

Olivia Butti's Diary

September 20

Dear Diary:

It's going to be one of those weeks; I'm just not going to get done anything I planned. The way this city is falling apart extending Klondike Days to two months will just have to wait.

I was in my office bright and early this morning going over some health and science journals. I was particularly intrigued by a pipeapple, coconut and vodka diet that Victoria Principal swears by. Liz Taylor tried it too but she started seeing Richard Burton again and anyway the phone rang and I was abruptly faced with a very angry constituent.

That zoo is terrible, filthy, disgusting. You've got to clean it up or get it out of our neighborhood immediately. Well, I thought she meant that low income project near Wolf Willow but it turned out she was talking about Storyland Valley Zoo. I was shocked. I had always loved going to the zoo with Pety and the kids. We all loved to ride that little

train; I even used to dream about it.

But it seemed that the zoo needed an alderwife inspection. I decided to go incognito so that no one would know who I was. I had my secretary go to an elementary school and commandeer a couple children while I snuck into Betty Hewes office looking for a change of clothing. I knew everything she had was quite odd and would be perfect as I intended to disguise myself as a typical vacationing family. Unfortunately Vijay and Sue-ling were not the sort of children I had in mind. (Diary remind me to start looking for a new secretary) I decided I would have to pass myself off as a welfare mother with two foster children. Betty's dress was more appropriate for that anyway. I smeared some dirt on the kids faces and off we went.

We got through the turnstile without suspicion and went into the zoo. Well diary, I haven't seen anything more disgraceful since the Summerfest budget. The zoo was far worse than anything I'd heard. The bears were all hibernating. The seals

just laid around in the water. The monkeys wouldn't swing from tree to tree. And the lion, well he wouldn't roar no matter how many stones I threw at him. Why the zoo was full of nothing but shiftless, lazy animal slackers.

Vijay and Sue-ling wanted to go to the bathroom. The lines were over 25 people long so I left them there and sat down to think. What could I do, diary, to restore the charm and dignity of Storyland Valley Zoo?

Then I remembered something I had been reading in my journals that morning. Beside the report that Princess Diana had been captured by aliens and that was why Prince William had two navels, webbed feet and normal size ears was a little story about an Atlantic City casino. They have replaced the cocktails in their lobby with mechanical birds. They chirp 24 hours a day and they are a lot easier to clean up after.

That's what we will do here diary. We will have a zoo full of happy, productive, cost-efficient animals. I rushed back to my office to start working on my motion to council. I'm afraid I clean forgot about Vijay and Sue-ling. Thank goodness I'd told my secretary to say she was working for Jan Reimer.

Anyway, diary, that is one crisis over with. And if it works we can probably do the same thing with the Eskimos.

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5:00 p.m.
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Ooooo!

The Gateway would like to apologize to Mr. Brian Bechtel for quoting him as saying, "It's difficult to get the Board of Governors interested in parking. They've all got their parking spaces."

Mr. Bechtel did make the statement but it was said jokingly. Mr. Bechtel was also speaking casually at the time and not in his capacity as the SU Board of Governors representative.

The Gateway apologizes for any embarrassment or difficulties the unadorned quote may have caused Mr. Bechtel in regards to his position.

Richard Watts



STUDENTS' UNION
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Students' Union Employment Opportunities

Returning Officer Responsibilities:

- Performance of duties normally required by a Returning Officer (staff recruitment and hiring, poll organization)
- Conduct elections under the "Nominations and Elections Bylaw" (Bylaw 300, or such other elections or referenda as the Students' Council designates)

Qualifications:

- Organizational and administrative skills a necessity
- Familiarity with previous Students' Union elections and background of computing knowledge an asset

Remuneration:

- \$5.00 per hour

Term of Office:

- Immediately to 31 March 1983

Housing and Transport Commissioner Responsibilities:

- Assist Vice-President (External) with external programmes of the Students' Union
- Investigate Government and University programmes of housing and transportation of concern to students
- Serve as Chairperson of the Housing and Transport Commission of the Students' Union

Remuneration:

- \$200 per month, September 1982 to March 1983

Term of Office:

- Immediately to 31 March 1983

Students' Union Involvement Opportunities

Discipline, Interpretation and Enforcement Board (D.I.E.) Board

Requires:

- 2 Alternate Members

Duties:

- Acts as administrative tribunal for S.U. Constitution and Bylaws
- has "court-like" powers
- investigates and tries alleged breaches of discipline
- enforces discipline among Students' Union members
- interprets S.U. Constitution and Bylaws

Term of Office:

- Immediately to 31 May 1983

Eugene L Brody Funding Board

Requires:

- 2 Members-at-Large

Duties:

- Determine Students' Union financial donations to various charitable, developmental, or relief projects from the Eugene Brody Fund.

Term of Office:

- Immediately to 31 March 1983

Housing and Transport Commission

Requires:

- 1 Student-at-Large Member

Duties:

- Make recommendations to Students' Council respecting housing and transport concerns
- Investigate development and zoning plans for the University area

Term of Office:

- Immediately to 31 March 1983

Nominating Committee

Requires:

- 1 Student-at-Large Member

Duties:

- Selection Commissioners of the S.U.; members of S.U. boards; Directors of S.U. services; Speaker for Students' Council

Term of Office:

- Immediately to 31 March 1983

Deadline for Applications: Thursday, 30 September 1982

For Information and/or Applications, please contact the Students' Union Executive Offices, 259 Students' Union Building, phone 432-4236.