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By Bill Gibson

Fuel Use Down as Prices Soar

MSC's current heating fuel bills have more than doubled for a three month period, December through February, over the comparable period a year ago, despite this year's consumption decreasing by 37.2%. Joseph McGinty, maintenance director, pointed out that despite the success of the energy conservation measures instituted to help cope with the energy crisis, the total fuel costs have still increased dramatically.

Although MSC used less heating oil during the recent period, the total bill increased by 104%. McGinty explained that between periods the Hess Oil Co., the college supplier, raised its price from 10.9 cents to 35.49 cents per gallon—a price hike of 225%. As a result of this and the other measures, fuel consumption for the periods plummeted from 724,789 gallons to 455,070 gallons.

Loewenthal said that the April 19 date would "give us enough time to go through an organizational period." He added that he does not anticipate any major difficulties. Tentative operating hours were also released by Loewenthal on Tuesday. Current plans call for the rathskeller to be open Mon. through Thurs., 4 pm to midnight; Fri., 4 pm to 1:45 am; Sat., 2 pm to 1:45 am; and Sun., 6 pm to 10 pm.

ALL STUDENTS who have a currently valid MSC photo ID will be permitted to use the rathskeller. Those students who do not have a currently valid photo ID including graduate and evening students, will be eligible to obtain a special rathskeller card. These cards will be distributed after it has been ascertained that the student currently attends MSC. A time and place for distribution will be announced at a future date.

Loewenthal said that each student admitted with a valid ID will be permitted to bring one guest into the rathskeller. The guest must be signed in at the door after proof of age is presented. Loewenthal emphasized that double verification of age may be required and that a guest may be asked to sign a purjury statement. Any doubt as to the validity of the credentials presented will be grounds for exclusion he said.

Our main goal will be to protect the interests of the general student body," said Loewenthal, referring to the proposed regulations. He added that "if we find MSC students are being excluded from the rathskeller because of guests, we will immediately reevaluate and possibly discontinue our guest policy."

FACULTY, STAFF and administrators will only be admitted if they hold a currently valid MSC photo ID or obtain a rathskeller card.

The rathskeller will associate approximately 250 people at one time.

The kitchen will be operational by the first day of classes in the fall, Sept. 3. No decision has yet been reached on operations during registration.

Since Loewenthal said he will not solicit bids for stock until next week, actual prices are unavailable. Loewenthal anticipated a monthly profit of $2000 from operations.

Students desiring employment in the rathskeller should contact Harold Ostroff, food service director, in the Center cafeteria.
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ART FORUM. Sponsored by art department, 1 pm, Fine Arts Auditorium. Speaker: Sophie Lee Smith, artist and writer on black art. Admission: Free.

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MEETING. Psychology club general meeting, noon, Student Center meeting room four.

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Class One's Hold Easter Seal Weekend

By Susan Koenig
The Class One organizations of MSC have combined to organize an Easter Seal benefit weekend of activities in order to raise funds for the Easter Seal project.

SGA Offers Free Student Tax Service
By Robert Baker
The time has come to give Uncle Sam his due. Federal tax returns must be in by April 15 and the SGA, in conjunction with the MSC Accounting Club, has established a tax service to assist students and faculty in drawing up the necessary forms.

One woman present at the meeting expressed the feeling that part-timers are being "cheated out of courses and forced to take trap courses" in order to remain part of the college community.

According to Dr. Irwin H. Gavl'v, vice president for academic affairs, the evening students "cannot expect to have the scope of electives and major course offerings as is the case during the day because resources to fund the evening division is about one-half of that available to fund the daytime division."

Students at the assembly blamed the college's limited evening curriculum for this situation. According to Dr. Irwin H. Gavlev, vice president for academic affairs, the evening students "cannot expect to have the scope of electives and major course offerings as is the case during the day because resources to fund the evening division is about one-half of that available to fund the daytime division."

SGA president, Angelo Genova, agreed that most of the campus activities, services and committees are "programmed" for the evening student. "THE SGA has a responsibility to be concerned with all students and we will try to help these part-time students with their particular problems," Genova said.

However, Genova admitted that "the SGA is not programmed for the part-time evening student."

"A number of evening students also slammed the full-time day student as the cause for getting blocked out of courses. Since most evening students work full-time, they can only take courses at night. Recently, it was announced that the evening student finds full-time day students in their classes. The feeling is that these day students are blocking part-timers out of evening courses."

Richard R. Davis, assistant registrar, stated, "evening students have a better opportunity to get evening courses than the day student has of getting day courses."

"NO DAY student is put into evening sections of a course offered during the day when schedules are processed by computer," Davis explained. "Priority," Davis continued, "is given to the day student for day courses and vice versa. But," he continued, "day students may pick up evening courses during the change of program period."

Evening students have the option of either registering by mail or in person. Davis explained that if all part-time evening students were to register by mail they would have a better chance of getting the courses they want.

In response to the suggestion made by the evening students that a few pages of the MONTCLARION be set aside for part-time news, SGA vice president Tom Barrett explained that such action could be an abuse of SGA funds.

"THE MONTCLARION is a Class One organization funded by the SGA with fees paid by full-time students," Barrett explained. "Since the part-time students do not pay an SGA fee, setting aside two or three pages for part-timers would be viewed as unfair," he said.

According to SGA vice president for internal affairs, Dennis C. Pellegrino, a proposal for recommending the structure of a formal organization for mid-April.

Casale feels that once the evening students organize into a formal organization they will have the voice and power to be heard on campus.

Although he sees the possibility of the formal organization becoming a part of the SGA as slight, Casale stated that "once these students have representatives on the various campus committees they will have to be taken into consideration when campus policy is made, which is not now the case."

The idea to form an evening students organization was initiated last fall when members of CLEP formed their own student group. When faced with the realization that they had a limited constituency and limited power, the group leaders met with SGA officers, Genova and Casale, to discuss the possibility of forming an organization that would represent all part-time and evening students.

Dickson Appointed to Board

MSC President David W.D. Dickson has been appointed to the board of advisors of the Charles Stewart Mott Foundation of Flint, Mich., created to guide the future of community education in the US, according to a press release from the foundation.

Community education refers to the concept of sharing facilities for public education with the community as a whole, Dickson explained. "The foundation discovered that many schools were used only five days a week during the week-end, and fell," Dickson added. "The foundation, for 26 years, has been paying for the use of the facilities and providing staff to increase their use by part-timers of the community."

THE FOUNDATION, which has cooperative programs with 46 colleges and universities, initiated the board "to advise them on the continuing use of flexible and complete education, Dickson mentioned.

The appointment was made, the release stated, at the group's initial meeting on March 4 and 5, which Dickson attended. Other members, it continued, include college presidents and deans.
CLUB Presents

An Easter Seal Benefit Dance Marathon

March 29-30-31

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Music By Thunderhead

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Student Center ballrooms
Teacher Placement on the Downslide

By Nancy Patapchuk

Teacher placement for June is expected to be down this year but not drastically so, predicted Dr. Norman Lange, director of Student Teaching and Educational Placement. With 1421 undergraduates receiving their diplomas on June 9, over 800 will be looking for teaching jobs come fall. Projecting 1600 available openings for the new teachers, Lange admitted the figure is down some 25% from last year’s total. Also, this year’s class is graduating over 100 more teacher education majors than the class of ’73.

For the last three years, Lange said, “the percentage of people unable to find jobs has been rising.” In October, 18% of last year’s teacher graduates had not yet found positions as compared with 12% of the year before. “However, there has always been a steady 5-6% of the graduates who cannot locate jobs for one reason or another,” Lange explained.

He added that over 58% of last year’s teacher grads got the positions they wanted. Strong fields in placement last year were business, music, industrial arts and home economics, Lange said.

The most difficult fields to place were English and social studies, as Lange related, “the number of English and history majors always exceeds the number of openings for either of these fields.”

The teacher education program is just as large for next year, Lange commented. Whatever effect these changes have on the curriculum planning of incoming students and present freshman and sophomores won’t be felt until they commit themselves to a major in their junior year, he added.

When asked to give some advice to uncommitted underclassmen, Lange commented positively, “If you want to be a teacher, do it. Don’t choose your career with an eye on the job market.”

Murray Wins First Economics Scholarship

By Rosanne Rosty

A $400 work scholarship in economics has been established according to Richard E. Weber, assistant professor in the economics department. The scholarship is funded by the American Federation of Information Processing Societies (AFIPS) of Montvale, a non profit organization that “finds and publishes information about computer user personnel,” Weber related.

The organization “wants someone to do economic research on labor in the computer user field,” Weber stated. “The work will be done under my guidance,” he added.

The requirements of the recipient of the scholarship, Weber related, are a senior economics major with “an interest in or some familiarity with computers such as simple programming or simple gathering of empirical data and testing it.”

According to an economics department news release, the first recipient of the scholarship is Nancy Murray, a senior economics major from Wayne. She will work on a project involving the analysis of the supply and demand for labor in the computer user industry.

Weber, who chose Murray for the scholarship, explained that in the beginning the scholarship wasn’t going to be open. Now that it will definitely be offered next semester, the economics department as a whole will probably choose the recipient, he added.

AFIPS will reveal in July whether or not it will fund the scholarship after next semester, Weber added.

According to Weber, “last year the organization paid a student a certain amount of money an hour” to work under his direction. “A scholarship was suggested instead since no income tax has to be paid on it and therefore it is of increased value to the student,” he explained.

Another reason for the scholarship was in order not to “pin students down with a certain number of hours to work,” Weber reported. “As long as they do a reasonable amount of work they will be paid,” he related. Therefore, Weber feels, the scholarship is more beneficial to the student.
Moosers Have No Justification

The evening and part-time students hardly ever see the Montclair State campus in the light of day. Consequently, these students miss most of the daytime activities -- the sales in the Student Center lobby, the raffles, even the daytime streakers.

Because they cannot get to the campus during the day, they also miss out on student services -- legal services, consumer services and financial services. In short, the evening students can be a forgotten minority at MSC.

How can these part-time students demand SGA services and the reservation of pages in the SGA-funded campus newspaper when they contribute nothing into the SGA, while daytime students supply $60 per year? Such a practice is commonly known as mooching.

Since the part-time students cannot take more than nine semester hours of credit (half of the technical full-time limit of 18 hours) perhaps this situation can be reconciled by imposing a $30 a year SGA fee for part-time students.

This way, the students could rightly request SGA services. An alternative to this would be for the part-time students to form their own organization and work to provide their own services, solely for evening and part-time students. But to demand identical rights and services without providing identical input is unfair to the full-time students who do provide the input. Compensating injustice with another injustice solves nothing.

Everyone Happy?

The finalized calendar that has come out of the president's office as a result of numerous meetings, conferences, consultations and confrontations is a compromise of two factions and should, for at least a year, keep everyone happy.

The compromised calendar will also help indicate where the continuation of the shortage of gasoline will no doubt further yield substantial results in the alleviation of tensions. But this forms what is only a surface solution and does not remedy the underlying causes for such friction.

To the Editor:

It has come to our attention that individual residents of Freeman Hall have reacted to the parking activity of the campus security police. Subsequent reactions on both sides have polarized the situation between residents of Freeman and campus security. Initiation of off-the-record conversations with the involved security officers have yielded substantial results in the alleviation of tensions. But this forms what is only a surface solution and does not remedy the underlying causes for such friction.

It is disheartening that at this date municipal ticketing has been implemented. What distresses us most is the lack of student input into the decision-making process behind this policy. We further feel that as currently enrolled students we possess a marked naivete concerning the system.

We suggest, therefore, that the marvelous wo...
Public Schools Provide

Most children of poor and working families are forced to sit for endless hours in the public school system. There they would learn the basics of reading and writing, so that the socialization process necessary for working in industry would be complete.

The schools of industry large numbers of industrial and technical oriented schools mushroomed over the years. In large southern cities with numerous textile factories there were even schools which taught such rudiments as were needed in the local factories. Often students in such schools would attend school for part of the day and would then work in one of the local factories for the rest of the day—providing a cheap source of labor for the local business community.


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The far greatest damage done to the children of this country begins in the public school system. There they are forced to sit for endless hours learning history written to make the oppressors look like what they are not and which seldom mentions anything with which children from the lower classes can identify. If the boredom does not drive them back out onto the streets where another type of education is given, they suffer through the process and emerge with a high school education that is worthless; because even if their aspirations have changed, the opportunity to fulfill those aspirations has been denied.

Reforcers have from time to time recognized the inequities of the system and have struck out to create something better: evidence the experimental schools in slum districts and such ideas as open curriculums and more choice in the curricula. But these reforms are feeble attempts that are starting at the wrong end.

Labor Force

If we are to change the school system, we must change the socio-economic system it caters to. We must make a system that is responsive to the needs of all people and is not class oriented. We must rid ourselves of the profit-driven fiends who seize every opportunity to poison the minds of the population with their propaganda.

In this land of great inequality, there are few resources designed for ridding education of its class structure. Just enough change is permitted for just long enough to keep the wool pulled over the people's eyes.

Grant Total Amnesty To War Resisters

At the conclusion of active US military involvement in Vietnam last year, the country's attention was focused on the triumphant return of American POW's. Ah, they had served their country well and in the process managed to napalm thousands of civilians and destroy many of their hospitals. All this was deemed necessary in order to achieve peace with honor and keep the interests of the corporate giants intact.

But forgotten during this national display of love and affection was the sad plight of the thousands of men whose consciences would not allow them to take part in the genocide.

As the Central Committee for Conscientious Objectors put it, "They are the nearly one million Americans, young and old, who need amnesty: draft resisters, dodgers, deserters, veterans with other than honorable discharges because of their opposition to the military and civilian resisters of all kinds."

They are people who have been rejected by their fellow citizens because they chose not to fight in a war which since has become a national disgrace and has left our 'leaders' morally bankrupt. They have been neglected by the members of Congress. And they have been shunned by the media which only serves to reflect the prejudices and biases of those who stood to gain a great deal from the war.

Those who need amnesty should be granted it at once. They should not have to wait for a president to review the issue but should be granted unconditional amnesty now. As a time when some people are considering the granting of amnesty to President Richard M. Nixon if he resigns, it should not be too much to ask that it be granted to those who rightly deserve it.

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Ghosts Come Out on Oscar Night

By Michael Finnegan

If Hollywood is dead and buried as has been proclaimed, its ghost will rise from the grave again next Tuesday to commemorate Academy Awards night.

One of the year’s big nights for the film industry, the 46th annual Oscar presentations of the Academy of Motion Pictures Arts and Sciences will take place on April 2 (and be telecast on NBC Channel 41). As uncertain as forecasting the appearance of a ghost is the predicting of who will win, but it becomes an avid, anticipatory pastime nonetheless.

For example, the fight for best film honors ranges among a sensational box-office smash (“The Exorcist”), a cinematic tour-de-force (“Cries and Whispers”) and a well-crafted sleeper (“American Graffiti”), with “A Touch of Class” and “The Sting” along for the ride.

“The Exorcist” should nose out the other contenders (money always triumphs, somehow), although “American Graffiti” is the most satisfying of the films. But “American Graffiti” and “The Sting” are from the same studio and just might cancel each other out. (Don’t ask how the voting works.)

Best actor laurels will be awarded to either the sentimental favorite (Jack Lemmon, “Save the Tiger”) or the rising newcomer (Al Pacino, “Serpico”). Pacino should cop the award, as Lemmon reportedly “lost his chance” by making a drunken fool of himself at the recent American Film Institute banquet honoring James Cagney.

(You were warned not to ask about voting.)

Of the other actor nominees, Jack Nicholson is dandy in “The Last Detail,” but his winning would be unfair as the film was not technically released in 1973. The Academy will not award Marlon Brando (“Last Tango in Paris”) another chance to slip them in the face, as he did with last year’s refusal of the Best Actor Oscar for “The Godfather.” Robert Redford for “The Sting!”

This year’s actress picks are mostly previous winners, with Joanne Woodward (“Summer Wishes, Winter Dreams!”) having a slight edge over Barbra Streisand (“The Way We Were”) because of her New York Film Critics Circle win although New York critics’ picks are not as influential on the voting as they once were.

Geraldine Chaplin (“A Touch of Class”) previous Oscar was too recent, and Ellen Burstyn’s (“The Exorcist”) character was not fully developed. Marsha Mason for “Cinderella Liberty?”

For supporting actor recognition, the odds seem in favor of John Houseman for his crusty, austere professor in “The Paper Chase,” and he is the most deserving, although Vincent Gardenia (nice as the coach in “Bang the Drum Slowly”) or Jack Gilford (”Save the Tiger”) could snatch a sentimental victory.

The supporting actress race has been termed “the battle of the bimbos,” as it’s neck and neck (or brat vs. demon, whichever you prefer) between Tatum O’Neal (“Paper Moon”) and Linda Blair (“The Exorcist”). One hopes that Madeleine Kahn’s masterful caricature performance in “Paper Moon” is awarded, rather than either of the Bobbsey twins.

Oscars for Best Direction have usually corresponded to the Best Picture, and then an exception like last year comes along (Best Picture “The Godfather,” Best Director Bob Fosse for “Cabaret”). Who knows?

“Day for Night” will wrestle “Cries and Whispers” in major categories, and not recognize any of the fine ensemble of actresses in the film, including Liv Ullman, who also did good work in “The New Land.” That flick also boasted a memorable performance from Max Von Sydow, and they didn’t even tap him for

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The MSC College Choir will be guest artists in a performance with the State Symphony Orchestra on Ward, April 2 at 8 p.m. in Memorial Auditorium. The free concert is open to the public.

Verdi’s “Four Sacred Pieces” will be performed by the combined chorus and orchestra under the direction of Leon Hyman, the choir’s regular conductor. Performing under the baton of its regular conductor Ward, the orchestra will present Gluck’s “Overture to Iphigenia in Aulis,” the Fugue from Charles Ives’ “Symphony No. 4,” and Verdi’s “Four Sacred Pieces” from the Requiem Mass. The program also includes three commissions: “Song of Creation,” a choral setting of traditional healing songs by Donald Blank, and “Praise and Thanksgiving,” a setting of the Hebrew song by Susan Mayercak of East Orange.

Susan Mayercak of East Orange, who was a student of Ward, has contributed three compositions to the program. She has recently been appointed assistant professor of music at East Orange High School and is currently working on a doctoral dissertation at New York University. Her composition “Song of Creation” was selected by a national competition sponsored by the Musical Performance Trust of New York City. Mayercak’s composition “Praise and Thanksgiving” was written for the Ethical Culture Society of Essex County, a group that has been active in the community for over 100 years.

The MSC College Choir, directed by Ward, is one of the most successful choral groups in the country, having performed in many prestigious venues. The choir is known for its high level of professionalism and its ability to perform a wide range of repertoire, from classical to contemporary works.

In addition, the MSC Symphony Orchestra, under the direction of Leonard Hyman, will perform Prokofiev’s “Symphony No. 5” and a work by a guest composer.

Tickets are available at the box office or by contacting the MSC College Choir at 212-541-7200. Community members are encouraged to attend this special event and enjoy a night of music under the direction of Ward and Hyman.
Tribe Moves Inside

By Lonny Cohen

Montclair State soccer is moving some of the best players from last year's team indoors, in preparation for the upcoming season.

tours at Hartwick College and the University of Connecticut. After finishing with a 7-3-5 record last fall, MSC received a definite bid to the Hartwick tournament on April 5-6 and is expected to receive an identical invitation to the Huskies' event. Last year MSC reached the finals in both tournaments only to lose out in the championship game.

TEAMS COMPOSED of the ten best players from each of the participating schools will field five men and a goalie in this extension of the sport.

Competing with MSC for the crown at Hartwick will be Oneonta College (number 2 in the country last year), Hartwick (also in the top ten) and the NJ All-stars (h电脑 junior players in the state). Powers already entered in the Connecticut tournament are Adelphi University, University of Bridgeport, and认证 Valley College of New York (CCNY).

Outstanding players such as Joe Cozza (defeated by the Philadelphia Atoms) and Bernie Petrucelli (a free agent to the Atoms) will represent MSC against such major players as John Dorio (drafted by the Seattle team of the NASL), and Felix Fuchman (outstanding fullback at CCNY).

“We enjoy a definite advantage playing indoors,” remarked senior fullback John Kaczuk. “Everyone on our team has played in one indoor tourney this year.”

Equestriennes Don’t Horse Around

By Rene Rovelli

What in the world could possibly get eight girls up at 5:30 on a Sunday morning?
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Fiore Takes Helm

When a team loses a player to graduation, they are usually left with just memories. Not true of the women’s tennis team. Denise Fiore as a senior last year, led the girls to the state tournament. This year she returns but in the different competition.

Fiore BELIEVES that the girls can have a successful season. “It’s up to them to see how far we advance. Tennis is definitely an individual sport, but the girls have a very optimistic outlook and we should go to the state tournament,” she added.

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**Lacrosse**

**Brown Sees Sticky Season**

By Tony Cafiero

Lacrosse isn't the most popular spring sport, it doesn't command as much interest as baseball and the average person probably has never even seen a lacrosse match.

But this sport does have a fascinating appeal to it, because it brings together a conglomeration of other games. It supplies the roughness of football and hockey, while providing the skills needed in baseball and requires the stamina of a soccer player.

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lacrosse squad kicks off the new season on Wed., April 3, at Marist College. In the words of Coach Glen Brown, "We have a young and building team and are looking forward to a successful season." But this kind of talk is handed out by every coach, at the start of every season and in every sport. So let's take a look at the MSC club.

Leading the Indian attack are two men who Brown says have "basic offensive punch." Richard Keller, a starer from last year and Dean Witty appear to be capable of putting on good offensive pressure.

The MSC midfield position looks to be in good shape, headed by Franklin Walker and Billy Swann. Walker, an ex-football player possesses "great agility and quickness," according to Brown and Swann is a "very consistent athlete and has great ball control."

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for the Tribe are Jim Biehaw and seniors Craig Degnaro and Al Tinquiut, who are large and agile men.

In the nets will be freshman Mike Slammmer, who Brown states, "improves with each day."

The Indians 10 game schedule will be climaxed on May 10 against Keen College. All home games are slated for Brookdale Park off Grove Street in Bloomfield.

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**Girls Out Of Their League**

By John Delery

Florida may be the land of sunshine but over since the Montclair State baseball team arrived last Friday their season has been a little overcast. Following back to back victories over Biscayne College (8-0 and 15-4) last Saturday and Sunday, the Indians have taken a small step backwards and are riding a two game streak after losses to Miami University 5-0 and Michigan State University 10-2.

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**Bobby Rigs, what have you done?**

Ever since he was knocked off his pedestal in Publicity Bowl II, his defeat has gone to the heads of liberated mothers across the nation. Anxious to breed a race of little Billie Jeans, they are pushing their daughters out onto Little League baseball diamonds to compete with the boys.

The whole situation is very nice if you are interested in letting the girls play where they normally wouldn't. But as things start now, girls will end up on the short end of the score. Currently, most towns have active girls softball leagues, complete with fanatical coaches and raving fans. So the controversy is not centered on giving females a chance to play, but on tearing down the label that Little League is for little boys only.

IF THE courts set a precedent and force Little Leagues to admit girls, girls softball leagues would likewise have to open up their membership to boys. The result would be that boys would dominate the starting lineups in both leagues, and in the interest of winning ballgames, the less talented girls would be left to collect splinters.

Before you label me as a biased male, treat yourself to a girl's softball game (ages 9-12). There you will find misjudged popups, grounders that roll harmlessly through legs, and girls that stroll off bases when boys are accustomed to running over them.

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