Convictions criticized

Re: Beliefs unproven (Feb. 28)
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mindedness seemed so wise that I decided to apply them in other areas and to other perspectives. For example, it would be fair to consider those who practice murder to further their means. Maybe we should all practice open mindedness, and take up murder for a period of, let's say, 10 years. Then there's sexual preference perhaps all heterosexuals should become practicing homosexuals. and vice versa. We must consider the anorexic minority. It would be fairest if we gave up food for 10 years.

And, Mr. Price, in the true spirit of things, let's see you genuinely worship God/a god for 10 years. This is the same "open mindedness" that you advocate.

Of course, we could just throw all these silly and superfluous "strong convictions" out the window, and it might help rid the human race of its mind malfunction called order and intelligence.

> Wayne Hoff Education I

Ratt traps lacking

Do you like standing in line to get into your own Bar? I'm sick of standing in line at Ratt, waiting for high school kids to leave. Being a Students' Union member, I along with 25-30 thousand others subsidize the cheap beer in Ratt. I am sick of seeing high school kids drinking the beer at prices we students subsidize. It used to be one U of A ID, two guests. But when I see a group of young men all in current high school football jackets I am forced to ask a question? Why are they getting in?

Jim Dykeman Arts IV

Fraternities reputation upheld

Re: SU election forum

Having attended 4 of the last 5 forums on campus, I've seen that heckling, jeers, and rude comments are to be expected — all in the name of good, harmless fun.

In last Wednesday's forum at a packed SUB theatre, a few mem-

bers of the Kappa Sigma Fraternity joined in poking fun at several of the election candidates. What impressed me the most was when Peter Chu of the D'89 Slate stood up to speak and two or three of them yelled, in unison, GO HOME! GO HOME! GO HOME! WHEN DID YOU LAND IN CANADA?

As a fraternity member myself, I can understand how well-mannered gentlemen such those of the Kappa Sigma Fraternity took it upon themselves to use such goodhearted, intellectual humor.

I commend these young men on upholding their fine reputation on campus.

> Ashram Mustapha After-Degree V

Cartoons lack taste

Re: Cartoons crude (Mar. 2)

Hear! Hear! We applaud Leslie Brink for her comments. We wholeheartedly agree that some of the cartoons in *The Gateway* lack taste. We would hope that people getting a higher education would have a little more class.

> Jody Watson, Science I Gail Johnson, Arts II

Candidates congratulated

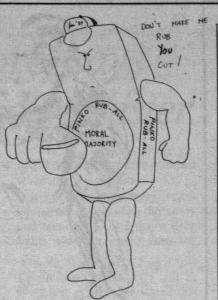
My recent candidacy in the Students' Union elections has been an incredibly interesting and enlightening experience.

Although the posters portrayed the faces of only the relatively few candidates, the campaigning throughout the past several weeks and the organization prior to the campaigning have been heavily reliant upon the relentless dedication of a larger group of volunteers who "lived and died" in support of their candidates. No letter or hollow words can convey sufficient gratitude to these people for their unending commitment. I express my heartfelt thanks.

I extend congratulations to the successful candidates, and regards to those who placed second or third.

Finally, I would like to thank those people who demonstrated concern for the welfare of their Students' Union by casting a vote.

> Ian Squair Representative Slate



Commie-phobics condemned

Re: Stop the whining (Mar. 2)

It is sad to see that a supposedly well-educated fellow university student has fallen into the mindset of the commie-phobics. Peter Englefield, wake up. Why is it that so many people such as yourself insist on believing that if you are not 105% pushing for the US, and tarring communists and homosexuals, you are obviously a mindless puppet of the Soviet "Empire," extolling your beliefs like a crazed TV evangelist? I have never heard a Soviet state that his goal was "world domination," though I have heard so many commie-phobics assure me that this is the case. A bit paranoid aren't we Mr. Englefield? As for your comment that my own letter was an exercise in Communist propaganda; I have read and reread my letter and have had several friends do the rest. I saw nothing pro-communist, nor any anti US lies. Once again you are labeling everything that doesn't praise the US. Grow up and open your eyes! I am not a communist, nor do I agree with or extoll communist philosophies. I owe no freedoms to the United States. Freedom of the press was existent in England and France long before the US was ever formed. The US does not guarantee my freedoms in any way, shape, or form. I would like to know what Mr. Englefield's prediction would be if the Soviet Union listened to its own large peace movements and disarmed

> Doug Hohenstein Science IV

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