## Editorial Mail Policies Stated

A recently received letter to the editor which was unsigned except for the words "name witheld by request" suggests that the policies concerning editorial mall need to be restated, First, to be considered for publication every letter must bear the originator's signature. This is necessary due to laws governing the printed word and libel. It is also necessary in evaluating the merit of the letter's contents. Any letter which is received unsigned will be disposed of immediately, A signed duplicate of the anonymous letter would however be

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Names will be witheld at the editor's discretion only. The policy is to withhold the writer's name if sufficient reason is snown. If the editor decides that there is not sufficient reason for witholding the writer's name, he will be notified of that decision. The letter bearing the writer's name will not be printed withouth is consent.

Letters to the editor are encouraged. They should be typed and double-spaced on one side of the paper.

## New Student Activism A Non-Violent Reform

News item: a wave of stu-dent protest is sweeping over college campuses throughout

college campuses.
the nation.
Nothing new in that? Perhaps
not. But what is news worthy
is the nature of the new student
activism. For it comes not from the radicals and revolu-tionaries, but rather from the overwhelming majority of mo-

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CLIMATE-CHANGING PRO-CLIMATE-CHANGING PROPAGANDA: Students at Wisconsin and Santa Barbara, among other places, have launched anti-extremist newspayers to compete with radical campus communications media. AT Wisconsin, the moderate week BANGER HERALD based by BANGER HERALD and the comment of the c free campus press' operations have sprung up in at least 65 colleges and reach an estimated million students."

CONFRONTING THE LEFT The radical-led student council at Los Angeles City College ordered the campus closed in

a general strike last year. But 22-year-old las sudent Stephen Frank led ten other students femeral can be sudent stephen Frank led ten other students in tearing down the barricades over, Frank's group baunched a recall campsign and unseated the radical council leaders. According to one moderate leader, and the summary of the summary

sity last spring, it drew barely three dozen supporters. While the tide has not yet turned, Methvin says, there is undeniable movement toward reform instead of revolution, dialogue in place of diatribe, and a return to studying in-stead of shouting.

## Special Peace Corps Training

Brockport, N.Y., Jan. 4, 1971.
The State University of New York, College at Brockport is looking for students who want to sam college credit white looking for students who want to sam college credit white and scleenes as Peace Corps solutineers in Latin America.
Peace Corps and college off-teilas amoured today that the Degree program at Brockport will be extended with the admission of a fifth group of each was also as the college of the college in the college of the college in the college of the college at Brockport, State University College at Brockport, New York 1420 by March 1.

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# From SGA President

I am sure that many stu-dents are confused about alot of things on campus, I would like to explain a couple of things

now. The most asked about activity The most asked about activity on campus seems to be popular concerts. The groups of last semester were decided upon during the summer and the spring semester of last year, the reason is obvious, to acquire groups you must look months ahead.

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cago, even with another college helping by paying half would cost \$17,000. Grand Funk would cost \$17,000. Grand Funk would cost around \$18,000. This is at this time, an impossible task for a college of Cardner-Webb's size and budget.

I do feel though that Gardner-Webb has had the best enter-Webb has had the best enter-Webb has had the best enter-Calment for the consideration that some colleges have entertainment only once a semester, if that much.

only once a semester, if that much, separation that has handle present on the handle present of the minds of many side-dense since the beginning of last semester is when are we going to elect officers for the vacancies in the S.G.A., and what has the S.G.A. done show which I hope you can understand better than I have been able to. the semester of t

began.

To the bost of my knowledge this was completed in October and then began its process of going through channels to be revised and completely appro-

# Comic Books Take New Social Image

Comic books are taking a new direction and becoming more contemporary and relevant to the problems facing our current generation. Examples man as neurosis-ridden, flat-man becoming pollution conscious and Green Arrow copies with bluctys and discrimination, ure from the days when most corrics heroes encountered monsters from outer space, and the state of the contemporary and pollution from without against the problems of today are civil rights, raciam, powerly and pollution from without against the super-heroes are involved in all of these. Comics heroes emerged with the super-heroes are involved in all of these. Comics heroes emerged with the super-heroes are involved in all of these. Comics heroes' entire life styles and thought processes them to the super-heroes are involved in all of these. Comics heroes' entire life styles and thought processes them to the super-heroes are involved in all of these. Comics heroes' entire life styles and thought processes them to the super-heroes are involved in all of these. Comics heroes' entire life styles and thought processes the super-heroes are involved in all of these. Comics heroes' entire life styles and thought processes the super-heroes are involved in a super-heroes are involved in a super-heroes are involved in a super-heroest processes. The super-heroest processes are the super-heroest processes and the super-heroest processes are the super-heroest processes. The super-heroest processes are the super-heroest processes and the super-heroest processes are the super-heroest processes and the super-heroest processes are the super-heroest processes are the super-heroest processes and the super-heroest processes are the super-heroest processes and the super-heroest processes are the s

For Batman and Robin, there are changes, too. Batman has shuttered the Bat Cave and las elected to the state of the state

are described in a recent arti-cle on the comics revolution, were radicalized in an issue last spring when a black man familiar with their exploits on other planets in behalf of blue men, challenged, "I want to know why you never bothered to help black men!" Stunned and awakened, the green-clad

duo take off in a dump truck on an Easy Rider-type tour of the country to deal with some of the moral issues facing this

nation.

And the list grows, Wonder Woman and Lois Lane have become involved with "women's lib" in their own lives, and Superman's pal, Jimny Olsen, a cup reporter for 30 years, has battled slumbords in ghetto areas.

Indicating that these new an-Indicating that these new approaches are not random, single episode deviations from the norm, but new directions, Carmine Infantino, editorial direction of DC Comics, acknowledges the change and credits it to the growing sophistication of the comics audience,

Says Infantino: "The readers of comics have changed, Today youth has become too aware and too educated to be satisfied with a constant flow of escapism. Even as the largest publisher of comies, we realize we must continue to progress in our books if we are to remain successful.

ved.
The third week in February is now the earliest date that the new constitution can be studied and voted on by the students. It was decided not to hold elec-

It was decided not to hold elec-tions until the constitution was activated and could go swiftly into effect.

This year was the start of a foundation for the four-year Gardner-Webb. This constitu-tion promises many new changes the students through our voting power can also change this con-stitution before its final app-roval.

roval.

I personally feel this new constitution will aid the student with a stronger individual voice and student government. I just wish I could have given information concerning these things sooner, but it is hard to give information one does not see an one of the contract.

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I hope this has answered some questions. If you have other questions I will personally try to asswer them or find ally try to asswer them or find all try to asswer them or find a cannot be an overright change. We the student are starting the tradition of Garriner - Weob College and that its something the find and the same time people must remember that we the future alumnia also will be the future alumnia also will be

people must remember that we the future alumni also will be the future endowment of Gard-ner V.ebb. I cannot promise immediate bange, but the future for the future for the future for the future future for the future fut ready?

"Our audience demands more "Our audience demands more relevant material in comic books and we are giving it to them as Superman, Batman, Green Lantern, Wonder Woman and the others become involved in the very real problems of best testimonial to our doing our job, let the record show that DC sold over 40 percent of the 300 million comic books sold last year.

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## New Hope For Drug Addicts Book's Theme

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ADDICTION (McGraw-Hill, \$5,95).
After 24 years of experience working with the problem of addiction, Dr. Bell is optimistic. He states: "By callings to book Escape from Addiction, I complexize that the the states of the problem of t

of whatever kind are being left behind."

The author is the president of the Donwood Institute which operates a 50-bed hospital for addiction treatment, education, and research in Toronto, Canada. Much of the material in this authritative, 224 -page book is based on the comprehen-sive program of rehabilitation and treatment presently used by the institute.

This provocative study provides full coverage on the effects of alcohol, as well as a review of the effects of alcohol, as well as a review of the effects of narcotics and other addicting drugs. It investigates the clinical and social problems of the physical, mental, and social components. ESCAPE FROM ADDICTION will prove a valuable, thought-provoking aid for anyone concerned with the health and social components. ESCAPE FROM ADDICTION will prove a valuable, thought-provoking aid for anyone concerned with the health and social questions compulsive use of alcohol, to-bacco, food and a wide assortment of depressant and stimulant drugs. the institute.

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