POLICE BEAT

The following incidents were reported to the University Office of Public Safety and the Eugene police department from Nov. 23-30.

· A University student reported a theft of a wallet and checkbook on Nov. 23. The student was in the University Bookstore when items valued at \$23 were taken from his bag. The bag was being stored in one of the wooden storage cubicles located in the front of the building.

 A University student was involved in a bicycle accident on Nov. 23. The student was traveling south on Onyx Street and crossed Franklin Boulevard against the light. The student was hit by a car and suffered head lacerations and an ankle injury. The motorist who hit the student said he did not

see the bicyclist until the last second

· A woman reported an incident of racial intimidation on Nov. 27. The woman and her boyfriend were walking on the 1300 block of Alder Street when they were approached by a group of young men. The men, who were black, called the girl's boyfriend "white boy" and threatened to beat him up. The man who was with the girl was pushed down, but no punches were thrown.

• A 46-year-old man was charged with violating the privacy of another on Nov. 29. The man is suspected of looking into windows of residences on the 1700 block of Ferry Street. After police located the man in the area, they approached the man and told him

they had witnesses that could identify him. The man admitted to looking into the windows. According to police reports, the man said he was looking into the windows to 'see someone undressing. When a police officer asked whom he wanted to see undress, the man replied, "Someone female.'

· A University professor reported an incident of telephone harassment on Nov. 30. The professor said he received a threatening phone call from a student who wanted his grade changed. According to police reports, the student told the professor to change a grade, or he would hurt the professor. The student did not identify himself, and the police have no suspects.



said Norm Wessells, University provost and vice president for academic affairs.

Wessells said the amount of applications for admission has increased, and, especially in the next few years with the higher number of high school graduates, the demand for an education is going to skyrocket.

Roberts also proposes a 7 percent tuition increase per year for resident undergraduates, although Brand doesn't think this will have a significant impact on students.

"This is a modest tuition increase in this environment," Brand said. "If you look at California, they're going up another 20 percent."

If the proposed budget is accepted by the Legislature when it convenes in January, the higher education budget will be 16 percent below the current service level. Part of higher education's budget reduction came from efficiency and economy revisions.

Higher education administration is expected to

be cut by 20 percent, yielding a savings of \$55 million. This would mean many of the officers of administration who received warning notices of pink slips last summer would be notified in January and next spring of their termination.

Brand said he is unsure how the Legislature will react to Roberts' budget.

The question is: Will the Legislature, particularly the Republican leadership in the House, use this as a point of departure, or will they ignore the governor's budget?" Brand said

Your guess is as good as mine, but to date, they have not been much taken with the governor's proposals," he said.

Stating that a diminished basis for higher education is not good for business, Brand said he is hopeful that the state business community will take a greater role in solving this problem.

Brand said the only thing to do now is wait.

"Unfortunately, there's nothing specific to do now. We just have to wait until the legislative session starts," he said. "What we can do now is talk realistically about the damage that's being done to higher education and how we're depriving future generations of the opportunities."

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ternational students will suffer under the proposed requirements.

"The University has such a strong commitment to internationalization," Briggs said. "I think that whatever policy (University Housing) works out will be friendly to international students.

Eyster said University Housing will find a way to assess international students' financial need.

"We wouldn't treat them differently," he said.

Some students believe University Housing should be more concerned with whether applicants have children, not financial aid.

Kristen Parrott, chairwoman of the ASUO Child Care Task Force, said top priority should go to students with financial aid who have children - as proposed - but second priority should go to students without Housing is expanding eligibility just to fill vacancies The purpose of family hous-

ing is to accommodate families," Lee said. "It seems to me like it's economics vs. a service toward families.

But Todd Newman-Barnhart, chairman of the Westmoreland Tenants Council, said students without financial aid probably wouldn't want to live in family housing

"I don't think it's going to be an issue," he said. "If you have children, and your partner is making \$30,000 to \$40,000 a year, you really have no business moving here.

Newman-Barnhart said he favors getting rid of the marriage certificate requirement.

"If you're a couple, you're a couple," he said.

Jackie Balzer of the Dean of Students Office said the new proposal will make family housing "more accessible to family units that are not necessarily a male and female.'

"It's still heterosexist because it tends to give priority to heter-osexuals because they have children more than gays and lesbians do," he said

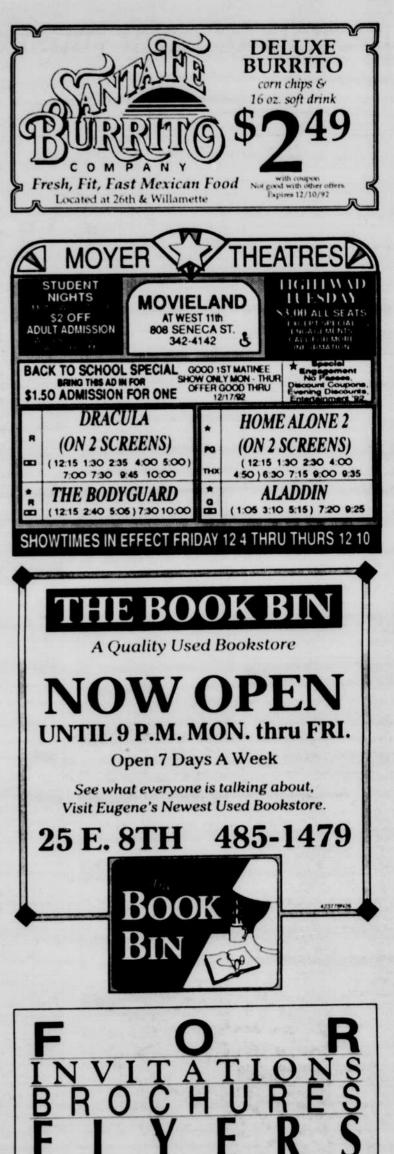
Other elements of the proposal that concern students are its distinction between graduate students and undergraduates, and its requirement that undergraduate family housing applicants be at least 21 years old.

"It's not fair to separate graduates and undergraduates, Parrott said. "Even though grad students pay more for their education, they're also more likely to have a job."

Newman-Barnhart said there shouldn't be an age requirement for family housing residents

'There are people who live here and who are married who aren't 21, and it's absolutely ridiculous that they couldn't get housing," he said.

Eyster said University Housing will consider all of the written and verbal comments presented at today's hearing.



financial aid who have children

"A lot of students can't get financial aid because of the stiff requirements," Parrott said.

ASUO President Bobby Lee said he's worried University

Troy Shields, co-director of the Lesbian, Gay and Bisexual Alliance, said he's glad University Housing has proposed to get rid of the marriage certificate requirement, but the proposal is not perfect.

"That feedback could result in dropping this altogether, modifying it, changing the implementation date or any combination of those three," he said. "It's still a very open-ended issue."



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MEETINGS

Circle K International will have a meeting tonight at 7 in EMU Cedar Room F. International Student Association will have a meeting about games day today at 530 pm. in EMU Cedar Room A. For more information, call 345-4387.

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Student Health Center will have a student health insurance committee meeting today at 2 p.m. in the University Student Health Center medical library. For more information, call 346-3707.

MISCELLANEOUS

Japanese Student Organization will have a Japanese language table today from 5 to 6 p.m. in EMU Cedar Room F. For more call 346-9905

Chi Alpha Christian Fellowship will have a Christmas party and white elephant gift exchange today at 6:30 p.m. in Room 105 Esslinger. For more information, cal 346-0910.

Office of International Education and Exchange will sponsor a tax workshop for international students and scholars who are getting ready to file non-resident taxes today at 3:30 p.m. in the EMU Walnut Room. For more information, call 346-3206.

Student Employment will sponsor a summer employment workshop today from 4 to 5 p.m. in Room 12 Hendricks. For more information, call 346-3214.

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