De Simone Speaks at College Seminar

Attorney General De Simone

The only member of the '68 Republican slate to survive the devastating effect of Humphrey's '68 landslide, Herbert DeSimone, addressed Professor Lee Verandan's political science seminar on December 18. As Rhode Island Republicans regroup, the Himalight can very easily fall on the Attorney General. In fact, considerable speculation has been spent analyzing the possibility of his candidacy for Governor in 1970.

Mr. DeSimone was grilled extensively by the twenty seminar students. Questions ranged from his future plans to the prospect of a new constitutional convention. When asked specifically if he held any aspirations for the Governor's chair, he successfully evaded a precise answer. He assured us that his primary concern during the next two years would be his official responsibilities in the office of Attorney General. But he did mention that very few politicians harbor hopes of remaining stagnant.

The Attorney General viewed the major issues in his campaign against A. J. Brosco, as: 1) the position on law and order, 2) his own record of prosecutions during the last two years, 3) his reputation, 4) his possession of a full-time advertising agency, 5) the legislative programs he introduced. Asked to isolate the major issues, he selected law and order.

I find it very difficult to agree with Mr. DeSimone's evaluation of the primary issues in his campaign. Both DeSimone and Brosco supported law and order, thus making it difficult to establish divergent opinions.

There was no conflict on this issue.
EDITORIAL

(The members of the Editorial Board thought Mr. Roderick's article important enough to be used as an editorial even though he is not an editor.)

My first reaction to the Chicago disorders was one of shame and shock that America and the world must witness another disaster in 1968. I believe the most shameful aspect of these disorders is that the fact that has been overlooked is the ceaseless and irrefragable acts of violence that have not faced any disciplinary action.

Certainly everyone will agree that the conditions facing Chicago's police force were more than extreme but the majority of policemen acted responsibly. Demonstrators did come to Chicago for a purpose and this is a subject we've let fall by the wayside. They came to Chicago to disrupt the Democratic National Convention, and disrupt they did. Another issue which must be kept in mind while giving an armchair evaluation is that they did provoke as much as the police force pursued. There are no accounts of flowers or love beads shown at the officers. Obviously, the people can be considered mild), rocks, sticks, bottles, matches, knives and even human feces were hurled at police. Any individual, under superior training conditions, cannot put up with these abuses to humanity. Can we honestly expect policemen to continue in an orderly manner? I do believe that the whole situation went out of hand -- but not just on the side of policemen. There were orderly protesters and orderly policemen. There were groups attacking demonstrators and there were club-wielding policemen attacking innocent bystanders and newsmen.

I might interject here that some newsmen had come to town to cover them what they received. It was long overdue for the editor of The Quill and some other to let the editor of the paper know that we were more concerned with the abuse of this right either by and cut right or mistake.

I'm sure the editor didn't realize the various meanings and implications that were derived from the caption, For this reason the suggestion was made that more than one person be responsible for the content of the printed material. This I feel will help allocate any repercussions of the events that happened.

There were many hostile and mixed feelings towards the editor, and if Mr. Waldman was bullied, I wish to apologize. I think he was more than the victim of tension and prejudice placed on the Black Men" by the white racist society in which we live.

For over three hundred years we "Black Men" have been denied our rights. We have been the recipients of humiliation from the time the Dutch were here, to our last agonizing breath. Mr. Waldman faced humiliation for only one long agonizing day; I wish "Black People" could say the same.

H. RODERICK

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Dear editor,

I would like to correct an answer you gave to C.G. in your last edition regarding the counseling operation. You stated that the majority of students seeking counseling were seeking help in the reason for the limited office hours. I believe you perhaps I could accept my varied this is that you don't have two counselors. The count is more or less based on counseling hours, but is also involved in Orientation, Registration and Admissions. I just received business cards reading: Ju. A. Ryder, Admissions Counselor, etc. At present, besides counseling duties I am "Admissions Counselor" and teach 2 different courses at the college plus an adult education course for the College's Headstart Program. My counseling load averages 20-25 per week in addition to classes conferencing, an additional 10 to 15 a day, training them when they try to make an appointment or have only 30 minutes to the door. And this is only the beginning. Mr. Doherty has not apologized until Broad St. I can't speak for Doherty ... I never see him anymore.

-- J.R.

Dear editor,

Before the episode that happened on December 18, between The Quill and some members of the Afro Society, passes out of everyone's memory. It's gone. A lot of people has been undermined by someone. And, as, a former advisor to The Quill and I am in the force of any such pressure. The first amendment to the U.S. Constitution, which guarantees freedom of the press (among other freedoms), shall not be held to be a "prior restraint on publication," is that the problem was not due to the quality of the argument. A general lack of support from the school and community, the is the reason that the problem was so well received by the students at Roger Williams. Our freedom was being trampled upon, ceasing to believe that our political system is fair and capable of protecting even the smallest of voter's rights. The policies which are being implemented in the world today have weakened the idea of democracy, and I do not feel that we are free to say, "I have no..."

Robert Neil Waldman

Retraction

In the last issue of The Quill, (12/18/68) a picture appeared that caused quite a bit of controver-

sery. I apologize to all parties concerned who found offense in the caption which appeared under the picture. The caption was one that could have been interpreted in many ways, which I failed to see, and overlooked.

The caption under the picture of Miss Helen Wright, the new Business Manager, Mr. Robert Boltu-

ton reads as follows: "I read Len-

Ty's question on interracial marriage, and I still say that bliss puts.

The mistake that occurred on my part was that I did not realize that students weren't sure what words they were supposed to be, and who the caption was referring to. Therefore, it is my duty as editor of The Quill, and the person responsible for editing this caption, to bring up the matter by stating what was actually meant.

In the first place the words were intended to be spoken by Mr. Washington to Miss Spinard. They were supposed to be said by Mr. Washington. January 1968, saying the following: "I read Len-

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terracial marriage in the latest edi-
tion of The Quill, (12/2/68) and Leroy had a lot of courage to come out in obvious support of the sub-
ject rather than non-support of it. By a poor choice of words in some respect I realize now how it could be misleading. For this I apologize.

Robert Neil Waldman

Many of us are not satisfied with conditions at RWC. We agree with Leroy that as soon as class is out, or we sit, or we take a walk to get away from the class.

This implies that you are unhappy here. If you are unhappy anywhere you belong here. If you want to be happy there is something that you want to change them to support others who want some change.

I want changes. I need your support. I will be, as always am, available to talk. I will not talk. View to me - if we wait it will be too late.

Marty Rosenberg

President

FREE PERIOD IN SPRING?

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quired their nationwide influence. In fact, if we assume that the Afro Society members were justified in their personal feelings about the picture and its caption, they would have been right in saying that the picture was only a result of their feelings benef-

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Peter Potter

Harold M. Melts, Afro Student Society

Based on the campus issue, it is my belief that the recent elec-
tion of Judge Frank Licht to the state's highest office, is the result of the old election system and the recent movement of the "Black community" under silence.

Let's examine the campaign. Both candidates were stated in re-

gard to the additional funds needed by Rhode Island. Mr. Chafee, per-

haps, could have been more honest and open about the state's financial situation. Mr. Licht guaranteed no income tax, would be the fairest and most open candidate as far as we are concerned. The other candidate was Mr. Licht.

During his campaign, Governor Licht guaranteed no income tax and no increase in the sales tax. However, an inauguration Day, Gov-

ernor Licht stated that his investment tax would prove to be inde-

pendent of the new tax on inheritances.

I am a political scientist. My thesis for this year is "Minority Theology in Political Science." The purpose of this thesis is to change the image that the political scientist is a man who knows the words of "King Prefnley, the teacher, has a fool for a student.

What is the direction of the American political system? The belief in the American idea was clearly brought out in the sincerity of its motives. The belief is that we are on the way to a mass murder and despair about our political system. What Senator McCarthy stood for was the declaration that the American system of party government shall not be held to be a fraud and a deception, that it is a valid way by which the mass of our people can redress their grievances, can express their will, and can participate in the government of the nation. Being a political scientist, I sometimes ask myself what is happening to our political system. The credibility gap consists of a kaleidoscope of showpiece. The American political system is being so managed and handled that no one has not yet settled down into complacency and cynicism, are outraged and are coming to believe that our political system is ominous and unmeaning.

How the voter reacted to Senator McCarthy: From the New Hampshire primary to the West Virginia primary the McCar-

thy movement1 seemed content to keep up a drumfire of radio ads warning the voters that "the Communists in Vietnam are watching the New Hamp-

shire primaries, and if the Communists are still watching for a presidential inauguration..."

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briefly answer that question. The profits were used in college as well as the community. We were very pleased to make a Christmas food basket for a family in the Hartford area, and why should I pledge for 2400

New Sorority Helps Needy

by Linda Correale

For the past few months a group of girls have been working diligently on the establishment of RWC's newest sorority, Alpha Epilon. In order to raise money, the girls get together and bake for a cake sale that was held at the Garden City Almacs. The profits were used to make a Christmas food basket for a family in the Hartford Park Project.

Delivering this basket was one of the most rewarding experiences the girls have ever taken part in. As a sister, I can speak on behalf of saying that the look on the children's faces, and the gratitude in their parents' eyes, was priceless. Their warmth and holiday spirit, in spite of their extreme poverty, made us proud to be part of the effort. To express their appreciation, the family presented us with a poem written and signed by the entire family.

With the feeling inside us now, there is a great need for more people who care, and want to become close through their efforts. We hope to continue activities such as this, as well as our social functions. Any girl who shares these feelings, and thinks she would find it worthwhile giving of herself through this organization, is urged to contact any sister of Alpha Epilon. Your interest will be welcomed.

The International Relations Club

by W. J. Hoffman

The Roger Williams College International Relations Club was formed just recently. The Chapter President, Trevor Kirschke is serving as president of the Rhode Island State IRC. In this coordinating capacity, he oversees the activities of the IRC at Brown, Providence College, and Rhode Island College. His enthusiasm and past experience encouraged him to create a Chapter at Roger Williams College.

The club is designed to inform students on international affairs. As its first function, the club sponsored the appearance of Senator Claiborne Pell. The appearance was perfectly timed as conditions were discussed concerning the Soviet occupation of Czechoslovakia. The IRC, like the politics club, will continue to present speakers knowledgeable about international affairs.

The recent formation of this group is a positive step for the students of this college. Your participation in this group is invited. The Roger Williams College IRC is designed to serve your interest in international affairs; inform your coordinators of your interests. Information concerning future meetings will be posted on the appropriate bulletin boards.

"Macbeth" At Trinity Square

by Lin Halenbeck

Trinity Square Repertory Company is presently showing a living theatre production of Macbeth, one of Shakespeare's tragedies. It is a wonderful experience, and I say experience since it is virtually impossible to "watch" this play - the audience must be involved because the action takes place on all sides of as well as above and below the stage. Witches disappear in planks of real smoke, caucuses boom directly toward the would-be observer, and an army attacks Macbeth's castle in the isles. The play is vibrant and real; it is alive.

The horror and the humor happen on all sides. Lady Macduff and her son are murdered accompanied by flashing lights and clanging bells. The porter attempts to answer a knocking knock at the castle door in a drunken stupor, tripping over metal stairways. More words cannot describe all the smells, sounds and sights of this brilliant production.
**Winter Weekend To Be Held**

By Lenny Berk

On March 21 and 22, the first traditional event at this college shall take place, this being a Winter Weekend. On the night of Friday, the 21st, a student faculty basketball game will be played. Everything will be a dance with music supplied by "The Firemen." On Saturday night a semi-final will be held at the new Holiday Inn at Latatine Square in downtown Providence. Live entertainment will be provided to Tony Alotta's Orchestra from 8:30 to 12:30 a.m. On that evening a queen will be chosen, and will walk down the ramp while being toasted by everyone present with glasses of Champagne. The flavor which will be given to everyone will be the glasses themselves. They will be howled into the inscription and make new friends. March 16, 1969.

Only two hundred and fifty tickets are available. The cost of the entire weekend will be $5.00 per couple. The queen will be chosen by the faculty present. Your participation in this event will make this Winter Weekend successful.
The Sports Forum

Tom Brennan Athletic Director

Q. What is your background in athletics?
A. I received my basketball training under PCs Joe Mul1aney. I also acted as football, baseball, and golf coach at Wethersfield, Conn. We also acted as football, baseball, and golf coach at Wethersfield.

Q. What function should sports serve at a small college?
A. As a rallying point for student activities, from both a participating and spectator angle.

Q. What is Roger Williams' relationship with the NCAA?
A. We are associate members. When we become accredited we will become full-fledged members.

Q. What about the future scheduling?
A. We are scheduling four-year colleges as quick as possible.

Q. What are your feelings toward cheerleaders?
A. I'd welcome cheerleaders but will not sponsor them.

Q. What is your goal?
A. As a rallying point for student activities, from both a participating and spectator angle.

Q. What about the cheerleaders?
A. I'd welcome cheerleaders but will not sponsor them.

Q. Just what is Roger Williams’ athletics program at Roger Williams.
A. Excellent.

Q. What is your goal?
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Q. What is your goal?
A. As a rallying point for student activities, from both a participating and spectator angle.

Q. Are you a student, faculty, or staff member?
A. Yes, entirely.

Q. Why did you form the club?
A. To meet the needs of the student body.

Q. What is your goal?
A. As a rallying point for student activities, from both a participating and spectator angle.

Q. What do you think of the new conference?
A. It's a good one.

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Soccer News

In its first season the soccer team will compete in both the spring and the fall. The team has already been invited to participate in a Round Robin Tournament featuring PC, URI and Barrington varsities. Jim Maguire says that the team is still looking for players as well as manpower to organize and conduct the scoring.

After much controversy the team will be granted its appeal for shoes. In light of this, four or five games will be scheduled next season. With the moving to the new Bristol campus a traditional rivalry is expected to develop between Roger Williams and Barrington. While on the topic of Bristol a suggestion has come to my attention. With the large new campus perhaps an area could be set aside for the college's athletes to practice.

For information regarding the soccer team, students should contact Roland Guillet, Jim Maguire or Mr. Blackburn.

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Golf Notes

In almost that time again when the golf nuts start to consider the upcoming season. After an outstanding showing last year, being crowned the New England champ, the team expects a most productive campaign. I understand that it is still early in the year, but the schedule is now in process of being formulated. Due to the increasing student interest, students wishing to participate should consider speaking to the athletic director, or any member of last year's squad. An added plus. This spring the team will be using the finest facilities of the Sun Valley Golf Course.

R. W. To Have Baseball

In light of the growing athletic program at Roger Williams, spring baseball will become a reality. The team has already held a meeting but interested students are still welcome. For further information contact the athletic dept., through the Dean of Students office.

Hockey News

With only four games remaining it appears that Roger Williams will once again have a winning season. The NETTOPS are a fine representative of the increasing athletic achievement at this college. As the sports editor of this paper and a hockey buff, I can appreciate the efforts of these people. It is a sad thing that such hard nose lids are not witnessed by more of the student body. Personally I have attended almost all of the games and never once saw what I considered to be adequate school spirit by students, faculty, and administration as well. In all fairness to the players even the home games most seem like playing on the road. As poor as the basketball team is supported, even in the face of that, many of those in attendance are not even from this college. If the hockey NETTOPS would have had this backing, I'm sure that their efforts would have been more rewarding. The season is rapidly drawing to a conclusion. Let's give a drum and back the guys up.

Hoop Ramblings

On Saturday, January 11, Eastern Conn. came to Pond St. to meet the Nettops. When they left they were still shaking their heads because RWC topped them in a non-conference game.

Then Monday, in on a wave arrived Desendant (Newport Nacy) lead by the multi-talented Bill Price. They were no match for co-captains Bob Abito and Mike Price. They were still shaking their heads because RWC topped them in a no-contest game.

FUTURE GAMES:
Feb. 11 Tue. Hawthorne Brown.

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