Intoxicated bus driver arrested while transporting men's soccer team

by Chris Falvoni
The College Voice

The actions of an intoxicated bus driver posed a threat to the lives of the men's soccer team when they returned from an away game on Thursday, October 15th.

The driver just missed running a red light at one point and another near-miss did appear to switch the center line of the highway. The driver was later found by the police to have blood-alcohol level of .24 which is well over .10, the maximum level allowed by law.

"When I saw he wasn’t going to stop I yelled, ‘red light’ and he barely stopped in time," said Bill Lessig, head coach of the men’s soccer team. "Lessig said he was sitting in the back of the bus at the time and that most of the players were asleep. Lessig said he thought the driver just made a mistake and didn’t realize anything was wrong. A short time later the bus driver failed to notice a construction sign that narrowed the highway from two lanes to one.

Tim Smith, ’90, was sitting near the front of the bus at the time. "He was in the right lane and the other lanes were pointing left but he kept going straight. The soccer coach screamed ‘wake the bus driver up’ and we just missed hitting the sign,” he said.

At that point Lessig moved to the front of the bus to find out what was wrong with the bus driver. Lessig said that he talked with the bus driver for about thirty minutes and found him to be coherent. "I suspect he was tired," he said. After that incident, the driver had difficulty maintaining his lane and was driving too fast, according to Lessig. Lessig still talked to the driver and "told him all the way down to Norwich to drive safe. Lessig had the driver stop in a rest area near the state police.

"I told the driver that I was calling my wife and then I ran across the highway to the state police and told them all the problem was," he said.

After Lessig had left, the driver, according to Smith, "told us to get out of UCONN and started to drive a few miles down the road. The players on the bus told him to wait and the driver stopped the bus. Coach Bill Lessig.

The state police arrived and gave the bus driver some tests to determine if he was drunk or not. The police passed the tests. The police took the bus driver away and the team had to wait an hour and a half for a replacement driver.

Two pints of whisky were later found in a trash bag behind the driver’s seat and on the overhead rack. One went missing and the other had three-quarters left in it. Both the players and coach assumed that they were the driver’s.

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Pool closed to N.L. YMCA

by M.W. Colley
The College Voice

"If Connecticut College can help the Y.M.C.A. of New London, I can safely say the College will help them," said Charles Luce, athletic director. This statement is in reference to an article by Steven Shostberg, a reporter of The Day, which criticized the College for closing its pool to the Y. The Y.M.C.A. has been without a pool or a building since 1981 when they were forced out of the building on Merrifield Drive which was later converted into office space. The Norwich Y.M.C.A. is building a new pool, while the New London Y.M.C.A. has none.

Women lacking in campus leadership roles

by Liz Michaels
The College Voice

Connecticut College as a school for women was obviously an environment encouraging strong female leadership. Today, the need situation appears to be lacking in student female leadership, according to Dean of Student Life, Joseph Toller, who has begun an informal study on this subject.

"The last thing we’re looking for here is a quota. We’re not trying to give all the jobs to women," he said. "Women should be in leadership positions, Toller said. Yet, I think there is something in the atmosphere that might be subtly hostile to one group over another. I think something is wrong in the atmosphere that might be holding women back," he said.

Toller explained that out of the 21 housefellows and 21 house presidents, the majority are male. He also said that the majority of the leaders of major clubs and organizations are male.

While researching the problem, Toller found that women who attend single-sex colleges appear to be stronger and more confident pursuing a disproportionately amount of Ph.D. ’s than women at coeducational colleges.

"Women at a coeducational school consciously or unconsciously feel the pressure to defer, or even be made to defer to men. Women at a single-sex school don’t fit into that," Toller said.

Toller explained the position of white men in this society as having the "home court advantage. When we’re looking for is a neutral court. We don’t want to null somebody back, but pull everybody up," Toller said.

"The leaders I’ve found here are as good, if not better than any I’ve run against in my career. We have to do it create an atmosphere where women feel comfortable running for positions," he said.

Carla Munroe, public relations director for the Student Government Executive Board, only two females hold important office positions. Melissa Kinsky [Class President of ’90] and myself. I know there are more strong female leaders because I..."
A "Bravo" for Bascom's Crew Column

To the Editor:

Bravo! for printing that fine piece on rowing by Brooke Bascom. It is a cry from the heart — best thing I've seen in the college newspaper in the past five years. It is a statement of the ancient truth that sports are good for the soul as well as the body; they build character. And when you consider the confusions of the modern world, it's safe to say that the young folks will need a bit of character before they reach the end of the trail. And think of the numbers of students who have managed to avoid the pain and expense of the psychiatrist's couch by having good experiences in this sportin' life. As for the transcendental experience of the rowers' "tendril high," this classic crew song says it all:

Row, row, row your boat
Gently down the stream
Merrily, merrily, merrily...

Life is but a dream:

Sincerely,
Richard Birzball

THE IMPACT OF A 3:2 LOAD

The proposed change to a 3:2 teaching course load will have far-reaching impact on the Connecticut College teaching experience. And not all the effects of the change are positive.

On the plus side, the faculty will be able to better keep abreast of developments in their fields. Research is an ongoing process of continual education — a process which is most readily observed in the classroom. A professor teaching yesterday's theories performs a disservice to the students and the institution. The 3:2 system will allow time for the faculty to aggressively continue researching and publishing their contributions to their fields.

On the plus side, more free time may ameliorate the problem of having faculty members at student functions. It is hard to expect that faculty members — especially untenured ones — will further divide their limited time outside the classroom to attend social events. However, the loss of social interaction between faculty and students cannot be denied. (Student sponsored projects such as "Time-Out," for example, may flourish, enriching the community.) The 3:2 system could facilitate these types of events.

But 3:2 will directly hit the classroom experience in a different way. Francis Johnson, the dean of the faculty, says that 3:2 will increase enrollments in introductory courses, since there will be fewer classes taught each semester. The experience of entering a classroom with fifteen other freshmen, being taught by a full professor, and being able to participate fully each time, is too important to sacrifice. Much of this college's appeal lies in its impressive faculty student ratio; it forms one of the cornerstones of our education. Being thrown into large lecture classes will adversely affect the quality of our education.

Another negative aspect of the switch lies in the increased number of courses taught. Diversity of the curriculum must be maintained. Small departments, already hard-pressed to offer a wide range of courses, will have to further restructure their offerings. Courses with limited appeal, say five or six students per semester, will most probably disappear. But the value is in the experience of those five or six people is not worth saving for future students? Are quantitative considerations to not weigh qualitatively?

Our education is to stress the understanding of offering basic materials, will become regulated by market forces. Popular courses will thrive, low-enrollment offerings will disappear, and will take diversity with them. In short, our education will be homogenized, like a glass of milk, and with equal blandness.

The adoption of 3:2 should be negotiated by the whole community. We must make sure that our unenhanced, unenhanced educational experience will not create more problems than it solves.

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In last week's S.G.A. Brief on page four, the headline should have read, "New School Calendar Proposed by Dean Hampton." In last week's article, "Pinter's 'Hothouse': Auspicious Beginning for Conn. Theatre," on page eight, the lighting for the play was done by Larry Miller, '89.

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Choosing a Major:

Goals are not iron shackles

by Chris Fallows

Choosing a Major:

Chris Fallows writes regularly for the College Voice.

Since I am nearing the end of my senior year at Connecticut College and has to decide what major will be best for me. He's taken and enjoyed several courses in Biology and was satisfied enough to tell me that wasn't for me. I switched to Government and International Relations to be interesting but I was not enthused about all the theory courses. Along the way I took courses that intrigued me, like Philosophy and Literature, Creative Journalism, and Asian Religion and Culture.

As a result of the Asian Religion and Culture class and a Government class, Asian Political Systems, I developed an interest in Japan and, in my junior year, I switched to Asian Studies (By the way, interdisciplinary majors are the best). I am thankful that I kept my mind open and looked around until I found a major I was happy with.

One of the problems of choosing a major is that you are not the only person who is involved in your decision. With the high cost of education, parents must assume many students feel they have to justify their selection with career-oriented courses. With an understanding of the nature of the liberal arts college perhaps parents would be a little more sympathetic.

I am not advocating that parents should shield their eyes from the future. But I also don’t think that experimentation with different experiences should stop once a person graduates from college. Goals are important but they are not iron shackles. Everyone should be free to reach them any way they want to.

Chris Fallows writes regularly for the College Voice.

**An Appreciation for New London**

by Brooke Bascom

While at home this summer, for lack of anything better to do I picked up from the coffee table a copy of "Connecticut College: Contributing to a Changing Society." Snuggling down into the couch, enjoying air conditioning that protected me from a sweltering 105 degrees outside, I began to skim over an address given by President Ames on August 1, 1986, to the Newcomen Society of the United States in Mystic, Connecticut. The address was given in commemoration of the College’s 75th anniversary. I was immediately struck by one particular passage at the beginning of the speech. The passage read:

*In March of 1910, a Weslemen Alumna, Elizabeth C. Wright, persuaded the Hartford College Club, whose members were women college graduates, to form a committee, under her leadership, to look into the possibility of starting a women's college somewhere in the state. One of the many communities that expressed interest was New London. Thanks to several generous citizens, the leaders of New London had I been interested in building a college in New London and I have not been void of myself. The opportunity to build Connecticut College was offered by New London with the idea that it would benefit women in the East but also the town. Seventy-seven years later their students have turned their noses up at New London and it's inhabitants. People like the washerwoman are glibly about around the lunch table. Some students avoid the local malls because of the people there or go and laugh in their cars. Because of the College’s reputation is strange and somehow ironic that the College’s relationship with the town has evolved as it has.*

When I set down President Ames speech I had a new sense of the College’s relationship with New London, a response you hopefully had. Returning this year through New London to Connecticut College, I felt that rather than penetrating its surroundings to get to the College on the hill, I was travelling through the foundation of the school to the actual site.

Brooke Bascom is a regular Columnist.
Focus: The Honor Code Analyzed:
Is it only an ideal?

"I said "It makes the honest people more honest and the dishonest people more dishonest."

Students expressed a concern that students are not turning in other students. "When it worked, but most people feel it's ineffective. Nine times out of ten, people won't turn each other in," said Paul Mazzaralli, '91. Some students explained that the lack of sufficient confidentiality is a main reason behind the unwillingness of some students to play an active role in the system. As Marian Bernstein, '88, said, "Com. is too small for people to turn in classmates. People talk."

"It makes the honest people more honest and the dishonest people more dishonest."

Other students complained that there are social infractions which cannot be dealt with because students will not act as witnesses. Arifa Toor, J-Board representative for the Class of 1988, agreed that this can be a difficulty. However, she explained that it is necessary for the rights of the accused to be maintained. While a number of students expressed concern over the abuses of the system, most felt that it is worthwhile and that everyone should strive to maintain it. "It is a system for those concerned with producing more responsible individuals, better people by the time they graduate. Students are not babysat for four years; they are asked to take responsibility," said Paul Hyde, the Chairman of J-Board. Arifa Toor also feels that this attitude prevails in the recommendations for those found guilty. "We are concerned with rehabilitation," she said. "We're not solely here to punish, we are here to make better people."

As chairman, Paul Hyde realizes that students can become skeptical about the honor code if they see damages and cheating but don't see results. Due to confidentiality, they are not very visible. Hyde expressed that greater awareness of the J-Board activities would demonstrate the importance of the honor code. "Inconsolable students need to be impressed with the seriousness of the honor code. Upperclassmen need to be reminded not to take it for granted because that weakness it," said Hyde.

The J-Board is taking several measures to improve awareness by working with housefellow more closely and thus getting into touch with the community. Ted Wijgas, J-Board representative for the Class of 1989, is working on a survey of the honor code. Also, the new look has been discovered and clarified (See J-Board p. 5)

The honor code exists to promote responsibility. "It is what allows the students to play such an active role in running the school," said Hyde. Students are trusted with the responsibility precisely because they accept the same role in the community as in the honor code demands. From this responsibility, the students here at Connecticut College have the freedom in the forms of a student government and student run dormitories rather than an R.A. system. This kind of student involvement and responsibility is unique to Connecticut College.

The responsibility necessary for the honor code to work, is the very thing which allows so many privileges. At one student justified the system. The criteria for the system is learning, and there is a lot of learning going on at Connecticut.

"My position allows me a great variety of things I can do and gives me the freedom to let my strengths show." I'm excited about this position and the number of student activities on campus," she concluded.

Besides aiding in planning, Flannery sits on the Alcohol Policy Committee and the Crozier-Williams Review Committee. She is also responsible for ensuring that all student finances are kept in order. Flannery came to the College from the University of Oregon, where she was mostly involved with leadership counseling.

"Working with student programming is a new challenge to me, and I'm learning a lot from the students," she said. "It's a great deal of pleasure at seeing events run smoothly and I enjoy teaching students one-on-one or in small groups," she added.

Looking to the future, Flannery said that student life has a strong foundation to build upon. Among the areas needing attention are: "creating an image of what Cro should be, and to make a base home for all the clubs and organizations on campus, working towards a unity among them," said Flannery.

"My position allows me a great variety of things I can do and gives me the freedom to let my strengths show. I'm excited about this position and the number of student activities on campus," she concluded.

"I basically have two roles in advising student events," said Flannery. "I act as a brick wall to bounce ideas off of--to offer new ideas to students planning events--and to bring up important issues that they may not have thought about addressing."

"I act as a good starting point in discussing liability and insurance aspects of a planned event," she added. "I help the students cover all the bases that are required, from questions concerning alcohol policies to what to put on posters."

Flannery cited alcohol policies as a major source of confusion for students. "Students don't know what the alcohol policy curtail," she said.

Flannery also acts as an advisor to the Student Activities Committee. She is available to SAC representatives to talk about upcoming events. "We talk over ideas, including what audience we have in mind, what refreshments will be served, what equipment will be needed, and what building will be used," she said.
J-Board explains the log’s new format

The J-Board Log from April ‘87 to Oct. ‘87:

Case I
Charge: Social breach of the Honor Code in the form of:
1. underage drinking
2. nuisance to the community
3. illegal gambling

Description: A student was observed drinking three six packs of beer in a dorm room. The student was also engaged in an illegal gambling activity.

Decision: Guilty (I-I)

Recommendation: Letter of censure

Reason: There was no sufficient evidence to prove that the student was responsible for the underage drinking, or that the student posed a threat to the community. The student did admit to the illegal gambling activity.

Case II
Charge: Academic breach of the Honor Code in the form of:
1. plagiarism
2. academic dishonesty

Description: A student was charged with plagiarism for submitting a paper that was not their own work. The student also admitted to academic dishonesty.

Decision: Guilty (1-1)

Recommendation: Letter of censure

Reason: The Board believed that the student was not a threat to the community. The student admitted to plagiarism and academic dishonesty.

Case III
Charge: Social breach of the Honor Code in the form of:
1. underage drinking
2. nuisance to the community
3. illegal gambling

Description: Two students were charged with underage drinking for being spotted in a dorm room drinking from a six pack of beer. The students also admitted to engaging in illegal gambling activities.

Decision: Not Guilty (I-I)

Recommendation: Letter of censure

Reason: There was no sufficient evidence to prove that the students were responsible for the underage drinking, or that they posed a threat to the community.

Case IV
Charge: Social breach of the Honor Code in the form of:
1. underage drinking
2. nuisance to the community
3. smoking

Description: A student was charged with underage drinking after being spotted drinking from a six pack of beer in a dorm room. The student also admitted to smoking in a dorm room.

Decision: Guilty (I-I)

Recommendation: Letter of censure

Reason: There was no sufficient evidence to prove that the student was responsible for the underage drinking, or that they posed a threat to the community.

Case V
Charge: Social breach of the Honor Code in the form of:
1. false statements
2. non-cooperation with the community

Description: A student was charged with false statements and non-cooperation with the community after being caught lying to the Board.

Decision: Guilty (I-I)

Recommendation: Letter of censure

Reason: The student was caught lying to the Board and was not cooperative. The student was also given a letter of censure.

Case VI
Charge: Academic breach of the Honor Code in the form of:
1. plagiarism
2. academic dishonesty

Description: A student was charged with plagiarism for submitting a paper that was not their own work. The student also admitted to academic dishonesty.

Decision: Guilty (I-I)

Recommendation: Letter of censure

Reason: The student was caught lying to the Board and was not cooperative. The student was also given a letter of censure.

Case VII
Charge: Social breach of the Honor Code in the form of:
1. misconduct
2. nuisance to the community

Description: A student was charged with misconduct for being caught lying to the Board.

Decision: Guilty (I-I)

Recommendation: Letter of censure

Reason: The student was caught lying to the Board and was not cooperative. The student was also given a letter of censure.

Case VIII
Charge: Social breach of the Honor Code in the form of:
1. nuisance to the community
2. social misconduct
3. vandalism

Description: Two students were charged with vandalism for defacing a piece of public property. The students were also given letters of censure.

Decision: Guilty (I-I)

Recommendation: Letter of censure

Reason: The students were caught lying to the Board and were not cooperative. The students were also given letters of censure.

Case IX
Charge: Academic breach of the Honor Code in the form of:
1. plagiarism
2. academic dishonesty

Description: A student was charged with plagiarism for submitting a paper that was not their own work. The student also admitted to academic dishonesty.

Decision: Guilty (I-I)

Recommendation: Letter of censure

Reason: The student was caught lying to the Board and was not cooperative. The student was also given a letter of censure.

Case X
Charge: Academic breach of the Honor Code in the form of:
1. cheating
2. academic dishonesty

Description: A student was charged with cheating for submitting a paper that was not their own work. The student also admitted to academic dishonesty.

Decision: Guilty (I-I)

Recommendation: Letter of censure

Reason: The student was caught lying to the Board and was not cooperative. The student was also given a letter of censure.

Case XI
Charge: Social breach of the Honor Code in the form of:
1. violation of the Honor Code
2. non-cooperation with the community

Description: A student was charged with violating the Honor Code for being caught lying to the Board.

Decision: Guilty (I-I)

Recommendation: Letter of censure

Reason: The student was caught lying to the Board and was not cooperative. The student was also given a letter of censure.

Case XII
Charge: Social breach of the Honor Code in the form of:
1. violation of the Honor Code
2. non-cooperation with the community
3. vandalism

Description: Two students were charged with vandalism for defacing a piece of public property. The students were also given letters of censure.

Decision: Guilty (I-I)

Recommendation: Letter of censure

Reason: The students were caught lying to the Board and were not cooperative. The students were also given letters of censure.

Case XIII
Charge: Social breach of the Honor Code in the form of:
1. violation of the Honor Code
2. non-cooperation with the community
3. vandalism

Description: Two students were charged with vandalism for defacing a piece of public property. The students were also given letters of censure.

Decision: Guilty (I-I)

Recommendation: Letter of censure

Reason: The students were caught lying to the Board and were not cooperative. The students were also given letters of censure.

Case XIV
Charge: Social breach of the Honor Code in the form of:
1. violation of the Honor Code
2. non-cooperation with the community
3. vandalism

Description: Two students were charged with vandalism for defacing a piece of public property. The students were also given letters of censure.

Decision: Guilty (I-I)

Recommendation: Letter of censure

Reason: The students were caught lying to the Board and were not cooperative. The students were also given letters of censure.

Case XV
Charge: Social breach of the Honor Code in the form of:
1. violation of the Honor Code
2. non-cooperation with the community
3. vandalism

Description: Two students were charged with vandalism for defacing a piece of public property. The students were also given letters of censure.

Decision: Guilty (I-I)

Recommendation: Letter of censure

Reason: The students were caught lying to the Board and were not cooperative. The students were also given letters of censure.

Case XVI
Charge: Social breach of the Honor Code in the form of:
1. violation of the Honor Code
2. non-cooperation with the community
3. vandalism

Description: Two students were charged with vandalism for defacing a piece of public property. The students were also given letters of censure.

Decision: Guilty (I-I)

Recommendation: Letter of censure

Reason: The students were caught lying to the Board and were not cooperative. The students were also given letters of censure.
The 1987 New London Council Elections
A Look at the City Council Candidates
by Lisa M. Allegretto

Gregory P. Massad, 21
(Democrat): Massad works as an agent for the Massad Agency, an insurance and real estate company. Massad is a part-time student at Bryant College in Smithfield, RI, where he is studying for a degree in accounting and finance. He is a graduate of St. Bernard's High School.

Eunice M. Waller
(Democrat): Waller is a math teacher at Clark Lane School in Waterford. She received a B.S. degree from Fayetteville University in Fayetteville, NC, a master's degree in supervision and administration from the University of Pennsylvania. Waller holds a position on the Board of Education from 1977-1987. She is a graduate of Shrewsbury High School in Lillington, NC.

Wayne T. Vendette, 44
(Democrat): Vendette is a sales representative for Sears Roebuck Co. He held a position on City Council from 1977-1975, was deputy mayor twice, mayor in 1981-82 and served ten years on the Board of Education, of which he was president twice. Vendetta graduated from New London High School in 1963 and studied at Mitchell College.

Patricia M. Connair, 29
(Democrat): Connair is the owner of Connair Catering and is a chef at the Mystic Hilton. She is a graduate of Holy Cross College in Worcester, MA, where she received a B.A. in fine arts and history. Connair graduated from St. Bernard's High School in 1976.

James Brown, Jr., 32
(Republican): Brown is a labor relations representative for Electric Boat. He received a bachelor's degree in engineering and aerospace studies from Alabama State University; a master's degree in guidance and counseling from Alabama State University; an M.B.A. from Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute in Troy, NY. Brown graduated from George Washington Carver High School in Montgomery, AL.

Speros N. Velles, 22
(Republican): Velles is owner/manager of the New London Banana Co. Currently Velles is studying for a degree in business management at the University of Connecticut at Avery Point. He is a graduate of New London High School.

Martin T. Olsen, 33
(Republican): Olsen is the owner of Tobias Olsen contracting. He is a 1972 graduate of New London High School and studied at Northeastern University.

Leo E. Jackson, 61
(Democrat): Jackson is a sugarcane analyst at Electric Boat. He is a graduate of Technical High School, Springfield, MA, and Tuskegee Institute in Tuskegee, AL. Jackson has served on City Council from 1974-1987 and also has held a position on the Board of Education.

Arthur A. Nunes, 62
(Democrat): Nunes is a retired battalion chief from the New London Fire Department. He is a graduate of Chapman Technical High School and studied at Thames Valley State Technical College in Norwich. Nunes served on City Council from 1986-87.

Republicans Seek Gains in Democrat Controlled City Council

by Nancy Grebino

The biggest issue in today's elections in New London is real- ly not a traditional issue at all. The mayor in 1983-84 and mayor in 1985-86. She is a graduate of Washington Irving High School, New York, NY.

Stephen P. Smith, 59
(Democrat): Smith who makes his living as a physician. He graduated from New London High School in 1966 and received a bachelor's and M.D. from Boston University. He received a master's in science from the University of Rochester. Smith has held a position on the Board of Education from 1976-87 and was president in 1986-87.

Both proposals have been strongly refuted by the Democrats. Eunice Waller, a City Council candidate and ex-board member, recently told voters at a candidates' forum that drug tests for candidates were not the way to solve the drug problem in the city. Massad's three year tax abatement plan for home improvements has been called "regressive."

In this year's Board of Education campaign, the emphasis has shifted from the plight of the teachers to the plight of the students. The state's Education Enhancement Act has significantly raised teacher's salaries. "I think now we've got to do a better job of educating our young people," said Democratic incumbent Ray- mond Haworth, as quoted in The Day. "Test results need to be improved," Haworth said.

Frances R. Kinsall, a Republican candidate for the school board, said that the board should address the predicament of the average child who is behind in school. "Somewhere along the line, the average child has been forgot- ten. The honors students and the business students are helped all along the way, it is the average child that is forgotten. There are so many students with hidden talents that are never given a chance to develop them fully," said Kinsall.

Charles Granville, a Republican, said that a greater effort should be made to en- courage minority students. "Minorites need to compete in an even keel... so they can gain a voice in the community." In New London, the mayoral position is not filled by the public. Instead, after the City Council has been elected, it will appoint a new mayor.

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Scarcity of women in campus leadership

Students choose soda

Pepsi since Pepsi is also offering Conn. their product at a cheaper price.

"Pepsi is not just in this for the money, but because of the close contacts between Pepsi and Conn. Because of all they have given Conn. in terms of scholarships and grants, "It would be a slap in the face to continue with Coke," Quentin said.

He added that a compromise could be worked out where Coke is still sold in the bookstore, but that the dining halls would have a complete change. Matthew Fay, the director of Dining Services said that no final decisions have been made, but that a questionnaire is going to be sent out to the students for them to express their opinions.

"As far as I'm concerned, it is up to the students since they are the prime consumers of the product," Fay said, "If there is a popular vote, the results should not be ambiguous."

Fay said that the switch over from Pepsi to Coke would save the school about $1,000-$2,000 throughout the course of a year. After the student questionnaires come back, the Dining Services and the Food Committee will decide whether to make the change, but their decision depends on the choice of the students, according to Fay.

Pool Closed to Y.M.C.A.

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the decision of the College, asking, "If Connecticut College is as active as they say, why were open pool hours cut back?"

Luce said, "It will take time to work out a pool schedule that can adequately handle the college community's needs," but as of now, the 'Y' can use Conn.'s pool facilities only until the end of the '88-'89 school year. The 'Y' is currently paying $1,000 per year to cover maintenance and lifeguard costs. Yet after this school year, the fee will go up, according to Luce.

Dangerous intersection

intersection," said Richards. He mentioned that this could have been another reason for the accident.

The plans for construction include closing off the opening with landscaping, benches, and three new parking spaces. Tveskov said that it will look similar to the new outside front place to congregate. His concern was that the flow of traffic is not hampered since cars can still get in and out easily. He added that the Fire Marshall surveyed the situation and the area is safe for fire trucks to enter and exit.

Tveskov said that the construction will probably be complete some time next week.
Jazz Musician Matthew McGarell

"When people needed someone to play trombone, I was at the top of the calling list." said McGarrell. He has played the trombone since the fifth grade, and currently teaches at Loyola University. "I spend quite a lot of time with the trombone, so there always was a trombone in the house," McGarrell said. "It's a way to put an audience through something, "Madam Butterfly" while they make good use of their student's talents.

McGarell works with a jazz band and acts as advisor for a student run band that performs at school games and activities at Brown.

Fatal Attraction can be fatal to viewers

by Joie Smith

Fatal Attraction (R), Mystic Cinema

Beam. Dragged behind a pickup truck over ten Connecticut College speed bumps and then thrown into an hour and a half bus ride to New York City, I felt I had seen it, but the movie theater failed to forbid "pregnant women and those with heart condi-
tions" not to see it; a warning that may be necessary.

One woman sitting next to me wondered whether it was ethical to make a feature film about a woman who slits her wrists. "I think they needed a thinner role is how I felt after seeing the movie Fatal Attraction. Sure, I was warned by everyone who had seen it, but the movie theater failed to forbid "pregnant women and those with heart condi-
tions" not to see it; a warning that may be necessary.

Thoroughly forewarned by his buddy in an off-band remark at a business party that "looks could kill," Douglas takes the plunge into a steamy weekend with this "Madam Butterfly." While the wife is away, the first in a

The Cummings Art Gallery:
New View of Daily Life

by Jackie Whiting

At the beginning of each year the Cummings Art Gallery receives a conglomerate of slides from various artists interested in showing their work. From this sample the faculty in the art department selects artists whose work complements each other, either artistically, stylistically or thematically. The most recent exhibit, which opened Sunday, October 25th and will run through November 18th, features the works of Paul Flemming, Tom Ebbers, Jane Miller, and Ward Davenny. Although each artist works in quite a different medium, they present a unique and personalized view of common events and images.

Flemming received "very traditional and figurative training," which he said has taught him "to try to understand the structure of what I see." His real interest lies in the "mood, atmosphere, and emotion" which underlie the structure of these observations. "It is through the exploration of the intangible world that I try to express my feelings about humanity and its modern predicament." His perceptions are original and thought provoking. For example, in one painting, simply entitled "The Circus," he portrays a common traffic circle with vibrant Barnum-and-Bailey-like fury and vitality.

Ebbers' photographs utilize old and exotic processes which are no longer used because of the difficulty and expense involved. The gold and platinum tones give a 19th century aura to his pieces which, like Flemming's paintings, display un-manipulated subjects common in daily life. Ebbers commented on his pieces in this show, saying that "there is a reasonable similarity in visual subject matter and in the physical and social culture associated with the photographs."

Miller works in various water-based mediums on paper to create "a representation of the human soul within the context of our everyday actions." She received her M.F.A. from the University of Illinois, Champaign-Urbana, and has since received a variety of awards and has displayed her work in several exhibitions, in-
cluding seven one-person shows. She works from a collec-
tion of notions of ordinary ex-
periences, dreams, and memories. "I present my sub-
jects within a dream, unadorned figured. I think of these groups of singularly isolated individuals as a representation of the geography of the self rather than characters of a specific historical or political or mundane." The fourth artist in the exhibit, Ward Davenny, earned his M.F.A. in Printmaking and Painting at Yale University. Among other awards and credentials, he was a recipient of the National Endowment for the Arts Fellowship in 1985. His charcoal-like drawings, usually of landscapes, have an antique appearance.
Silencers' Release: A Letter From St. Paul

by Todd Weyman

The Silencers are a British indie band, originally from the Industrial landscape, that have recently released an album entitled 'Painted Moon.' Their music is clearly British pop-based with intermixed acoustic and electric elements, reminiscent of 60's psychedelic sounds. The new album is rather introspective, featuring songs on the beginning of both sides, 'A Letter From St. Paul' establishes the Silencers as one of the more promising new wave bands of the nineteen eighties. The pulsing ragged tide of 'Painted Moon,' only slightly reminiscent of U2's 'Bullet the Blue Sky' begins very quietly with softly spoken lyrics accompanied by a piano and ends with a thunder of guitars and drums. Somehow I like the transition from complete serenity to loud, new wave rock. The final song on side one, 'God's Gift,' provides the Silencers' musical and lyrical capabilities. To the beat of echoing drums and reverberated guitar notes, the singer nearly chants, 'It's God's gift to the lost and the needy / The rich and the greedy.' The pulsing ragged tide / It's God's gift to all his young / Oh-h to the cool and the needy. The cameraman is a friend in London. I think this voice of a girl reciting a letter to a friend in London. I think this voice makes a mockery of some banal college girl in Minneapolis. The last two songs on the album, 'Blue Desire' and 'Possessed 'Out of the Mouth of a Wave,' end with lines like, 'Look out, here comes young desire / Look out / Here comes blue desire,' and, 'Possessed by you / Fired by you / Owned by you,' characterized by strange psychological connotations. This LP seems an appropriate soundtrack for movies like 'Blue Velvet' or 'Fatal Attraction.' What is going through the Silencers' minds when they construct lyrics is sometimes questionable, however, the music they produce leaves very little room for debate. Not withstanding the two brilliantly Top 40 songs on the beginning of both sides, A Letter From St. Paul establishes the Silencers as one of the more promising new wave bands of the nineteen eighties.
Good Strategy for Men Runners

Intramural Standings

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Sports Profile

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by Jean Wen

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5) Zaks (3-4)
6) JA/Freeman (2-3-1)
7) Blackstone (2-4)
8) Marshall (1-4-1)
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Hurst/McCullough Lead Tennis Tournament Last Weekend, and 6-4 Record Into the New England Championships

by Harlan Rust
The College Voice

The Connecticut College Women's Volleyball Team would have preferred if the season had been no Fall Break this year. Before the break, the squad was 5-2-1 and looking towards a chance for post-season play. Since then the Camels haven't won a game, as they end their season with a four-game losing streak. "Fall Break killed us," Coach Anne Parmenter said. "We were going strong and the break just slowed us down. It was very frustrating to come back from the break and start losing." The Camels' end of the season protein was bested the previous record of 50. This year's team awards were given out last week: MVP to Brandeis, and Tufts in the number two singles bracket, while their record slipped to third place. "They [Brandeis] were a ground-staking doubles team which we didn't play against this season," Yeary said. "The other girls really didn't make any mistakes and we did." Hurst set a new consecutive team winning streak at 23 wins, besting the previous record of 16.

In addition, McCullough moved into third place in all-time career wins with 50. This year's team awards were handed out last week: MVP Hurst, Unsung Hero Hilary Har- rison ('89), Most Improved Karen Melkonian ('90), and best sportsman Christine Cobb ('90) were honored.

Hurst and McCullough will be representing CONN at the Inter-collegiate Tennis Coaches Association Tournament, a tourney which will host representatives from seven institutions, including more than 50 singles players. The winner of this tournament will advance to the nationals.

Field Hockey
No Post-Season Play

The Connecticut College Women's Field Hockey Team would have preferred if there had been no Fall Break this year. Before the break, the squad was 5-2-1 and looking towards a chance for post-season play. Since then the Camels haven't won a game, as they end their season with a four-game losing streak. "Fall Break killed us," Coach Anne Parmenter said. "We were going strong and the break just slowed us down. It was very frustrating to come back from the break and start losing."

The Camels' end of the season season was their best yet, with the team finishing in CONN's 2-0 loss. Although the Camels lost to Williams 1-0, Parmenter still liked what she saw. "We played great," Parmenter said. "We came off the field satisfied, as if we had won it."

CONN had a chance to win it, or at least to be in the second half, but the Williams goalie "made a tremendous save" according to Parmenter, stealing a goal away from Sarah Lenglin (89). The Camels had all intentions of ending their losing streak and finishing off the season on a good note last Thursday against Fairfield, but the home field advantage proved to be a disadvantage in CONN's 2-0 loss.

"The field [Harkness Green] was really bumpy," Parmenter said. "The ball was bouncing all over the place and it was hard to keep it on the ground. That field has taken a beating with all the games played on it." Parmenter has mixed emotions about the season. "We have had some ups and downs this year, but it has been a learning experience for a lot of the individuals on the team, including me," Parmenter said. "I am already looking forward to next year." And whether the team is playing on a bumpy Harkness Green next year or not, they are sure to "bounce back."
SPORTS

Women's X-Country Gets Back on Track, Beats Quinnipiac

by Karen E. Grey

The Connecticut College Women's Cross Country Team bounced back from its last place finish at the NESCAC's to beat Quinnipiac last weekend in a dual meet 26 to 30, and according to Coach Ned Bishop this meet came at a good time in the season. "It was good for us to run this small meet," Bishop said. "Up until now, we've been running mostly large meets."

Even though it was just a dual meet, the Camels still had to run hard. They had beaten Quin- nipiac at the Rhode Island Col- lege Invitational earlier in the year, but at R.I.C., the CONN team had been in full strength. Against Quinipiac last weekend, CONN was missing two of its top five runners. Junior Kristin Kissell and sophomore Kelly Bernier were not able to run in this meet due to injuries.

"I figured it would be a close race," Bishop said. "We were concentrating on placing our first runner before their first runner, our second before their second, and so on."

Bishop looked to junior Sarah Young to start this pattern. "I told Sarah to get right out at the start and to take the lead right away," Bishop said.

Three quarters of the way through the race, Young had the lead which she used to win the race, beating Quinipiac's second runner by 33 seconds, to take third place overall in a time of 19:39.

Sophomore Betsy Long, tively. Completing the pattern which Bishop hoped to use in order to win was CONN's third place finisher, Jean Whalen ('88). She beat Quinnipiac's third runner, and took fifth overall with a time of 19:39. Sophomore Martha Witt and Melissa Marquis were CONN's fourth and fifth place finishers in times of 21:21 and 21:32 respectively.

Sophomore Jill Uicker finished sixth for CONN and tenth overall in a time of 21:34.

"Jill had a great race," Bishop said. "She took one and a half minutes off of her best time."

The team looks to place high at next weekend's ECAC Divi- sion III meet.

Men's Soccer Team on a Roll

by Tim Kilisberg

The Connecticut College Men's Soccer Team is on a roll.

Coach Bill Lessig's squad has won six out of their last seven contests, the lone defeat a 1-0 loss at the hands of Clark University on October 15th.

With a 24-1 record, the Camels have overcome a shaky start and have joined the ranks of con- tenders for post-season play.

Junior defensive back Pat Wolfe cited the exceptional play of Tim Nickerson ('90), who stepped in at a starting defensive back position, as key in the game.

"CONN came home on Wednesday, October 21st to host Rhode Island College in what proved to be a lopsided bat- tle," Lessig said. "The Camels, led by Taplin's hat trick and a pair of goals by Tim Smith ('90), routed RIC in a game marred by sloppy play by both teams.

With the offense having their way with RIC, the Camel defense seemingly lost their in- tensity and surrendered three late goals.

CONN's intensity was running full throttle last Saturday, however, as the Camels bumped NESCAC rival Trinity College 2-0 in a close battle.

"Tricaptain Wolf described Geddes' ability to "get clutch goals when you really need them," Lessig said.

CONN recorded their fourth shutout of the year last Wednesday, defeating Assumption College 2-0. Dropping a series of inju- ries, CONN played very con- sistently according to Wolfe, and dominated their opponents.

Freshman Mark Waldeck, stepping in for the injured Wolfe, played with confidence and composure as he recorded his first career shutout.

The Camels were once again aided by the scoring punch of Taplin, Geddes, and Smith, as the team appears to have re- bounded from an early season goal drought.

CONN will need all the goals it can muster for the remainder of the season. After dropping a few games early in the year, the Camels find themselves at the cutting edge of a possible post- season berth.

"We control our own destiny," Wolfe said. "If we win all our remaining games, we'll go to the tournament."

A spot in the ECAC Division III tourney was a pre-season goal for Lessig's club, and recovering from a rough start, their hopes are still alive.

The Connecticut College Women's Basketball Team was all prepared to put an early end to their trick-or-treating on Halloween night, and ringing in the new basketball season with a midnight running time trial down at the athletic center. But Coach MARTIN SCHOFIELD and his players realized that they could begin physical fitness tests one day before the November 1 midnight deadline according to NESCAC rules, and so Schofield decided to do away with the mid- night practice, condensing fitness testing the day before the team's first official practice on November 1st. No need for the team to burn the midnight oil, after all...

The Connecticut College Sailing Team captured their second straight New England Championship last weekend winning the Shell Trophy at M.I.T. This dinghy championship qualified CONN for the Atlantic Coast Championships which will be held at Harvard on Thanksgiving weekend.

See sailing article next week for all the details.

ATHLETE OF THE WEEK: Junior Sarah Young of the women's cross country team took first place overall against Quin- nipiac last Saturday, setting a course record of 18:30.

"Sarah has developed into one of the top 25-30 runners in New England Division III," Coach NED BISHOP said. "We are very much looking forward to the ECAC and New England Champion- ships for her.

Women's Soccer Drops Big Game

by Beth McKenna

The Connecticut College Women's Soccer Team seemed to have all things in their favor going into last Wednesday's game against Wesleyan. The home field advantage, a number three ranking in New England, a number 14 ranking in New England, and a 10-2 record compared to Wesleyan's less than mediocre record of 4-9. But somehow, Wesleyan slipped away with a 0-2 win.

"Wesleyan had a mental edge," co-captain Christa Burgess ('89) said. "They had everything to win and nothing to lose. We were under a lot of pressure.

The pressure Burgess speaks of comes from both the challenge of playing up to their rankings, as well as the possibility of being chosen for the NCAA tournament. Unfor-