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Pre-Registration Re-Opened

Viki Fitzgerald

The issue of pre-registration has long been a subject of controversy at Conn; it is one of the few colleges in the area that still does not have pre-registration.

Recently two committees, the Student Assembly, Ad Hoc Committee and the Student-Trustee Liaison Committee, studied the pros and cons of pre-registration and came up with a tentative pre-registration proposal. This proposal will be used as the groundwork for joint student-faculty-administrative discussions on the issue.

The case for pre-registration is a strong one. In a memorandum to members of the Administration and Student Government, the committees cited several problems existing with the present mode of registration.

The present registration system has permitted special "two-person tutorials" in certain classes and overcrowded lectures in others.

Teachers, unable to estimate how many texts will be needed for a course, either under-order or over-order the books. According to a recent study, the Bookstore pays approximately $8,000 per semester in fees due to over or under-stocking course books because of inaccurate enrollment figures.

Faculty also spend summers planning courses only to find that no students have registered for them; and students find themselves thrust into "no-pupil "discussions" courses.

Students often find it necessary to reserve space in a course through means other than registration. Individual professors have implemented their own means of pre-registering students for courses. The Office of the Registrar does not officially recognize this procedure, but some students and professors are nevertheless, favored with this treatment.

The committees studying the problem are concerned with two issues. They feel that in addition to indicating courses which should be sectioned, pre-registration would ferret out "dead-weighted" courses. They feel that students are not taught because students have not signed up for them, but for which they have been paying for, and therefore not receiving adequate compensation. The committee believes there is no reason for this wastefulness.

Ad-Hoc Pre-Registration Committees have outlined a system of Pre-Registration to begin hopefully in September of 1977 or at least by January of 1978. The tentative procedure is as follows (quoted from the memorandum):

1. Students would receive a packet of pre-registration materials which would include: a. Schedule of Course Offerings to begin hopefully in September of 1977 or at least by January of 1978. b. A course catalogue (similar to that used by the Government Department) offering detailed course expectations, and requirements; c) A course registration card complete with the following information: 1) space for the four major courses and sections, 2) optional - a list of courses which the student would definitely be willing to take.

2. Pre-registered materials will be mailed to all incoming and returning students who will be responsible for returning their registration cards prior to the deadline.

3. Registration materials should be made available in early in mid-November (and April) with an established deadline such that all students could receive their printed schedule prior to final exams.

4. A Registration day will be held prior to the beginning of classes the subsequent semester for freshmen and all other students who, for some reason, were unable to pre-register.

To the Editors of Pundit:

We are Sorry Too

I wish to apologize for the circumstances which prevented us from publishing Pundit to inform the College community of Alice Johnson's appointment. When the de beau was reached, I did not think we had the time to notify the other candidates and inform the students. We were surprised at the decision of the faculty, and were not notified of the appointment before Pundit went to press. As it turned out, there was enough time to follow up the announcement which was to have appeared on Thursday, the 10th. Once we missed that opportunity, however, it became apparent that there was no way to wait a whole week. I wish the announcement could have been in Pundit, and am sorry that we misjudged our timing.

Sincerely yours,

OAKES AMES
President

Editor's note: Pundit is a bit confused by Mr. Ames' use of a plural students. It should be known that the decision to withhold the announcement from Pundit was solely the president's.
The Parking Business

Anyone who ventures to bring a vehicle onto the Connecticut College campus soon becomes painfully aware of an intolerable situation: the campus has been glutted with a surfeit of cars.

The campus is now host to a number of vehicles; this was never anticipated when the college's traffic and parking systems were designed. The problem has reached peak this year through the removal of the last remaining restrictions on student possession of cars on campus. This action, taken by the President in conjunction with the Deans, permits Freshmen and Financial Aid students to register cars for campus parking for the first time.

No one can reasonably deny the convenience of cars on campus; however, the situation demands competent management if the best interests of the community are to be served. Pundit suggests this is precisely the sort of management which has not been forthcoming.

The body primarily concerned with the regulation of campus traffic and parking is the Parking Appeals Committee. The committee includes representatives from faculty, administration and students; and works diligently to reconcile the various priorities and interests involved.

However, the committee suffers from a lack of any precise plan for the campus environment, as well as from the lack of the authority necessary to implement such a plan.

The future shape of the campus rests with the Development Committee and the President; as yet, no one has approached the problems of campus traffic.

Pundit urges that decisive action be taken on the question of campus traffic. A plan for the future must be formulated and implemented, for the benefit of all concerned.

The inadequacy of the college's present facilities for the number of vehicles on campus reduces the problem to a dramatic question: more parking spaces or fewer cars?

Considering the fervor with which the opposing sides of this question are espoused, it is not surprising that the President has been reluctant to make the decision. However, the ill-advised act of increasing the number of students able to register a car makes a comprehensive design for campus traffic all the more imperative.

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Elitism Waltzes On

The discriminating attitude of the dance department at Connecticut College is a source of anguish and frustration for many students. This discrimination is being directed towards dance students as opposed to dance majors.

Conn. has a reputation as a fine liberal arts college with an excellent dance department. Aside from a highly qualified staff and an active department, the college has harbored the American Dance Festival - an asset to any serious dance student.

Yet these facilities are useless to the college if they only serve an elite group of students - dance "majors." The purpose of a college is to provide students with the facilities and encouragement to pursue and hopefully excel in a particular area of study. It can be very discouraging for the sophomore dance students, who are told before their audition to become a major, that the department is accepting a limited number of non-freshman applicants as they want to turn out "finished products."

This, among other comments, is reportedly the type of discouragement the dance department is offering the dance student.

Currently, there are many professions which involve dance (dance therapy, for example) and therefore require a dance major. But according to Conn.'s dance department, all auditioning students are judged as if they desire to become a professional dancer.

By past performance, this department has proved itself to be a clique, leaving little room for variation among students and their career goals. The college grows weary of seeing the same faces and bodies in every dance production. There is also a peculiar tendency for these same faces to appear on stage long after the respective students have graduated.

It is difficult for dance students to become a "finished product" if they are not given a chance to develop and perfect their talents in a production situation. They may not be the best in the department, but if they have potential, what better place to strengthen it than at a "learning institution?"

If the dance department at Conn. insists on remaining as stagnant and elite as it appears now, a suggestion for an appropriate title to replace department might be club. A much more valuable move would be for the department to change its policies and become a member of the college community.
Putting The Pants Back On The Students

Campus governance, the theme of this issue, has been a perennial problem at Connecticut College. In the following pair of essays, three students make an effort to identify the source of the problem, and suggest possible constructive action which would remedy the situation. Pundit hopes hereby to set an example, one of positive, constructive responses to problems; a response which is far from being typical at Conn. at any level of campus governance.

By Rose Ellen Sanfilippo

Campus governance at Connecticut College is in trouble; the problem seems to permeate all levels of the college, faculty, and administration.

In the Barnes & Roche report issued to the Board of Trustees on Jan. 29, they stated, "The College needs to define clearly what it is and to develop an institutional program to establish its image in the minds of its several publics—alumni, applicants, donors, faculty, friends, parents, and the community at large.

In assessing governance problems at the administrative level it is clear that a precise image has not been developed. Although Mr. Ames may have a clear conception of Connecticut College, he may not be able to communicate it to the students and the community. As a result of this lack of leadership the Alumni enrollment has experienced a decrease in the past few years. One may assume that one of the main factors in the past few years to come, he does not make this clear to his constituency.

This in effect creates a paradox which is filled by any of the college's other constituencies, depending on the activity of the respective group in question. As a result of this lack of leadership the Alumni enrollment has experienced a decrease in the past few years. One may assume that one of the main factors in the past few years to come, he does not make this clear to his constituency.

The financial problems of the previous mismanagement have been a major concern of the college. We have been forced to become full time lobbyists. We have had little help from past editors; after many promises and little action, we have had to learn how to lay out a paper without background or assistance.

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Women Beat Men In Brain Skill

Women can self-circuit into their passive frontal lobes easier than men. This is the recent finding of a laysmen longitudinal study. A new order of advanced problem-solving intelligence, mirror neurons, and the brain's telepathy emerges automatic. The method is via brain self-control. It is important because it is free.

Since 1997, the Adventure Trails Research and Development Laboratories atop Laughing Coyote Mountain, near Black Hawk, Colorado, have been pursuing an experimental program by which individuals are taught to self-control and self-circuit into a vastly dormant brain, in categories of test subjects, from infants to elderly, male and female, have been trained in the methodology of brain self-control.

Exclusive of children who receive proper neural nursery education from aware parents, thereby creating an evolutionary quantum leap, female young adults are the most receptive and predictable. Those who make the break and remain isolated from subtle (telepathic) male dominance report the best results. The "frontal lobes experience" is an overwhelming sensory and brain reordering experience that is innate in all humans. As one student reported, "It felt like a cosmic orgasm for four days and nights. I understood the whole universe and my place in it instantly. I'm still shy to mention it, but I now am a savage sex enjoyer. I never achieved climax easy before. I now get multiples, up to 90, sometimes for a half hour. I think it's dumb not to grow up this way."

Preliminary evidence indicates this is the ancient nirvana-satori kenbo-born-again phenomenon kept alive through history by religious mystics. If so, it is scientifically releasable; predicable; self-controllable.

Rocky Horror coot.

were also in the stage production — a long running hit in London. Jim Sharan, who directed the play as well as the movie, really knows how to get it all on film. The movie is smooth, the editing flows, transitions are very well done, and lines are timed perfectly.

The cameraman, Peter Suschitsky is also known for his work in Ken Russell's LISZTOMANIA. Imogen Clare who did choreography for both TOMMY and LISZTOMANIA also contributed to ROCKY HORROR.

Don't expect too much from the content of this movie. It does have some things to say, but its value is in the funny. If you think you can handle the mid-night show, Saturday night, the folks down in Abbey House say there may be an added attraction.

Recommendation: The optimal state to see THE ROCKY HORROR PICTURE SHOW IS HIGH.

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While earning her B.F.A. here at Conn, Miss Myers was primarily interested in sculpture. She began weaving after having missed the element of color in her work. Weaving, her new art form, combines color and the three dimensional aspect of sculpture.

The tapestry weavings are vividly colored (particularly the "Raining" piece) and very hand-crafted. The quilts are machine stitched and hand quilted.

Letter From Wright

by David Crutcher

"The pressure roll at noon. The room reeks of failure once again." The immortal words of Hunter S. Thompson, which make a lot of sense, if you could just let them hang in your head right now. Here it is, Monday already, and the column is not ready. My God, what to write about? I think I have something that was being hushed in my mind, and brought to the fore by these three totally different things.

The first was Lester Wolf, a Congressman from New York State, which I won't tell you about until you've heard about the other two, also which don't quite match things.

The second is an article in this week's "New Yorker" magazine, yes, The New Yorker, it has to do with Mrs. Gandhi and her problems running India, what with the elections coming up next year. Besides, the back bar last Friday, instead of going to the party (which I never really intended to do) I was reading it in this fascinating passage that made more sense to me at that particular time. It would have if I had ever been a sojourner. (This is one of the reasons that I am going out to celebrate Kafka's birthday this week, after writing this. I have an exam coming up tomorrow, and maybe a brightening drink will clear up the old head. Besides, the back bar is giving me trouble, and that'll take some of the fun, anyway, and, well, you don't want to hear about it.)

The catalyst for this whole mess was a three minute discussion that I had with Margaret and Teri on the way to read the news section. I had to do with a passage from the article and a comment from Mr. Wolf.

Ved Mehta, the journalist who contributed the article to the New Yorker, gives us what reporters of Mrs. Gandhi have in the reason that Third World countries give as to why they have proclaimed Emergencies, such as the one Mrs. Gandhi proclaimed in June of 1975. They say that Western-style democracies cannot succeed in these countries because they are the product of imperialistic powers, such as Great Britain and the United States.

This is the same old rhetoric that we've all heard before, but there was another point raised that was fascinating.

These countries claim, with some validity, that two-party systems fail. They say that elections are impossible because, if the ruling party in the country is becoming stale, a new party may be voted out of office, the reforms could be changed and old conditions restored.

This is the reason that so many Third World countries look to the Soviet Union as a model; not because the Third World wants to go communist, but because the Soviet Union may well come to be the superpower in less than fifty years.

This is what the developing nations want, not to change governments every four years or whatever, but the Third World is treating it just can't happen.

This brings to us Mr. Wolf, who was quoted the other day in a meeting of Jewish leaders in New York. They were talking that New York times will change, just as a Third force in Black Africa as UN Ambassador, would be too friendly with the Third World and soft on Israel.

Wolf said that he had known Young for many years, and knew that he would stand up for Israel. He then went on to say that with Andy Young at the UN it was possible. And Wolf, the Third World, back to the confidence and help of democracy.

This year it bothers me no end to hear that type of talk just when Young has been made successful. It bothers me to hear him speak with the new administration and developing countries.

Wolf seems to be taking the "Little Brown Brother" idea right into the 20th century. This does not seem to be the way to make friends with African nations that will be turned off at talk of this type, and turn to the only nation that could help them, the Soviet Union.

This is, most certainly, a tough problem; stepping up aid to mortals in search of help. Taking a stand against Ian Smith would be a big plus. This is a very hard step to take as we'd have to deal with gentile men like Joshua Nkomo. Nkomo should be Prime Minister of Zimbabwe, but his kind are — and this is the hard part — murderers who hide in Mosambique whose sole purpose is to keep the recent raid on a mission show in brutal clarity.

The United States is in a bind here and must play its cards very carefully in order to avoid ending up as a neo-colonialist power looking for a better place to plant the American flag and Coca-Cola signs.

On last week's editorial; men Crear's official title is Representative of the Board of Housefellows on College Council. He has not yet assumed Dean Wolfe's responsibilities.

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This is a terrible injustice, and it serves to spotlight the notion that the Federal government is increasingly by a small-town mentality.

Cities such as New York are deserving of as much Federal aid allocated, if for no other reason than the size of its population. There are approximately seven million residents in New York, not to mention all the people who draw from the city for business needs. It is very easy for this writer to imagine all the rural townspeople who must be upset at the "big-city-pickers" who cry out for money.

I am sure that in some sense the major cities must represent a larger interest. After all, there are minorities, liberals and northerners in New York, but to claim that these beings could be more threatening to the residents of Greenville, Alabama, a town with a population of about 8,000 New York City-hating residents?

We must give our Federal aid to the places most hard hit by the problems of modern day society. It makes no sense to let our major metropolitan areas decay into slums and ghettos for the millions of Americans who live and work there.

Thompson cont.
Who Killed J.F.K
by Michael Halse

"Who Killed J.F.K.?," a lecture and an audio-visual presentation challenging the conclusions of the Warren Commission on the assassination of John F. Kennedy, will be presented on Thursday, February 24th at 7:30 p.m. in Fiber Hall.

Mr. Harvey Yazijian, a principal member of the Assassination Information Bureau, will show a film offering clear photographic evidence that Lee Harvey Oswald was not guilty alone for the assassination.

Following the film, Mr. Yazijian will discuss and answer questions about the film and recent legislation to continue the investigation.

Two weeks ago the House of Representatives voted 237 to 164 to continue the Select Committee on Assassination’s probe into the incident.

The case is being handled by Atty. Richard A. Sofer, Chief Counsel and Staff Director of the Committee, the House requested the Committee give him a "realistic budget" in two months and produce convincing evidence that further investigation is necessary.

Immediately after the ruling, Henry B. Gonzalez, the Committee chairman, stated that he had new evidence proving a conspiracy, but it could not be revealed because of "misterious forces" attempting to sabotage the investigation.

The probe is far from complete.

One expert, Ford, a former member of the Warren Commission, has agreed that a new investigation into certain portions of the assassination is necessary.

Morrison Interns

One student immediately cited the problem of the retirement-to-college or day student, which also needs to get "work." Hancock agreed to bring this argument to the next meeting of the Campus Parking Appeals Committee.

The final proposal on this issue in favor of parking cars will be brought to the Committee that faculty members should be allowed to park for free, and pay $25 in order to cover the costs of parking on north campus.

On campus parking cars, Hancock explained that a car will not be towed unless it is in a hazardous place, if we're going to have a system, we're going to make it work," he concluded.

by James Howard

The League of Women Voters intercollegiate political "myth" has been quite a campaign, in the first two years, many other people needed to allow parking, which is considered a privilege.

The voting will be covered exclusively to Connecticut College as indicated in the selection committee. The selection committee, under the direction of the League of Women Voters, and the admissions committee has chosen as the Mary Poukie Morrison Interns for 1977.

Two Connecticut College interns, chosen for "ability and "interest," will spend eight weeks this summer working in the League for "women voters." The internship, which is offered exclusively to Connecticut College students, provides experience and training with a well respected volunteer organization at all three levels of government: national, state, and local.

The selection committee, in addition to their summer work in Washington, will work with other League offices and "conduct at least one on-campus sessions in the fall of 1977 dealing with citizens participation in government. The interns will work without pay, but will be provided a $1,200 stipend to cover living and travel expenses. Scott Vokey, one of the 1976 interns called the internship "one of the best in Washington in terms of money, speechwriting, and training, and compared it to other "congressional" internships offered.

The interns have worked in the areas of: voter's service, campaign finance, and the United States involvement in the Far East.

Charlotte Burley, a transfer student, has a student designed interdisciplinary major in international politics. At her previous school she majored in political science and international politics.

She wanted to work in the area of "education on international issues." Burley said, "a volunteer organization can't make changes, it must create the necessary changes." Miss Rumsfeld graduated from Bay High School near Cleveland, Ohio. Valerie Rumsfeld lives in Indianapolis, Ind. and was not restricted to government majors.

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Other suggestions from last year's interns included a third intern rather than the present limit of two, and an increase in the funding of the program. The committee is considering these possibilities for next year's program.

by NANCY SINGER

Hancock Defends Parking Regulations

At an open Student Government Association meeting on the parking problems at Conn., Craig Hancock, director of campus Safety, was asked to explain how he plans to defend the increase in price of parking stickers, on Feb. 9. Hancock said that the price increase was necessary in order to cover the costs of parking cars.

He explained that the salaries of the people needed to handle the filing and issuing of parking permits will also include in this raise in price.

According to Hancock's records, 200 more parking stickers have been sold so far this semester. The revenue from these stickers is approximately five thousand dollars (this semester alone). Hancock indicated that the money raised will be used to purchase road signs and other such items on campus.

Hancock is in defense of the increase in parking stickers, said that if the price of stickers did not go up, Conn. would have to obtain the necessary funds through a raise in tuition.

By raising the price of the tickets only the people who have cars on campus would be paying for these services (ticketing, etc.).

Many students argued that those students who buy stickers are in designated areas, whereby obviously all the miles are also suffering because they are not being forced to pay for parking stickers because of the cost of the ticketing.

These students proposed that rather than raise the cost of the parking stickers, the ticketing line should have been raised. This idea has been from $5 to $3.

Another parking issue brought up was the parking on the north campus, asking that faculty are not required to pay $25 per semester for a north campus parking permit. Students allowed to park in spaces on the north.

Hancock's statement on this issue was that the faculty members need to drive in order to get to work, whereas students, having a car on campus is considered a privilege.

Dj's Get the Nod

by Scott Apelella

Dean Alice Johnson has become the first member of the College Community to be inducted in an announcement to the College Community by President Oakes on February 10, 1977.

A search committee, chaired by Richard Burdick, professor of history, with members of the administration, faculty, students, and alumni voted unanimously in favor of Alice Johnson for this position.

"The availability of the position was widely advertised and the committee evaluated the qualifications of several hundred people," said President Oakes.

Dean Johnson’s new responsibilities will include advising the students and extracurricular activities of students.

The president’s decision was made through a new release from his office despite his promise to give Pondt exclusive rights to the story. See Letter to the President, page one.

Concern was expressed by the committee involving Miss Rumsfeld’s father’s association with a governmental office, but it was felt that she was a deserving and qualified candidate. According to Scott Vokey, "I can assure you that no strings were pulled" on Miss Rumsfeld’s behalf.

Application to the Morrison Internship involved a written application and an interview with the selection committee. The internship was open to all members of the junior class at Conn., and was not restricted to government majors.

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Morrison Interns Are Chosen

Olympians Honored

Two Connecticut College alumnus, both finalists in the 1976 Olympic Games, one a bronze medalist, were honored Friday, as members of the President’s rowing team dinner at the college.

Anita DeFrantz and Cathy Morin, both class of 1974, were presented with College Chairs - an honor usually reserved for retiring Trustees. President Oakes M. Ames presented the special awards to the two Olympians following the dinner in Creer-Rumford.

Ms. DeFrantz rowed No. 7 oar in the first crew of women’s rights to be sent by the U.S. team to the Olympic competition, and helped her teammates capture a bronze medal at Montreal.

Ms. Menges rowed in the four-oared shell with coxswain. Both women are currently enrolled in graduate studies. They are also members of the President’s Boating Club in Philadelphia for competition with the U.S. team in the FISA World Championship at Amsterdam in August.

Ms. DeFrantz, a former swimming and diving star at Connecticut College Board of Trustees, is in her final year at the University of Pennsylvania Law School. She is a native of Indianapolis, Ind.

A former captain of the Connecticut College swimming team, Ms. Menges is finishing up at the University of Pennsylvania Nursing School. She is a native of Columbus, Md.

Both women began their rowing careers while undergraduates at Conn.; one of the first colleges in the country to offer collegiate-level women’s crew.

No Butts In Harris

by Jill Elsner

"There’s good news for those smokers who complained that their meals have been ruined because of the taste and smell of cigarette smoke. A motion has been passed by the University’s Board of Trustees which will reserve one section of Harris Refectory for those who want to avoid smokers at meals. Leslie Margolin, president of the student government, stated that this proposition had been brought up to the Judiciary Board last year. Their decision was to allow the individual dorms to decide whether smoking was to be permitted in the dining areas. If the motion is passed by the Assembly it will go into effect for a two-week trial period. The special non-smokers section will be available Monday through Friday in Harris.

The question of a non-smoking section in Harris was brought to the College’s Council’s attention by Dr. McKeehan. He is running the Kick your Butts program an effort to help smokers stop smoking.

The students involved in this group have brought to Dr. McKeehan’s attention the fact that it is difficult to stop smoking when people around them are smoking. Therefore they suggested that a special section be provided for them and any other students who would prefer to be non-smokers. Dr. McKeehan also reported that he has received letters from students outside of his “kick your butts” program who felt that the cigarette smoking was annoying. Since only one quarter of the student body are cigarette smokers, Dr. McKeehan felt that this arrangement will not cause many problems.

Mrs. Eleanor Vomher, director of student activities, will keep an eye on the non-smoking area to be sure that enough students are not being left out. After receiving her reports, the Assembly will decide whether the section will become permanent.

Finals"
"Impressions," and Weaving
At Cummings

by Donna Handville

"Traveling West," a collection of paintings by Helen Langfield and "Quilting and Weaving" by Sharon Meyers are now on display in the Tatum Art Gallery. "Traveling West" consists of about 20 abstract works done on canvas, handmade parchment, and the reverse side of flocked wallpaper. The artist explained her work as based on her impressions of the countryside as she drove to California. She sees each painting as "a natural formation, a piece of the land."

To capture these impressions Miss Langfield oils the surface to be used, and then "chicken feeds" powdered pigment onto it. This is done one color at a time so that a layered effect is created. From a distance the layering effect is imperceptible and the utilized in the display, and the display in Cummings by Donoe

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Words On Black Plastic

by Stephanie Bowler

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The Ramones have two albums, the last entitled "The Ramones Leave Home." (Sire) The new one is as good as the first. The Ramones have grown up. The music touches you - a record that actually contains fourteen songs? Sure, they all sound about twice as many songs as most L.P.'s.

The album, like the Ramones, is about 39 minutes long and is marked by songs based on two or three chord progressions. Some of the titles include "Gimme Gimme Shock Treatment," "Carbonton the Go-Gos," "We're Outta Here," and "Her Morning Glories." The best example of Punk rock is provided by a young man named Johnathan Richman. Richman's music is an extraordinary singer, a happy and singer, Tarn displays ending and a clear-cut plot.

Arthur Miller wrote "The Theatre One Will Perform Luv" as a former time for music and lyrics there seemed to be a Peter O'Brien, who portrays the role of John. He is the director of the Lovers, he has made quite a name for himself. His first L.P. is called "Pablo Picasso." It is a head-banger. Her Morning Glories is a go-to fan more time for me-oo-oo-oo-oo.

The Runaways-Queens' of Noise. (Mercury) These girls are truly punks; none of them are country blues and country music.

There are appearing to be revived in country blues music which has made Tom Atkins a very popular young musician these days. The Connecticut College is fortunate in having Tom Atkins perform here Sunday, Feb. 29 at 8:30 p.m. in Cro Main Lounge. This performance will feature original songs, and traditional songs from the Southern Mountains.

As a highly talented musician and singer, Tom displays his varied skills with guitar and clawhammer banjo - and often with fiddle, too. His recent response to the recently released album has already furthered this reputation as an outstanding performer, songwriter, and an imaginative interpreter of rural blues and old-time music.

During the past year, Tom has made more than a hundred appearances covering coffeehouses throughout the East. His performances have included Cornell U., MIT, Brandeis, Williams, SUNY, and Kirkland.

Tom Atkins have been playing country music since 1963. He also taught literature and folklore for three years before he left teaching for a left-time career as a performer.

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by Harry Lowenberg

Most would agree that Connecticut College has never before seen anything like THE ROCKY HORROR PICTURE SHOW. It may well be that we will never again see anything like it. But if this movie has the impact that it has had in certain corners of the world, Conn. College may not be the same for a very long time.

Basically ROCKY HORROR is a very funny spoof of 1950's horror films with some 1960's science fiction, some 1967's rock n' roll and some 1970's decadence.

It's hero is a "sweet, transvestite from transsexual, transylvania" named Frank N. Furter. Frank N. Furter. Sent to Earth from a far-off planet, he has abandoned his mission and given himself over to absolute pleasure.

It happens that this innocent and unsuspecting young couple, Brad and Janet, stumble upon Frank's eerie castle and an adventure they will never forget. At heart, it is a love story.
Two Students Examine College Council

By LINDA FOSS
The College Council of Student Government was scheduled to meet three hours every week to discuss issues concerning the college community. It has been accused of being irrelevant, and there is an unequal balance of power in the Council. The four faculty members who serve on the College Council are not able to represent the true opinion of the faculty as a whole.

Dr. M. Gertrude McKeeon, the chairman of the Faculty and Conference Committee, discussed the role of the College Council. The Council was produced by a reorganization of student government in the late 1960's.

Another problem is that the four faculty members of the College Council do not propose legislation for the faculty, they merely vote on issues that are proposed by the students and administration. The role of the faculty members of the four members was last year's calendar issue.

Mr. Peppard also said that the Council can propose legislation and the four faculty members can enact it, and that the four members could act as advisers to the administration. Mr. Peppard also said that the faculty members of the Council are evening sessions, and was formed. The Steering and Conference Committee tries to discuss the role of the Council that is being drafted by Student Government. This may clarify the role of the Council.

There may be changes in the function of the four faculty members and possibility of the College Council as a result of the new constitution which is being drafted by Student Government. This may clarify the role of the faculty in College Council and grant them more power. Dr. McKeeon said, 'The role of the faculty members depends upon the role assumed by the College Council.'

What this means to students is that the role of the faculty members of the College Council may produce a change in the way that student legislation is handled. Mr. Peppard noted ‘Students have a lot of control over things that affect students like parties and social functions, but in things that effect everyone, students don't have much power.'

It seems that as of now, the four faculty members of the College Council are only "token members." This unionizes the whole picture at the College Council. The administration and student government members of the Council are representative of their interests.
Vuyo Ntshona On South Africa

A great deal has been written on the terrible events that have rocked South Africa since June 1976. Indeed numerous commentators attempt to read things into the situation, in order to ascribe some purpose to do no such thing but simply to attempt an objective account of events. In the end, of those historic months as I witnessed them. However it must be remembered that total objectivity is hard to attain if not unattainable.

The scene of eruption of what many have called the "Soweto Rebellion," was the sprawling black ghetto called Soweto (short for South West township) 10 miles from Johannesburg. Officially it is said to house a population of 4,000,000 but it is known to have a population in the region of 1.5 million.

Life in Soweto, to put it rather mildly, is harsh. Thousands are homeless, many are unemployed and for the others who have jobs, wages are well below 300-400 times less than that of the whites.

Living conditions are inadequate, families of eight to ten living in a room "match box" houses which in the majority of cases are neither have running water or electricity. Some have phenomenal crime rate with 8,000 murders and over 1,000 rape cases per year.

Only one hospital, comparatively very few practising doctors, serve the population. Soweto is not the only township, there are numerous other towns where they too tell the same story. The people live in what some have termed "a condition tantamount to slavery.

They have absolutely no political, economic or even basic human rights.

Because of their color they are subjected to "Bantu Education," an adulteration of the very word education. While $600 is spent each year on the educatio of a white child, the figure for a black child is $30. On top of that the black pupil has to pay for both tuition and books, whereas the white pupil gets both free.

The immediate spark to a revolt against the oppressive measures of the system in total was a government ruling that black pupils had to be taught both in the Afrikaans language and English, whereas other groups could choose their medium of instruction.

The students objected to the stipulation that Afrikaans had to be compulsory for two main reasons, firstly, English is a useful international language and, secondly, they can variably speak English as their main European language.

Secondly, a propaganda campaign is going on as the language of the oppressor. The rejection of it is also view as a rejection of Afrikaans and apartheid (pronounced asparti-dort shee).

As Martinus Steyn, an Afrikaner President, commented 1975 on the imposition of English, "It is a pinch of the conqueror in the mouth of the conquered is nothing but slavery.

Between the hours of 4 and 5 p.m. on the 16th of June 1976, about 15,000 high school students and others, led by Marthinus Steyn and Morris Isaacson high schools assembled near Orlando station carrying slogans reading "To Hell with Afrikaans," "Viva Azania" and "I Afrika Maybogyo." They set out through the streets to protest the language ruling.

However, they were confronted by 30-50 police who immediately hurled tear-gas canisters into the crowd. The students retaliated by throwing stones. Soon a shot was heard, then a second. Then others and soon the whole town has been in uproar.

The panic griped crowd fleed in all directions over fallen bodies of friends, brothers and sisters. With a spirit of do or die, the students spread out and regrouped in smaller numbers.

Within 3 days what had been in Soweto was continued all around the country, so that by mid-August, riots had occurred in at least 30 towns in all parts of the country. Even at this present moment the struggle still goes on, although in a more sophisticated way.

When asked why the police didn't use rubber bullets in the riots, Justice Minister Mr. Kruger replied, "They must be taught that at the sight of a gun they must run." Meanwhile the Prime Minister claims Mr. Steyn is being black power activists and communists as part of the plan by the Russians to take over the country.

The fact of the matter that no outside persons, jams or thugs intervened. The root causes do not lie 10,000 miles away in Moscow, but right here in South Africa.

As Collomb in the World Newspaper of Sept. 10, 1976, Mr. Percy Qoboza puts it succinctly... "It is not one person who persuaded people that the days of unilateral decision-making are over and the days of the population are over? How can we make then understand that the black man who has decided to subject himself to the indignities and humiliations imposed by the policy of apartheid?

Can't Mr. Kruger understand that black power is a natural reaction to white power?
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Consistent with this notion are my views of the role of the chairman. The office presumes three duties. The first is to maintain lines of communication between the students and the board, and the board and the administration. It has recently evolved that discussion with the faculty is also a necessary condition to the proper maintenance of the honor code. The second function of the chairman is to act on behalf of the interests of students appearing before the board. Three terms of hearing cases and talking with students have certainly prepared me to do this effectively. The final role is to monitor board discussion and policy formulation with the students’ interests in mind.

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I feel I am well qualified to be the Vice-President of the Student Government because of my experience as President of the Freshman class. My experience as class President has provided me with a good working knowledge of how to efficiently and effectively accomplish the duties of the Vice-President. I am presently a member of College Council, Student Assembly, the Finance Sub-Committee, the Constitution Committee, Benefit Ball Committee of which I am Chairman of a Sub-Committee and Parents' Weekend Committee. My responsibilities as Class President include Chairmanship of the Freshman Council and Executive Board. In addition, I am also a Sub-Committee Co-Chairman of the Freshman Orientation Committee. It is my responsibility as President of the Freshmen class to call and preside over all meetings of the Freshmen Assembly and to see that all activities run smoothly. As a voting member of the Student Assembly I am the only Freshman class representative in Student Government. My experience in these positions will be a great help in accomplishing the duties of the Vice-President of Student Government.

The Vice-President of Student Government is responsible for coordinating student clubs, chairing the Finance Sub-Committee, chairing the All College Election Board, and advising the Freshmen Representative Assembly and overseeing the election of members to that body, in addition to serving on the College Council and the Student Assembly. I will enthusiastically fulfill all these responsibilities.

I am fully aware of the problems facing the College. For example, the fiscal crisis, the parking situation, and the lack of student involvement in College activities. I will work persistently to alleviate or rectify the problems faced by students. More importantly, I am willing to do the job to the best of my abilities. With my experience in Student Government I feel that I am well qualified to be the Vice-President of Student Government. I urge everyone to vote.

Steve Owen For Vice-President

Candidates And Platforms

Nancy Heaton For President

Something is wrong with Student Government at Conn. College. Over the past year, there has been much discussion about the effectiveness of the student organization. It is obvious to most of us that students are not associating (or "identifying") with the government as it is now functioning. (see discussions in Pundit, on WCN!, etc.). A general feeling of frustration prevails that our voice is not heeded as much as it should be.

I refuse to admit that the lack of student interest and support is all "Conn. College apathy." Instead, it is necessary to thoroughly assess and restructure the existing system. I have the qualifications and the ideas which will be presented at the speech Amalgam on Feb. 21. More important, however, I have the energy and the ambition to make student government the powerful voice it was meant to be.
Doris Kearns — author of LBJ, The American Dream

Clifford Stone On “Sunflower”

by Nancy Rockett

1) The Urban Affairs department held the first in a series of lectures on a humanistic perspective of urban affairs, on Thursday evening, Feb. 10.

Clifford Stone, the author of The Great Sunflower, was the guest lecturer speaking on “Memories, Images and Place.”

The essence of Stone’s book is his new appreciation of New London directed to those people who are unaware of the city’s heart beat. As a study of growth shows the strength of affection for, and roots in one’s environment that builds a, perhaps irrational but, binding belief in a city.

Rather than dealing with the strengths of that familiar environment, Stone took off from the personal experiences described in his book to speak on the broader perspective of the city and urban renewal.

He briefly reviewed the importance of the central city throughout European civilization and the 20th Century due to an increase in immigration, mobility, and communication between nations. Stone suggested that the term “renewal” is not an appropriate description of what planners are doing in cities like New London, and that “reprising” is a more accurate description of their activities. He pointed to the controversy over the renovation of the Union Station to portray the mentality of the Redevelopment Agency.

Various historical societies argued that the site of H.H. Richardson’s building should be restored. The plan as it now represents the progressive architecture of the late 1800’s. Redevelopment’s response was that demolition would also return the site to its natural state.

Stone’s opinion is that the philosophy of Frederick Law Olmsted incorporates the necessary balance between social planning and the recognition of human needs, and that contrary to that approach, New London’s official (i.e. the political system) have been careless in regard to the city’s inhabitants.

On the topic of the current renewal of the Bank St. area, Stone cites the fact that “the money” would be spent for the project. He describes the political system as a closed circle of retailers, property owners and members of the establishment. He distinguishes the recenterers as an example of what New Londoners who are outside of that decision-making circle and thereby disenfranchised.

Pre-Registration cont.

Women Unite

Put on your dancing shoes and get ready for a night of non-stop partying! What’s happening? A dance marathon will be held Saturday, March 8, from 8 p.m. to 9 a.m. the following day.

The marathon will be held in the gym, and there will be a mixer in Cro at the same time. The event is being sponsored by the Student Fund Raising Committee.

People will enter the marathon as couples; at least one member of the couple must be a Conn College student. Couples will be required to dance for the entire 12 hours.

Pledge sheets will be placed in Cro, and students who enter must try to get as many people as possible to pledge in their names. There will also be a registration fee.

Mark Grigan, an organizer of the marathon, said that half of the money raised would go to a local organization, the Drop-In Learning Center, and the other half to “improving the quality of student life on campus.”

First prize is a trip for two to Bermuda, donated by the KaBlen Travel Agency, for the couple who gets the most pledges and dances the longest.

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15. The second week of each semester will be the usual Add-Drop period, final drop date, etc., will remain the same. The second weekend of each semester will be an ‘alternatives’ course section on the Registration card, students will list them in order of preference. An alternative course section choice is an acceptable alternative for all students who are unable to enter a course.

When shut out of a class, the first non-repeated alternative will be substituted. Alternative courses should only be listed if students are relatively certain they will take them.
Letters to the Editors

Dear Editors,

The meeting of the PUNDIT editorial committee that is now in progress seems to be the only one that is reasonably well attended. However, since the standards for editorial work are so high, we feel that it is important for all members of the committee to keep in mind the following:

1. The time is limited for the purpose of meeting, and therefore the work should be done efficiently.
2. The work should be done with enthusiasm and energy, and with a sense of responsibility.
3. The work should be done with a sense of urgency, and with a sense of purpose.

In conclusion, we feel that the meeting of the PUNDIT editorial committee is a very important event, and we hope that all members of the committee will make the most of this opportunity to contribute to the work of the committee.

Sincerely,
[Your Name]

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Swimmers Lose To Trinity
by Lynn Cooper
It was a hard fought battle for the Conn College Swim Team, as they took on a tough Trinity team last week. Despite their 83-38 loss, it was a maximum effort by all team members.

The most outstanding event of the meet for Conn was the 50 fly, in which Debbie Stasiovski nabbed first place in 32.7, with Debra Albright only seconds behind in third, with a time of 37.9. Both swimmers were far ahead of the swimmer from Trinity.

Although the Trinity team took the remaining first places, they definitely lacked depth, as Conn captured almost all of the second and third places in the rest of the meet.

In the 200 Freestyle, Cathy Wrigley and Lisa Perrin clinched second and third respectively for Conn with times of 2:41.9 and 3:18.0. The 100 I.M. added another point to Conn's score, as Debbie Stasiovski swam to a third place finish in 1:23.3.

In the short distance events, the Conn swimmers showed their strength. Alison Holland touched in second in the 50 Back, with a time of 30.8. In the 50 Breast, Nadine Moll and Lynn Cooper snatched second and third, in 46.0 and 46.8, respectively. Cindy Yanok and Lisa Perrin swam to second and third place finishes in the 50 Free, in times of 31.3 and 34.9.

The 100 yard events added 10 more points to the score, as Conn swimmers finished their...

New York And Camels Don't Mix
by Alan Goodwin
1) Last week the Conn College Camels played one of the best games of this or any other season.

2) The whole week was one huge disaster.

An exercise in contradiction? Not really.
Saturday night the men's varsity went slumming into Westchester for a rematch with Manhattanville College. (You remember, isn't it, that the Valiants bought everything in sight but our pride when they were here recently, clambering Conn 73-58). Saturday's result was different but the ending remained the same. On a court where Manhattanville seldom loses, they almost did. Almost. The Camels, down by 12 late in the game, rallied a la Celts of Olde to tie the game at the end of regulation play, 71-71. Overtime 1: The Valiants start, trying to get one more good shot. They never got the shot, and the first OT ended with the deadlock still intact. Kiss your sister and head into Overtime 2: Manhattanville scores big. Conn does not. Final score, Valiants 84, Connecticut 78. Herb Reynolds, a three-year member...

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- \text{Sprenger, Larrabee} 6 - 5 - 20.3
- \text{Brunetti, Faculty} 2 - 6 - 26.0
- \text{Cotlin, Ham-Wind.} 2 - 61 - 20.5
- \text{Pfiffer, Quad I} 6 - 6 - 20.0
- \text{McCauley, Morrison} 2 - 40 - 20.0
- \text{Perry, Quad I} 2 - 40 - 20.0
- \text{Huntley, Faculty} 2 - 20 - 20.0
- \text{Mallison, Ham-Wind.} 2 - 39 - 19.7
- \text{Katz, Off-Campus} 2 - 36 - 18.0

Dianne Carter stops and pops as Kit Schaeffer (20) plays the ball into the basket. Photo by Powell

Tuna And Crow
Off The Wall
A Responsibility To All
by Alan Goodwin

There have been complaints voiced through the Academic Advisory Committee charging that PUNDIT devotes too much copy to intramural sports here on campus and not enough to intercollegiate athletics. These complaints are uttered, for the most part, by intercollegiate athletes. Anyone who reads the sports pages of PUNDIT can plainly see that this is not the case. (Last week, for example, thirty-four column inches were devoted to intramural athletics. Intercollegiate sports articles amassed eighty-five column inches, well over twice as much copy.)

Nevertheless, it is distressing to see that certain people still don’t recognize the role that intramural athletics play at Connecticut College. Varsity competition is the highest plateau a Conn athlete can achieve. However, there are many people on campus who wish to compete in one way or another, but who do not have the time and/or the ability to do this on the intercollegiate level. Should the Athletic Department ignore these part-time jocks? Of course not. PUNDIT will not ignore them either.

Our Sports Department’s primary responsibility is to report on the College’s athletic endeavors. Every student on campus who dons a pair of sneakers for the expressed purpose of breaking a sweat has a right to be represented on this paper’s sports pages. There are about 700 undergraduates, graduates, and faculty members now participating in the two intramural leagues presently in season, basketball and volleyball. This is almost one half of the undergrad population of Conn College. On the other hand, less than 100 athletes are now actively representing Conn in intercollegiate varsity competition. Based on these numbers alone, if any complaint is valid it is that not enough space is devoted to our 700 inter-dorm jocks.

Therefore, the next time an Eagle Crew and Charley Tuna or a volleyball article covers three-fourths of a PUNDIT sports page, don’t be annoyed. Just think of the 700 intramural athletes receiving half as much copy as the 100 varsity athletes, and then ask yourself if this is really fair. Salve.

This Week In Dorm Basketball
Sunday: 1:00, Quad II vs. Burdock I; 2:30, Quad I vs. Alumni; 4:00, J.A. vs. Off-Campus; 7:00, West Side vs. Hamilton-Windham; 8:30, Faculty vs. K.B. I; 10:00, Morrison vs. Lambdin-Laxrus.
Monday: 8:30, Larrabee vs. Harkness; 10:00, K.B. I vs. Freeman.

This Week In Sports
Men’s Basketball: Friday, At Vassar, 7:00; Saturday, Nichols, 2:30; Tuesday, At Wesleyan, 7:30.
Women’s Basketball: Tonight, Annhurst, 7:00; Monday, At Rhode Island College, 7:00; Wednesday, Sacred Heart, 7:00.
Gymnastics: Monday, At U.R.I., 7:00; Tuesday, U. of Bridgeport, 7:00.
Hockey: Today, Clark University (at E. Greenwich, R.I.), 4:00.

The squash court will now open at 8:00 a.m. daily and by reservations only. Closing time will remain at 12 midnight. Reservations will continue to be made 24 hours in advance and will be accepted by phoning Cro Main Desk, Extension 367, or by signing up in person.

Gymnastics

By

Amy Roberts & Carol Vasa

On the mat, as in the classroom, the girls’ gymnastics team added another victory to its record by beating Hamilton-Williams College with a final score of 98.50 to 92.25.

Kneedrops and fancy flops, with a couple of good vaults, gave Conn its lead of 8 points after the first event. The lead widened throughout the meet. Ann Droubliat and Amy Roberts placed first and second respectively with scores of 7.8 and 7.4.

In general, the routines on the uneven parallel bars were much improved over previous meets. Up for the first time on this piece, Gail Sampone came through for the team. Her routine had the feel of a spur of the moment. Kathy Welker took first place with a score of 5.90. Following right behind her was Sally Burrowls with a score of 5.60. Sally managed to thrill the audience with a new move entitled the Burrows Cut and Stand.

The twenty-minute warmup, a whole lot of ice packs, and the traditional M&Ms at the end of the meet, helped prepare Conn’s girls for their best know ing yet on beam and floor. Among some “fuzzy noises” and odd balances emerged some strong routines on beam. For Conn, Lynda Plavlin and Sally Burrowls made a colorful team for much of the evening. Sally Burrowls of the West Side in a meet between Pallen Division powerhouses!

Gymnasts Win Big Over R.I.C.

Burrows captured first and second respectively with scores of 6.80 and 6.65. Smiles were worn by all, especially Marcy Conolly who “loved their routine,” when walkovers were attempted by Ann Droubliat and Pam Long and when Carol Vasa performed her cartwheel for the first time.

Rolling over to the floor exercise mat, the judges were generous to all competitors for their originality and combinations and difficult tumbling moves. High scores for Conn. were Sally Burrowls with a 7.55 and Lynda Plavlin with a 6.90. The girls would like to thank all spectators and to urge for more attendance participation and backing for future meets.

Wild Week Of Hot Hoops

by Eagle Crow and Charley Tuna

League leading scorer Mark Fisklo fell plague to Dick Allenzin and as a result, Morrison was soundly routed by the cold-hearted West Side Story, 69-49. Sunday, No one knew where Fisklo was, but a fellow Roy reported that he was in Burlington where the lines at the High Hotel are reported to be terribly shorter. Anyway, his reign when The Torch returned week back; being blamed by all, remember Sports Fans, the week being another week. Five K.B. players hit double figures, V.G. being one and E.K. not, on the day before V.D. (Valentine’s Day, Dr. Murphy).

The Mellow Maunder’s of Dick Land Dick II limped home with a combined record of 6-3 for the week. This week being another week, but was the one a week back; but that was blamed on Gardner’s weak back. What will be their excuse next week when they winkingly look back on another weak week? (We know this is overdoing it, but that’s what makes this column funny and not weak, right Buckwheat?)

Lambdin-Laxrus, led by “Hornee” Hirschorn’s 23 points, routed “Dick” I 45-28 despite trailing by a bucket at the half. The question now is, “Is Hornee” looking forward to his meeting with the Beaver or H.P.?” “Hot Rod” Hampton’s 24 points paced Faculty by S.B. II 96-42. Finally, John Kitz limped in 30 points as Off-Campus swamped Burdock II 67-33, in a week the Dick would like to forget.

K.B.’s Purple People Eaters wallowed Larrabee 73-46, snapping Larrabee’s first, longest, and only win streak of the year at one. Five K.B. players hit double figures, V.G. being one and E.K. not, on the day before V.D. (Valentine’s Day, Dr. Murphy).

The week’s most exciting and unexpectedly close game, J.A. almost upset Superpower Quad I, before folding 65-55. Wally Gator ripped the corps for 22 points and “held” Dave Fiderer to 18, as Quad played without star guard John Perry. Rising to the occasion was not H.P., but Eric Kapnick who hit nothing but net in the third quarter for 16 points and finished with a game high of 26. The victory kept Quad stop the Paul Lautz M.B.A. Division with an unblemished 3-0 record.

Crow and Tuna Player of the Week

Eric Kapnick

The unsung hero on a team loaded with all-stars showed us what “clutch” really means with a 30-point performance against an upset-minded ballclub.

Crow and Tuna Player of the Week — Doug Sprunger (Omitted Feb. 18)

The week’s leading has so far proved to be unstoppable as he single-handedly gave Larrabee its first win of the season.

So remember Sports Fans, this Sunday, the Run-and-Gunners of Hamilton-Windham take on the Gun-and-Runners of the West Side in a contest between Pallen Division powerhouses!

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