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Dear Sirs:

The reason that I came to Kent State University was for an education. And I'm getting one! I am referring, of course, to the tragic incidences that occurred on our campus Monday, May 4, 1970. Though the practicality of this "educational experience" may be disputed---the reality cannot be.

Seeing those khaki green tents and trucks on the football field, men carrying real M-1 rifles loaded with real ammunition--- then witnessing some of my fellow students bleeding and hysterical, left a far deeper impression within me than my most effective professor could have done.

It was real. It was shocking. It was a totally devastating experience.

From it, I have observed that violent confrontation results only in impertinent deaths and unwarranted destruction. It is my feeling that this is much too high a price to pay for any "unknown" cause.



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