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TRUSTEE VISITS RAP

Dr. Patricia Carrigan, MSU Trustee, visited the RAP (Resources and People) Room in 157 Student Services on Wednesday, May 3. A friend of AWS and avid reader of the ever-popular MSU Woman, Dr. Carrigan was interested to learn of the extensive library and file materials regarding women's opportunities and issues. RAP materials are available for check-out to any women of the MSU community.....you, too, guys!

WOMEN'S CENTER PUBLISHES NEWSLETTER

The Women's Center, located at 547 E. Grand River in East Lansing, has published the first issue of its newsletter and has asked women in the community to contribute to future issues. We feel this paper is important to our Women's Center and the Women's Movement. It's important to have a paper in this area that's put out by women from their own resources, writes the Editor.

Just for the record, we (MSU) agree. In spite of our occasional irreverence and disrespect (?) for the Movement, we're all for women's rights and women's centers...we also firmly believe in newspapers (or, in our case, newsletters). MSUW urges you to support the Women's Center...or at least drop in and visit.

The only thing we haven't figured out is why the Women's Center chooses to ignore A.W.S.?? Nevertheless, we shall persist in sending copies of the MSUW ... perhaps the Women's Center might reciprocate and send copies of their paper to us? COOPERATION IS ONE OF THE MAJOR COMPONENTS MISSING IN THE WOMEN'S MOVEMENT.

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND OTHER THINGS

...Thursday, May 11: 6 - 9 p.m. at the Women's Center, 547 E. Grand River, program on Sexism and Racism.

...Thursday, May 11: sometime (maybe): Congresswoman Shirley Chisholm at Lansing Airport doing some politiking (the weather cancelled her appearance on Sunday)...watch local papers for an announcement.

...Sunday, May 14: all day: Mother's Day AND the 30th anniversary of the Women's Army Corps.

OUR MOTTO

The New York Times has as its motto, All the news that's fit to print; The State News has as its motto...nothing. That figures, comparing the NY Times and the SN. We see our journalism as somewhere between these two extremes, so we have a new motto which will, hopefully, reflect our position:

LIBERTYEQUALITYPROPRIETY

We figure if we manage only two out of three, we're doing pretty well!

OUR FAME SPREADS

From an East Lansing high school student, we received the following...

The Nightmare

In idle moments, I'm preoccupied with a nagging
thought that won't subside.
Stretching before me is a dreary existence,
And I don't have the sense to offer resistance.
After college, I marry the boy next door
And settle into a suburban bore.
After four years of college, wouldn't you think
There should be more to life
Than what's seen from a kitchen sink?

Thanks for the contribution, Kathy.

BOOK REVIEWS

...The Descent of Woman by Elaine Morgan, described by Book-of-the-Month Club as "...a fresh and fascinating theory about the origins of Homo sapiens, shedding new light on woman's role in the evolution of our species..."

...Black Women in White America edited by Gerda Lerner, an anthology of original source materials reflecting the role of black women in white America.

...Bella! Ms. Abzug Goes to Washington by (would you believe?) Bella Abzug and presenting what is reputed to be (and probably is) a lively account of Bella's first year as a Congresswoman.

...House Resolution LLL introduced by Rep. Marvin Stampien is a controversial literary effort much maligned by critics like Rosetta Ferguson and Josephine Hunsinger. Well worth reading and practicing in spite of the critics.

GRAFFITI

...I want women to have their rights...I have done a great deal of work; as much as a man, but did not get so much pay. I used to work in the field and bind grain,...but men, doing no more, got twice as much pay...We do as much, we eat as much, we want as much.

...Sojourner Truth, 1867

...The secret of success is this: there is no secret of success.

Elbert Hubbard

...anxiety is the price of being one's own guardian angel...

John Gardner

...The President's Council of Economic Advisers, known in Washington as the Three Wise Men can no longer be so described, as a woman has now been appointed to a vacancy on the Council.

London Times, 1-31-72

MCP OF THE WEEK

DAD

HEROINE OF THE WEEK

MOM