Radió Show Cancelled No Renewal Promised

The YSU Radio Show, a long standing Saturday broadcast of WFMJ Radio, has been cancelled for an indefinite period.

Mr. Robert Locke, program director of WFMJ, informed Mr. Donald Elser, Chairman of the Speech Department, that the radio station could no longer afford YSU the time for the show.

According to Mr. Locke, WFMJ has changed its format to an all music program during the daytime hours, and because of this change, all daytime "talk" shows were suspended with no dates set for their renewal.

The YSU Show, directed by Richard W. Miller, Jr., a senior in Business, had been a Saturday afternoon feature of the station for the past several years.

Miller used the time to promote the school by interviewinig various personalities and explaining to the listening audience the inner workings of the University.

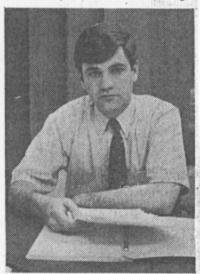
In recent months, Dr. Pugsley, Vice President Coffield, student government leaders, representatives

from the JAMBAR, and other campus leaders were guests on the show.

The YSU Radio Show ranked with the NEON, JAMBAR, and PENGUIN REVIEW as being important communication vehicles of the student body.

Miller explained that he had no idea that the show was to be cancelled. He went ahead with the plans for tomorrow's show as usual, until he was informed by Mr. William Greevich, Advisor to the Radio Show, that the show no longer existed.

He further explained that Mr. Greevich mentioned the possibility of YSU having some sort of show on WKTL, the Struthers High



Former YSU Radio Show Director, Rick Miller.

School educational FM station, but there are no definite plans for such actions.

He maintains that the school is more pressed now than ever to seriously consider taking positive steps toward the establishment of its own AM or FM student operated station.

Miller explained that the idea has been discussed by many governing groups within the university (Student Council, Senior Class, Administration, etc.) many times over the past few years, but nothing has ever come from these talks.

At this time no plans have been made to get time for the Show on any other local station. YSU remains, at least for the present, with a Radio Show Director, but no Radio Show to direct.