14th and 15th Said head track coach Gene Davis "We have a good team that has been working hard all season, and we are looking for a top place in the conference."

At No. 1 for LU, Bob Liebman breezed by Harmon 6-1, 6-0; No. Jack Anderson won by the same scores over Madic; No. 3 Dave Toguchi beat Oppenheim 7-5, 7-5; No. 4 Gary Kolker raised his singles winning streak to nine with a 6-3, 6-0 victory over Crom; No. 5 Kevin Rhoades slipped past Slocum 6-7, 6-4, 6-1; No. 6 John Van Duzer won 6-2, 6-3 over Giegelow. Tom Walker ac companied the team but did not play All the doubles teams wo in 3 sets.

This Saturday the squad has home meets against St. Norbert and Lake Forest. On Sunday Chicago travels to LU to do battle with the Vikes.

## Despite boners, ruggers win

by Bruthy Ruggerhugger The Lawrence ruggers bit, spit and tore to a victory over the Green Bay team, in what was the first formal game for our "boys", in blue. There were actually two games played; the "A" side winning $4-3$ and the " B " team inishing with a score-less tie. The first game was viciously The first game was viciously played burimmares had than reflecting our increased "savoir reflect
Throughout the match the intimidating Lawrence defense with standouts like Mike Knipe, Dan Rogers, and Jeff Johnson sacrificed their bodies in the Philadelphia style of play. The game was far from continuous as Green Bay players were frequently strewn about the field requiring last rites (an obscure form of extreme unction using Olympia beer.) One player commented "life should have been played on Teflon, would have made clean up easier." In
the more debased circles of the sport, namely the scrum, three rookies: Sam Morris, John Cipriani, and Gary Weiss added some much needed muscle to overpower the opposition.
Green Bay drew first blood by place-kicking what unenlightened football fans would call a field goal (worth 3 points.) The only other score came when the mighty Al Zagzebzobzooski breached with an errant pass; saw nothing but open sea; and with a few swats of his mighty flukes dove into the endzone. All he Green Bay Ahabs could do was trail helplessly behind. In the better interest of prolonging spectator climax, Lawrence graciously declined to turn the match into a rout by pulling several boners near their goal line. Despite this gentlemenly gesture, Green Bay's frustration increased causing some less than hygenic behavior "I don't believe it that guy just spit on me", quoth Ben Grable at one

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point. This "faux pas" only resulted in the expectorer being run over by the expectoree later in the match
Despite the intensity of play on the field, rugby players maintain a high level of sportsmanship, with only occasional lapses. Only once was there a "meet ya afta" invitation. However, there were terrible things said about people's mothers. Pain and il will are rinsed away immediately after the game. "What other sport can you kick a guy's ass, then put your arm around him later," waxed one player sen timentally Special tribute should be paid to our loyal ruggerhugger be paid to our loyal ruggerhugger fans who came home with just as many bruises from burly rugby players. There are no silent bus rides home in rugby as Dave Page will attest. Nobody's a loser either, except for the insurance companies and they just raise the premiums.

Bob Eddy soared to a new Frosh record with a high jump effort of 6 feet, 5 and one half inch last Saturday in a meet at St. Norbert. His effort broke a 26 year old LU freshman record and was only onequarter inch away from the LU varsity mark. This jump LU varsity mark. This jump
was only one-half inch off the was only one-half inch off the Midwest Conference high jump mark of 6-6 set by
Ripon's Jim Kohl, who Eddy beat in the meet

## Intramural Badminton Results 1976

 MEN'S SINGLES| Joe Fasano | Delt | 6 wins | 50 pts. |
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| John Cipriani | Phi Delt | 5 wins | 40 |
| Bruce Marshall | Colman | 4 wins | 30 |
| Rob Campbell | Phi Delt | 3 wins | 20 |
| Greg Dawley | FiGi | 2 wins | 10 |

## WOMEN'S SINGLES

Leslie Schiemann Delta Gamma
50 pts.

## MIXED DOUBLES

Bruce Marshall (Colman) - Miss Lyon (Faculty) Rob Campbell (Phi Delt) - Sally March (Plantz) John Cipriani (Phi Delt) - Ellen Jakes (Plantz)

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40 pts
30 pts

## MEN'S DOUBLES

Bruce Marshall (Colman) - Mark Miller (Ormsny) 50 pts Rob Campbell (Phi Delt)-Mark Breseman (Phi Delt) 40 pts

## WOMEN'S DOUBLES

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## Vike pitchers wiff opponents

by Jerry Percak
Rich Faust could not have done it better even if he had a script. With the bases loaded, no outs, and the Vikes ahead 5-3, Faust came in for some heavy relief work. Quickly fanning the first two Ripon batters, Rich had two strikes on the next hitter before a fastball caught the Ripon man square in the shoulder. This forced in a run, leaving the Vikes with a slim one run advantage. But this only served to heighten Faust's dramatics, because the next hapless Ripon hitter struck out on a beautiful fastball to end the game and the series. It was a fitting end to a tight series. Ripon won the first game in extra innings. Lawrence won the second on a bases-loaded single by Dave Hill in the last inning with the score tied.
The first game turned into a four hour marathon that was indeed a hearbreaker for Lawrence, especially for star pitcher John Bill. Bill went the distance in the sixteen inning affair, unfortunately he let it slip away. The Vikes had scored in the top of the inning to go up 5-4, but couldn't hang on. With the bases loaded, Bill scooped up a short tap down the third base line, only to slip and throw wild to first. Two Redmen scored to finish it.
Determined not to let the Redmen walk off with the Northern crown, the Vikings pounded Ripon 5-1. The big blast came off the bat of Jeff Chew. Chew's three run shot and the pitching of Jim Wikinson, who also went the distance, were enough to send
both clubs into the fifth and deciding game.

Wilkinson also pitched the first five innings of the third game, but gave way to Dave Hill. Hill got himself into the jam of the seventh inning, which set the scene for Rich Faust.
The victory gives the Vikes a shot at the conference title. From the looks of it, they should have a good chance. The pitching that was previously lacking is certainly one of the strengths of this year's club. Combined with the conșistent hitting the Vikes have always had, the Vikes could be a contender.
In non-conference action two weeks ago, the Vikes split a twinbill with Lakeland, taking the first game on the effective pitching of Dave Hill. His three to a 5-0 win. The Vikes to coast second win. The Vikes lost the The Vikes continued their
winning ways by taking a doubleheader over Northwestern College this past week. Strong pitching once again proved to be too much for the opposition, but it was really the big bats which waled Northwestern's fate The Vikes had 26 hits in the twin-bill slugfest while the Viking pitchers slugfest while the Viking pitch
were slightly less generous.
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and those 3 hits came in succession. A Northwestern triple cession. A Northwestern triple
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the game, Dave Hill stepped up to the game, Dave Hill stepped up to his game-winning single to
make it 3-2, LU
The second game was one of those "pat your stats" affairs. The Vikes were never in trouble riding behind the shutout pitching of Jim Wilkinson and nine big runs.

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## Derby Day races: the best horse won

by Jerry Percak
'Good afternoon, ladies and gentlemen, and welcome to the 102nd running of the Kentucky Derby." The excitement has been building since morning, and by the time the eighth race, the Derby Race, rolls around, Churchill Downs is at a fever's pitch.
For the four adventurous Lawrentians, the Derby is truly a slice of bi-centennial pie. The Derby somehow represents America. People flock here from all parts of the country - young and old, rich and the hoping to be rich, upper and lower class, and everyone in between. Suddenly each person is transformed into a hustler, and although one may be sitting in a plush grandstand seat, and the other in the dusty infield, they are both pulling for infield, they are both pulling for their horse to come out in front Among the mint-julep and bourbon quaffing members of the infield, the fever had begun to hit the dusty Lawrentians- Tom Leonard, Randy Syme, Bill Schindler, and Jerry Percak. Due to a lack of understanding and a bit of a hangover, our plucky heroes had placed their money on the favorite, Honest Pleasure, to win. Bold Forbes has an outside shot that figured to finish close to the front, but certainly not for the

Jammed as close to the fence as we could, a quick flash of color marked the start. As the horses thundered around the track the hopes of each person rose and fell with the description of the Churchill Downs announcer. We wouldn't be able to see until the horses neared the finish.
By this time the people were on top of one another to see. The rumble of the crowd was now coming closer; the horses were down the stretch coming to the wire. We could only see bits and pieces through the sea of pand as the horses flashed by us once again.
"Who won? Could you see?" "I thought I saw a No. 5 (Honest Pleasure), but I'm not sure." "Hey, what's the story?"
Finally, a girl with a molasses drawl started screaming , about Bold Forbes. The people with tickets bet on Honest Pleasure started tossing them in the air in disgust, and the people with "Bold Forbes to win" started dancing
When the P.A. confirmed our fate, there was not much left to do but wander toward the exit. This is certainly not to say that our quest was in vain, for as one person who had come from Georgia so aptly put it, "It was a great party.

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## IS II WORTH THE EFFORT ?

It seems that every year at this time the media delight in painting a gloomy picture of the job market for college grads.

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We say: BUNK. We knew that hiring would be up this year, well before either magazine made its dire predictions. We knew that those seniors who made a decent effort at putting together a good job-hunting campaign would come out ahead . . . with at least one good job offer, and probably more. Not engineering seniors, or business majors, but OUR seniors.

And so it is. Many of our seniors, who started early, looked carefully, and planned shrewdly, already have job offers. Many, believe it or not, have even turned down some jobs in favor of better opportunities.

So when you get hassled about how your liberal arts degree doesn't lead to anything . . . how you should have gone to technical school or maybe have taken a construction job just smile. Not everyone can be right.


