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Olivia Stapp, Mezzo-Soprano, will Perform in CNC Theatre

Olivia Stapp, Mezzo-Soprano, will sing in the Campus Center Theatre of CNC on Wednesday, November 6, at 8:00 pm.

Miss Stapp is the second soloist to perform in The Nancy A. Ramseur Memorial, Artists in Concert series.

Olivia Stapp, a native of New York City, has accumulated an impressive operatic repertoire in a relatively short period of time. The charming young mezzo-soprano made her New York City Opera debut in 1972 in the title role of Bizet's "Carmen" and was immediately re-engaged for performances in the spring season in New York City and Washington, DC.

The New York Times said of her debut, "Olivia Stapp has showed a genuinely dark mezzo soprano voice, a smoothly controlled vocal technique, and a mature sense of what Bizet's gypsy heroine is all about." It then went on to say that Miss Stapp's voice was "wide-ranged and robust."

Later with the New York City Opera, Miss Stapp sang in the much-acclaimed production of Donizetti's "Roberto Devereaux" as Sara. She appeared opposite Beverly Sills with Maestro Julius Rudel conducting. Miss Stapp had a great personal triumph and press acclaim when on a few hour's notice she went on to sing the role of Jocasta in Igor Stravinsky's "Oedipus Rex."

Byron Belt, the New York music critic for the Newhouse newspaper syndicate said of this performance, "A spectacular triumph was scored by mezzo Olivia Stapp.....Miss Stapp's success was not only a happy event for her, but the highlight of a generally commendable performance."

In addition to these operas, she has also sung the role of Cherubino in Mozart's "The Marriage of Figaro," and two performances of the Verdi "Requiem" with the Dallas Symphony.

During the 1973-74 season Olivia Stapp scored a multitude of triumphs with the New York City Opera. The most incredible acclaim came for her impressive vocal and dramatic interpretation of the role of Magdo in Menotti's "The

Consul."

Harriett Johnson wrote in her review for the New York Post, "Miss Stapp had fragility and strength and she made us know the tragedy of every phrase...the audience burst into a spontaneous applause in recognition of a powerful performance."

Olivia Stapp received her Bachelor of Arts degree in Music from Wagner College. Winning Fulbright Scholar-

ships for two years, she then studied with Rudolfo Ricci in Rome, then debuted in Spoleto as Beppe in "L'Amico Fritz." She next won a competition at La Scala for a year of study with Ettore Cavigliani. Following this, she was engaged by the Deutsches Opera in Berlin for two years and subsequently sang in many German opera houses the many leading roles of the mezzo-soprano repertoire. These in-

cluded "Orfeo," "Der Rosenkavalier," "Carmen," "Isabella in 'L'Italiana in Algeri,'" as Santuzza in "Cavalleria Rusticana" and Ulrica in "Ballo in Maschera."

Tickets for this concert or the series can be purchased at the Campus Center.

For further information about this concert or the series, contact the Office of Continuing Studies and Community Services.



OLIVIA STAPP, MEZZO-SOPRANO, WILL PERFORM AT CNC THIS WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 6

Editorial

Private Institutions Contend for Public Funds

The proposed Constitutional Amendment to fund private colleges from the public till is the real sleeper of this year's election, but it is probably the most important issue on the ballot. The arguments on both sides have merit. Those in favor state that private colleges serve many Virginians and save the taxpayer money by taking the burden off the state supported colleges. Proponents argue also that these schools are in financial straits and will be forced to close if aid does not come through.

The arguments are good and they could be convincing

except for the fact that Virginia is currently unable to support its public institutions. Necessary building programs have been curtailed, equipment money is frozen and colleges have been asked to trim their already lean budgets.

It would be nice to aid private colleges but the main obligation of the state is to support state supported colleges. Until this support is adequate, this amendment can only be interpreted as welfare for the private sector while the public sector suffers. Vote "no" on Nov. 5.

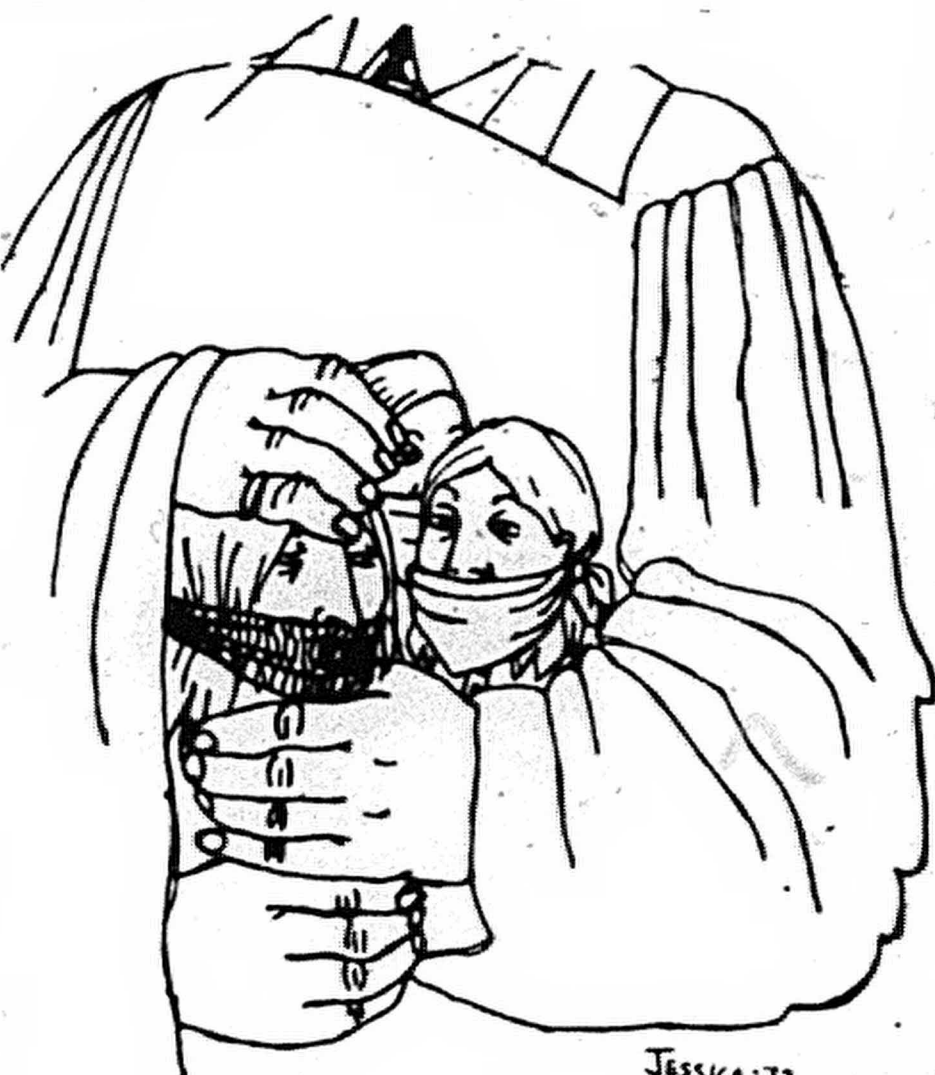
Editorial

Kill the Blue Laws: Vote NO

The voters of Virginia have the opportunity to end an archaic, inconvenient, and perhaps unconstitutional law on November 5. The "Blue Law," The Sunday Closing Law, or if you prefer Provision 18.1 -- 363.1 of the Code of Virginia, will be tested in fifty-eight jurisdictions throughout the state.

A 'yes' vote will be a vote to retain the Blue Law, maintaining the policy of enforced closing of businesses on Sunday. A 'no' vote will rid us of an unfair and unnecessary restriction imposed on the consumer, the shop keeper, and the employee. The absence of this repressive edict will force no one to buy or open or work. It will only

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The program consists of nine GLM

lessons plus about nine hours of practice skiing. It is offered three consecutive Thursdays from 4 to 11 PM, beginning October 31.

For details contact Captain's Log Office, Campus Center. Skiland's Charlottesville Ski Area Representative



Hosting last week's Hospitality Hot Seat, CNC President James C. Windsor (right) discusses with Forrest Rexrode possibility of veterans receiving certain credits for military service. Another problem Windsor was confronted with was the need for more effective curbs on smoking in classrooms. (Photo by Green)

Veterans' Hot Line: Questions and Answers

QUESTION: What is a change of Program?

ANSWER: This is a change in the educational, professional, or vocational objective for which the veteran originally applied, with corresponding changes in the type of courses which may be required to obtain the new objective. Each veteran may make one change of program. One additional change may be approved after mandatory counseling if it is found that the program is suitable to his aptitudes, interests, and abilities.

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QUESTION: Can I be denied Educational Benefits because of a change of program?

ANSWER: Yes. A change may not be approved for a veteran where a program has been interrupted or discontinued due to his own misconduct, neglect or lack of application. This restriction may be removed if there exists a reasonable probability that there will not be a recurrence of such an in-

PARKS WILL SPEAK

ON JEFFERSON'S FAITH

Mr. William Parks, a guest speaker for the CNC History Club, will speak at noon on November 8 in the Campus Center Theatre. His lecture will be on "The Philosophical Origins of Jefferson's Faith in Self Government." All faculty and students are invited.

'SECRETS OF ICE' TO SHOW

In keeping with its ongoing policies of providing relevant, up-to-date, informative programs for students and faculty, the Campus Center presents the film Secrets of Ice at noon on Monday November 11 in the Theatre. It is a special event which everyone will find informative and interesting.

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Jefferson Starship Flying High in Concert

by Dan Kooi

I felt when I heard the Jefferson Starship's most recent album that they had attained greatness. After hearing them in concert this past Sunday, October 27, at William and Mary Hall, my opinion was confirmed. None of the perfection that they attained in the studio was lost and the excitement they generate on the stage becomes sheer ecstasy.

Grace Slick hasn't lost a thing in seven years of performing, except perhaps some inhibitions. She was totally at ease and at home with the audience, sprinkling the lyrics with just enough earthy language for a good rock audience.

Papa John Creach has probably never been better. He came across as being genuinely fond of the audience, and the crowd was obviously as pleased with him. Papa John moves so quickly and lightly across the stage that he appears as young as their lead guitarist who is 19. That white hair has got to be premature. He sounded so sincere shaking hands and telling people they were beautiful that even a hardened concert veteran could believe him.

That 19 year old lead guitarist I just mentioned, Craig Chaquico, is just the opposite of Papa John. Craig has a tendency to play as if he's had the latter's years of experience. In fact, when he and Papa John get to exchanging riffs between violin and guitar, it's really difficult to notice any difference in ability--both are superb.

They opened strong with "Ride the Tiger" and continued for the next hour with material mostly from their new album. As they got into "Blows Against the Empire," Grace checked to see if "everyone had their ounce" because that tune was going to

be "about 17 hours long." In that number somewhere, after Papa John and Craig exchanged riffs, came one of the best solo bass performances I have ever seen. The entire audience got into that one and from that point on you couldn't keep us down.

As the Starship came back for an encore, Grace started on the "old stuff." First was "Somebody to Love" followed by about ten minutes of "Vol-

unteers of America" done so well that hardly a person in the audience remained seated ---all of us clapping and generally carrying on.

Grace Slick was at her usual best, Papa John at his, Craig and Paul Kantner both excellent...You just couldn't have asked for more. And if you did, I doubt anyone else could have given you more than the Jefferson Starship did last Sunday.

SENIOR JOB INTERVIEWS ANNOUNCED FOR NOVEMBER

The following organizations' representatives will be on campus during November to interview for employment after graduation. Sign-up for interviews is in Gosnold Hall Room 206 from 9:30 to 4:00.

*Montgomery Ward, Sales, Business majors, Nov. 6 9-12, and 1-3 pm.

*Eggleston, Smith, & Co. Accountant, Accounting and Business majors, Nov. 11, 9-noon and 1-3 pm.

*Internal Revenue Service, All majors, Nov. 14, 9-noon and 1-4 pm.

*ITT, Sales, Business & Psychology majors, Nov. 20, 9-noon and 1-4 pm.



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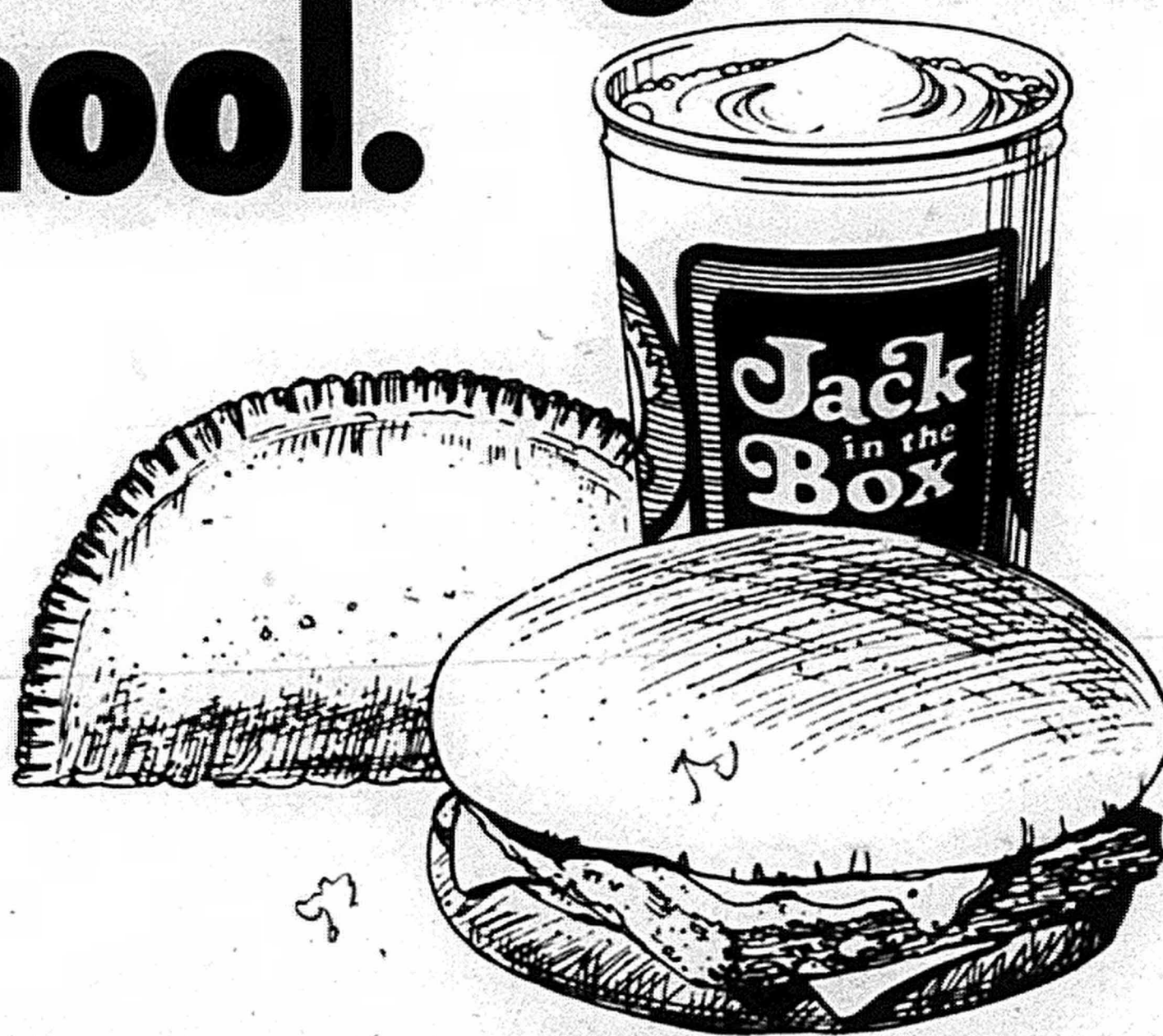
THIS WEEK AT THE CASTAWAY

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Wed.	Nov. 6.....	John Keating
Thurs	Nov. 7.....	New Morning String Band
Fri.	Nov. 8.....	Easy
Sat.	Nov. 9.....	Jerry Squires
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RED CROSS BLOOD MOBILE TO BE AT CNC WEDNESDAY

The CNC Civitan Club is sponsoring a Red Cross Blood-mobile from 10 am to 4 pm on November 6, in the Green Room of the Campus Center. Blood is urgently needed for the Red Cross to maintain its programs. Contact Herman Hawes Jr. at 826-5968 if you have any questions. Brochures are available.

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Following the party, the movie "Catch 22" will be shown in the Campus Center Theatre.

SPECIAL RING DAY

November 5
10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

All Classes

Come to the Campus Center
Talk to your
John Roberts representative

Plan to attend. This is an excellent chance to renew some old friendships, catch up on campus news, support your Alumni Association, and enjoy delicious food at the same time. All interested persons should contact Vivian Johnson in the Registrar's Office ext 248).

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classifieds

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The non-student rate for ads is 5¢ per word. Ads may be placed by bringing them to the Captain's Log Office in CC-225. Phone 596-7611, ext. 232.

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For Sale

For Sale - Kodak M-28 movie camera w/ zoom lens. Also a ¼ carat solitaire diamond. To get in on these terrific buys call 874-6412.

For Sale-1960 Cadillac Coupe de Ville, 2 dr. hardtop, blue color, running condit., call after 5:00 pm 599-4040, ask for Danny.

For Sale - portable TV, new tubes, good condit. \$45. Call 244-4154, 595-7419, 874-7158.

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