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Students Despair Over Nixon Victory

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Students reacted to the election of Richard Nixon as president with surprise, shock, and despair as they gathered informally in the chapel basement last Wednesday night to discuss the aftermath of the election.

Of the 75 students present, some who were basically disagreeing with the relatively "optimistic" position of Mr. Ronald Glassman, assistant professor of political science, were glad that Humphrey didn't win. "I wouldn't have been able to go on, he continued. Student disagreement with Glassman's optimism was fast and sharp.

"No, they insisted, the next four years can't be lived through. Nixon won't be able to end the war, a girl said despairingly. With money being poured into the war, the money needed for housing, education, and jobs to help ease the racial crisis, won't be allocated. And if the war doesn't come, and if the situation of the new man and the N. I. derechos fast, there will be a withdrawal, asserted someone from SDS.

Wes, Conn Initiate Joint Visiting Days

Wednesday men will begin arriving on Conn's campus at 6:00 p.m. this Friday as the second part of a joint exchange program initiated by the two colleges in order to allow students to preview the academic and social life on the respective campuses.

According to Mr. Philip Jordan, associate dean for academic affairs, the two visiting days were scheduled so that students could have first-hand information when deciding to apply for student residency during next semester or to register for courses offered by the other college.

As the second part of this joint exchange program, Conn girls will be entertained at Wesleyan Thurs., Nov. 14 between the hours of 8:00 and 10:00 p.m.

Transportation to Wesleyan will be by buses provided by the College. While at Wes, Conn girls will have the opportunity to hear LeRoy Jones speak at 8:00 p.m.

Transportation to Conn will be provided by special programs for their visitors which will include observation of classes, meetings with various faculty members, and a tour of the campus.

Conn girls desiring to apply for student residency at Wesleyan next semester should submit their applications by Fri., Nov. 15.

Niino Extends to Close Generation Gap

WASHINGTON (CPS) - President-elect Richard Nixon says he has learned a lot from campaigning for the Presidency, especially in understanding what's on the minds of young people.

He's been on the receiving end of some pointed messages on signs carried by students. One sign held high at a rally in California, entitled "Glassman caught in the act," the sign said.

The sentiment behind that statement is indicative of what Nixon sees as a gap between generations, a gap he thinks his new political leadership will help to close.

Talk With Students

The President elect feels he has made a sincere effort to talk with students, not at them. He offers a platform that includes ending the draft through an all-volunteer army after the Vietnam war is over. He has established a Student Coalition to "utilize the talents and energies of the academic community to resolve society's problems."

Nixon also would "decide new ways by which, through long term loans, the federal government can further assist students to gain a higher education." He says he would encourage private enterprise to expand its participation in student financial aid. Nixon might support the proposal for an "Educational Opportunity Bank" that would lend students the cost of college, repayment dependent on future income.

The GOP platform, through, avalia the often debated idea of tax credits for parents and a new version of tax deductions to encourage savings for college.

Tax Advantages

Tax advantages would also be given to those who support private schools, the president-elect says.

Nixon also supports lowering the voting age. Eighteen-year-olds are old enough to vote not because they are old enough to fight, he says, but because they are smart enough to vote.

Nixon promises students "a piece of the action." Involved in "forging the new direction in America," young people will have a better alternative than taking to the streets in protest, he argues.

All this sounds good to Nixon through the civil rights and Black power movements of this century. "Modern India" will emphasize Indian reaction to foreign rule, the transfer of power and contemporary life and society.

Participants in "dance compositions" will study the basic principles of dance composition, executions of spatial, rhythmic and dynamic use, the design of improvisation encounter and chance as sources of choreographic invention.

CIEC ASK FOR HELP IN COMMUNITY AFFAIRS

by Amy Lewis

The New London Committee for Interracial Education and Co-operation (CIEC) resolved on October 28 to draft a letter to President Charles E. Shaw, suggesting that the college hold a seminar on White America, during the coming semester.

The proposed week-long program would be held specifically for high school teachers but certain bookings would be open to the public.

Mrs. Claire Dale, who drafted this proposal, told this committee that the boards of education of the schools provided appointments for teachers wishing to attend in the seminar.

The proposal was in its fourth annual meeting.

Propose Dinner Dance

During the course of the meeting, a fourth grade Sunday school committee of the Second Congregational Church, Brackett's Church, proposed for the coming year were discussed. Besides the seminar, other programs included a dinner dance on November 26, with proceeds to the Martin Luther King Scholarship Fund, and an observance of...
Senior Melodrama

To the Editor:

This letter is to remind your readers that Senator McGovern is a Democrat and that he is not running for President this year. He had been considered a strong possibility for the nomination, but his recent statement that he will not seek the nomination has effectively ended his candidacy. Sen. McGovern's decision will allow other Democratic candidates to concentrate on the general election and avoid the divisive primary campaigns that have marred recent elections.

Sincerely yours,
[Signature]

To the Editor:

The people have lost again. This year, as in many election years, the people have chosen candidates who do not represent their interests. The election results do not reflect the will of the people.

Yours truly,
[Signature]

Military escalation was attacked as the march passed the military establishment. As the march passed the military establishment, the students demanded an end to the war and demanded to be heard. "We want to be heard," they shouted. "We want to be listened to."

FURTHER, Mr. Nixon has realized the necessity for de-Americanization of the war effort. He has asked to leave the war with a face of victory.

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To the Editor:

The revolution in voting rights and communications is long overdue. The current system of voting is archaic and outdated. The use of punch cards and lever polls is outdated and ineffective. It is time for a change. The proposed reforms include the use of electronic voting machines and the implementation of a national voter registration system.

Yours truly,
[Signature]

Letters to the Editor

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To the Editor:

I have received an article from the Connecticut College student news paper reporting on the recent address to the Young Republicans at Connecticut College. Reading this article, I find that there are many views expressed that I do not agree with. However, I will try to take this opportunity to respond.

First, let me indicate one common criticism I have heard. I supported Richard Nixon's candidacy for the Presidency, not because I held his views on the war, but because I felt he offered the hope for peace. My decision to endorse Mr. Nixon was based on my commitment to peace and to taking the issue of peace to the American people. I believe that he understood the complexities of the war in Vietnam and the necessary steps for peace.

I felt that my judgment was confirmed by Mr. Nixon when he appeared before the Platform Committee of the Republican National Convention. In his statement Mr. Nixon declared: "The war must be ended honorably, conclusively, and in the United States or the world. We must seek a negotiated settlement.

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Weekend March Rally: HUNDRED HUNDRED PROTEST ELECTIONS

by B. Ann Kibing

"Vote With Your Feet November 5th," hundreds of students did just that during a march and rally sponsored by Yale SDS on election day.

The demonstration was the expression of the spontaneous actions by posters, butchers andchers saying "Nixon: strike one; Humphrey: strike two; Wallace: strike three; The People Last August." The event occurred downtown New Haven was designed to demonstrate to bystanders how the people are losing the power of the military-industrial system subtly taking over our country.

Leaders of the march pointed out, as the demonstrators passed the Water Tower, seconds and, who claimed to be the activist stock in this country is controlled by 2 per cent of the population, that the people have no control over the economy.

Military establishment was attacked as the march passed the Induction Center and the Army, Naval and Air Force Recruitment Centers. "Revolutions in undeveloped countries threaten only big business interests in the U.S.," said one of the demonstrators. "The war must be ended or we must die to defend these narrow interests . . . America spends $90 billion a year on defense. The military not only defends business interests abroad but also protects its interests at home.

It is full of exhaust and polluted air in the streets. The military is not only defending business interests overseas, but also lucrative contracts to the big firms.

More recently Mr. Nixon stated in an article in the October 1965 issue of the New Republic: "What is needed now is not further escalation but rather a dramatic escalation of the war effort."

SDS

PREVIOUS MARCH RALLY: HUNDRED PROTEST ELECTIONS

by B. Ann Kibing

Therefore, I claim that the Conn Census is unjust and ignorant of "all the facts.""}

Editorial . . .

The above photographs express many voters' evaluations of the recent national election, regardless of party affiliation. And the frustration and disgust of the voters is not the result of irrational sentiments but of well-founded facts.

The complexity of modern society and the accompanying increase in the activities of the federal government have made the Presidency and the President increasingly important to the United States citizen. The President (and the Vice President) are the only nationally elected office holders, the only leaders who have a national mandate to rule. Yet, the archaic and undemocratic Electoral College threatens to frustrate the will of the people, to deny the Presidency a national mandate.

The solution to the electoral dilemma proposed by the American Bar Association and endorsed by many groups and legislators is a direct popular vote. The ABA recommendation suggests that 40 percent of the popular vote be required for election, and that a national popular vote would be held, to determine whether or not the candidate with the fewest popular votes shall have the right to run in the first election. Urging that the Constitution be amended accordingly, the ABA report stated that the direct vote "would do away with the ever-present possiblity of a person being elected President with fewer popular votes than his major opponent . . . it would put a premium on voter turnout and encourage increased political activity throughout the country."

Since such a reform would increase the significance of each individual vote, it is a necessary accompanying change that the federal supervision of ballot and voting-counting.

The revolution in voting rights and communications of the past decades make such a reform imperative and feasible.

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Chemistry Department Designs Experimental Science Course
by Mary Ann Balal

Who says you have to be good in science to be interested in it? Almost any student in Dr. Christiansen's experimental "Issues in Contemporary Science" will agree to the contrary. Finally, Conn's chemistry department is offering a science course for the non-scientific person, an elite course geared to areas in the natural sciences relevant to the current scene.

According to Dr. Christiansen, "A course like this, though it is largely experimental, is following the trend of a broad upsurge in educational techniques."

The course meets twice weekly for seminars and laboratory experiments. There are three sections of about 20 students each. Each section has selected areas for the group to pursue as a whole; and, at the same time, each student is working on a project in a field of particular interest to him, which may or may not be related to the class or even a poem, if the spirit so moves him. There are no limitations or restrictions.

He continued, "This upheaval may come from experimental fields, like this one, all the way to demonstrations of student power and free speech movements at Columbia and Berkeley. The students are ahead of the faculty in recognizing the need for change, and the opposing faculty is making the first move."

Emphasis Partnership Dr. Christiansen emphasized that the curriculum "should be much more nearly a partnership, rather than someone dragging out and someone else following stumping it up. Unless Connecticut College follows the trend, it will be left behind."

Ideally, Dr. Christiansen thinks that students should have a high degree of responsibility for their own education. His impression is that the student is interested and will respond to greater freedom successully.

His goal in the Contemporary Science class is to offer a course that will meet the demands of the students (who elect to take the course for their own interest) and will be relevant to where they are at this time.

"The issues," he continued, "must be interesting, relevant, and live."

After approximately a half-term of the course, Dr. Christiansen thinks that although the concept for the class might be "great," it is not working ideally in practice. The main problems he cited included:

1. Lack of common background in the chosen subjects, which leads to classes becoming lectures rather than seminars.
2. Dr. Christiansen performs most of the demonstrations himself while the students observe, instead of actively participating in them.
3. The problem of grading and how any individual evaluation can be made without turning to the areas of frequent tests and papers.

Off the Campus Trips So far, the whole group has studied cyclamates, or artificial sweeteners. They have outlined a field trip to Pfizer Laboratories in Greenfield for a tour and lecture. Now the group is concentrating on the whole field of optics, light, and vision. The September issue of the Scientific American is completely devoted to light, and this serves as the main source of information. Lab demonstrations, such as the direction of a ray of light, will augment the somewhat technical articles in the magazine.

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Student Press Services Exist As Protest To Policies of Commercial Newspapers
by Patricia Strong

Help Improve Newspapers by桔'ing them to follow the example of the Col- lage Press Service, the United States Students Journalists Association (USUSJA) has issued a publication which provides educational programs aimed at helping college newspapers to improve their papers and gain greater insight into issues of importance to students.

To accomplish this, USUSJA held a College Editors Conference, a National Congress and several seminars over the last three years.

Of the recent CPS articles which have appeared in Connoisseur one dealt with a South American demonstrator, and three dealt with South Vietnamese students, the students evaluating, summarizing and, generating a panel of the Students For A Democratic Society. The other two dealt with a peace march by the U. S. military in Detroit, was sent to the Waterford School District Report, 1967-68, First, their report to the community that no one represents the left wing viewpoint who believes in peaceful revolution and live.

The discussion becomes more heated if it reaches the point where the white liberal warns the Black militant that, "If you

and your people try to use violence, we have no choice but to use guns to defend you."

The tension among the panelists increases. They begin to scream at one another, and the Black militant gets up. When the lights come on again, it is clear that there was a riot with all its violence, tension, and anger.

The actors hunched at members of the audience with bayonets, with their fists, and with chairs, and from just before striking the audience. Although there was no actual physical attack, the audience was terrorized by the horror and aggression in the faces of the actors, the screams of the victims, the sound of the guns, and the blinding effect of the searchlights being focused on hooters.

There is no running out. ROY says if something isn't done soon to improve the racial situation, the U.S. will be the scene of intensive violence and guerrilla warfare.

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N.Y. Times, week, Feb. 10-16. During this time the arts will be represented in the form of a group of shows, art show, book sales, plays, etc.

The issue is not Black versus White, but social integration versus discrimination. "We know the score," the editor says. "We're not about to walk away from the issue."

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On the other side of the story, what they feel are the facts. The end result of their efforts is that they are usually labeled rebels, an- cient, or Communists. All they ask for, however, is to obtain a reaction to their work either posi- tive or negative but never passive.

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Each faith, in its own way, recognizes in its observance the oneness and brotherhood of man.

Carl Sandburg once wrote: “Though meanings vary, we are alike in all countries.... From tropics to arctics, humanity lives with these needs so alike, so inexorably alike.”

This ideal of brotherhood is fundamental to individuals and organizations dedicated to the common good.

The International Ladies’ Garment Workers’ Union, for example, comprises 450,000 men and women of all faiths and creeds. We work together and live together with mutual respect for our neighbors—at the next bench or in the next house.

It is in this spirit that we extend our best wishes for the holiday season.
Nixon Says "Rid Campus... of Anarchic Students"

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Differences of Beliefs

Their four—and Nixon’s four or

distaste for student demonstra-

tors—can be explained as simply

difference in ideological beliefs.

To someone on the left, someone

on the right seems far right; while

conservatives might be able to

stomach moderates, liberals seem

or distaste for student demonstra-

ors. Nixon voted in 1947 against a

$30 million increase in the school

lunch program, 10 1960 as Vice

President-elect.

“It is my duty to point out that to

the nearness of you

young people as the "Great Gen-

eration." He says there is "a new

mind abroad" for all Americans.

and to young people he says,

"that new and relevant road is

your road. You will be part of the

new leadership. The chal-

lenge of change is your chal-

lenge, because this land is your

land."

While there are some plausible

parts, Richard Nixon’s "new road" for

young people seem paved in

historical extrapolations.

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Law Schools Seek Women Applicants

by Nancy Topping

Monday, November 4, 1968

Law schools are adopting Women's Studies in Accounting for a new field and is not bothered by the existing entrenched bureaucracy. He explained, "It used to be that a girl who graduated from law school had to be a homemaker or work as a secretary. Now that there is a sense of equality among the poor-the..." He continued.

Hatfield Disagrees With "Moratorium"

Miss Margaret Croft, freshman scholar of the Class of 1969, was named the Joseph F. Joseph Assistant in the department of mathematics at Connecticut College.

Margaret, a student from Philadelphia, said that her studies were challenging but not overwhelming. In her junior year, she will assist in the teaching duties of the department by giving individual or teaching problem sessions.

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Perhaps the most significant change that Mr. McCarthy had to say was that when he entered law school in 1961, there were only six or seven women out of approximately 350 students. Today, he teaches an introductory law class of 350 of whom 60 are women.

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"Mr. G.'s RESTAURANT
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New London, Conn.
Telephone 447-0400"

"On the Republican candidate represents the best hope of resolving the war in Vietnam."

"The Vietnamese issue has preoccupied my thinking and actions for many years. The president is absolutely transparent in his handling of the situation."

"I am hopeful of a Republican victory in November, not for the sake of the Republican Party, but for the sake of peace in Vietnam and throughout the world."

" Hopefully, a new concept of legal services has been introduced. The Office of Economic Opportunity has many communities which contain such services. etc."

"The remaining two lectures of a three-part series on the Negro will be given by Professor James McPherson of Princeton and by Professor Mike Thelwell of the University of Massachusetts."

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