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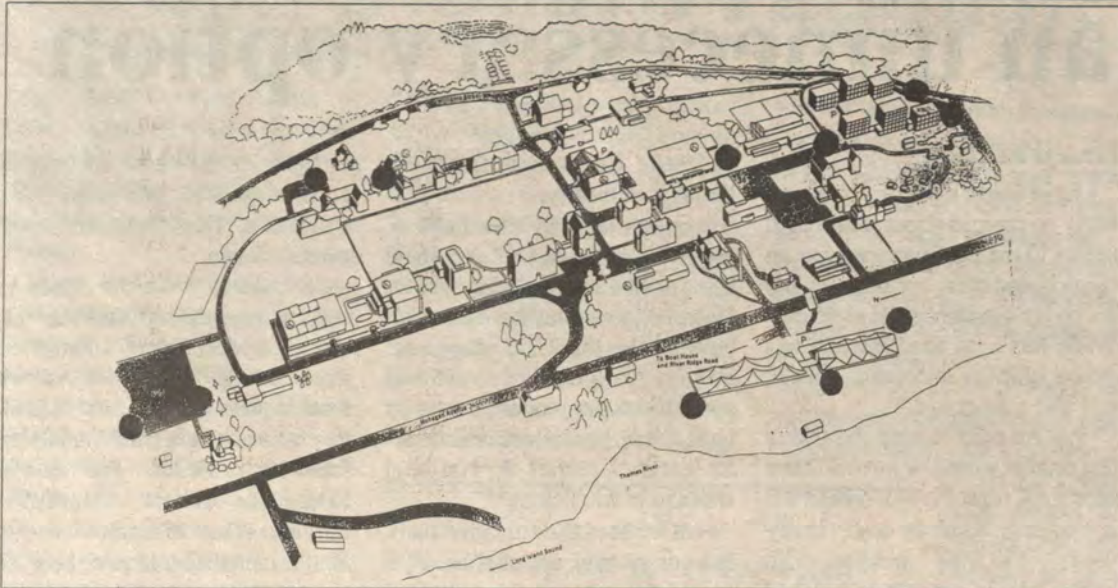
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Map courtesy of College Relations



Call boxes are strategically scattered throughout the campus.

J-Board delivers two decisions without meeting quorum rule

Public log incorporates roll call votes for first time

by April Ondis
Associate News Editor

In two cases decided after the new Judiciary Board members were voted in last spring, there is a contention that the Judiciary Board voted without reaching quorum.

Quorum is the minimum number of members present with which the body may conduct business.

According to regulations outlined in the Judiciary Board 1992-1993 Handbook, quorum is met when two-thirds of the elected Board members participate in a case. There are nine elected Board officers.

However, of the two cases in question, case #0 and case #6, only four votes toward the decisions are recorded in the roll call of this year's first Judiciary Board Log. The students in both cases were found guilty.

The log attendance count lists three class representatives with excused absences: Scott Sullivan, Mike Markett, and Neil Maniar, with excused absences. The record notes that Mark Turner was not present because he had stepped down from the particular case proceedings.

This log is the first since the Assembly passed legislation mandating more detailed rationale and roll call votes.

After being contacted by *The College Voice* this week, Julie DeGennaro, chair of the Judiciary Board, issued a public statement at Thursday's SGA meeting.

"I believed, and still do believe, that quorum was met in every case that I have heard as Judiciary Board chair," she said.

DeGennaro first raised questions about the actual numbers required, citing legislation passed by last year's Assembly making the chair an elected, but non-voting, member. With this interpretation, quorum would could be met with five

votes by class representatives and the simple presence of the chair.

DeGennaro also maintained that the J-Board had quorum with four votes because Neil Maniar, who officially resigned earlier this semester, had informed the Board last spring of his intention to resign.

Maniar was then off campus for the rest of that semester. For this reason, the Board did not count his position towards quorum. The log does not list cases in chronological order.

DeGennaro defended the conduct of the J-Board in these cases, asking SGA to bear in mind the time of year these cases were heard.

Said DeGennaro, "the Judiciary Board hears many cases during Senior Week. It is an impossible time to hear cases due to the fact that the senior representatives have other responsibilities that week including baccalaureate, graduation practice, and senior week parties."

"We must hear cases this week for practical reasons. Otherwise, seniors would graduate without their cases being heard, undergraduates would be left with a case pending all summer long, and the Judiciary Board would be swamped in the fall."

According to the Handbook, "Following the end of classes in May, cases will be postponed to the next academic semester, except those cases involving seniors, which will be heard immediately."

Without discussing this stipulation, DeGennaro also argued that had the cases been postponed until this fall, fewer members would have heard the cases and still met quorum.

The freshman representatives would not yet have been elected, and the opening which Maniar created when he resigned as a junior class representative would not yet have been filled.

DeGennaro continued by saying, "The Judiciary Board chair takes

over... immediately following the election with no training or orientation, with a new Board, and two senior representatives with one foot out the door."

DeGennaro "whole-heartedly" encouraged students who believe they were given an unfair trial to contact Catherine WoodBrooks, dean of Student Life, and the Appeals Board. J-Board policy, however, mandates that all appeals be filed within 48 hours upon receipt of a written verdict.

Acquaintance rape investigation process expands — twofold

By Rebecca Flynn
Editor in Chief

While few would disagree that it is very positive that the alleged perpetrator of the assault in the arboretum was caught in a matter of thirty two hours, that expediency has brought to light questions about the time it has taken for an arrest to be made regarding September's allegation of acquaintance rape on this campus. It has also brought to mind questions concerning the rights of the accused in cases as lengthy as this one has come to be.

The New London Police Department received a complaint of acquaintance rape on September 14. No arrest has yet been made in connection with that case, but, according to Captain William Gavitt of the NLPD, there is now not one, but two complaints levied against the accused.

Gavitt stated that he is not ruling out the possibility of any more allegations being made against this particular individual, and added, "I believed right from the beginning that there was going to be more than one victim."

According to Gavitt, offenders of this nature of crime often have

committed the act before.

Gavitt also said that normally cases are opened and closed within 90 days, and after that time the department must put out "special progress reports." In this case, said Gavitt, there is more work to be completed on the investigation into the new charges before an arrest will be made.

According to Gavitt, the information on the first case is already being reviewed by the state's attorneys' office, and "the other one will be shortly."

However, concern has been raised by members of the college community that it shows negli-

gence on the part of the NLPD that an arrest would be made within hours in the case of the arboretum "stranger rape" while in the case of the allegations of acquaintance rape the investigation has persisted for two months.

Gavitt said the department views either type of crime as equally serious, and but pointed out that the circumstances between the two types of cases are different and as such the investigation would proceed differently.

According to Gavitt, in cases where the alleged perpetrator is an at-large and dangerous suspect

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by Jennifer LeVan
Associate News Editor

The sexual assault in the Connecticut College Arboretum has prompted the administration as well as the student body to question safety within the Arboretum and on campus, particularly the lack of emergency call boxes in the Arboretum. The installation of these call boxes has been suggested as one way of increasing safety.

The Connecticut College Arboretum, 465 acres of property across from Williams Street and also property east of Route 32

is a "natural area... and a living laboratory," said Lynn Brooks, vice president for finance.

Brooks said that the reason the college has not installed call boxes previously is because of the great amount of research that is conducted in the Arboretum. Brooks said some people would protest if trenches were dug to install wiring

because the arboretum is a natural area where students conduct research and people seek solitude.

"[The administration] is looking into [the installation of call boxes] where there is electrical wiring already," said Brooks. Research has

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— Lynn Brooks,
vice president for finance

been conducted in the arboretum for decades and disturbing certain areas of the arboretum would do damage and may negate the work of many people.

Students, in conjunction with the Everywomyn's Center, are currently working towards improving safety on campus and are advocat-

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VIEWPOINT/ CONNTHOUGHT

Sticking to the principle

It was a mistake. Admit it. Correct it. Move on. This is the philosophy of Connecticut College's Honor Code. It's a system that gives responsibility to students and preaches rehabilitative accountability for questionable actions.

This week the Judiciary Board distributed its log, and what a record it was — indeed the most detailed in recent history. It reveals, among other things, that in two cases heard last semester, the Board failed to reach quorum, with only four members voting. According to J-Board rules, quorum is 2/3 of its elected membership.

The lack of quorum was a mistake, a procedural oversight. It was probably unintentional. The students in question, assuming they are aware of their rights, haven't expressed concern and besides, they pleaded guilty. Does this mean the error should go unaddressed? Does this mean the Board should be free from following its own guidelines? Ridiculous.

Instead of passing its own litmus test of expressing remorse for infractions, the J-Board, under the direction of Chair Julie DeGennaro, has scrambled to develop excuses and avoid blame. Hypocritical.

At first she said members who step down from cases because of biases count towards quorum. Ludicrous. This has not been so in the past and it violates the very principle behind quorum itself. That argument was dropped quickly.

Next the chair said that because Neil Manier (former junior class representative) had privately acknowledged his inability to serve through this year, he wasn't included in quorum checks last semester. Give us a break. Manier did not officially resign nor was his class informed of the vacancy until October.

Then she argued that as an elected, but non-voting, member, the chair counts towards quorum. Irrelevant. Even if you add DeGennaro to the numbers, quorum was not met.

This was followed by the claim that had the cases been postponed until fall, rather than heard during Senior Week when senior representatives had conflicts (read too many parties), five members would have been sufficient. Moot. Furthermore, J-Board procedure already accounts for this, stating that all cases after the last day of classes not involving seniors will be postponed until fall automatically.

Lastly, she invited the parties to appeal their decisions given the quorum concerns. Wrong again. According to J-Board regulations, appeals must be filed within 48 hours of a written verdict. Impossible.

The decisions in these cases should be thrown out. There is no other just alternative. In our judiciary system, especially with its confidentiality stipulations, procedural rights must be fundamental and inexorable. Accountability. It's expected from all of us. It should be demanded from our J-Board as well.

Abortion must become an unnecessary option

Letter to the Voice,

I have heard a lot of discussion lately on campus about abortion. It seems to me that everyone has an opinion, and everyone believes that his or her opinion is the right one. While this is an academically and philosophically interesting debate, it is also a moot one.

What we need to keep in mind is that right or wrong, women do have abortions, regardless of whether it is currently legal or not. Every year, 200,000 women die worldwide as a result of botched illegal abortions (World Health Organization figure). Women do what they must to lead reasonable

and sane lives, as people have throughout history.

No one particularly likes abortion, and in a perfect world, there would be no need for such a thing to exist. However, we do not live in a perfect world: In the U.S. alone, 1.3 million to 3 million accidental pregnancies per year are caused by contraceptive failure (National Research Council & National Institute of Medicine).

What we need to do as individuals, as a community, and as a nation, is work for the changes that will make the lives of pregnant women workable, and make abortion unnecessary as an option. We need

to fight for increased funding of contraceptive research, sex education, flex-time, and paid parental leave.

We need to work for funds to support parents and their babies, since 94 percent of unmarried mothers keep their babies, and we need to press the government at all levels for stronger punishments for fathers who desert. We need to lobby for decent, affordable daycare. What we do not need to do is to criminalize abortion, because that has little effect on the actual incidence of abortions.

Sincerely,
Sara Schloss
Class of 1993

COOL's "Bazaar of the Beliefs" misrepresented in Voice article

Letter to the Voice,

Although I was very pleased that COOL's Bazaar of the Beliefs received coverage in the Voice, I did have significant problems with both the thoroughness and accuracy of the article. ("COOL's Bazaar of the Beliefs provides Halloween treat for the campus," The College Voice, November 2, 1992) I was contacted a few days before the event to answer some

preliminary questions. Upon reading the actual article, I found that the event had been misrepresented and both its content and impact had been overlooked. Many of the most spontaneous and exciting happenings of the day were omitted.

While the Bazaar of the Beliefs was meant to be enjoyable, it was not merely a day of entertainment and fundraising for various clubs.

It was also a day of heated debate and free expression of personal and political views. This event set an important precedent in encouraging students to speak their minds in an open and uncensored forum.

Sincerely,
Christy Burke
COOL Program Director
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Pro-choice isn't the only choice

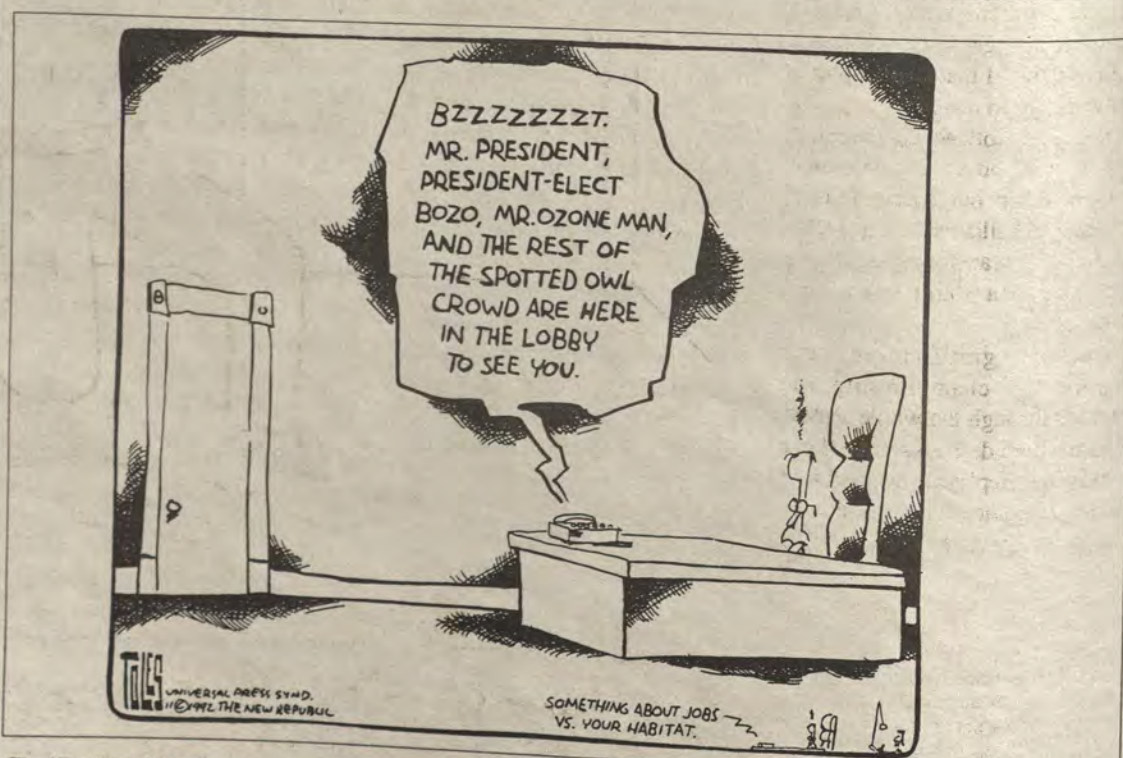
We are a group of students opposed to abortion. We feel that abortion is an immoral, irresponsible act of murder, and we would like to share our belief in the sanctity of all human life, no matter how young or small, with the rest of the campus.

We are seriously concerned about the underrepresentation of the pro-life position on this campus, which is often ignorantly considered anti-women.

We are a non-partisan, diverse group of individuals,

and we invite all of our fellow pro-life students to join us in our efforts to educate others about our beliefs. If you would like to join our group or if you just want to know more, please call Beth at x3371 or Dan at x3746. Pro-choice isn't the only choice.

Conn Students For Life



Clarification: "Panel on abortion targets campaigns" (The College Voice, November 2, 1992) should have read, "Stephanie Ray stressed that the EveryWomyn's Center was intended to be 'a means of educating people as to the importance of a woman's right to choose.'"

CONNTHOUGHT

A "Bermanesque" classic:

Recent J-Board rationale — dumb as a log

Q: What's more costly at Connecticut College: Locking yourself out of your room or underage drinking and driving?

Stupid question, right. A real no-brainer.

If you answered drunk driving, you obviously haven't read this semester's J-Board Log. Forget your key, and a Campus Safety officer will smile at your lockout apology and hand you a receipt for ten dollars. Not so with drunk driving. If you're real apologetic and admit you made a mistake, J-Board will let you off a drunk driving rap with a letter of censure (the equivalent of saying, "Bad girl. Don't do that again.")

This is no joke. In case you missed it, here's how the J-Board describes the facts of Case #13 in this semester's log:

"Campus Safety spotted a car driving recklessly on the road past Harris. As the car neared the Campus Safety vehicle, a spotlight was directed into the patrol car. The car was operated by Student A who appeared to the Campus Safety officer as intoxicated. During the trial, Student A admitted to drinking earlier. She also stated that Student B, who was a passenger in her car, had used the spotlight.

"Student A admitted to having some drinks earlier in the evening and apologized for her actions.

Student B admitted to having shone the spotlight inadvertently onto the Campus Safety vehicle and stated that she was sorry."

The Board voted unanimously to issue a letter of censure to each student because, "The Board felt that both [students] were very apologetic and that this kind of thing wouldn't happen again. The two students took complete responsibility for their actions and

another Honor Code violation? Isn't that a little ridiculous? The guy in Case #7 who was found guilty of being too loud too often was put on social probation for a semester (and Deirdre Hennessey wanted it to go for a whole year). Where was Deirdre's sense of justice in Case #13?

Students A and B were right in admitting and taking responsibility for their actions; under the Honor Code that's what they should do and the Judiciary Board was right to take their forthrightness into account when voting on a recommendation. That doesn't mean, however, the Board should forget about the crime. I'm not

"Crank up the tunes too often and have an attitude" gets moderate punishment; "Swill some beer and go joy-riding across campus" gets a knuckle-tapping.

the Board saw that they were both very honest and very sorry."

Could we just pause and reflect for a second, please. Thank you.

What the hell's going on here? A student admitted to drunk driving, was found to have been driving recklessly on campus, and she gets a letter in her file which no one will ever see and which will have no bearing on anything she ever does in life unless she is found guilty of

suggesting Student A should have been beheaded, expelled, or even suspended. But what about suspending her car from campus for a year, a semester, a month, even a week? What about social probation for her? (Student T got it just for his chronic hi-fi lifestyle.) At least require a viewing of that ABC After School Special where SADD is founded.

"Crank up the tunes too often and

have an attitude" gets moderate punishment; "Swill some beer and go joy-riding across campus" gets a knuckle-tapping. Drinking and driving on a college campus is nearly homicidal behavior. Somehow, a letter of censure—even a really mean and nasty letter of censure—doesn't quite cut it.

Underage drinking is tolerated here if done responsibly—but drinking and driving, at any age, is not only dangerous to oneself, but to anyone and everyone in the community. (That's a fact so obvious I can't believe I just wrote it.)

But what's even more dangerous is telling the student body that no matter what you do wrong, just admit it, grovel (tears would be good), and the Board will let you off the hook.

I'd love to be able to stop right there, but once you get probing through those J-Board logs you find all kinds of neat little problems, and Constitutional Law reading just seems so insignificant.

Cases #0 and #6 are especially fascinating. Not the facts, themselves, of course, they're pretty mundane: a tampering of an I.D. and possession of fireworks.

Cases #0 and #6 are interesting in that only four members of the Board voted in each case. Both were held last semester when there

were eight voting members of the Board. Quorum is two-thirds. Four out of eight is 50 percent. Even with my math skills I can tell you there's something amiss here.

For the students in these cases, whomever you are, Shakespeare's words serve best: "Fair is foul, and foul is fair." Your foul deeds are (fortunately for you) fair, for the fair decision of the J-Board is foul for lack of more than four.

In other words, go yell at somebody. You got screwed.

The upside of all this is the longstanding calls for more detailed J-Board reports have finally been acceded to—and immediately validated.

Now I'm just waiting to read the next log. Will someone burn down North Cottage and be forced to watch a Smokey the Bear video? Will an apologetic plagiarizer be given an additional free copy of the J-Board Handbook and asked politely to read it? Will step-downs and absences allow Deirdre to be the only person deciding a case?

Find out in the next exciting adventure of J-Board Star Chamber. Coming soon to doors near you.

Jeff Berman
Former J-Board Member
Class of 1993

Men's soccer team thanks fans and college community

The four seniors, on behalf of the men's soccer team, would like to express their thanks for the continued support of our fans and the college community. Having traveled throughout New England we have found that our support is truly second to none.

No other college can boast of fans such as ours. This was most evident when our soccer faithful traveled to Williams College for the ECAC final, transferring a game on the road to a warm home field atmosphere.

But our gratification goes beyond the championship and extends through the whole season. You have made Harkness Green a great place to play for the past four years. May the tradition continue.

Thanks again, the Seniors.

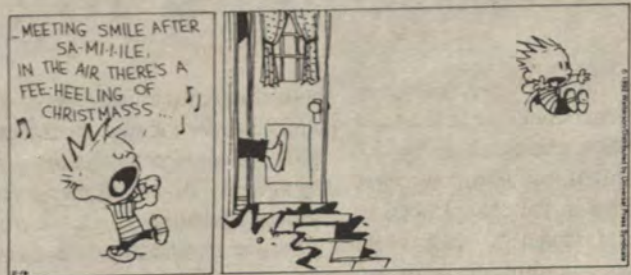
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NOT THINKING ABOUT IT WON'T MAKE IT GO AWAY, YOU KNOW!



ALL RUINED BECAUSE I HAVE TO GET ON A BUS AND GO TO SCHOOL.

WHEN I WAS A PRE-SCHOOLER I NEVER TOOK ADVANTAGE OF FALL MORNINGS. I DIDN'T APPRECIATE THEM.

SIGH... I WAS SO YOUNG AND FOOLISH. I THOUGHT THOSE DAYS WOULD LAST FOREVER.



BUT YOU'RE NOT PAINTING IN THE LINES AND YOU'RE NOT USING THE COLORS THAT CORRESPOND TO THE NUMBERS.



AH.

HELLO? ... NO, MY MOM CAN'T COME TO THE PHONE RIGHT NOW.

SURE, I'D BE GLAD TO TAKE A MESSAGE.

YOU WRITE IT DOWN, DRIVE IT OVER HERE, PAY ME FIVE BUCKS, AND I'LL GIVE IT TO HER THE NEXT TIME I SEE HER.

HE MUST NOT HAVE WANTED TO TALK TO MOM VERY BAD.



WHAT? WHAT SAYS? YOU LIKE IT SAYS ON THE BACK OF MY HEAD?

DIDN'T THE BARBER SHAVE. I MAY HAVE A BAD HAIRCUT, BUT YOU'RE DOWNRIGHT UGLY, BACK THERE?

GOOD HEAVENS, NO! OK, CHARLIE, GIMME BACK THAT TIP!

I'M GROWING MY FINGERNAILS LONG.

THEN I'LL FILE THEM INTO POINTS. SO I'LL HAVE CLAWS JUST LIKE YOU.

MINE ARE RETRACTABLE.

NO RETRACTABLE CLAWS. NO OPPOSABLE TOES. NO PREHENSILE TAIL. NO COMPOUND EYES. NO FANGS. NO WINGS. SIGH...

King Crossword

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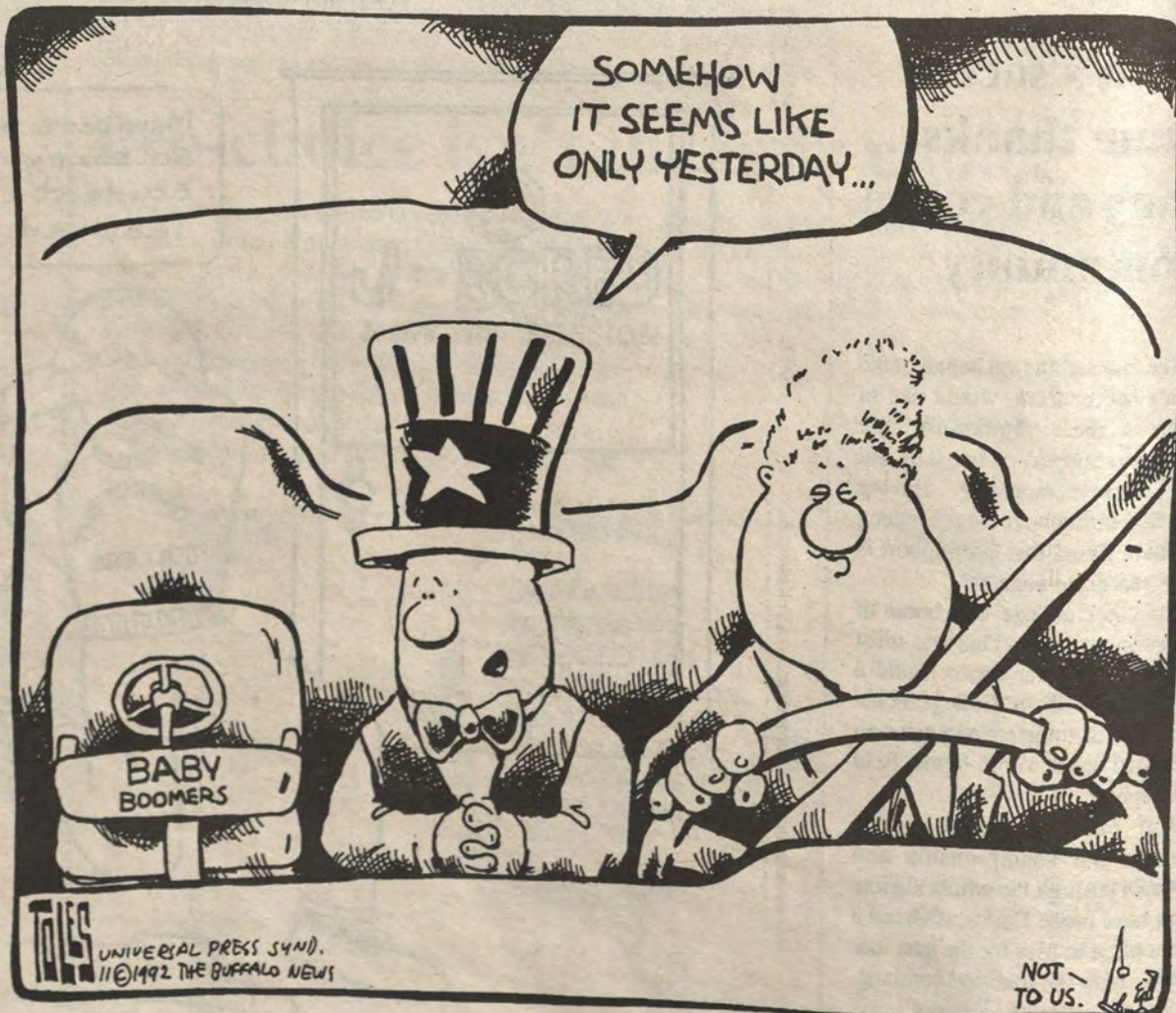
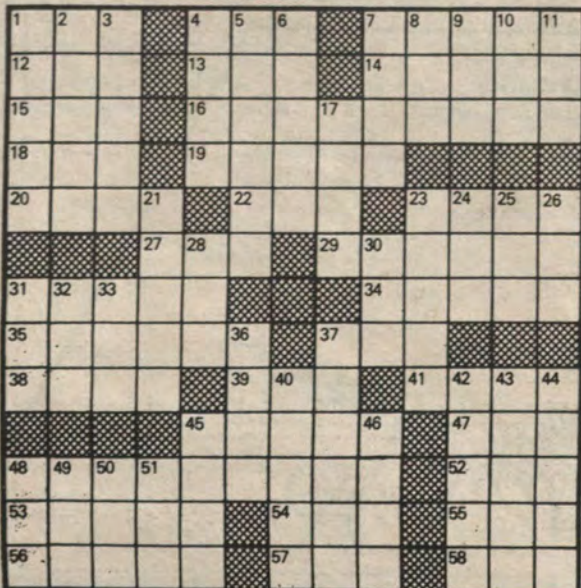
1. Play division
4. What oz. become
7. British actor
12. Cribbage term
13. "You — My Sunshine"
14. Decorate
15. A pair
16. Precipitately
18. Slight from a cruise ship
19. Word on a bill
20. Suffix with young
22. British mil. award
23. Type of code
27. Tax org.
29. Draw back
31. Subside
34. Expiate
35. Most ready for the market
37. Certain footballer
38. Witty sayings
39. Dined
41. Inclined roadway

DOWN

1. Where llamas dwell
2. Judge's domain
3. Certain steak
4. Actor Bert
5. Propagates
6. Sewn by dressmakers
7. Silly
8. Opposite of amo
9. Neither's partner
10. — longa, vita brevis
11. Explosive, for short
17. French

designer

21. Ceremonies
23. Redford, for one
24. Milne character
25. German article
26. Pub order
28. Legal matter
30. Unit of corn
31. Weapon
32. Life story, for short
33. Likely
36. Bakery item
37. Looked
40. Glamorous headpiece
42. Center of activity
43. Starfish
44. North and South
45. Peter or Ivan
46. Greek portico
48. Towel word
49. Vane
50. Do simple arithmetic
51. Pass away



CONNTHOUGHT

Reflections from the election: musings, thoughts and pearls of wisdom from November 3 with Sean Spicer

Now that the election has come and gone, I feel it is appropriate to reflect on some issues that developed during the campaign.

1- This year over 500 students from the college were registered to vote. While I applaud the act of participating in the election process, I can not help but wonder how many local offices were won and lost due to the votes cast by students at the college. In no way do I intend to insinuate that students should not vote for local offices. The problem though is that students here at Conn are isolated and for the most part are fairly unaware of the issues and concerns that shape the lives of those who live in this community.

It is not right for students to vote for positions that will never in fact affect them. State Representative, State Senator, Judge of Probate, etc. are all positions that do not affect how we as students live our lives unless we are rooted in the community or plan to live here.

The people who call New London home are the ones who are affected by the decisions and votes of these candidates. On the whole, most of us do not consider this our home. During the Winter, Spring, and Summer breaks we leave this area and are therefore not affected by those candidates' decisions and the problems that remain after we have left.

The fact of the matter is that Connecticut College holds significant blocks of votes in this district, enough to sway an election. We at the college are here to educate ourselves and that's what I ask you to do. Learn which candidates represent your views, and then vote. If you call New London home, then by all means vote, if not, do not vote for positions that do not effect you.

2 - During the campaign it became obvious why "gridlock" exists in Congress. Republicans and Democrats seemed to make rude remarks toward each other and seemed unwilling to accept the fact that there is a case for the opposing view. Beyond party affiliation, we are all Americans and that is what must be remembered. Like it or not, the Democrats have won and now it is up to all of us to solve the problems that face the nation. There is no need to ridicule a person who has opposing views. It is in my opinion an act of discrimination to hold it against a person for holding a set of beliefs or for belonging to a particular political party. It is often said that those who know their opponent best will succeed. Whether Democrat or Republican, it is best that we understand each other's position. In understanding the other sides argument, we in fact are able to strengthen our own position.

3- I wish to offer congratulations to the Democrats and, closer to home, to Esther Potter and Sara

Spoonheim, co-presidents of the College Democrats. Efforts both nationwide and locally proved to be very effective in electing the democratic slate. Now that the Democrats have the White House and Congress, they must accept the responsibility that they have received. In the last twelve years, a Republican has held the Presidency and the Democrats have controlled the Congress, (with the exception of the Senate for two years under Reagan). The Democrats have now

If you call New London home, then by all means vote. If not, do not vote for positions that do not affect you.

overcome the Republican stronghold on the Presidency and ended the "gridlock" of divided government. When one party controls both the Presidency and the Congress they must accept the blame when things go wrong. Conversely, they have the right to claim victory as things improve. While the outcome of the election was not as I had wished, the end of divided government now allows the country a clear picture as to where to place blame. 4 - The reason the Republican

party lost was that Bill Clinton did a much better job in campaigning. The Democrats saw an opportunity, organized themselves and grabbed the brass ring. If Republicans plan to win back the White House and continue to pick up seats in Congress, they will have to make an aggressive effort in showing the American people that they offer a place for everyone.

Sean Spicer
Class of 1993

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FEATURES

Chilean poet and activist lectures on problems of 'Disenchanted Generation'

by Kathy O'Connell
The College Voice

On Tuesday November 10, Marjorie Agosin, a Chilean poet and the keynote speaker for Latino Awareness Month, delivered an enlightening program about politics, Latino presence in the United States and her career as a poet.

In addition to her career as a poet, Agosin also teaches as an associate professor of Spanish at Wellesley College, and is a human rights activist. She believes "living in the United States has given [her] the privilege, distance, and feeling of an outsider that enables her to write about what was happening in Latin America."

Agosin came to the United States with her parents when she was seventeen. They planned to stay for just one year. However, the socialist government of Chile was overthrown and her parents chose not to return to a country ruled by a dictator.

Agosin titled her presentation "The Disenchanted Generation." She informed the audience that in the years from 1970 to 1980 ninety thousand young adults, ages sixteen to twenty-one, mysteriously disappeared. They were later discovered to have been murdered by the government.

According to Agosin, these young adults were "idealistic in their beliefs in freedom."

Many of these young adults were terrorists or political demonstrators. These people, who had believed in "revolution and change in society," had ended up as "the generation of the missing people," said Agosin.

Agosin defined "The Invisible Generation" as "those who are now in their twenties and grew up under the dictatorship."

She explained that they are the generation who "watched people burning crosses and being taken out of the streets."

According to Agosin it is important that the "Invisible Generation find a way to remember and talk about the generation of missing people."

Agosin described the suffering of the families whose children were taken from them. These families had hoped to find their loved ones alive, but now all they ask is for the remains to be returned so they can be buried.

Agosin pointed out that "90,000 people are dead and not one military person is jailed for the crimes he committed."

Before her poetry reading, Agosin explained some of the is-



Chile's "Lost Generation" serves as a source of Marjorie Agosin's poetry.

sues that influenced her writing. In 1978 she went to Chile and was in close contact with the mothers whose children were murdered. This experience changed Agosin, who now defines herself as a "militant with a high perseverance."

She drew many ideas for her poetry from photographs of the missing children. Agosin described herself as writing "with them and about them." Her work with human rights groups, Agosin explained, has also shaped her poetry. She said, "When people survive, they have a great sense of responsibility."

Agosin explored women's roles in politics of Latin America during the 1970's. Agosin said she was influenced by the "feminist euphoria of the 1970's" when she came to the United States as a teenager.

According to Agosin, Latin American women participate more in politics than women in the United States.

Latin American women, Agosin stated, were "the forefront of the human rights protest group."

According to Agosin, Women may not have been successful in drawing any governmental concessions, but they were successful in "becoming a conscience," which she said was "the greatest legacy."

Agosin emphasized that women "had the power of the weak, not the power of the strong."

Agosin next read an assortment of poems, many of which she wrote while thinking of the photographs of the missing children.

She read several in the original Spanish. These poems were drawn from a variety of books that Agosin has written, including *Circles of Madness* and *Bonfires*.

Agosin ended her reading by saying, "Poetry really matters. It is relevant to our lives. Some people have died because they wrote dangerous poems."

Agosin explained that one of her

motives in writing about the "Disenchanted Generation" and their families was that "disappeared people don't have a grave, we must speak about them and remember them."

After her readings, the audience questioned Agosin about her experiences as a writer and her political views. Agosin further explained her role as an "outsider."

According to Agosin, the "Latin American community of writers found themselves more alone in the United States because of recent immigration; they had to invent a space, invent a community."

She also explained that "writing poetry in the United States is difficult, because there is not an audience for poetry."

Agosin was also asked to explain the human rights policy in Latin America. She replied, "There is no human rights policy in Latin America."

She added that although there are documented cases of people disappearing, there is no policy that guarantees that anyone guilty of murder will be punished.

More importantly, said Agosin, there is no policy to prevent the disappearing from, well, disappearing.

Agosin was asked for her opinion on what type of foreign affairs policy the United States should hold to Latin America and what kind of impact the United States could have on human rights.

Stated Agosin, "Carter was the only administration that had an impact on human rights."

Agosin added that "Reagan and Bush had no human rights policy," but said she hopes that "Clinton may have some policy."

Agosin expressed her view that if the president-elect were to implement a human rights policy, this would have a "great impact" on Latin America.

Whitten challenges himself for the Wright reasons

by Sheloham Payne
The College Voice

Todd Whitten, housefellow of Wright, wanted to be a housefellow because he felt it was the biggest personal challenge he could give himself at Connecticut College. Also, Whitten explained, the college had been very generous in giving him financial aid and he saw being a housefellow as an opportunity to give something back to the school.

As a housefellow, Whitten said he has learned to deal with many types of personalities. Whitten, an International Relations major and Chinese minor, said that this experience will be valuable if he goes into teaching or public relations, because he'll know how to relate to different people. Whitten also said he enjoys having a certain amount of control over his environment.

"This year's housefellow staff is fantastic," he said. Whitten believes the staff is diverse and easy to get along with. He added, "If I go a week without seeing them I feel like I've really missed something."

One challenge that Whitten faces as housefellow is remembering everyone's name and then being able to put names to faces. Having to get up for noise complaints at three or four in the morning is also a huge challenge, according to Whitten.

One of the most frustrating experiences that Whitten has faced so far is the lack of a permanent housekeeper in Wright. "The dorm was not being cleaned. We had one custodian who cleaned the floors and living room, but the bathrooms

weren't being cleaned," he explained.

Whitten said that meeting so many "neat" people and having residents come and tell him that they're having a great day are the simple thrills that reward him for being a housefellow.

Whitten added that keeping his sense of humor and doing everything for all the right reasons is what has helped keep him going and what he would advise to other students when they are feeling stressed.

According to Whitten, the Plex is a strange place to live in because almost all living rooms of the Plex dorms have something going on every weekend. "If you are a hermit, you should definitely not live in the plex," he said.

Whitten said there is little dorm unity in the Plex. He said that part of it has to do with the layout of the dorm rooms. Plex residents, explained Whitten, have neighbors to the right or left side of their rooms but there is no one across the hall.

Also, since people tend to move into the Plex in groups they tend to associate with the people they moved with and not make a big effort to meet other people in the dorm, Whitten added.

Aside from his housefellow duties, Whitten also sings and plays the guitar in the Coffee Ground whenever he gets the chance. He plays all different types of music from Cat Stevens to Indigo Girls to James Taylor. He is also chairing the Chinese Advisory Board.

Whitten's plans for next year are to take time off from school for a while and find a job.



Housefellow Todd Whitten enjoys the human contact essential to his job.

FEATURES

Audience 'energized' by Japanese healer

by Susan Feuer
Features Editor

Extra Sensory Perception came to the College through a presentation by Takashi Yamagishi, from the Transcendental Institute of Tokyo, an institute that works with and teaches the uses of ESP.

Wednesday's lecture was sponsored by the Anthropology Department, the Connecticut College Asian Student Association and Unity House.

Yamagishi is the founder of the Transcendental Institute of Tokyo. The Institute was founded a decade ago by scientists and medical doctors in order to study ESP from a scientific perspective and to use it in healing.

Yamagishi's lecture, delivered in Japanese, was translated by sophomore Yuka Nakajima. Nakajima, who lives in Tokyo, has been an instructor at the Transcendental Institute for three and a half years. She is in June Macklin's Anthropology of Medicine class and had arranged for Yamagishi to come to Connecticut College to speak to the class and hold a lecture.

Yamagishi explained that he would be performing experiments with the audience throughout his lecture and that they were neces-

sary for the audience to "get the sense of what's going on."

Yamagishi began his lecture by giving everybody in the room the energy he uses to perform his ESP experiments. He told the audience that he was giving them a temporary power; if they wanted to keep it after the lecture they could and if they did not want the power they could tell him and he would make sure that they did not receive any.

Yamagishi explained that it would be easier for him to use ESP if everyone in the room received the power. He then began a meditation that lasted approximately one minute.

After his meditation he told the audience that they now possessed the power that would allow them to participate in every experiment. He urged the audience to participate so that they could walk away from the lecture with the ability to heal people on their own.

He explained that the energy he used was not spiritual. "I have not mentioned God or talked about any religion the whole evening."

The first experiment that Yamagishi performed is used in Japanese dental clinics and medical institutions today to see if cold medicine and headache medicine will be effective on certain patients.



Lecturer from the TDI introduced students of the college to ESP using experiments developed by these TDI instructors.

He told the audience to find a partner and then demonstrated with Nakajima to illustrate the testing technique.

One person of each group was told make a ring using his/her thumb and index finger. The other person used his/her fingers to try to pull his/her partner's fingers apart. The person who made the ring with his/her fingers was designated the tester and was given a variety of things to test such as cigarettes, Coke, aspirin and stomach medicine. The tester held the product in one hand and made the ring with his/her other finger.

Yamagishi explained that if the person's fingers were difficult to

pull apart then the substance was good for him/her. If his/her fingers were easy to pull apart the substance was harmful to him/her. He asked the audience if they thought Coke or cigarettes were worse for their health. The audience replied that cigarettes were more harmful. But, according to the finger and thumb experiment, Coke was actually more harmful than the cigarettes were.

After the first experiment Yamagishi demonstrated how to re-align a person's spine using the same ESP energy. At the end of the lecture he had the audience find a partner again for another exercise using the energy.

In this experiment, one person was told to sit in a chair and the other to stand behind his/her partner. The person standing was led through a series of steps used to remove the negative energy of the person sitting down.

Nakajima said, "I think [the presentation] was really successful. It was definitely a good step for the Transcendental Institute to come to the United States. They didn't know what kind of reaction they'd get. I was really appreciative of the people who came to the lecture."

Anyone who is interested in learning more about the Transcendental Institute or ESP should contact Nakajima at x3329.

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NEWS

Faculty vote to table uniform evaluation forms

by Jonathan Budd
The College Voice

A proposal to revise standardized faculty and course evaluations was tabled indefinitely by a vote at the November faculty meeting.

The issue of standardized evaluations came to the forefront last year and was immediately met with discord by some faculty members and students.

According to Helen Reeve, chair of the Faculty Steering and Conference Committee and professor of Russian Studies, the proposed evaluations will be college-wide, rather than distributed by individual academic departments as has been done in the past.

Not only will the evaluations be standardized for the entire college, but they will also be organized differently than those in the past.

Students will be asked a series of questions about their professors and courses and will be asked to rank them on a scale of one to five.

A computer will then read the responses in order to tabulate a net score for a particular professor and course. Students' names will not be placed on the evaluations.

Reeve asserted that student evaluations play an important part in critiquing "young colleagues and their teaching."

According to Reeve, evaluations by students play a large part in the way in which professors are promoted and tenured.

Student Advisory Boards for each department will review the evaluations from the students in each particular course. They will then draft a summary of the evaluations, which will be required to be included in a professor's record. The individual evaluations can be included at the discretion of the professor.

When a professor's record is reviewed in order to consider him for

a promotion or for tenure, the summaries and/or individual evaluations are reviewed. Peer evaluations of professors and a professor's syllabi, exams, and any relevant correspondence between him and his department chair or special instructors are also considered.

The peer evaluations are a relatively recent development, according to Reeve. A department chair is supposed to ensure that members of his department observe other members every semester.

Evaluations of professors by students are preferred, however, because they are in the classroom on a daily basis.

For full professors who already have tenure, the student evaluations have no practical value. Reeve believes, however, that most professors are "very interested in being good teachers because that's their life."

After grades for a particular course have been turned in to the registrar, the professor can see his evaluations.

The conflict with the proposed evaluations results from the fact that some members of the faculty believed that certain departments were so different from one another that to have a standard form for college-wide evaluation was foolish. A chemistry professor, for example, needs to develop different skills than an English professor would be an effective teacher.

A Validation Committee was formed to examine the value of introducing the standardized evaluation. Dorothy James, provost and dean of faculty, chaired the committee, but could not be reached for comment on this issue.

The conclusion of the committee was that the questionnaire was fair. At the same time, it was recognized that having subjective criteria means that professors, as Reeve



The new members of Psi Chi were inducted into the chapter with a ceremony conducted on Thursday, November 12, in Ernst Common Room.

said, may see evidence of a "popular vote" rather than objective criticism.

For this reason, two blank pages were added to the standardized form so that students could write down any comments they have about a professor and his course or any specific experiences.

The machines that will read the numerical responses for the subjective questions will not examine the free writing sections, however.

The score a professor receives will be on a scale of one to five. This means that the difference between an excellent professor and a very good one, or a fair professor as

compared with a poor one, can be only a fraction of a point.

Saveena Dhall, chair of academic affairs, said the Board of Advisory Chairs voted unanimously against the standardized evaluations at the group's meeting this Sunday.

"You can't get an in-depth evaluation of a person through numbers," said Dhall, adding, "We don't believe [standardization] is an appropriate method."

Dhall said the Board discussed the possibility of covering common, core issues by adding a section to existing departmentalized forms. BAC plans to forward a

statement to the faculty within the next few weeks.

The combined problems which members of the faculty found with the proposed evaluations moved them to vote to table the measure indefinitely.

Because of the tabling, students will be using the old evaluations this semester made by each individual department.

The proposal still exists, however, and faculty members will have to decide the best form for evaluations, which Reeve described as "sometimes more frank expressions of [students'] attitudes."

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by Emily Strause
The College Voice

This Week in SG Assembly

Michael Gaffney, house senator of Harkness and chair of the Campus Safety Committee, sponsored proposal 19, which expands membership of the Campus Safety committee to include a house governor and a housefellow. The proposal passed 25-0-0. (See story p. 11)

Chad Marlow, house senator of Wright, sponsored a proposal that would initiate a policy urging the college to buy American goods when the foreign good and the American good are comparable in quality. The policy would only include goods that cost over \$1,500. The proposal was defeated by a vote of 7-16-4. (See story p. 8)

Mike DellaMonaca, house senator of Hamilton, sponsored a proposal that would give free lock-outs for students during the period when student advisors arrive on campus until the Monday after classes begin. The proposal was passed 24-1-0. (See story p. 11)

Gaffney also reported that Catherine WoodBrooks, dean of Student Life, and Robert Hampton, dean of the college, are looking into developing a campus escort policy.

Gaffney added that the committee discussed stationing Campus Safety officers in the Arboretum. Members are also discussing the feasibility and practicality of installing emergency call boxes in the Arboretum.

Members of the Alcohol Policy and Recommendations Committee announced that the SGA Executive Board met with William Niering, acting president of the college, this week. The final pamphlet which will be sent home to parents will contain no questions for the parents to answer. The packet will contain only information and quotes. (See story p. 11)

Marisa Farifa said the Educational Planning Committee presented a letter to the faculty concerning General Education. The letter included a list of principles, which was distributed to house senators at this week's meeting. She will make a presentation on this topic next week.

Molly Embree, a member of the Academic Advisory Planning Committee, discussed the General Education plan and faculty opinions of different options. The committee is also discussing the question of rigor in Connecticut College's courses. Embree also reported that the committee is also looking into the problem of students being shut out of courses because they did not get into a class during pre-registration. AAPC is considering a four-day add period so that students can get into their classes before Winter Break.

Gerard Choucroun, SAC chair, announced that the Winter Formal will be held December 5 in Harris.

Sean Spicer, house senator of JA, was elected to the Parking Appeals Committee.

Lynn Brooks, vice president for finance, Claire Matthews, vice president of admissions and planning, and Don Peppard, professor of economics, will attend SGA Assembly next week to discuss challenges facing Connecticut College as a liberal arts college. Students interested in strategic planning are encouraged to attend the Assembly meeting.

NEWS

Student rape suspect voluntarily withdraws

College lacks policy on tuition refund

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loose, that case will take top priority in the department until a suspect is apprehended. The department must, said Gavitt, be continually "prioritizing and re-prioritizing cases."

Gavitt said the case of the arboretum assault fit those circumstances, stating that in that case there was a "situation in which there was a weapon involved and there was an attempt to kill," and that there was "an unknown suspect, in the beginning, and one who was in flight."

Gavitt added that in the case of the arboretum assault there was a "traumatized and visibly injured victim."

Gavitt said that while the suspect is not being detained in prison, the whereabouts of the suspect in the case of the acquaintance rapes is known and he is not expected to flee, though he is not being detained in prison.

Gavitt would not confirm rumors that the victim of the arboretum assault is the daughter of one of the members of the NLPD.

According to Gavitt, he could not comment because, "We do everything in our power to hide the identities of victims." Gavitt cited statute 54-866 of the Connecticut General Statutes, which states that all documents available to the public under the Freedom of Information Act are the "same documents that statute covers."

Gavitt did confirm that the suspect in the allegations of acquaintance rape is a Connecticut College student, as are both complainants.

As the date rape suspect has signed a form voluntarily withdrawing from the college, the question must be raised about

plans for the tuition money he has already invested this semester, considering he has not yet been convicted of any crime.

According to Robert Hampton, dean of the college, this issue is "not something we have discussed. I just don't know."

Said Hampton, "At some future date we might have to cross this bridge, but at this point it's not a bridge we've had to cross." He added, "I don't want to say the college has a policy of giving refunds because that certainly is not the case."

"It would almost be dangerous for me to speculate on what would be done with the money or even with the student's enrollment status," said Hampton.

All speculation aside, Gavitt did say that the suspect in the Arboretum assault case is in jail pending pre-trial hearings.

Gavitt stressed that an allegation of sexual assault should be made promptly to the NLPD, and expressed concern that Connecticut College may be trying to handle such issues without contacting the police.

"Apparently, the college thinks we're only an option," said Gavitt.

Gavitt also said that there are many reasons why a victim might not want to report a sexual assault, and said, "There's a view from society that if it is truly a crime and you are truly being raped then you should be yelling rape. I know from my experience that sometimes that can't happen."

But Gavitt stressed the importance of reporting these crimes to the proper authorities, remarking, "It is always an option that you can withdraw the complaint at a later date."



SGA voted down a proposal which would have encouraged Connecticut College to "buy American."

Assembly defeats "buy American" legislation after caustic debate

by Michael Dell'Angelo
News Editor
and Jennifer LeVan
Associate News Editor

After a marathon discussion, the SGA Assembly failed a proposal that would require the college to give preference to American products on purchases exceeding \$1,500.

The proposal, sponsored by Chad Marlow, house senator of Wright, would have encouraged the administration to adopt an official policy in which American-made products were given preference.

Foreign products would not be purchased until "all opportunities to locate a comparable American good have been exhausted." The proposal went on to request that the college uphold a "60 percent American labor, 60 percent American parts" standard in the new purchasing policy.

Discussion included a series of amendments. Penny Leisring, house senator of KB, made a friendly amendment to strike a paragraph regarding the Honor Code. Marlow had originally in-

cluded the Honor Code as a means of ensuring proper adherence to the new policy.

Leisring also motioned to amend the proposal to remove all mention of contacting other schools. The original proposal included a letter to be sent to similar colleges and universities encouraging them to adopt a similar policy.

'I don't know why [the Assembly has] such interpellation about taking a leadership role.'

— Chad Marlow house senator of Wright

Marlow motioned to amend Leisring's amendment to include a suggestion that colleges be notified if the program was successful. During the debate on Marlow's motion, he cited the directive in the issues project to reach out to other colleges. He said, "I don't know why [the Assembly has] such interpellation about taking a leadership role." Marlow's motion to amend failed by a vote of 4-18-4.

Discussion returned to

Leisring's amendment. The mood in Assembly was overwhelmingly in favor of Leisring's amendment. Adam Green, public relations director, argued that the condition of success which would determine whether the letter would be sent to other schools was "too vague." Green's sentiment was echoed by a number of house senators. Assembly members were also wary of imposing Connecticut College's success on other colleges. Discussion was closed, and the Assembly voted to pass the amendment by a vote of 25-1-1.

In raising concerns about the legislation itself, Gerard Choucroun, SAC chair, asked, "Are we ad-

ressing students concerns? I don't think so." Choucroun noted that it was the purpose of the Assembly to write proposals about things with which students are concerned.

Green said the Assembly was trying to act like it knew more about economic problems than it did.

Green motioned to close discussion. A roll call vote was requested, after a number of senators passed, the amendment proposal failed by a vote of 7-16-4.

College argues against all-day patrols in 465-acre arboretum

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ing that officers should regularly patrol the Arboretum.

Stewart Angell, director of Campus Safety, said that he could "put 100 Campus Safety officers in the Arboretum and still not guarantee safety." Added Angell, "Campus Safety patrols the arboretum every day, randomly."

The benefits do not outweigh the costs, according to Angell, who said the officers would have to patrol the entire Arboretum because "if you're going to provide that safety in one place you have to provide it for the entire area."

Angell also believes the two Campus Safety officers patrolling the Arboretum from sunrise to sunset would not provide added safety because of the size of the area and

the fact that there are always places to hide in the wooded area.

"Campus Safety officers couldn't even walk [the 465 acres of the Arboretum] in a day," said Angell.

Both Stephanie Ray and Karen Gillen of the EveryWomyn's Center declined to comment on the status of their petition.

Brooks said the assault in the Arboretum has made the administration aware of the necessity of increasing awareness, but stressed that the assault was only the second incident in 15 to 20 years.

He said that the assailant was a devious person who would have found a place to commit the crime regardless of the location and also stated that "unless there is a significant increase [in assaults], we don't have a problem."

The Camel Connection

— a compilation of other school's news

NYU students hold drag queen pageant

Last month eleven male students at NYU put on women's clothing in the university's first "Miss NYU Pageant"—a pageant for drag queens.

An earlier attempt by NYU's Student Activities Board to cancel the event prompted a rally by dozens of students who supported the pageant.

President of George Washington University's Student Government resigns after making racial slur

Speaking to his friends about Will Griffen, his opponent for the Student Government presidency, Michael Musante, current president, said, "Could you imagine what would have happened if that nigger had won?!"

After his racist remark was revealed in an editorial in the student newspaper, Musante resigned his post and apologized at a special campus-wide meeting on race relations.

About 3,000 people attended the meeting, which was part of a previously scheduled Unity Week to promote racial understanding on campus.



Information compiled from *The Chronicle of Higher Education*

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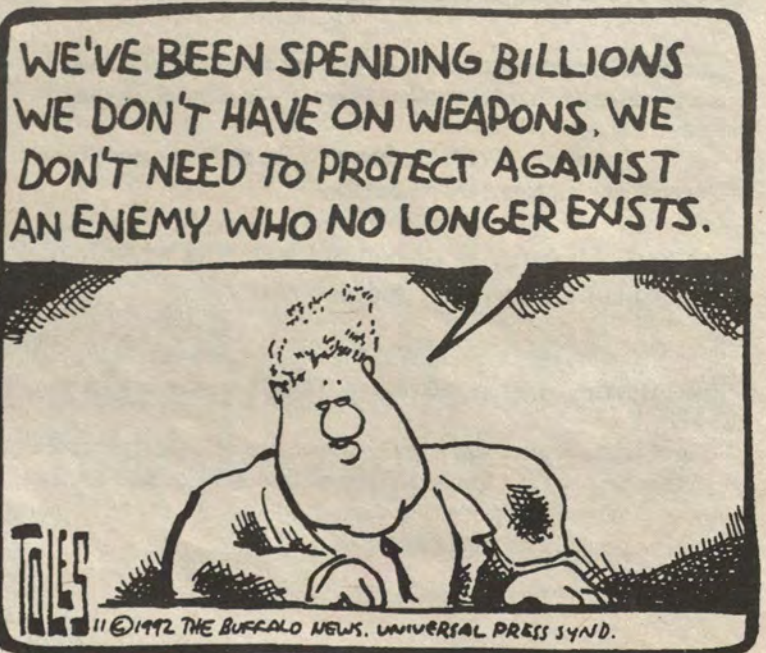
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BY G.B. TRUDEAU



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Answers to some commonly asked questions about water and our health

"What is the link between chlorine and cancer?"

Chlorine is added to drinking water to kill germs. It is the most common disinfectant used in the United States. While chlorine does provide germ protection, it does not harm humans directly. However, it may combine with naturally occurring harmless chemicals to form chemicals that may cause cancer. These are called "reaction products." Drinking water treatment is changing to avoid the problem of reaction products.

"Is fluoride in drinking water safe?"

Yes. The addition of fluoride to drinking water has greatly improved our dental health. Recent reports suggesting that fluoride was a possible cancer-causing chemical proved to be incorrect. Fluoride and the disinfectant chloramine do, however, make water unsuitable for use in kidney dialysis. Dialysis patients should check with their doctor about their source of water.

Information compiled from *Plain Talk About Drinking Water*, by Dr. James M. Symons

Connecticut College water passes October safety reports

by April Ondis
Associate News Editor

Recently, the University of Rhode Island has been experiencing difficulties with its water, causing some speculation as to whether Connecticut College will face similar circumstances.

Because of high coliform bacteria levels at URI, the 13,000 residential students have been unable to drink or brush their teeth with their tap water. As a result, the college has had to import bottled water to the campus. More than 10,000 gallons of bottled water were used during the first week of the water ban alone.

Coliform bacteria are naturally found in people's intestines. Coliforms are not harmful themselves, but they often indicate the presence of germs which are harmful. For this reason, water that contains coliform bacteria may be considered to be contaminated.

Debralyn Marshall-Baker, superintendent of Water and Sewer Maintenance for the New London Division of Water, says that it is unlikely that a similar situation will occur at Connecticut College. "What they had problems with, we test for every week," she said.

Every Tuesday, two water samples are taken from the college. One is taken from sample site number three, a low pressure area near the Charles B. Luce Field House and the Coast Guard Academy; the other is taken from sample site number four, a high pressure

area, (high pressure indicates relatively intensified usage), located on the main campus near Williams Street.

Although the Water Division does not test for the full spectrum of water contaminants each week, it does test for: coliform bacteria, pH (potential for hydrogen; this measures the water's relative acidity or alkalinity), taste, color, odor, turbidity (or cloudiness), zinc, and iron.

Because the main campus uses so much water, and has a large transmission main, high levels of chlorine are consistently used as an added protection against bacteria (see panel for more information about the effects of chlorine on our health). As a result of this chlorine treatment, the water's taste has a chlorinated quality to it. "Lots of people complain about the taste," said Marshall-Baker.

The New London Water Division which serves Connecticut College also serves the rest of the City of New London, Waterford, and Montville. Water sources for our system are: Lake Konomoc, Barnes Reservoir, Bogue Reservoir, and Fairy Lake.

"State water supply regulations in Connecticut are more strict than federal regulations. For example, Connecticut does not allow recreational use of its reservoirs as some states do. You won't find any motor boats in our reservoirs. As a result, most surface water supplies are safe," said Marshall-Baker.

Connecticut College's water for

the month of October was termed "excellent" in that month's water quality report. Taste, color, and odor were also deemed excellent in a continued improvement over the month of August.

Water during the month of October was found to be slightly more cloudy than it normally is because the Westmore main is currently being cleansed by intense flushing. Due to this flushing, elevated turbidity is also predicted for the month of November.

Testing was done to determine whether rust deposits which were detected in September are being caused by iron bacteria colonies. No iron bacteria were found, although the Water Division was fully prepared, in the event that bacteria colonies were found, to shut off the water of the main campus overnight in order begin heavy dosing of the pipes with chlorine.

Assembly passes lock-out compromise

by Michael Dell' Angelo
News Editor

SGA Assembly passed two proposals dealing with campus safety issues Thursday. Proposal 19, sponsored by Michael Gaffney, chair of the Campus Safety committee, seeks to expand the membership of the Campus Safety committee.

Proposal 21, sponsored by Michael DellaMonaca, house senator of Hamilton, establishes a period during which the \$10 charge for lock-outs would be suspended.

Gaffney's proposal passed by a unanimous vote. The proposal changes the by-laws of SGA which will appear in the C-Book.

That section will now read "There shall be three undergraduate students elected by the Assembly, at least one of which will be an Assembly member; one House Governor elected by the Board of House Governors; and one Housefellow elected by the Housefellows."

During his presentation of the proposal, Gaffney argued that the Campus Safety committee needed

Parents' alcohol survey "laid to rest"

by April Ondis
Associate News Editor

Last Monday the SGA Executive Board met with William Niering, acting president of the college, to discuss, among other things, the APRC mailing to parents which at one time contained an explicit questionnaire for the parents asking them what they believe the alcohol policy ought to be on the Connecticut College campus.

The questionnaire originally contained approximately four questions centering on gathering parental opinion on to what extent the college should be controlling campus alcohol use. This, according to Colleen Shanley, president of the SGA, "would seem like an invitation to parents to have a say about what goes on on campus. It shouldn't be that they have a direct say. Parents are not really a part of this living community; they are only an extended part of it."

The issue of the questionnaire, which was being considered for mailing to parents, was brought before the SGA last week by Marisa Farina, president of the class of 1993 and a member of APRC. The Assembly expressed intense disapproval of this proposed action, and Fariña brought the concerns and criticisms of the Assembly back to the APRC who then drafted a different set of questions.

Through SGA discussion about the mailings to parents and about the broader issue of alcohol policy in general, many arguments were made in favor of continued student self-regulation.

According to Shanley, Robin

Swimmer, vice-president of SGA, made a very enlightening speech on the subject. Swimmer said she had considered forming a new club on campus to promote an alcohol-free environment when she first came to college. However, after attending campus parties, she realized the parties have as much to do with socializing as they do with drinking. "She realized that we already have an organization on campus which plans alcohol-free events; the SAC. Most SAC parties nowadays are alcohol-free," said Shanley.

At Monday's Executive Board meeting with Niering, it was agreed that no such questionnaire would be sent home to parents. In its place, a few comments by students about the existing campus alcohol policy will be sent home to parents as an informative measure.

In his comments to Shanley, Niering congratulated students on their responsible behavior. "He said that he'd learned a lot of things he didn't know about alcohol use on this campus. And then he asked me what I thought about the idea of his taking a walk around the dorms at 8am on some Sunday morning."

Shanley encouraged Niering to do so if he had any further questions about life on campus, saying, "You have every right to do that."

Shanley believes that the issue of direct parental involvement in student drinking has "been laid to rest." However, the APRC questionnaire has opened the door to further discussion about alcohol use on campus. "Issues about student responsibility may arise in the future," said Shanley.

The Camel Heard . . .



"I am taking CPR next semester. Sucking face with a dummie is all the action I'll be getting next semester."

- an anonymous Housefellow during pre-registration

"If this proposal flops, we'll look like the biggest asses in Connecticut, and this time they won't confuse us with UConn."

- Sean Spicer during the SGA discussion on whether to pass Chad Marlow's "buy American" legislation

"Hooking up is over-rated"

- Jonathan Wales, overheard in the bar.

ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT

Serving up a feast: *Café Coco* from the Beaux makes a splash on campus

by Carli Schultz
The College Voice

OK, we're well into the semester now, and at this point you must at least have heard of, if not seen, the Beaux. Connecticut College's male a capella singing group has been spotted crooning away at several locations and events this year.

And those of you who can't get enough of 'em have reason to sing yourselves — portable Co Co Beaux! With the release of the Beaux's new compact disc, *Café Coco*, you can listen to those guys any ol' time you want.

The album, served to us by the Beaux in the fashion of a menu on the back cover, starts off with Seal's "Crazy" which makes a strong opener.

Sting's "Why Should I Cry for You?" follows. Being a big Sting fan, I'm biased, and think that this particular song could have been done differently and perhaps a little better, but I have no real complaints about it.

A few songs later the Beaux swing you back into that alternate universe loved by so many on campus — the '80's, with "Freeze Frame" by the J. Geils Band. The next track was my favorite, "Don't Let the Sun Go Down on Me" by Elton John, a song described by Oleta Adams as "... simmering as gospel gravy," which the Beaux took to wonderful heights.

What did the Beaux themselves think of the recording process? Pitch Brett Elicker said the best part for him was "hanging out with everyone and doing what we like the most, which is music."

Elicker also enjoyed all of the

detail involved in making a recording, having all the pieces fit together, and the precision needed to make a well-polished finished product. Elicker believes the Beaux's favorite track, collectively, is "Crazy," which is one of the tougher songs to perform, but also one of the most fun.

James Macknik fondly described his least favorite part in recording as being the hour at which they started every day — 2 a.m. The reason for this, according to Macknik, is "if we started any later, other bands would come in to other rooms and the sound would bleed into our recording."

His favorite part of recording was the process of blending and placing of all the separate parts to-

gether. Background would be recorded and then trios and solos placed over it. He also enjoyed the process of designing the cover.

Macknik thinks the making of the CD was a great thing to happen to the Beaux, for it helped them improve soundwise. "Little problems don't matter live, but on a recording, it's all the people have."

Jody Alford commented on the intensity of the process, mentioning that twice the Beaux had to put in 18-hour days. "Our entire focus was the CD," he said, adding, "It was a cool experience being so involved in one thing for such a long time."

Alford's personal favorites on the recording are "Crazy," "Father Figure," and "Empty Garden."

And what about that cover? The Beaux do a tour every year, visiting places such as Martha's Vineyard to perform. While in Philadelphia, they spotted a little cafe called the Café Coco, and the rest is pictorial history.

The Beaux are already looking forward to the future. Next semester they will have a new bunch of songs for their playlist, and hope to possibly release an album every

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other year from now on, to give everyone involved in the group a chance to record.

Finally, another of the highlights of the album is "Ko Ko Bo," an amusing adaptation from the Beach Boys. It's a great song for the car. You can laugh along with all the jokes while your friends feel left out and unbonded since they have no idea what Cro is, nor the Beaux for that matter.

But even they will be able to enjoy the great musical experience called Co Co Beaux. So get your paws on a CD, go catch a performance. And be joyous, you can get your Beaux in crisp clean CD sound, marking the end of self-recorded Beaux bootlegs. Isn't life grand?



Marcel Marceau captivated Wednesday's audience with his wordless magic.

When words get in the way . . .

by James Santangelo
Associate A&E Editor

Marcel Marceau, universally acclaimed as the greatest living mime in the world, performed at the Garde Arts Center Wednesday. The performance, sponsored by *The Day*, started at 7:30 p.m. and played to a full audience. Marceau performed five of his famous style pantomimes and four of his critically acclaimed "Bip" pantomimes.

As a rule, after seeing some sort of performance, I have been known to sit in front of my Macintosh Classic II and write an article about what was performed and give a little background on the performers, but if I was to do that after this particular evening, I believe I would be doing not only the reader and myself, but also Marceau, a great injustice.

You have to realize that on this particular evening I saw one of the greatest performers in the history of theater. And to tell you that he was born in Strasborg, France and began his career in 1946 at Charles Dullin's School of Dramatic Arts in Paris, and to finish by telling you what time he left the stage, somehow does not seem to help explain the absolute magic experienced by the audience that night and by anyone who has ever experienced a Marcel Marceau performance.

Since 1955 Marceau has been entertaining American audiences with his style pantomimes and satires on everything from sculptors to matadors. In each performance he brings people closer to their own little peculiarities through laughter and

In *The Bird Keeper*, Marcel Marceau portrays a man who through his keeping of birds realizes how captive we all are. *The Painter* depicts a painter coming to terms with the fact that he sees things differently from other people. And in *The Trial*, we find a man accused of murder brought before a judge, and how he comes to die. In *Pygmalion*, Marceau tells a different version of the greek tale of the sculptor who fell in love with his work. Probably his best pantomime is *The Maskmaker*, in which the audience is confronted with a man who uses his masks of misery and joy to find his inner sorrow.

In 1947, Marceau created "Bip," the clown, who in his striped pull-over and battered, beflowered opera hat, has become Marceau's alter-ego. Bip's misadventures with everything from butterflies to lions, on ships and trains, are limitless.

In *Bip Commits Suicide*, the audience sees Bip confronted by the loss of his love and all the thoughts leading up to him realizing he's better off without her. *Bip the Great Star of the Circus* portrays Bip as a ticket-seller dreaming of what might have been. And *Bip the Soldier* shows the inner conflict experienced by every person at the thought of picking up and going off to war.

Marceau has given so much of himself to so many people around the world, through his art, and last Wednesday I saw for myself that words are not always enough or good enough. As he says, "I cannot



Photo courtesy of Room Nine From Outer Space

ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT

Madonna accentuates her dominatrix image

By Shonali Rajani
Associate A&E Editor

Well, I have to tell you right off that I like Madonna very much, I really do. She does what she wants, regardless of her critics. With her new album *Erotica* and book *Sex* she delves into her own fantasies and reveals her well-known affinity for playing the dominatrix.

This media onslaught by Madonna is nothing new to her audiences and neither is her bold behavior. What is new is the tie-in between her new book, new album and new image. (Although \$50 for a book seems a little much!)

The album seductively draws you into her world with songs like *Erotica*, *Fever* (originally done by Peggy Lee), *Deeper and Deeper*, and *Thief of Hearts*. When you listen to *Deeper and Deeper* you will notice a refrain from *Vogue*.

Although these songs are good (at least I think so) the overall album is not what I expected. I anticipated a more dance-pop album with the majority of songs making me get up and move. However, the album grows on you even though it incorporates the standard mother/father dilemma.

The album is fairly long, fourteen songs in all, and is a fully thematic piece along the obvious erotic line.

Madonna has picked a part of our lives that most Americans really do not like discussing, our fantasy life. And she has gone about it with obvious flair.

Madonna purposely disturbs our sense of sexual security and reveals what people may think but do not ever dare say.

Of course, along with a new album comes another Madonna controversy (this one, unfortunately, isn't new) with MTV refusing to play the *Erotica* video until late in the evening when mature audiences can appreciate it, similar to the *Justify My Love* hullabaloo.

My question is, who qualifies as mature, certainly not the four or five drunken guys outside my window singing *Michael Row Your Boat Ashore*?

Madonna has broken new ground with her album, and has again changed her persona to fit the album, or, more likely, produced an album which fits her new lifestyle.

However, I am not sure if I really want to know Madonna's deepest and darkest fantasies. How much more can we learn about Madonna? It seems to me the more she exposes herself the less we truly know about her. I recommend bringing your ID to the record store, because there is the infamous Parental Advisory label, and all for the word b - - - !



Madonna reveals all with her trademark style in her new book, *Sex*.

Bickford unveils meaning behind image and text in Chinese Artwork

by Luke Brennan
A&E Editor

On Thursday, Maggie Bickford, a Connecticut College alumna and assistant professor of Chinese Art at Brown University, gave a lecture titled "Word and Image in Chinese Art."

The talk covered Bickford's special interest: the relationship between images and text in Chinese painting. In it, she described how Chinese scholars of several hun-

dred years ago were able to create a unique art form, by utilizing the complimentary nature of the "pictorial meaning of the picture and the calligraphic meaning of the text." Bickford went on to explain how written Chinese characters are such an integral part of the visual culture of China. The calligraphy itself requires so much skill and training that it is an art form in itself.

Bickford provided many examples of words and characters being used to bring another dimension

to artwork. Although the earliest occurrences of words in pictures are found in tombs, this type of art eventually appeared in many different forms including paintings, architecture, clothing, and even eating utensils.

While the presence of the text and characters were often used to heighten effect, they were used to educate as well. In some cases, text was added to historical narratives, so that those viewing the art would be able to learn from the events of the past.

According to Bickford, perhaps the most important development in the area of this type of artwork appeared with the coming of Buddhism to China. Like the Christians, she explained, Buddhist missionaries often used pictures that told a story to explain the history and principles of Buddhism to converts.

Many of these educational illustrations, however, were wordless; the people whom the Buddhists hoped to convert were illiterate and the lack of text enabled the Buddhists to convey a greater sense of universality about their faith to the Chinese people.

Bickford gave an extremely informative talk and was able to cover many different aspects of Chinese art in a short amount of time. She demonstrated an impressive range of knowledge on the subject, and perhaps more importantly, a strong enthusiasm for what she has chosen to study.



Maggie Bickford speaks on the effects of characters and text in Chinese Art.



Madonna brings on new controversy with *Erotica* release.

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SPORTS

Schmoozing with Dob and Pops: Freeman continues to dominate



By Dobby Gibson
and Dave Papadopoulos
The College Voice

Football

Just how meaningful are the offense and defense rankings for the 28 NFL teams? Well, consider these numbers: The AFC West leading Denver Broncos have compiled an impressive 6-3 record. However, they are ranked 24th in offense and 26th in defense. Furthermore, the Cincinnati Bengals and the Indianapolis Colts have both amassed respectable 4-5 records. Where do they rank on "O" and "D"? The Bengals rank 25th in offense and 27th in defense while the Dolts rank 27th and 25th respectively. Meanwhile, the SD Chargers flaunt the 2nd best defense in the NFL and the 9th best offense. What's their record? The

same as the Colts and Bengals, 4-5. What is all this leading to? Well, it simply re-affirms one of our stronger football convictions that the key to W's and L's in football is turnovers and not necessarily yardage... Look for 60 Minutes to air a story focusing on the Washington Redskins much maligned quarterback titled, "Mark Rypien: Man or Dog? Find Out What the FBI Knows" . . . Touchdown, Dobbigib! . . . We would like to bid a farewell to one of Pops' childhood heroes, Lawrence Taylor, who may have played his last game on Sunday the 8th. Some kids grew up on Cheerios and cartoons. Well, Papadopoulos grew up on #56, and we'd just like to say, "Thanks for the memories, L.T."

New January Internship Offered

Clavier Music, the store in the Crystal Mall which sells organs, has decided to offer a new unpaid internship to any interested student.

Schmoozing has helped Clavier Music to develop a one-of-a-kind intern training program for future NHL arena organists. For the month of January, one lucky student from Conn will be able to fill the mall with the timeless sounds of hockey fight songs, between period hockey polka, and general before-face-off-pump-the-crowd-up jams. No prior musical experience is necessary, but the student must provide his or her own Milwaukee's Best beer and red polyester blazer. See Mrs. Finkleschmidt in the Office of Minimal Career Opportunities for details.

Sega Hockey Update

Freeman dorm (yeah, it's a damn dorm, not a house) continues to dominate the campus Sega Hockey scene. Last Week, Andrew Gibian, a resident of Freeman's second floor, marched into the much talked about hotbed of Sega hockey on Wright's first floor and defeated a sorry Mark Rooney 7-6. Gibian's

Rangers played Rooney's Canucks in Vancouver for the game. After the loss, embarrassed Wright first floor members threatened to cut off Rooney's thumbs. Rooney retired from Sega for the day (with what was left of his dignity) at a very early six o'clock. Word is that Marshall has been getting beaten pretty regularly by Wright. Branford player Kenny Widmann (aka Kenny Williams) has ventured down to Freeman with his Red Wings quite a bit lately, but usually has fallen victim to Dob's North Stars (only rated a two), Rob Stephenson's Bruins, or Gibian's Rangers. No one wants to play Widmann on Madden Football though. Dave Baum will be returning to campus after Turkey Break to host, along with Schmoozing, an all-campus Sega Hockey single elimination tourney. Look for details in this space in the coming weeks.

Monday Night Pick

Last Week: Falcons plus seven vs.

the Niners. Final Score: SF 49ers 41, Falcons 3 (Woops, uh oh). Result: We lose by 31 points (just a bit outside). Well, we had no idea that the Falcons were perhaps the worst team ever to suit up in the history of sport. Their performance in the 2nd half had provided a strong argument for making this franchise defunct. Just make them stop, please. After this pick, we also considered shutting down the Monday night pick. But, no. We're fighters for God's sake and we are going to forge ahead. So we'll take our beleaguered 5-4 record and move on to this week's Bills-Dolphins matchup. Both teams sport 7-2 marks and first place in the AFC East is on the line. The one point favorite Bills were absolutely embarrassed by the Fish a month or so ago in Orchard Park. However, we like them to turn the tables down in Miami even though they do not historically play well on grass. Take the Bills, give up the point, and hope that the Falcons don't crash the party. We'll see you in the winner's circle.

Women's hoopsters have high hopes for successful season

By Matt Burstein
The College Voice

According to the *Baron's Guide to Colleges* and other invaluable tomes, Connecticut College has a student population of roughly 1,600. According to the Office of Athletic Information, the Connecticut College women's basketball team drew an average of 106 fans to their twelve home games in 1991-1992. And according to the principle of subtraction, roughly 1,494 Conn students did not watch one of the premier teams in Division III basketball take to the court last year. Here is what they missed.

Thirteen games into the season, the Camels' record stood at 7-6, including five straight losses. While they were above .500, it was not the success to which a team that had made eight final four appearances in the last nine years was accustomed.

A motivated squad proceeded to down eleven consecutive opponents, including a five point triumph over Brandeis in the ECAC play-offs, to vastly improve their record to 18-6. However, Middlebury denied Conn of twelve in a row and an ECAC championship by defeating the Camels 66-60 in the semifinals.

Despite the lack of a title, it was a typically outstanding season for a team composed of typically outstanding players.

Senior Elizabeth Lynch set new Conn records for points, field goals, and free-throw percentages in a season. The All-American guard claimed the all-time Camel scoring crown by finishing with 1601 career points and 711 field goals in her four years at Conn. Junior Esty

Wood set a set a school record by pulling down 377 rebounds and an average of 12.8 points a game, making her a third-team All-American. Bonnie Silberstein, another junior, made 53 percent of her field goals, another Conn College best, and chipped in 8.1 ppg. First year student Bern Macca found herself on the Freshman All-American squad by scoring in 10.1 points-per-game.

Now that the 1,494 students have been brought up to speed on the events of last season, here is what everyone (faculty and Campus Safety included) can expect for 1992-1993. Although Lynch has graduated, she is the only player not returning to the squad this winter.

In addition to co-captain Wood, Silberstein, and Macca, there are numerous other individuals who will make significant contributions to the team.

Co-captain Erika Gillis brings 10.6 points, 6.9 rebounds, 95 assists, and three years of starting to the gym.

Stephanie Zarum, a sophomore guard who was injured prior to last year's tournament, is healthy and eager to resume her long-distance bombing; she hoisted thirty-two shots from behind the three-point stripe last season. Jenny Thompson, another second year guard, has shown vast improvement and will see more playing time this winter. Senior forward Aimee Beauchamp and junior guard Marnie Sher should provide valuable minutes.

There will also be two new pairs of sneakers on the court quite a bit this winter; C. J. Stuart, a junior guard who transferred from Penn, and Page Lindsey, a freshman

forward from Oklahoma City.

However, simply having a talented group of people does not guarantee success. The man who every year is able to mold his players into a team is Bill Lessig, who owns a life-time record of 156-62 at Conn.

After having coached the men's soccer team to an ECAC championship this fall on Harkness Green, Lessig moves to his winter home across Route 32 with the same expectations. "We have a good core of seven to eight players," said the coach. "That should put us back in the championship hunt." Lessig will arm his team for this hunt with an exciting system of basketball. The Camels feature a tenacious man-to-man defense that involves defenders playing in their opponents' faces. They will occasionally employ a zone and a stifling full-court press, allowing them to consistently score numerous points off turnovers.

On offense, Conn uses a high-tempo fast break which enabled them to average 71.2 points a contest, including a 115-54 annihilation of Bates. Despite their high-octane style of play, the coach does not allow his players to forget the basics. The Camels, who were fouled often, shot 67 percent from the free-throw line, averaged 53.6 rebounds a game, and frequently give the ball inside to their pair of 6'2" centers.

Although the ingredients for a successful season appear in place on paper, the team will have to prove itself on the court against stiff competition. The Camels play "one of the toughest schedules in New England," according to Lessig. The coach is



Women's basketball shoots for a winning season.

not exaggerating, as teams like improved Wesleyan, well-coached Amherst, strong UMass-Dartmouth, tough Tufts, and a team that made a trip to the final four last year, Eastern Connecticut, fill their slate of games. Add in an grueling trip to Maine in February to play Bowdoin and Colby on back-to-back evenings and the Camels should have their schedules full.

Despite the strength of their opponents, Conn fans should anticipate another outstanding season. "The players expect to do well," said Lessig. Needless to say, they also like to receive support from the peers. There are 1,494 people on this campus who are missing a chance to witness one of the best basketball teams in the nation. After all, how many times can one go to the Coffee Ground?

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The Men's Basketball Team hopes to rise above last year's season.

Men's basketball team looks for winning ways

By Ed Metzendorf
The College Voice

The men's basketball is coming off a disappointing 5-19 season. Despite last year's lack of success the team has gained a new confidence. The team's potential was displayed late last season when they were narrowly defeated by Colby.

The Camels gelled that night, discovering they could play with anyone. Colby has been a perennial New England power for many years. This year's team has learned from that loss and knows they can be a successful team.

The 1992-93 team has built a solid nucleus throughout the last couple of years. The team only lost one senior to graduation. Captains and leading scorers Teddy Frishling (16.7 ppg) and William Betts (13.8 ppg) are both returning.

Betts seemed confident about the squad's chances this year saying, "I see a complete 360-degree around from last season, because people's attitudes are much more positive this season."

In addition to Betts and Frishling, Will Manual is returning to try to better his solid freshman year, where he was named to the All NESCAC Rookie team. Other key players returning are Eric Widmar, Bob Turner, and Tom Satran.

The team is also expected to get major contributions from freshmen Jason Betts and Andre Wright.

The team has worked extremely hard in the off season and is excited about the upcoming season. They have a lot of potential, and with continued hard work the team should certainly do well this season, which tips off December 1, when Roger Williams travels to Conn's new gymnasium.

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IM Update:

Low Lifes victorious over Power Boot for soccer championship

Soccer Championship

During the past two weeks intramural soccer has been at its peak with the two semifinals and the final. The first semifinal matched the top seeded and undefeated Low Lifes against an aggressive Moscow Express squad which had rolled into the playoffs after a shaky start.

But the Express was derailed when with just six seconds left in the first half Jean-Eric Penicaud found a crack in a very solid Express defense to score a brilliant and decisive goal, as the Low Lifes held on for the 1-0 victory.

Ed Metzendorf was sparkling in goal as he secured yet another shutout for the Low Lifes. The second semifinal was the much anticipated re-match between the second seeded Power Boot and the third seeded Mulligans.

Power Boot jumped out to a quick 1-0 lead with a goal by Pete Festersen. Mulligan's then answered with a quick response by Charlie Adams. Power Boot showed the quick strike ability which had carried them all year netted two quick goals, both by Rob Stevenson.

The Mulligans were able to net one more goal, but could not tie the game before Stevenson completed his hat trick with an open net goal, making the final score 4-2.

The final was a much anticipated one, as the chatter and trash talking between the teams peaked as the teams took to Chapel Field on Wednesday afternoon.

The contest was a hard fought one as the defensive stars of both teams, Rick Guthke for Power Boot and Chad Glauser for the Low Lifes, excelled as the first half ended with the score tied at 0-0.

The second half opened with Power Boot dominating play, keeping the ball in the Low Lifes half of the field.

The tide turned quickly, however, when suddenly with about four minutes remaining Cy Fulp took a long pass from Chad Glauser and powered a shot past Power Boot goalie Barnaby Hall.

This would be the deciding goal as the Low Lifes defense and goalie Metzendorf stymied the Power Boot onslaught for the final minutes of the game to capture the Intramural Soccer Championship.

IM Superbowl

In the long anticipated match-up of flag football powers at Connecticut College, the EM (East Meadow) Airplanes sat on an early touchdown to win the 1992 Intramural Flag Football Super Bowl, 7-0, over previously unbeaten NFC.

Both teams brought to the final receiver and QB combinations that sliced through regular season

opponents like butter. In the end, however, a Matt Shea to Fran Higgins aerial spelled the championship for the Airplanes.

NFC's air lords, Luis Montalvo (QB) and WR's Pete Everett and Ken Widmann, were forced to throw downfield too often and out of their possession game.

Airplanes' safety Jay Schinderman made three fantastic breakups of Montalvo attempts to frustrate any sustained NFC drive.

Four times the Airplanes' defense took over on downs with NFC throwing on 3rd and long situations. It was the 3rd down efficiency of the Airplanes' offense and QB Matt Shea that ate up crucial clock for the winners. Higgins and other WR's Dave Howes and Andrew Curtis were excellent possession targets for Shea, who also lumbered for close to 100 yards.

Coed Volleyball

It was an exciting first week in the IM Coed Volleyball League as the expanded facilities at the Charles B. Luce Athletic Center allowed for a total of sixteen matches to be played. On Monday night, The Beast easily defeated EKP 15-6, 15-10. The Staff Spikers, a team made up of Connecticut College staff members, also had an easy go of it as they defeated Infidelity 15-3, 15-10.

In the night's only three game match, the Setters defeated Air Bounce 10-15, 15-9, 15-10. In other action Monday night, Die Hardest was victorious over Aerodynamic Monsters 16-14, 15-8, and Tatonk the Buffalo was a forfeit winner over Divine Intervention.

Unity was also a forfeit winner as the Ex-Conns were unable to make the match due to a scheduling conflict. Shazaam was an easy winner over Ichabod Crane 15-3, 15-6. And in the final match, Acocacolas was the winner over Team Deet 15-5, 15-13.

On Wednesday, Air Bounce managed to bounce back from their loss earlier in the week to defeat Divine Intervention 15-5, 15-11. Shazaam continued its winning ways as they were victorious over Aerodynamic Monsters 15-10, 15-12.

The Setters were victorious over Ichabod Crane in two game 15-6, 15-9. Acocacolas also continued their winning ways on Wednesday as they swept Infidelity 15-8, 15-7. Team Deet turned things around on Wednesday with an easy win over EKP 15-1, 15-7. Unity, Die Hardest, and The Beast were all winners by forfeit on Wednesday.

Floor Hockey

After one week of play, Hounds of Destruction and Harkness sit atop the Bisselle Division of the

Women's Floor Hockey League. In their first game of the week, Hounds of Destruction, led by Martha Buchart and Louise Brooks won a squeaker over SSS 2-0. They followed up on this victory with an easy 6-0 win on Thursday over Two-Humped Camels. Di Cupps netted a hat trick for the Hounds, while teammate Julie Alkon had two goals on the night.

On Monday, Harkness won a close contest over Two-Humped Camels 4-3. Jen Kearney led the war for Harkness with two goals and an assist on the night. In their second game of the week, Harkness had a much easier go of it as they were the easy winner of Larrabee 6-3.

Christa Holahan had two goals for Harkness, while teammate Heidi Szycher had a goal and three assists. Chris Weillhoffer, Leza Walker, and Natalie Dane netted goals for Larrabee.

In other Bisselle Division action, Quick Sticks was the easy winner over UGH by a score of 9-1. Kate Greco had five goals and one assist for Quick Sticks. Ali Mitchell had the sole goal for U.G.H.

SSS was the winner over U.G.H. by a whopping 19-1. Laura Tseng had seven goals and two assists, while teammates Jessica Schwarz and Priscilla Pizzi both added hat tricks.

In the Filler Division, Chicks with Sticks and Soccer with Sticks appear to be the teams to beat. In their first game of the week, Chicks with Sticks had little trouble as they easily disposed of Stick'em Up 4-2. Nicki Hennessey, Sarah Ball, Susan Walker, and Amy Nakamaru all tallied for the Chicks. Led by Sarah Ball's four goals and one assist, the Chicks were a 5-1 winner over Whatever in their second game. Jen Rockwell had the sole goal for Whatever.

In their only game of the week, Soccer with Sticks showed that they were a team to be reckoned with a decisive 7-1 victory over Whatever. Jen Eisenberg and Sara Ciotti each had two goals for Soccer with Sticks.

In other Filler Division action, Stick'em Up was a 4-1 winner over the puckers. Jess Fuller had two goals and two assists for Stick'em Up.

The Puckers manage to gain a split on the week as they were victorious over Rous 2-0. Tali Durant and Beth Grosman each tallied for the Puckers.

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SPORTS

Cross country closes season with success at New England's McGee leads women to best finish

By Julie Granof
Acting Sports Editor

With their best finish ever in the New England championships, the women's cross country team ended their season on a high note last Saturday at the University of Southern Maine.

Out of 38 teams, the women placed sixth, bettering their previous best finish of tenth place in 1988.

Conn ended up with 173 points only one point away from Coast Guard, the fifth place finisher, and seven points behind fourth place finisher Tufts. However, it was Bowdoin who ran away with the meet, finishing with 48 points and outscoring their closest opponent Williams by 59 points.

Once again, sophomore Katie McGee led the way for the Camels. McGee placed eighth with a time of 18:44, just 37 seconds behind the leader from Bates, Kristy Gould. By finishing in the top ten, McGee became the first runner from the women's team to qualify for National's. McGee also made the All New England Team, along with junior Jennichelle Devine, who placed 11th overall with a time of 19:03.

"I was really nervous about this race because I knew I had to finish in the top ten to qualify, but I was really excited about the race, and I was excited because our whole team ran well, not just me," McGee said of her race.

Conn did not only have individual success last Saturday, the team on the whole did much better than they did last year, as six of their runners placed higher than they did last season, while the seventh runner Zephyr Sherwin was running with an injury that she has had all season. Despite her injury, Sherwin has contributed significantly to the team throughout the year.

Coach Ned Bishop was pleased with everyone's performance last Saturday, commenting, "We had the best meet we've ever had. It was outstanding." He was also especially pleased with the way co-captain Kat Havens ran and the contributions of freshmen Meghan Clay and Hannah Copp. "Kat ran by far the best race she's run all season," Bishop said, and added, "The two freshmen had a much better impact this season than I expected." Havens finished third for Conn and 37th overall with a personal best time of 19:37, while Clay and Copp finished 45th and



File Photo: The College Voice

Women's Cross Country finished sixth in the New England Championships last Saturday.

80th with times of 19:48, and 20:31 respectively.

Conn's finish at New England's capped off what was an outstanding season for the women runners. Throughout the year, the Camels were ranked ninth in New England and with their finish last Saturday the team ends the season ranked sixth.

Next year, despite the loss of senior Havens, the team has high hopes of improving as they return their two top runners, McGee and Devine. McGee will compete in the national meet this Saturday at Saratoga Springs

The men's team placed fifteenth out of 34 teams with a score 423. ROTC runner Bob Stack finished first for the Camels placing 49th overall with a time of 27:46 about 2:20 seconds behind the leader.

Sophomore Craig Morrison and freshmen Martin Lund were the next runners to finish for Conn placing 54th and 104th respectively.

Co-captain Charles Hibbard commented, "I think we ran really well. We knew we were going up against some tough team, and we had to perform well to maintain the performance we had last year."

The Camels finished fourteenth last season at New England's, but had lost most of the top runners from last year to graduation. According to Coach Jim Butler, for Conn to drop only one place this year was quite an accomplishment.

Coach Jim Butler was also happy with the way Conn ran last Saturday. "I thought we had a nice solid effort, and I was pleased that the freshmen and sophomores ran so well," Butler said.

With only one senior on the team this year, the team did well and has a good chance of improving next season.

Hockey looks to improve this season with age and experience on its side

by Julie Granof
Acting Sports Editor

With one year already under their belts competing in the East-West Division in New England, the men's varsity ice hockey team believes they have the talent and experience to have a successful season.

Last season the Camels were competing at higher level - for the first time facing off against several division II teams and the top division III teams in New England. At the beginning of the season, Conn struggled a bit, losing eight out of their first nine games, and was outscored by their opponents 51-16 in those games.

However, in the middle of the season, the team began to hit their stride winning seven of nine games. At the end of the season, strong performances by Bowdoin, Hamilton and Williams were too

much for the Camels, who ended up with a 8-13-2 record.

This year Conn expects to improve that record as they only lost four players to graduation and return many of their key players on both offense and defense.

The team will look to co-captain Chris Hawk for leadership this season. Hawk was the MVP and leading scorer last season, netting 15 goals and adding 16 assists.

In addition to Hawk, senior Matt Hopkins and junior Rusty Stone should provide a powerful offensive punch for the Camels.

On defense, the team will be looking for solid performances from co-captain Daniel Crowley and junior Attila Kosa. Crowley's experience and leadership should be a big asset to the team, while Kosa was the leading scorer for the defensemen last year. These players will be backed up by junior Dave Santeusano and sophomore

Tom DiNanno in the goal both of whom will do a good job of keeping the puck out of the net.

According to Hopkins, the team this year has a lot of depth and all of the players are solid. "I think we have three lines of pretty equal players," Hopkins said. Other key players for the team this season include seniors Matt Cann and Ray Woishek, juniors Marty Barrett and Dustin Beaudry, and sophomores Chris Doherty and Dave Roberts.

Hopkins also commented that the key to winning games this year will be determination, hustling and solid forechecking. "I think we're going to take the body well, . . . and as long as we hustle and play with a lot of heart we should do well," he said.

Coach Doug Roberts and his team will have their first test against UMass-Boston this Friday night in Dayton Arena.



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The men's hockey team gears up for another season.

Athlete of the Week

This week's Athlete of the Week Award goes to Cross Country runner KATIE MCGEE. Last Saturday, MCGEE became the first woman to qualify for nationals in cross country when she placed eighth with a personal best time of 18:44. Her performance led the Harriers to their best finish ever at New England's, placing sixth. MCGEE will run in the nationals meet this weekend.