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## ASI directory to be published

by BOB GRANFLATEN

The Student Directory, containing student and faculty names and phone numbers and student addresses, will be available by mid-November after a year-long absence according to ASI President John Holley. The directory, formerly the Hardbook, will be published by ASI.

The Hardbook was formerly published by the agricultural fraternity Alpha Zeta (AZ) but became defunct during the 1971-72 school year because of a foul-up in the printing of names of students who asked not to be included. Another problem occurred when students' class levels were mistakenly included. Insurance salesmen and other entrepreneurs are notorious for using such lists to contact seniors who might be prospective clients.

ASI was strongly criticized by 1971-72 ASI President Pete Evans for the inclusion of the unwanted names and the class levels, and was forced to print a second Hardbook. This second publication netted the fraternity a \$1,900 loss.

Leo Bankoff, ASI advisor at the time of the controversial printing, attributes the financial fiasco to Evans' remark about the Hardbook: "When he (Evans) came out with his statements, our sales were out in half. We had to throw 1,200 copies away."

ASI advisors and members decided that a breathing spell was needed to determine whether

or not the directory was a practical idea. The went before the Publishers Board, final authority for campus publications, and asked permission to suspend publication for two years to test for student feedback, according to Charles Mendenhall, Director of Alumni Affairs. Holley feels that there is already enough student interest to warrant a new publication.

ASI retains the option to resume publication of the directory next year and is taking a wait-and-see stance to gauge ASI's success in marketing the book. If the new directory sells, ASI may pick up the option, although this seems doubtful because increased production costs reduce its money-making potential.

Profits from the Hardbook were used by ASI to establish a scholarship fund, primarily for agriculture students. Holley now says that the directory will be a non-profit student service. He estimates the printing cost, including a computer print-out of student names, to be \$2,800. ASI expects to receive about \$1,800 in advertising revenue and \$1,400 in sales of the books (selling at 80 cents per copy). After paying the ad salesmen a 10 per cent commission, ASI will be left with an insignificant margin of profit.

When ASI was publisher, it received a free print-out in exchange for several hundred

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The phantom jets, which were the U.S. model fighter-bombers used in Vietnam, are the heart of the Israeli air force which they claim to be in control of the air.

## Money flows for Israel

Millions of dollars poured in Monday to emergency fund drives set up by American Jews to finance the defense of Israel. Israeli diplomats said they had "many offers" from volunteers to fight in the war against the Arabs.

The United Jewish Appeal, the national Jewish fund-raising organization in the United States, said \$4 million was collected in New York City alone up to midday Monday and that the total could reach \$15 million by Tuesday.

The UJA set a target of \$100 million cash for "social welfare"

programs in Israel so that the Israeli government could devote most of its finances to armaments, said Jerome Rossmarin, a UJA director. All money sent to Israel must be spent on social welfare programs under U.S. law.

State of Israel Bonds said that meetings of Jews were scheduled in 1,000 synagogues in the United States and Canada Monday night.

Jewish leaders planned fund raising drives while thousands of demonstrators thronged outside the United Nations headquarters in New York in support of Israel. Mass meetings were called in several cities across the country,

including Pittsburgh, Boston, Omaha, Neb., Memphis, Tenn., Columbus, Ohio, and New Haven and Hartford, Conn.

An emergency Israeli bond drive was launched by a group of 80 rabbis meeting in Miami, and the Chicago Israel bond organization announced it was aiming to collect \$85 million in one week.

The Chicago chapter of Megan David Adom, the Israeli equivalent of the Red Cross, said it had collected more than \$10,000 of a targeted \$150,000 to buy blood plasma kits.

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## PITS OVER PARTIES

### Extra hours go for drags

by ROBERTA PROVE

While some students spend their weekends partying and boozing at local notables, Gary Montgomery spends his precious hours in the pits at the race track, working on a first class Top Fuel dragster.

Owned by John Blanchard of San Mateo and driven by Dave Uyebara (affectionately known as the oldest living kamikaze pilot) the car is unofficially the fastest in the sport. It holds the track record at Fremont with a

time of 5.85. The quickest official time is 5.94 and is held by Canadian Gary Beck. The dragster bettered Don Garitt's world-best clocking of 5.96 and unofficially lowered the American Hot Rod Association record (set in a points meet) of Jerry Ruth by 2.05 seconds.

Gary started working on the crew in February of 1970 and has been with them ever since.

"When I started originally I had no comprehension of what drag racing was all about. But

you pick it up as you go along", said Gary. "There's not as much glory as there is work! Between each race the entire engine is removed and dismantled."

The car was designed by John Blanchard and put together by Dave Uyebara.

The group went against one important drag racing tradition in building the car—it was finished in less time and for less money than had been anticipated. Construction time was

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## Talcott and Camacho visit: test student pulse for support

A test of popularity among student leaders was made over the weekend by the winner and the loser of the 1978, 18th congressional district race.

Congressman Burt L. Talcott and the man he defeated, Julian Camacho, were in the San Luis Obispo area Saturday and between talks each visited the campus.

Talcott, currently serving his 11th year in the House of Representatives was in San Luis Obispo to attend a California Home Society luncheon and to talk with the local media.

While here, Talcott spoke with members of the football team and ASI President John Holley, and Vice President John Ronca.

In between handshakes, Talcott spoke of his work on various congressional committees, including the House Appropriations Committee, and the Veterans Committee. Talcott has also been active in co-sponsoring legislation known as the California Desert Protection Plan, which will provide immediate and long range protection, development and administration of California deserts.

Julian Camacho, defeated last year in his bid to unseat Talcott in the 18th congressional district race, was in town Saturday night to address a group of engineers,

at a dinner at the Motel Inn.

Prior to his dinner lecture, Camacho stopped by the office of ASI President John Holley. Camacho explained that he had been traveling around the district speaking to groups and individuals on issues ranging from education and property taxes to individual farming and regulated use of our natural resources. Camacho's tour of the district was an effort to measure the degree of his political popularity, a deciding factor in any future attempt at elected office. He also made it known that he needs the support of both Holley and ASI Vice President John Ronca if he decides to run in next years congressional election.

### Feliciano tickets are available now

Tickets for the Jose Feliciano concert of Friday, October 19, go on sale today at 1:00 p.m. at the University Union information desk, according to ASI Program Manager David Oldfield.

Student reserved seats are \$8.50, general admission \$2.50, (general public) \$4.50 reserved and \$6.50 general admission.



# Letter to the editor

**"Use it or loose it"**

**Editor:**  
As an Archy I am becoming used to carrying around a bundle of books and drafting materials; you've seen them; 40x60 I boards, drafting board, the 50 pound little red box, plus the usual textbooks.

But, you don't hear me bitching about walking to classes because I find cruising on my footmobile to be good exercise, offers a chance to feel accomplished in

getting out of traffic city (L.A.), and is totally natural (like grapes).

Those people with a parking problem have the solution right under their noses: their feet. For longer distances, a bicycle works great.

"If 'ya den't use it, 'ya loose it."

Carl Maxey

## Students asked to write reps

**Editor:**  
This letter is to voice my support for the actions recently taken by the American Civil Liberties Union. On Oct. 8, 1973 the ACLU released the following statement:

"There is now substantial public evidence of President Nixon's participation in high crimes and misdemeanors; and...these acts have violated the civil liberties of the people of the United States and the rule of law."

The resolution developed by the ACLU says that Mr. Nixon:

1) Personally approved a plan on July 28, 1970, for "domestic

political surveillance and espionage by such methods as burglary, wiretapping and eavesdropping, mail covers and military spying on civilians."

2) "Usurped the warring powers of Congress" by bombing Cambodia and "deliberately concealed the bombing" from the nation.

3) Established a "personal secret police in the White House, 'operating outside the restraints of the law, which engaged in criminal acts including burglaries, warrantless wiretaps, espionage and perjury."

4) Along with a personal aide "offered a high federal post to the presiding judge during the Ellsberg trial and, for a prolonged period, he withheld from the court knowledge of the burglary of the office of Dr. Daniel Ellsberg's psychiatrist."

5) Interfered with the administration of justice by his "effort to limit the scope" of the FBI's investigation of Watergate.

6) "Perverted and attempted to pervert the operation of various federal agencies, including the Department of Justice, the National Security Council, the Secret Service, the State Department and the Central Intelligence Agency by engaging them in political surveillance and in the falsification of information made available to Congress and the American people."

Nixon has side-stopped the American system of justice by hiding behind the shield of "executive privilege." Impeachment proceedings would force the president to answer to the American people. I urge all those concerned to write their representatives immediately.


Thank You,  
Kenneth G. Sels

### Rugby Club's organizational meeting tonight

Members of the Rugby Club are urged to attend a meeting tonight at 7 p.m. in the Men's Gymnasium.

Prospective members are also invited to the meeting, which will include a discussion of organizational matters, uniforms and insurance.

For further information contact Jeff Jensen—phone number 544-8885.



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# D R A G S T E R

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three months instead of four, while costs totalled \$8800 rather than a planned \$9,000. (You just don't do that!)

There are no real restrictions in building a top fuel dragster so long as it conforms to rigid safety standards. Contrary to popular belief, accident for accident faster cars are safer. This is due to the professional preparation which must go into every car.

The maintenance work and safety checks vary between 20 to 40 hours per week. Cams, tires, fuel, clutches, and headers—a budget minded fellow's nightmare, are all too often in need of repair or replacement. This is where the sponsors we hear tell about come in. They either share expenses by donating their

products outright or by charging them at cost. The car (Gary works on) is sponsored by Howards Cam, Valvoline, M&H Tires, and Vic Hubbards speed shop in Hayward, California.

The average student spending \$5.00 to fill up their gas tank, and \$1.00 for a quart of oil would cringe at the amount of money shelled out for every race by a car of this caliber. (Try \$7.00 a gallon for fuel alone!)

Gary is a senior in the Mechanical Engineering program. He does have plans to build his own car someday, probably a lower class however.

"You can't start at the top".

Gary's not sure yet whether he will go professional. 'I'd like to

see how I like owning and driving my own car and go on from there."

When asked why he puts in all this time and work, he stated, "I just enjoy the sport and the people in it. A lot of long term friendships are formed on the track. Everybody helps everybody else."



## Mid-November deadline set for directory...

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copies of the directory to be used by the administration. The administration, however, will not be able to use the current directory as an official student role sheet because it will be incomplete. This means that the print-out will cost approximately \$800.

Sales of the directory this year will make or break it as a continuing campus publication. If ASI loses money on it this year, the directory may become permanently defunct.

## Editorial policy

Letters to the editor about any topic are welcome. Letters should be typed and must be signed. Bring letters to Graphic Arts 226 and put them in the editor's mailbox.

Mustang Daily reserves the right to edit letters for libel, obscenity and length.

## Millions aid Israeli defense..

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consul general Shlomo Tadmor said his office had received "many offers of help" from volunteers. "We've had calls from Jews and non-Jews alike," he said.

Tadmor said he tells the volunteers "the most important thing they can do at this point is to stand firm with us and refuse to settle for anything but permanent peace and defensible borders."

Meanwhile, in the Middle East, Syrian ground forces continued their advance deep into the Israeli-occupied Golan Heights in their campaign to recover positions lost to Israel in the 1967 war, military spokesmen said.

Completely ignoring Israel's claims that the Syrians had been routed by an Israeli counteroffensive, spokesmen said Syrian and Israeli warplanes fought several battles in the barren region near the 1967 cease-fire line while some Israeli planes attempted to raid three airfields deep inside Syria.

## Ski meeting

The Ski Club will hold its first meeting of the quarter tonight at 7:30 p.m. in Channah Auditorium.

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