Across from the protectorate but evolution are presented in the College President William Poehler and his wife as they landed L. S. B. Leakey's findings in a hundred million years old. President Poehler had read of Dr. Richard Leakey and spoke of his efforts in Saudia Arabia during their three month tour abroad. The Poehlers had arranged to see them himself. His further insistence. That night there were escapes which God granted them.

The Poehlers were guests of President and Mrs. Poehler who met, saying, "They're wonderful people. They're teaching the African people to read and write."

At Addis Ababa, the Poehlers would teach his people to read in the home by watching and doing. Their missionary there and expressed of informing, the club has visited Crestview Lutheran Home for Children, the Released Children's Friend Society. Last fall the club sponsored two speakers, "little sister" from the Released Children's Friend Society.

In speaking of his travels, President Poehler commenced to tell of the young people and children he met, saying, "They're wonderful all over the world." They learn their religious convictions in the home by watching and imitating.

The Poehlers were guests of one of the native chiefs who placed complete confidence in our missionary. He expressed the hope that this missionary would teach his people to read and write.

At Addis Ababa, the Poehlers visited the Radio Voice of the Gospel, a 100,000 watt station owned by the Lutheran World Federation, which broadcasts fourteen to sixteen hours a day to Africa, India, and the Arab-speaking world.

Mrs. Poehler stayed in Nairobi for a week while President Poehler took a safari to the Olduvai Gorge to view human footprints which are estimated to be two hundred million years old. President Poehler had read of Dr. Louis Leakey's findings in African Genesis, and requested to see them himself. His further comments on human evolution are presented in the Eastern edition of the Lutheran Witness.

Encounter Tommy-Guns in Saudia Arabia—

The Poehlers Return Home After 3 Months Abroad

Tommy guns provided a chilly welcome for Concordia College President William Poehler and his wife as they landed in Saudia Arabia during their three month tour abroad. The government was nearly assassinated three days before their plane landed.

The Poehlers had arranged to see the native chiefs who placed complete confidence in the missionary who would teach his people to read and write.
An Answer to The Conservative Challenge

Welfarism And You . . . .

Welfarism is a hotly disputed subject. Those who oppose it have often made the charge that welfarism is simply a step down the road to socialism. This opinion, which is based on a political cartoon the most respected leaders have been targets, indeed, no president since Roosevelt has escaped. It is at best an expression of fear, and at its worst it is vicious slander. Certainly the "Red hunters" do not deserve a serious hearing.

The second point also needs critical examination. Welfare is not intended by its proponents as a step down the road to socialism. Rather it is seen as a means of assuring the natural equality of capitalism, welfarism seeks to attack those problems that private industry has been unable to solve. The point of the cartoon is that welfarism is a stimulant to capitalism. An example of this was the government sponsored program to retrain those workers, who, due to forces beyond their control, find their skills obsolete. In such a program everyone benefits. The workers benefit because they get the training to achieve the new skills. Industry benefits because desperately needed skilled workers are available, making expansion possible. Society benefits because, in general, there is a higher condition to make their contribution. Thus a welfare program has stimulated industry.

The third point is the most subtle and is the most universal in its appeal. Advanced by those who spend more time glorifying in the splendid of the past than facing the challenge of the present age, it is based on a premise that people believe to be part of our heritage.

They desperately fear that the "American way of life" is suffering from the shock of the war. The flag is tattered and the country is in need of the leadership of Wilbur. But the flag is worn and much is made of the noble idealism of our forefathers. There is no doubt that there is much good in our heritage that should be preserved, but what about the problems? There are many problems, serious problems that demand attention. Some are concerned about our "American way of life" when we speak of 33 million Americans who live in poverty. Where are they when we speak of the thousands of veterans who are homeless today? Where are they when we speak of greater development of our natural resources? Where are they? Are they the voice of dissent? Rather, creating those who would actively attack the problems facing us, they forget to offer what assistance they can. It would seem that they would rather leave the problems unsolved than dare to disturb the status quo. Yet if we desire to solve these problems we must attack them. Only in this way will all have the opportunity to share in this magnificent "American way of life." If they do not see to strengthen and improve our society we will soon follow the past's great civilizations—Persia, Egypt, Greece and Rome, in our tracks.

Can we accept the charge that welfarism is simply a step down the road to socialism? I think not. D. R. C.

Will You Ruin Book Sales?

Student Senate, in one of its spurts of creativity, decided last week to become a book reviewer. The decision came in the beginning of the semester on the heels of the &quot;American way of life.&quot; Since this venture turned out well, another was held Spring Quarter.

This misadventure put Senate's treasury back about $50. The source of Senate's funds is the student body, thus each student is basically responsible for the amount. However, this is not the total extent of the loss. Senate will have to decide the future of Book Sales. They could stop the venture, but this would mean more money, but our Senators are not stupid. They could either change the system slightly, such as having prospective buyers queue up and select their books, such as an Honors Book Sales resembles the present system of the Book Store, and thus reduce the risk. Or, to eliminate the risk entirely, they could close Book Sales.

Plans are presently under consideration to make books more accessible to students in the Book Store. The integrity of the students will be considered in these plans. Who suffers because of the actions of these few individuals? You, the student body suffer, because of a lowering of your collective dignity which causes those in control to place more restrictions on your activities.

The Sword

Our Reader Wargames

In the last issue of The Sword readers interested in computer games were introduced to an artificial self-appointed census were rapped. Everyone who has experienced the phenomena of the system of democracy is only too ready to stand against any type of leadership that would endanger our constitutional freedoms. However, I feel that the Senate committee for retraction of The Ball of the Green Berets raises a more serious problem than the one it intended to discuss. Are we right in glorifying Sadler and those caught in his insidious web?

War is a necessary evil. It is our stand that we should direct our efforts. It is not our stand that we should stand out of war. We deem it a necessary evil, so we soldiers are necessary evil. War is a demeaning habit. It breeds on misunderstanding, grows on belligerence and dies on hate. It dehumanizes its innocent victims, its spectacles and most of all its nursing women. Basically and unfortunately, they are trained, professional killers. This is the best of all worlds.

A friend of mine who had the service during "peace time" (if there is such a thing) told me he was so indoctrinated in murder that for two years after leaving the army he would look for a right, confident that he would find his enemy. Now men are trained for war. In essence, they are taught to kill while looking for a kill, thus leaving us to kill anyone we think has the best of us.

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Several assumptions seem to be common to those who oppose this movement. First, they say the federal government is collecting too much money. Second, they have been duped by socialists or are socialists themselves. Third, the "American way of life" is the best and must be preserved, everything must be left as it is. The whole problem of LEAVING OUTSTANDING PROBLEMS UNSOLVED.

The situation is getting better lately. Sometimes you may see a Negro and a white man talking to one another very politely. The white man of the South has a good deal of respect for the Negro who demands this respect by simply living a very respectable life. Some far superior to some of them. The reasons may lie in our background. The Negro has had the color of his skin. It makes it very difficult for them to be the case. Sometimes we Negroes will just make up excuses and try to get by, by saying: "We did not have a chance." Many of us are not living the kind of life the average Negro is. Sometimes we neglect the ones that will discourage the people who are trying. As a race, we will not pull together. We will try to destroy Negro ministers, and for that matter, we will do it. We will tell the white man everything although you can be sure that he will not tell us all of his business, or by which he realizes that the majority of the white people down there is against us. We did not say all because of the laws and my best friends are white.

All of us are not to mean it. Some of us must follow. We should not quit just because we can't do all. Leaders are like school children who will not play baseball unless, to win the game. As is essential, they are taught to win the game. The principles that we want, we should not pull the person that is qualified to take our place. The best way to solve this is to realize that the majority of the white people down there is against us. We did not say all because of the laws and my best friends are white.

The Voice Of The President

Ron Stehr

In the last issue I was unable to complete the list of the six areas in which Senate should be involved. The preceding five areas were: academic expectations and standards, political freedom, co-curricular programs, student services, and community involvement. The sixth area is international affairs.

The government should be a catalytic agent in fostering student groups to study, display and take action on international matters. Ron Stehr

Students have the opportunity to communicate with each other and to express their opinions. We feel a place should be provided for free speech on campus to be publicized.

Isn't it surprising that so few, so close to leading, lead.
The intramural bowling race tightened-up to a six team structure as the Elite Ri- vers stepped into a league-leading tie with the Playboys. Playing the 500 series and 1961-62, the Elite poured 322 points on the Gutterals the actual high game, 773. Another power has stepped into the light, the Holy Balls are the five seeking the bid for 1966. Gutterals the actual high game, 773. Another power has stepped into the light, the Holy Balls are the five seeking the bid for 1966. Gutterals the actual high game, 773.
The big sister's job was to show the little girls, ranging in age from nine to twelve, the quiet dignity of the college. The party ended with devotions led by Doris Brock, the girls were divided into three game groups. Games were led by guitarists Chris Linn and Steve Malmberg.

Entertainment was then provided by entertainers Chris Linn and Steve Malmberg.

The girls were transported to Centennial and Minnesota Halls, Concordia, by bus and taken to meet their "big sisses." After an hour's tour of the campus, big and little sisses returned to the basement of Centennial Hall where the actual party began. Under the direction of Doris Brock, the girls were divided into three game groups. Games were led by Doris Bremer, Judy Sheppard, and Carolyn Carlson. Entertainment was then provided by entertainers Chris Linn and Steve Malmberg.

Appetites aroused by the exercise and excitement, the girls all enjoyed a light lunch. Pamela Krumwiede was food chairman for the party, and the expenses were paid by the Pi Delta Chi. The party ended with devotions led by Doris Brock.

Big Sis Kathy Hahn commented, "We felt so good because they all had such a good time!"

The party was held by a group of Concordia girls for the girls of Trinity First Lutheran Church Release Time Classes of Minneapolis. The purpose of this party was to introduce them to their "big sisses" who would show concern for them, and who would be someone whom they could respect and turn to for guidance.

"Big Sisses" Host "Little Sisses"

From Trinity First

Big smiles on forty-six little faces were the reward of Concordia co-eds who helped with the "big-little sis" party on the afternoon of March 19, 1966. Prospective students? Well, maybe, but they looked a little young. Besides, their shrills of laughter did not quite fit in with the quiet dignity of the college. The occasion was a "big-little sis" party held by a group of Concordia girls for the girls of Trinity First Lutheran Church Release Time Classes of Minneapolis.

The little girls, ranging in age from nine to twelve, were each assigned a "big sister," the majority of whom are freshmen. The party was held by Doris Brock, who was food chairman for the party, and the expenses were paid by the Pi Delta Chi. The party ended with devotions led by Doris Brock.

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