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ROGER WILLIAMS COLLEGE CONVOCATION TO FEATURE ATTORNEY GENERAL - OMBUDSMAN

Roger Williams College will begin its fiftieth year of operation in the city of Providence with a convocation Monday in the Beneficent Meeting House. Roger Williams first started in Providence in 1859 as a branch of Northeastern University, offering evening courses in law and finance. The program for the convocation will include remarks by Dr. Ralph Z. Gauvey, college president; Frank Zanni, Dean of the college, Providence Campus; and Leonard Beck on behalf of the students.

The main address entitled "The Generation Gap" will be delivered by Dr. J. Harold G. Way, the college's Ombudsman. The program will also include a special presentation by the Honorable Herbert F. DeSimone, Attorney General of the state of Rhode Island.

Following the convocation, class will begin for approximately 800 students in the business and engineering fields. The Providence campus of Roger Williams College will include an administration building at 266 Pine Street, a student center at the former Greek Orthodox Church on Pine Street, the Watkins Building at 274 Pine Street, the second floor of the YMCA building at 160 Broad Street and a portion of the Armenian Evangelical Church on Franklin Street in Providence.

THE BOOKSTORE
WILL BE OPEN FROM
8:30 - 8:00 ALL WEEK

TONY'S R. W. G. OPEN
FROM 9:30 - 8:00

Dean of Providence Frank Zanni

Providence Outlined

Now that the registration for fall semester is essentially over, I hope that the students, the faculty and the administration will turn all of their energies and all of their resources toward making the Providence Campus of Roger Williams College a unique educational institution that is sensitive to human needs and a campus open to young people as a place that will affect them an opportunity to prepare themselves for a lifetime of complete fulfillment.

Throughout the summer, I have given thought to some of the things that we, at the College, should work together on so that we can accomplish all of our objectives. I would like to enumerate them for you, and I want to remind you that the list is open-ended, and I hope that it is amended from time to time by all groups of the College as we progress through the 1969-70 academic year. My guidelines are flexible and should not be considered rigid as their only purpose is for the successful development of the Providence Campus of Roger Williams College.

Here are some of the things I would like to accomplish this year:

1. As some of you upper classmen know, the results of a student poll indicated that the College should plan to establish majors in the Division of Business Administration. I hope that the Business Faculty and representatives from the student bodies will work together and introduce at least two majors that are consistent with the resources of the College and also consistent with the desires of the student body.

2. The introduction of majors is not simply an internal College decision. When this decision is made, we must consider the community because if we furnish the community with graduates that they cannot employ, then our students will be neither happy nor successful and the College will not be serving its functions.

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Presidential Address

The New Roger Williams College

This year we will begin a new phase in the development of Roger Williams College. We now have two separate campuses which make up the complex of the college. Today we officially open the academic year at our metropolitan-based campus in Providence. The primary purpose of this campus is to serve the needs of those students who have chosen professional studies as a major area of concentration.

Later on in the month, our new Bristol Campus offering major areas in the liberal arts, will have its initial opening. In the spring we will have the opportunity of being part of the Commencement activities for the first graduation at the College during which students will be awarded the baccalaureate degree.

Now that the Bristol Campus is all but finished, the administration of the college is turning its attention to the locating of a site for a permanent professional studies campus somewhere in this metropolitan area. It is our goal to build a permanent metropolitan campus which is as beautiful and functional as any college campus existing today.

The governing board of the college has signed a commitment to the operation of the two-campus concept. Authorizing such a concept, however, and actually building it are two different matters. The operation of a two-campus concept depends on the cooperation of all members of the college community on both campuses.

There are numerous challenges which we will all have to face between now and the Commencement in June. All members of the college community will be called upon this year to help in defining new policies, new approaches to the better reorganization of the various structures that help make up the entity which we call the college.

A variety of committees have been appointed and many of these will have student representation. In addition to student involvement on these committees, we will be challenged with facing a new dimension of such old problems involving student communication through the Quill, the Student Council, and other organizations.

We will have to rely upon students to recommend courses of action which will provide solutions to those old problems in the new context of a two-campus system. Should there be one newspaper for campuses, or would there be a newspaper on each campus? Should there be one Student Council for the entire college or should there be a Student Council for each campus?

There are many other considerations involving students as well as all other members of the College community in attempting to evolve viable solutions for these problems. We must, however, remember at all times that the two-campus system is on an entity which we call Roger Williams College. It is essential that the Bristol Campus and the Providence Campus are the same Roger Williams College even though their educational focus may be different.
It is time to predict just what could occur during the next year at Roger Williams College. During the problems of transition, the student must bear the full effect of what I am about to say. It is appropriate to discuss the projections for the first edition of the "Quill." What Students should observe:

Observe elections in the fall semester regarding class offices, student government elections, and elections to the "all college council" positions. Though these positions seem pointless from a student standpoint, the deciding factor of such power can be only determined by students themselves. Once students tend to become involved with the "process," they immediately realize why administrators cannot give overnight answers. I predict that such involvement for the sake of recognition, and not change, shall once again repeat itself, as it has in the past. With this in mind, it would be deemed appropriate to demand election procedures, election day, and clarification of the issues involved at both campuses. There should be rigorous campaigning on both campuses for the positions where all factions should be heard (conservative or liberal). If campaign efforts are organized nationally, there is reason for optimism in this area.

What the faculty should observe:

This is an area which truly needs attention. Ironically, it is the faculty who motivate students at Roger Williams College, and at least it has appeared as such in the past. Within the last year, the faculty has appeared afraid to unite together on issues involving student participation on a broader scale for fear of possible impeachment from administration hierarchy. A possible exception to what I speak of will evidently show itself within the professional studies division. This faculty will prove itself to be so much closer with students, there eventually will be an established rapport within this community.

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To all faculty: Support the students' part-time jobs. By the demand of the classroom, the student must work to keep up with the class. If students cannot effectively work and go to school at the same time, we can be only determined by the students themselves. These students tend to become involved with the "process," they immediately realize why administrators cannot give overnight answers. I predict that such involvement for the sake of recognition, and not change, shall once again repeat itself, as it has in the past. With this in mind, it would be deemed appropriate to demand election procedures, election day, and clarification of the issues involved at both campuses. There should be rigorous campaigning on both campuses for the positions where all factions should be heard (conservative or liberal). If campaign efforts are organized nationally, there is reason for optimism in this area.

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If you worked attending Roger Williams College two years ago, you will notice that there has been a complete change in equipment available for you to use as a student. In our planning, we know that the student learning is enhanced when there is adequate supporting laboratory equipment. During the summer months, many faculty members have spent endless hours researching to find equipment suitable to support the offerings at Roger Williams College.

During the last two years Roger Williams College has moved from a junior to a senior college and the Providence Campus has introduced programs in Business Administration, Engineering, Industrial Technology at both the Baccalaureate and Associate Degree level. This was a major and a significant change in the progress and direction of Roger Williams College. We are now faced with the fact that we have to present ourselves for accreditation as a four-year institution. The Providence Campus will establish committees which will include both faculty and students and, in addition, the College will engage consultants from our neighboring accredited universities, so that we may plot the path to follow to attain accreditation within the shortest possible time span. Of particular interest to the business and Industrial Technology students is the fact that the College has just entered into an agreement to purchase a new computer. During the year, plans will move ahead to utilize the computer to support learning experiences in the classroom. Roger Williams College has not been on the recruiting list for any of the large industrial companies and the federal government, but now that we are offering the Baccalaureate program, we will establish a placement center to meet the graduates in finding employment throughout our nation. We recommend this office with that of the cooperative education, so that we can establish community advisory committees and organizations to support for all of our graduates.

More than 50 courses in business, engineering and liberal arts will be offered during the fall semester in the evening division of Roger Williams College at the Providence campus. Registration is currently underway at 365 Pine St., Providence, and classes will begin on September 15, according to Frank Zannini, Dean of the College, Providence campus. Students may receive credit in the evening college towards a Bachelor of Science degree in construction technology, industrial technology and business administration. There are also programs leading to an associate degree in architectural and construction technology, electrical engineering, mechanical engineering and business administration.

Certificate and non-degree programs are offered, including a course in elementary algebra and geometry for those with a mathematical deficiency.

The college requires that degree candidates have completed high school or have an equivalency diploma. Special students must have sufficient prerequisites for a specific course but may take courses without a high school diploma. Roger Williams, formerly a junior college, started its senior division last fall and will award its first baccalaureate degrees in the spring of 1970. Classes will run from 6:45 to 9:30 p.m. For further information contact Mr. Cartwright, Evening Director.

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Business office 208 Pine St., Providence, R. I. 02906. Telephone 274-2209 ext. 65 (10:00-4:00).

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All students interested in working for the Newspaper should attend free period. Coffee and will be served.

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A YEAR'S SEPTEMBER...AND FOLLOW...FOLLOW..."
Piper Returns

For the second year a private concern, The Book Piper, will be operating the campus book store. Its location is the first floor of the student center, maintaining hours of 8:30-8:00 for the week.

Available at Piper besides the obvious will be college emblems, posters, engineering and business supplies, novelties, and a variety of clothing apparel.

TONY'S R. W. C. SNACK BAR

NOTICES

PUSSA MAGAZINE: new creative arts quarterly. Interested artists, writers or subscribers write Box 26, Kingston, R. I. 02881.

PARKING SPACES: limited spaces available. Inquire faculty building.

BOOKSTORE: this week 8:30-8:00.

CROSS-COUNTRY SOCCER: interested students should contact Coach Drennan in the athletic office, Broad St.

SNACKBAR: Hours 7:30-8:00.

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To the student body,

TAKE YOUR APATHY AND

HAWKS PREPARE

The Roger William College varsity soccer team is currently practicing for its upcoming season. Coach William Forsyth reports that upwards of 25 students are now participating.

SOCCER 1969

Coach: WILLIAM FORSYTH

Saturday, September 15 — 1 P.M. — at Barrington College (Round Robin with Dean)
Saturday, September 25 — 3 P.M. — at Providence College
Tuesday, September 30 — 4 P.M. — at Stonehill College
Friday, October 3 — 3 P.M. — at Bellarm College
Tuesday, October 14 — 3 P.M. — Home Franklin Pierce College
Friday, October 24 — 3 P.M. — Home Bellarm College
Tuesday, October 28 — 3 P.M. — at Franklin Pierce College

Although using the facilities of Colt's Park in Bristol, team membership is open to students of both Providence and Bristol.