Hewson, Monroe and Holman Win Class Presidential Elections

by Liz Michalski
The College Voice

Elections for officers of the classes of 1989, 1990, and 1991 were held April 19th and 20th. The elections were run by Pamela Kane, '89, SGA Public Relations Director, for the 1988-89 academic year. Carla Muinnor, this year’s Public Relations Director, was a candidate for Junior Class President and, as such, could not run the election.

"The turnout could have been bigger, especially for the junior class, '90, but on the whole I was happy with it," said Kane.

For the class of 1989, 234 people voted, or 72 percent of the class. Ed Hewson won the election with 79 votes, followed closely by Zach Sampton with 72 votes. There were 176 abstentions.

Mack Aaron and Dodie Sturo were elected for SAC representatives with 132 votes. Courtney Church and Bonnie MacEwen finished second with 84 votes. There were 16 abstentions.

For the class of 1990, 268 people voted, or 61 percent. Carla Munroe, the official candidate for president, won with 183 votes. There were 23 write-ins, and 64 abstentions.

Rich Powell, the sole official candidate for treasurer, won with 186 votes. There were 5 write-ins and 77 abstentions.

Joey Benignsia and Peir Sporri are the new Judiciary Board representatives, with 143 and 131 votes respectively. John Robin received 97 votes, and Nicole Brock 53. There were two write-ins and 110 abstentions.

The class of 1990 had no official SAC candidates. Write-in candidates Jill Rezana and Claudia Marx received 54 votes. There were 170 abstentions.

For the class of 1991, 290 people voted, or 63 percent. Mary Beth Holman won the presidency with 131 votes. Kristin Martin was second with 64 votes. Other candidates were Alex Siles and John Maggiore. There were 12 write-ins for the position of president, and 14 abstentions.

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Alumnus and Policemen Speak at Connecticut College Rape Forum

by Shelley Shaffer

The College Voice

Beth Gerstein, '84, and Sergeant Daniel Nutt of the Waterford Police Department spoke at a forum on rape in Blaustein on Wednesday, April 20th. Anna Gelinas, '90, a Black Belt in Tae Kwon Do, then gave a demonstration of self-defense techniques. The workshop was organized by Rachel Reiser, '90, a student organizer for Peer Education.

Sergeant Nutt began the discussion by citing several examples of sexual killings because he said, "they all involved sexual assault," and because part of the reason the assaults were successful was that the victims were not aware.

"Awareness is the key to safety," Nutt said, and "you are responsible for your own safety."

On Connecticut College's campus, women are often not aware. Nutt said that since he had been on campus no one had been suspicious of him because he looked respectable and wore a three-piece suit.

"You look at someone in ragged clothes who's unhaven and you won't talk to him. If he's in a suit, you'll talk to him. ... The point I'm trying to make is that men in three-piece suits rape and kill. (Racists) are not all short little people in ski masks, they're people you know." Although only one out of every thousand rapists are convicted, Nutt urges victims to report rapes. "It is important to get it raped into the system," he said, "it is important that you get to record." Beth Gerstein, a Connecticut College graduate who was raped just before her senior year and who now works as a counselor at the Boston Area Rape Crisis Center, was concerned more with the emotional effects of rape. She emphasized that rape is not the woman's fault. Women often feel they might have caused a rape by their actions, their remarks or what they wore. According to Gerstein, this is not true.

"Rape is an act of violence, not of sex. Sex is one of the weapons used. The dynamics of rape are man-taken."

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Student Complains of Leaks in Plant 004

Letter to the Voice:

I am writing this letter because I am having trouble falling asleep. I am having trouble falling asleep because my roommates and I have to keep a pair of fans running all night long in the hopes of having a dry sheet by morning. Since mid-February our room has been plagued by a leak. The leak comes from the ceiling, runs down a wall and onto a door frame that connects the two rooms the four of us live in. Final drops collect, and fall onto the floor below. There are two buckets we place to attempt to collect the water. Several mornings I have woken up, grabbed in my pajamas, as I step over the buckets my foot lands in a puddle or on a damp carpet. This is not only annoying, it is unhealthy. Cold and damp, and at least one of us has been sick at one time or another since this problem started in February. Not only has the leak been costly to our health, but the carpet will have to be disposed of because of the mold and odor others have grown on it over the past two months. And for anyone who has never smelled a wet rug, let me tell you that it is a unique and grotesque smell that not only fills Plant 004 but the entire basement. The smell is so strong that some people who are passing our room is for them to grace and tell us that our room smells like the same thing that one tries to avoid stepping in and makes the grass grow green. The smell of a wet rug makes the proverbial "you know what" smell like a bed of roses.

We have made countless complaints to various authorities in the college regarding our Housefloor Plant, Dean Brown, and Resident Life. Our Housefloor and Dean Brown contacted Physical Plant. Physical Plant reground the showiers and floor, but the leak has continued. We were told by Physical Plant that if the grouting did not work, the problem would be in the plumbing. If it is in the plumbing the ceiling would have to be ripped out to reach the pipes. We were told by Residential Life that this problem is not isolated one, and that as a last resort, we would be moved out of our room. The problem has spread into the hall of Plant basement where something looks like a cross between anti-freeze and the stuff that Lineal Corp. uses to "Exorcise" has started. So far today, out of pipes along the entire length of the hall.

Our one question is, why does the college spend money on new buildings when it is obvious that the conditions of the present buildings needs to be upgraded? Connecticut College students and their families should not have to pay the same money to the College each year, and we deserve to have a clean and healthy room and environment to live in. In the future, more money should be spent for repairs on the present buildings to avoid the hassle of problems like the one I have to put up with.

Sincerely,

Paul Simpson, '91

Letter to the Voice:

As members of the graduating class of 1988, it has come to our attention that posters have been posted on the library walls, but also by the voices of many others, that our class SAC Representatives leave much to be desired in their endeavors to amuse us as our four years at Conn. come to an end.

Since September (8 months ago), there have been six events designed solely for the senior class; namely, the Firehouse Party, a class barbeque, the Progressive Party, the 100 party days party, one non-mandatory party. Drink of the month does not count as it is a club one must pay to join. The parties that have been executed (usually announced at the last minute) seem to be poorly planned. The following scenario is not unusual: a party is planned, cancelled. With the adoration. Specifically, posters go up only scheduled. Posters go up only (usually announced at the last minute). There are SAC Reps not who have not attended more than their six meetings and have not been present. We were told that the problem was in the plumbing and to place complaints with Physical Plant. Brown contacted Physical Plant regrouted the pipes. We were told by Physical Plant that if the grouting did not work, the problem would be in the plumbing. If it is in the plumbing the ceiling would have to be ripped out to reach the pipes. We were told by Residential Life that this problem is not isolated one, and that as a last resort, we would be moved out of our room. The problem has spread into the hall of Plant basement where something looks like a cross between anti-freeze and the stuff that Lineal Corp. uses to "Exorcise" has started. So far today, out of pipes along the entire length of the hall.

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Greg Long '88

Connecticut College: Divest Now

Not too long ago the whole campus was up in arms over Connecticut College's financial holdings in South African companies. After many student-concerned petitions, protests and recommendations, it appeared the College would agree to consider divestment; in reality, a grand ruse has been played upon us; virtually nothing has actually been done. The South African system, on the other hand, is still in full swing.

In February '86, the Board of Trustees consented to divest the College's holdings according to the Sullivan Principles "as rapidly as possible, consistent with the (College's) financial position and stability." The Sullivan Principles were created by human rights activist Rev. Leon H. Sullivan in 1977 to establish a voluntary code of corporate conduct, ideally aimed at ending all economic apartheid in South Africa.

In '86, the Sullivan Principles were all that was being given. Discrimination continued.

Sullivan was the speaker at Connecticut's seventh-seconday conference in '86, and acknowledged that companies accepted his code, but did nothing to combat apartheid. He called for stronger measures, and demanded that businesses in the United States completely divest by March 31, 1988.

Currently, Connecticut College ostensibly agrees with the Sullivan Principles, "the 97th resolution," in the fact that nothing is really being done. Their protest for divestment is only a much-hyped fund-raising to send a South African student to college, it simultaneously and hypocritically continues to reap a profit from the same country that allows apartheid to be an unquestioned way of life. We, like the students of Wesleyan University are currently doing by protest, must demand that the College take immediate steps of action to totally divest from South African companies.
SGA: Accused Priviledged In Whose Favor?

by Briggs Payer

Two weeks ago, tucked away in the middle of The Voice, an SGA news brief mentioned that someone (I forget who) had moved to repeal the special SGA room priority. I have no idea in what way this move was received. Whether you like it or not the 3/2 plan is coming to Connecticut College. There is no sense in which we can maintain and further nurture its fine reputation and faculty without it. At the same time, we should also face up to the fact that the 3/2 must accompany significant faculty increases and academic reform.

In May 1986, after a year long inquiry, the faculty adopted a Plan for Faculty Development which outlined the major needs for the continued development of the faculty. The completed report recommended that, among other things, the college establish a policy for increased academic support (ever wonder who else helped get the school to shut out all those Macintoshes and computerized catalogues?), the most important need was a reduction of the 3/3 teaching load to 3/2. Among its peer institutions, Connecticut College is one of the last schools with a 3/3 teaching load to 3/2. As a matter of fact, most of these schools switched to 3/2 years ago and some colleges are now even thinking of going to 3/2. While Connecticut should not switch to the 3/2 system just because "the other guys did it," this fact cannot be overlooked.

The 3/2 system makes it increasingly difficult for the college to attract top-notch professors while holding on to the old ones. Composed with its statistic low salaries Connecticut faces a damaging shortage of professors, which eventually will be reflected in the quality of education. Connecticut College professors must make up the difference in the quality of education.

At the same time many students, yourself included, have been more than a little dismayed at the high degree of difficulty in getting into popular courses. The principles of a 3/2 system would be to create a more academically active faculty by reducing six to five the standard number of courses taught each year. While there is no guarantee that this plan will not lead to a rash of tennis elbow victims or house-painters among the faculty, this reduction would, hopefully, help professors to better balance the time they spend teaching students with the time they spend educating themselves and exhibiting excellence in their chosen field. Connecticut faculty will probably not begin appearing regularly on "Nightline" or in the New York Times best seller lists. However, with a 3/2 plan the College could and should expect a new higher level of scholarship, as well as teaching, from the faculty.

In reality, it is an exaggeration to assert that the 3/2 plan will cut College courses by 1/6 across the board. Even now many faculty work under the 3/2 plan, and sometimes, due to various course remissions in addition, the plan would not effect all part-time instructors. As they have in the past, the College's faculty is now operating under a complex system of remissions and sabbaticals that does not allow such simple generalizations to be drawn. Granted, the 3/2 will not be painless; some classes will be cut and a great many others will be switched to being offered only in alternate years. Furthermore, average class size may grow and casualty rates of interested students may prove troubling to get into popular lower level courses. There are ways, however, to lessen this pain. With the more vigorous enforcement of enrollment caps, course pre-requisites, and seniority rules (who gets into a class before whom) this problem could be controlled.

Departments could also seek to further diversify class times to cut down on conflicts between classes.

To control overall damage, the College will have to face the substantial number of new full-time faculty to help departments, especially some of the smaller, maintain the integrity of their majors. Most departments do, however, have a certain degree of "fat" to trim before they are forced to cut into the meat of their offerings. To best identify this "fat," departments should use the input of students through Student Advisory Boards.

The best way to help alleviate the pain of the 3/2 plan is for the College to overhaul its advising system so that students can take advantage of the fewer and more widely alternated courses. As a part of this, departments should more actively encourage and support student participation in independent studies and honors work. One simple way to improve the advising system would be to enact SGE's recent SGA endorsed proposal of departmental catalogs. With detailed course descriptions, clearly defined Major, Minor and concentration requirements, and expensive treatment of academic regulations these catalogs would help students to plan their entire College schedule while still pursuing a diverse Liberal Arts education.

As Connecticut College's reputation and popularity continue to soar it is essential for the school to strive to exceed its reputation and build for the future. Adoption of a 3/2 plan must be considered as central to this goal since it represents the best way to spur continued faculty development.

Will Meyer is a member of the History Dept.'s Student Advisory Board.

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Focus: Women's Issues Move to Forefront

by Shelley Sothern
Production Editor

Since Connecticut College became coeducational in 1969, women on campus have felt an increasing need to re-assert themselves. This year, a new group, People Organized for Women's Rights (POWR), has begun working toward this end.

The women's studies department has assisted POWR in its endeavor, and has sought to raise awareness of women's contributions to society by increasing the number of women's studies courses and encouraging professors in other departments to include more information about women in their classes.

POWR began last September with one long-term and three short-term goals, two of which have been, or are in the process of becoming, realized. First, they hoped to get a comprehensive sexual harassment policy in the Connecticut College student, faculty, and staff handbooks. Currently, the only sexual harassment code is a parenthetical statement incorporated into the college's discrimination code. According to Dean King, "it is so general it really says nothing more than ‘don't do it.’" Furthermore, students who had been sexually harassed " didn't know where to go," said Betty Correll, "88, a member of POWR. Problems were loosely handled through a Dean's grievance committee. To solve this problem, POWR investigated other schools' sexual harassment policies, and adapted one university's questionnaire for use on this campus. According to psychology professor Jane Torrey, a questionnaire was needed because "the administration refused to institute a policy or survey proves necessary."

Now that the questionnaire in being tabulated, and it is clear to the administration that sexual harassment does exist on campus, POWR feels it has accomplished its first goal.

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Boyd Reads Her Own Works
Blanche McCray Boyd, Connecticut College's own writer-in-residence, will read her works of fiction on Tuesday night, April 26th, at 8:00 p.m. at the Lyman Hall Museum.

Boyd recently received a fiction fellowship grant from the National Endowment for the Arts. This entitles her to a twenty thousand dollar support grant in order to write fiction. In addition to these books, numerous articles and essays printed in national magazines, she is also a staff writer for the Village Voice.

On Tuesday night, Boyd will read a short story entitled "Tarzan and Jane." Following the reading of an additional piece, she will join in a discussion about fiction. This reading is part of the continuing faculty-at-work series at Connecticut College.
FEATURES

"Mr. Food" Adds Spice and Serves It Up Hot

by Jon Shambroom
The College Voice

Matt Fay, who replaced Marjane Geiger at the Director of Residence and Dining Halls, is a captain in the true sense of the word. As his co-workers pointed out, he is both a leader and a member of the team, a gourmet chef and a busboy, who is not afraid to get his hands dirty. Students who have seen him carrying trays and washing dishes know this to be true. Aside from actively participating, Matt oversees every aspect of our food system, including all the catering.

His philosophy is "Keep on serving them fun, don't be predictable," and he described himself as "aggressively creative." The results have been many original innovations, such as the rice bowls in the K.B. Deli, Cajun night, lobster night, and the Super Bowl Sunday ice cream festival, an all-you-can-eat, make-your-own sundae bonanza featuring Haagen-Dazzle, Ben & Jerry's, Steve's, Penguinio Gelato, and Emack & Bolio's.

The napkin/feedback bulletin boards are another conception of Matt's which satisfied Cornell's student and faculty's hunger for communication. Matt and staff are impressively diligent in this, answering every serious nutritional concerns to the Dear Abby napkins.

Matt's involvement with food began at Cornell University, where he entered the school of Arts and Sciences. Three days before classes even met, Matt was working with the food service. Matt transferred into the Hotel Management School, enabling him to open classes for the Cornell food service. It was there that Matt met his wife, a fellow student employee, and at the same time "became addicted to the field."

After graduating from Cornell, Matt managed five different Friendly's in Massachusetts and Connecticut, a Mexican Restaurant in Charlottesville, North Carolina. He then entered the collegiate scene profession-ally at the University of Virginia. In the Fall of 1985 Matt came to Connecticut and brought with him a pop-up version of Hawaiian ideas of which we have only had a sample. Matt has indicated that "while we have accomplished a great deal, there is still a lot more to be done."

When asked how he felt about his campus wide nicknames, "Mr. Food" and "Captain Food," Matt responded with a smile, "Oooh it's so good." He then laughed and further stressed the importance of hands on and the ability to laugh at oneself. For instance, when the food service spent two days preparing the Christmas meal and students still asked for cereal, Matt gave it freely, laughing. He pointed out that "no two appetites are given by man and 1650 aren't even close." Underneath it all, Matt just loves food, which he openly admits.

Matt Fay

Landscape of the Body
A Dramatic Success

by Shelley Stehr
Production Editor

The Connecticut College theater department and Theater One presented John Guare's Landscape of the Body on April 14, 15, and 16 in Palmer Auditorium. Because of Guare's beat modem style, the show met the challenge so brilliantly and produced an outstanding show.

Michael Schenan directed this difficult play and staged it well enough to make Guare's flashbacks and bizarre time sequences work. The only fault I found was that the actors didn't play to the entire audience. Chairs were placed three-quarters around the stage and characters often had their backs to the two side wings. Still, to perform nearly in the round is tough, and the cast handled it relatively well.

I was worried the acting wouldn't match the quality of the play, but Landscape's cast did an extraordinarily good job. Often, bit parts are not well cast, and this can ruin an otherwise good play, but Landscape's entire cast was chosen well and performed professionally, giving life to even the smallest of characters. This is important especially in Guare's plays, where his parts are necessary to make the whole of the play work. Particularly good were Andrea Goren as the Cuban, Raulito; Kate Churchill as Margie; and Kieran Murphy as Darwood Peach. The humor these characters put into Guare's pataphysical world was pathos more effective, as Guare intended.

...In the more prominent roles, Andy Wang was wonderful as the son, Bert. By Andy's performance the audience could hardly tell he was only acting, and was not really a troubled fourteen-year-old, deserted first by his father and later by his mother, Tom Lemoy's Captain Marvin Holahan was believable and interesting as well.

The only problems I saw in the actors were very small ones in the characters of Betty and her sister Rosalie, played by Stefanie Zadrave and Ondine Appel. Ondine was good in every respect except that her accent didn't match her character. Granted, Rosalie was dead, and so her snarky nightclub manner of speaking worked most of the time, but during the few flashbacks she took part in, her accent should have been either New York or Maine, or a combination of the two.

Stefanie's Betty also lacked the believability a good accent might have provided. Furthermore, Stefanie tended toward sometimes over-acting and sometimes under-acting. Generally she performed competently, but the importance of her character merceeded an actor who was more than simply "competent." While Stefanie handled some scenes very well, crew as one where she stands center stage and is stripped of her dress, some of Betty's monologues, which were crucial to the impact of the play, were weakened by Stefanie's inability to make them believable.

Though the set was simple, in its very simplicity contributed largely to the effectiveness of the performance, as did Cat Goodwin's lighting design. Despite my minor grievances, I thought Landscape of the Body was a success, and both cast and crew should be proud of their accomplishment.

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Waterford's Crystal Mall: Shoplifting Haven for Area's Drug Addicts

by Nancy Grukin
New London Focus Editor

"$3,000 or $4,000 a day is stolen from the Crystal Mall, and at least 90 percent of the shoplifting complaints are drug-related," said Waterford Police Department Sgt. Jim Flannagan.

Prior to the completion of the Crystal Mall in 1985, very few Waterford Policemen came in contact with "hard-core" drug addicts: addicts who use such drugs as heroin and cocaine. Since 1985, the Waterford Police Department has arrested thousands of shoplifters at the mall who steal goods to sell in return for drugs.

"The thing with the Crystal Mall is that it's a big complex of stores. There are about 160 stores, so it's very easy to go in and get lost in the crowd," said Flannagan. He also added that most of these drug-related shoplifters are committed by professional shoplifters from as far away as Massachusetts or New York.

According to Flannagan, there are two main kinds of shoplifting scams. The first involves a number of people working as a group to steal the goods. The first group goes into the store and memorizes the general layout of the store and its merchandise.

"This group comes back and reports to the people running the scam who then say, for example, 'Get me ten leather coats,'" said Flannagan. "Then the group lifts the goods and brings them back to the runners and they'll get a predetermined value for the goods."

The second type of scam involves independent drug addicts who go into a store, lift the goods, and then sell them for drugs. "They'll take the goods to different locations, either in New London or Hartford, and they'll sell them usually not for money, but directly for drugs. So there's no money transaction between the addict and the buyer," said Flannagan.

Flannagan emphasized that the problem is actually much larger than the statistics he has available. "We're only touching the tip of the iceberg of what actually walks out of the Crystal Mall each day. We only know a minute value of the amount of dollars that actually walk out the door," said Flannagan.

"The drug addict really doesn't care if he gets caught, because the system has a tendency not to want to incarcerate. The jails are overcrowded, and shoplifting is really a petty crime," added Flannagan.

Convicted shoplifters, even if they confess to also being drug addicts, do not get punished very severely. "If they've been caught enough times, they probably get a maximum of a year jail sentence, and then they're back on the street," said Flannagan.

Flannagan also added that these addicts will never give information about their suppliers or where they are trading the goods for drugs. "They'll give you a few songs and a dance, but they'll promise you the world. But as soon as they get a hit or they know that they're not going to get locked up, that's the last you hear of them," said Flannagan.

Flannagan felt this area was especially susceptible to drug problems because of its prime location in the middle of the route to such major cities as Boston and New York.

Sgt. Flannagan ended with a grim forecast for the area's drug-related crime problem. "As long as New London's there, there's going to be drug addicts and when there's drug addicts there's going to be crime," said Flannagan.
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May need "Sense of Judgement"

Rape Victim Says Women
Need 'Sense of Judgement'

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said Gerstein. "Men feel like rape is.
It feels like harassment. It is.
Women experience numerous types of intrusions (harrassments),
daily, and rape is the extreme ex-
pression of this sexist behavior.
For this reason, Beth advises
women to examine their own sex-
ual limits, and to make these limits
known to others. If others do not
heed them, this is harrassment, and
could lead to rape. The problem is
that "men tend to make women feel
guilty for having limits."

Although Anna Gelinas pro-
vided an entertaining demonstra-
tion of self-defense, she said, "you
can't leave here with the idea [that]
you can do that." There are some
basic things a woman may do to pro-
protect herself, but "it's best to
avoid that kind of situation." Geli-
ñas feels that a woman's voice is
her best means of defense, or
maybe a loud whistle.

Sergeant Carty elaborated on
Anna's remarks about defense. He
said that as woman should not carry
a weapon unless she not only knows
how to use it, but is also emotion-
ally prepared to use it correctly.
The same rules apply to physical re-
sistance.

He provided some graphic ex-
amples to illustrate his point: "A
woman may put her hands on [a
rapist's] face like she's going to
crush him and then push her
thumbs up into his eyes. Then a
rape has been stopped. But are you
prepared to gouge someone's eyes
out? Or shes might grab his testicles
and that's very difficult to deter-
mine in a crisis situation.

There is no easy solution to rape;
all three ears a on this.

The best someone may do is to be
aware of potentially dangerous
situations, and to try to avoid them.

Bells Gerstein '84
Even screaming, Nuts feels may be
hazardous. "If you're in the
middle of the green at two in the
morning, probably no one is go-
ing to hear you. [The rapist] thinks,"Either I silence her, or I get
cought," and [he'll] probably
choose to silence you." Nuts con-
cluded, "You have to know how
dedicated you are [to the fight] and
how dedicated he is [to raping you],
and that's very difficult to deter-
mine in a crisis situation.

There is no easy solution to rape,
all three speakers agreed on this.

NEWS

Bottum Calls New SGA Executive
Board 'Hard-Working'

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Bottum believes that next year
will be productive. "The SGA
Executive Board is a good group
of hard-working, quality people." Calamita echoed Bottum's
enthusiasm, "I really looking for-
ward to working with Sam and the
rest of the board."

Blair Taylor, SGA Vice Presi-
dent, was unavailable for comment.

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said Gerstein. "Women experience
rape as the most common forms of sexual
assault. They also cause the greatest
emotional trauma. "Sense of
judgement is in question," said
Gerstein, "The woman asks her-
self 'How could I not know this was
happening?' Yet it is never
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happening?' Yet it is never

Women also question whether
whether they've really been raped. Accord-
ing to Ford, "The students have been getting outside
of the community, and the dedica-
tion the students have made this rally special and
will hopefully accomplish more."

According to Ford the administra-
tion has been co-operative.

Although the numbers of pro-
testers have not been large, there have been consistently 200 to 500
people throughout the week.
The event has been covered in the New
York Times, as well as many local
papers and television stations
which all help to boost public sup-
port. According to Ford, \"We are
not going anywhere until we feel
concrete steps have been taken
towards divestment and if that
means waiting here until the vote...

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Fearing 'Infection' From the West, China Orders Students Home

PATRICIA ZACHAR

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The official added fewer Chinese students would be allowed to study in the U.S. in the future. About 9,000 first-time students enrolled in U.S. classes this year.

The official also cited a January, 1987, petition signed by 1,000 Chinese students in the U.S. as a reason the Chinese government felt they would lose with the end of the football program in 1988.

"It is quite vital that we not lose the forty or so students that we have," said Taft President Harold Yiannaki.

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Although troubled as a child, Zorro, as is well known, ultimately found his niche in history.
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INTRAMURAL UPDATE

by Karen N. Xanthos

INDOOR SOCCER: Knowlton won two games this week, raising its league-leading record to 3-0. The Zipperheads in Division A are close behind with a record of 2-0.

Last Sunday, Knowlton shut out Abbey 5-4, and later that week, crushed Groove-Art & Guitars (1-1) by the score of 7-2. Enrique Badaracco, '90, scored seven goals and had two assists for Knowlton in the two games. The Zipperheads defeated the barking Tree Spiders 4-2. The game winner was netted by sophomore Liam Russell.

After losing to Knowlton, Abbey bounced back and trounced Then & Now Marshall 8-3. Ted Liang, '88, led the winners with four goals and two assists. Abbey's record is now 1-2.

The Track Team, leading Division B with a record of 1-0, were idle last week.

SOFTBALL: BTS (3-0) and the Brewers (3-0), of the National and American League, respectively, increased their divisional leads by winning this past weekend.

BTS crushed The Balls (0-3) by the score of 5-1, behind the power hitting of Bert Lafferter, '89, and Greg Long, '88.

The Brewers swept a doubleheader against walkers Talkers (1-2) and The Larry's (1-2). Co-captain Bill Brewer, '89, went 12 for 12 on the day for the winners.

In the American League, Knowlton and the Alumni are not far behind the Brewers. Both teams were winners this past weekend, and have 2-1 marks.

Behind the power hitting of Mark Doo-kingue, '91, Knowlton edged The Larry's in its night's righting, 13-12.

The Alumni swept a doubleheader from Abbey and the Balls. Leading the Alumni was the clutch hitting of graduate student Don Cork. ***

B-LEAGUE BASKETBALL: The Northern Conference is still led by the undefeated Marshall and Faculty teams.

When asked what was the secret to Marshall's success, several Marshall players agreed that they don't know. They said they are continuing to surprise themselves. David Bradley answered the same question for the faculty All-Stars.

"It's teamwork," Bradley said. "Teamwork and unselfish play.

The Faculty victories last week came over the Terminators (3-1) 45-41, and the Pe's (0-5) 53-48. The Bradley brothers (Michael and David) each chipped in 11 and 14, respectively. Against Burdick, Gil Tantico, '90, led the victors with 14 points.

The B-Team is currently in third place in the division with a 4-1 record. Rich Munson, '89, continued to pace the B-Team's attack.

The Southern Conference is led by Reagan Youth and the Hockey Team both 4-1. Reagan Youth won two games this week by forfeit, while the Hockey Team split a pair.

The Hockey team was victorious over the Running Week's (1-4) 46-41. Junior Mike Moccia scored 16 points for the winners. The Hockey Team's loss came at the hands of the Asphalts (4-1) 49-41. Moccia, in a losing effort, led the team with 12 points.

The Terminators, led by three-point artist Bob Bliven are right behind the leaders with a record of 3-2.

"Teamwork and a balanced attack help us win," Bliven said.

INTRAMURAL PLAYERS OF THE WEEK:

In basketball, Rich Munson led the B-Team with 42 points this week, keeping the team in the playoff race in the Northern Conference.

In softball, Bill Brewer, '89, led the Brewers with a 12-for-12 showdown in a doubleheader against The Balls. In the Larry's game, keeping his team atop the American League.

In indoor soccer, Enrique Badaracco, '90, scored seven goals and had two assists this week in two Knowlton wins. He leads the league in scoring with eight goals and three assists.

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Women's Lacrosse Battles Snow, Bates, Wesleyan
by Beth McKiernan
The College Voice
Women's Lacrosse
The Connecticut College Women's Lacrosse Team learned a new meaning of the phrase "Aigel Sunday" last weekend (4/16-17) after traveling all the way to Maine to play Bates and Colby, only to find snow covering the field, making play impossible.
CONN faced Bates on Wednesday at Wellesley (a midpoint between the two schools) for the re-scheduled match, and came right back on Thursday to battle Wesleyan at home. Despite a 9-5 loss to Bates, Coach Amy Campbell saw some bright spots in the game.
"We played well in the first half, and at the end of the game we played super lacrosse," Campbell said. "But we had some mental lapses and were on automatic pilot rather than being intense. During those periods, Bates played better."
Junior defense players, Jennifer Fulcher, agreed with Campbell's assessment of the game's highs and lows interm terms of team performance, but Fulcher also said that the team had an "amazing comeback" from 0-3 at the end of the game.
The Camels scoring punch came from senior co-captains Holly Reiman and Robin Legge, with three and two goals respectively.
The following day on its home field, the CONN squad was not to be denied. The lead flipped back and forth between Wesleyan and CONN for most of the game. The Camels held the lead in the final minutes of the game, but with 36 seconds left in regulation time, Wesleyan scored to knot the score at nine.
Lorraine White, '91, scored one of her three goals early in the first of two overtime periods. Then, freshman scoring sensation, Eva Cahalan took over; tallying two of her four goals in the overtime periods. CONN went on to capture the victory with a final score of 12-11.

Men's Track & Field Bows to Rivals Finishes Third Behind Trinity, Williams
by Beth McKiernan
The Connecticut College Men's Track & Field Team faced NESCAC rivals, Trinity College and Williams College, last Saturday (4/16). Trinity won the meet with 106 1/2 points, and Williams edged out CONN for second place (44 to 41 1/2).
Neither Coach Ed Migthin nor the team, however, were disappointed with the outcome, for at this same meet last year, the Camels compiled just nine points.
"We got off to a good start and just kept going," Migthin said. "We got [the] Fitchburg [men] and our system, and now we are looking to continue where we left off."
Indeed, the Camels "kept going" throughout the day's events, recording many personal bests and new CONN records.
Junior Ed Howson led the team's scoring by placing in all four of his events. He finished second in the pole vault, placing a new CONN record (11'10"). He then placed third in the high hurdles (37.59), in the 400 meter intermediate hurdles (51.28), and in the triple jump (39'1 1/2').
Migthin was very impressed with Howson's performance. "Ed [Howson] does so many things," Migthin said, "and Saturday, they all came together for him."
Things also came together for teammate Scott Cave, '91, who placed second in the high jump (6'7 1/2''), and set a new CONN record, surpassing the old one by a full two inches.
"Scott's [Cave's] performance was probably the most amazing to me," Migthin said. "For a white, he had a mental block which prohibited him from clearing anything over 6 foot. Add one more inch, and he will qualify for the New England Championships."
Another, hopeful for the New England's is junior Hal Pratt, who maintained third place finishes in both the 400 meter run (51.1) and the 200 meter dash (23.93). With his time in the 400 meter, Pratt also broke the school record by knocking 1.1 seconds off of sophomore Andrew Donaldson's time.
"This is the first time that he [Pratt] has run the 400 meters this season," Migthin said, "and he really did not practice for it.
Throwers John Kwesler, '91, and Terry Fracassa, '89, shattered some of their own CONN records. Kwesler set the discus down at 108'8", adding 5'8" to his old record. Fracassa threw the shot put 56', adding 4' to his old record.
The only first place finish for the Camels was captured by the 4x400 meter relay squad of Pratt, Ted Liang, '89, Donaldson, and Dan Harwick, '90, with a time of 3:35.

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Men's Lacrosse Team Falls to Tufts Jumbos
by Jay Brown & Jeff Durman
The Connecticut College Men's Lacrosse Team travelled to Medford, Mass. to square against of the Jumbos of Tufts University last Thursday. The Camels fought hard, but were on the losing end of a 12-8 score. CONN's record fell to 1-4. The Camels once again have a hard time getting off the bus, falling behind 4-0 early in the first quarter. As has been the case in previous matches, CONN worked in way back to make the score 5-4 at halftime.
The two teams exchanged goals late in the second half. Midway through the fourth quarter, CONN found themselves trailing only 9-8. From there, however, the Jumbos locked the game with three unanswered goals. They [Tufts] capitalized on their opportunities," Coach Fran Shields said.
The Camels' attack came to life, led by Junior Jamie Worrell, who had four goals on eight shots.

Rick Mack, '91, added two goals and two assists while Tom Gaetly, '91, and Ed DeLong, '90, each tallied once. Despite the loss, Shields was pleased with the team's progress. "This is by far the best game we've played," he said.
CONN plays two home games this week, Wednesday against Hamilton, and Saturday against Nichols. Last weekend's snowed out games against Bates and Colby will be rescheduled for later in the season.

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Women's Track & Field Team Breaks More Personal Records

by Nancy Sorterup
The College Voice

Despite a valiant effort, the Connecticut College Women's Track and Field team finished third in their season opener meet with Trinity and Williams last Saturday (4/16). CONN battled with Trinity for second place throughout the meet, until deciding one mile relay at the end of the meet.

With two events to go, CONN was ahead by three points, having won the triple jump, but Trinity bounced back, and won the next event to make the last relay the deciding factor.

"We ran a good relay, with the four best people we had," Coach Ned Bishop said. "We tried as hard as we could."

Despite the loss, Bishop was pleased with his team's performance.

"I am not particularly disappointed. Sure, we wanted to win, but I am very, very happy with the performances. We did everything we possibly could do. They [the CONN runners] all put out their best efforts and that was reflected in the performances. A lot of people did not just do better, but [did] considerably better."

19 personal bests were set and two CONN Records were broken as the team responded to the challenge posed by Trinity.

Pushing for the first time, co-captain Kathy Grinnell, "89, re-
aeted by winning the hammer, dis-
cus and shotput the first time she has put all three events in the same meet.

Grinnell broke her own CONN records in both the hammer (139.5") and the shot put (30.5"). She won the hammer throw by an untouchable 44 feet, and came from behind on her last throw to beat Trinity's thrower in the shot put.

"She [Grinnell] knew how important it was, and that we needed the points. She was really pumped for us," Bishop said. "She's the premier young lady is a situation like that. She has the confidence and has been through it over and over." While Grinnell has consistently dominated her events this season, there were two surprises at the meet turned in by freshmen, coming seriously in their events for the first time.

Allison Ivey, who competed for the first time in the triple jump in the team's unofficial meet April 13, jumped a foot further in the Williams meet, and placed second in the event. After a single week of competing, she is only one and a half inches off the ECAC qualifying distance.

In the meet, she also qualified, with Caroline Poole, '91, for ECAC's in the high jump.

"If we had to single out one person who had a really good meet, it would be Tracy," Bishop said.

"She was second in the 1500, only one second off her best on a very good track. If she had been on a fast track, she would have easily gotten her best."

"She was third in the 800 with a best time. She ran the one mile relay and kept us in it through the first leg. And, of course, she threw the javelin. She had four really good events. To do that many events that well is a very hard thing to do."}

Men's Tennis Team Splits Two in Snowy Maine

by Eric Stover
Associated Sports Writer

Last Saturday (4/16) in Maine, the Connecticut College Men's Tennis Team beat Colby, 7-2. But CONN was unable to beat Mother Nature, who served eight inches of snow and forced their match indoors to an unfamiliar surface, where they lost to Bates on Sunday (4/17).

"I don't like to make excuses," Coach Tom Perrault said, "but we went from a slow surface at Colby to a fast one against Bates, and they just beat us."

The match at Bates ended 6-3.

What surprised Perrault especially was that Bates swept CONN in doubles, something the coach had thought impossible.

"That was quite a feat," I once told the guys that thu no school would ever sweep us in doubles because our double team was too strong. I suppose that was a mistake."

The Camels' overall record now stands at eight wins and two losses, having beaten both Fairfield and Holy Cross by identical 8-1 scores last week.

The latest rankings have not yet been released, but having lost to Bates, CONN may slip down. Going up to Maine, the Camels were ranked second in New England and 21st in the nation. A victory against the formidable Brandeis squad on Tuesday (4/26) may allow CONN to keep that top spot. Perrault and his Camels, anchored by Tom Price, '88, and Tim Smith, '90, are now beginning to think about the NESCAC post-season tournament.

"We're optimistic," Perrault said. "It'll probably come down to Bates and us, and I think Bates would have to be the favorite."

"We really want to win it this year. I'm losing a lot of players at the end of this season, so we're probably not going to have this caliber team for a long time."

Freshmen Rowers Lead Men's Crew Teamat Williams College Regatta

by Nick Roosevelt
The College Voice

On Saturday, April 16, the Connecticut College Men's Crew Team raced against Williams and the Worcester Polytechnic Institute on Lake Quinsigamond. Worcester, Mass. The water was uncertain-
ably rough, and the times were all five to 10 seconds slow on a course that is usually very accurate.

The Freshmen 8 (Eric Freeman, Paul Ewing, Mike Mahoney, Nat Cabot, Rob Weaver, Evan Lewis, Greg Anderson, Dave Allen, and cos, Kristin Nuss) won its race handily with a time of 6:21 over Williams (6:46) and WPI (6:49).

While the [Freshmen 8] continued to develop according to schedule they should have a legit-
imate chance of winning the New England (on May 7) and the Dad Vail National Championships (on May 13 and 14)," Coach Bob Gilbert said.

The Varsity Heavy 4 (seniors Chris Young, Spencer Knight, Ted Wilgis, Nick Roosevelt, and Cox Vic DeDavid), with a time of 7:05, lost to Williams boats, that proved to be better than expected. CONN's very fast boat, Bucknell, CONN's Lightweight 4, and WPI.

Gillette has high expectations for the heavy 4 and said that they "have not yet gelled," but that the rowers "have identified a few prob-
lems in the boat, and I feel we are making progress. This week's ef-
fort was clearly better than last week's, but also clearly not good enough."


Though the boat is made up of experienced and inexperienced rowers, and does not practice to-
gether much, CONN made a big move late in the race, but ran out of time. Gillette was satisfied with the guys' effort as a sign of it's being slightly improved.

The Varsity 8 (Young, Wilgis, Dave Ewing, '89, Weaver, Ande-
son, Allen, Knight, Roosevelt, and cox Sarah Tubs, '88) a boat that, like the lightweight 8, does not practice together, lost to the Wil-
lights 8, which is a "bonafide Var-
sity" in Gillette's words, by seven seconds and to WPI by one half of a second.

CONN was ahead of WPI at the half-way point, but a powerhouse wake hit the crews and WPI recovered more quickly and took a long lead (about three seconds). CONN made up the difference but WPI held on to the end to claim second by a couple of feet.

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