

political rhetoric

Open Diplomacy.

A governmentese term if there ever was one, but of all the Carter appointees, U.S. Ambassador to the U.N. Andrew Young best epitomizes the term.

Perhaps that thought should be placed in the past tense. Since Young's highly criticized faux pas last July, he's been "trying to keep a lid on."

But before July, Young's term as U.S. Ambassador to the U.N. was characterized by a high profile in a job usually cast for a low one.

When William Scranton held the job he swallowed his own opinions and was Kissinger's shadow. Daniel Moynihan, although known for his sweeping denunciations, curbed his votes and opinions to keep in line with Kissinger.

Young has not only made controversial statements but is also

known for his impact on foreign affairs. Specifically, Young is known for his involvement in shaping U.S. policy and establishing rapport between the U.S. and the Third World.

"We never know who's running foreign policy... you, Young or Carter," Washington Post columnist Joseph Kraft told Secretary of State Cyrus Vance. Vance smiled and replied, "We all have a hand in it."

But when Young announced last July in an interview with a French newspaper that there were hundreds, and perhaps thousands of political prisoners in U.S. jails and prisons, however, Vance did not smile. The comment elicited an "unprintable" reply from Vance. The remark, which Young insisted was taken out of context, occurred at a time when Carter and Vance were making a concerted effort to im-

press the Russians with their distress over the Moscow dissident trials.

The remark's effects didn't stop there, as Carter added his disapproval and the conservatives in Congress introduced an impeachment motion.

Add that monumental blunder to Young's previous remarks that Gerald Ford and Richard Nixon were "racists" and that the British "invented racism" and "open door diplomacy was beginning to acquire the name open-mouth diplomacy."

Although at the Eugene Hotel Saturday Young joked about his "feet in mouth" routine, he didn't say anything he could get in trouble for. In general, he emphasized why Carter is doing what he's doing in Iran, South Africa and the Middle East and on what it's like on the "inside."

"When I was on the outside I

thought I knew clearly what was right and what was wrong," he said. "Yet having moved inside, I've racked my brain for the past three weeks wanting to tell the president what he should do... and yet when it came down to making those decisions, I'm not so clear on the answers to the problems."

Young has only recently joined — the "in" ranks. Born as one of the few blacks on New Orleans' Cleveland Street, he grew up in a middle class home. In late 1960 Pastor Young joined the fledgling Southern Christian Leadership Conference.

While working under Martin Luther King, the F.B.I. branded him a "communist sympathizer and firebrand." In 1972 he became the first black representative from the South since the Reconstruction — representing Georgia's predominantly white

5th Congressional District.

And then in 1976 Carter, who admits he couldn't have won without Young's support, offered Young an "in" job.

Julian Bond, also a Martin Luther King Jr. deputy, never made it to the inside. During a speech Tuesday night in Corvallis, Bond emphasized that black people don't care how many black faces they see on television or in high places, they don't see changes for themselves.

Bond added that the black persons' plight in America is getting worse. "Blacks have moved from the back of the bus to the front of the unemployment lines," he said, adding that unemployment among blacks has doubled since 1969.

As a "high ranked" Black in America, Young has not joined the ranks of token toothpaste endorsements, but he is talking about abstractions to the black community Bond is talking about.

As U.S. Ambassador, Young talks in global terms of why things must move slowly and why things must stay the way they are for now. Bond, as an outsider, keeps trying to show that things aren't right the way they are and are getting worse.

CLASSIFIEDS

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ROCK-n-ROLLERS! (Mus-200) Your presence is requested and required at the concert Saturday. 11:17

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY JENIE & JONI! Have fun at the Concert. (P.S. Don't forget to do the dishes when you get back Jimmy) 11:16

KEN and BILL: Thanks for the Calzone. We had an excellent time... but where's Kathy's bread basket? Love, ADRIENNE (got that, BABBS??) and KATHY. 11:16

HEY WILD ONES! Don't forget about the Bump-sisters' TURKEY PARTY Friday night! SUZIE BOOZIE will even be there (What's a party without BOOZIE??) Plan to spend this Friday night on "HIGH" street... with the BUMPSISTERS! 342-2033 11:16

DATE-A-PIKE Buy your tickets now for the chance to win a free dinner-date with the PIKE of your choice 25¢ a ticket. 11:17

Markle Sparkle

Mark! It's your secret pal wishing you a happy day! Wuvviny, TOOTSIE POP 11:16

PHI PSI RICK-Figured if anyone could get OFF my SHIT LIST, it would be you — MURKIN QUEEN 11:16

TOM and TEAM — Good Luck and Love to you all. I know you will RIP — Love always, THE SPROUT. 11:16

HAPPY BIG "18" BAL

Cake and Champagne. Let the good times roll. KM 11:16

DEAN: How much longer?? I miss you! TAMMY 11:16

The SAE boys sure showed their might When they beat up two girls last Monday night. And then these boys went way too far By ripping the mirror off the car And now by experience we know for sure That the SAE HOUSE is immature. 11:16

Our THETA thanks to the SIGMA CH's for a great time last weekend. P.S. the punch was yummy! 11:16

ANGELS-

Your hospitality, warmth and grace have captured me-AND IT'S GREAT!! Thanks for all-Love B.M.S. Esquire PS: #1 stay "TALL"-I like you that way.... 11:16

TO MY SECRET PALS:

ROSIE AND

CUDDLE BUNS

Thanks for the terrific surprises! I liked and used both of them; you know my every need! Love to meet the both of you, can't wait 'til Sunday. MORGAN

JORDAN:

Have a great day-You deserve it! Can't wait for Sunday. 11:16

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