

ARTS REP. SPEAKS OUT

Perhaps it is time for me to voice some comment in regard of the position I hold as Representative Elect (Arts) for Student Council 78-79. To the more observant reading audience I also add the date these comments are to be submitted:

One of the obvious hazards in accepting a position on Council is the entrapment of oneself in this very "position". Resulting from this is often a separation of Council and Union from their work together—and a very bad situation can occur. Some might even suggest this has occurred! That the Union (the Student Body) and the Council have nothing in common except the fact that they are parasitic towards each other. Allow me a somewhat poor analogy to aid in further explanation: conceive of a

doughnut. Consider the Council to be represented in this case, by the "center" of the doughnut. It is clear that it lacks any substance. Yet without this, the doughnut would not be a doughnut; and vice-versa.

The Student Council functions as a mechanism of our UNION. WE, who aspire to positions of Council, must not see ourselves as a part of this functional apparatus. WE are not devices capable of luring people to solidarity. A part of our responsibility, to the position, we hold, includes the establishing of certain functions through committees, interest groups, individuals, but this does not give Council the right to expect that this earns them the support and confidence of their fellow students.

It is no longer a matter

of my opinion. Dylan's "Hard Rain" far too long. We have since constructed umbrellas to shelter us from it. There is now a grave disharmony to be revealed within our University milieu. Segregation as so obviously apparent—different concerns; different dreams and goals; and no one communicating! The familiarity of it all can blind the face of reality: the same walls; the same people; the same wasted words; the same things; the same shit.

We are not these positions on Council. More properly, we are responsible for these positions. And if we do not function our attention on strengthening the bond between these positions and the people whom we represent, then I see little more for the future Council

but the assurance of these functions, as previously mentioned, for the year 78-79 and a promise of progress for the future.

Many times we have veiled our opportunities. May we do so no longer. The time has come to risk letting down the umbrella's.

Thank You
Alan Smith
Feb. 21, 1978

WILD FRATERNITY PARTY FRESHMAN DIES

One student is dead and two others in critical condition following a fraternity party at Alfred University in New York.

Allegheny County Coroner Dr. Irwin Felsen says initial indications are that 20 year old Charles Stenzel of Sayville, N.Y., died of an alcohol overdose. He has ordered an autopsy.

Listed in critical condition at a Hornell hospital are Philip Fezza of Mass-

apequa, N.Y., and William Bush of Lancaster, Penn., both 18.

Robert Klinger, Vice-president for university relations at Alfred, said the three youths, all freshmen, had made a commitment to join the fraternity earlier in the day Friday, and that the tapping party they were attending was a sort of celebration. He said he did not know what occurred at the party, but that school officials had

ordered an investigation.

Alfred, a private college in Southeastern New York, has an undergraduate enrollment of about 1,780.

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- ...work has commenced on NEXUS '78
- ...the Athletic Dept. and the University are being sued by a former Panther star
- ...there are to be two showings of Sunday nites movie at 7:00 and 9:00
- ... "sunny Florida" wasn't so sunny over March break
- ...it snowed last week-end
- ...Premier Campbell is to meet with students on campus next week
- ... "The Sound of Music" by Colonel Grey, is being played at Confed Centre.
- ... "The Platters" are playing at the Pig n' Whistle on Thursday
- ... Final Examination Schedule will be posted around campus on the near future
- ... The Panthers should have some good teams next year
- ... seniors who are going to graduate must register for their degree before March 15th
- ... the U.P.E.I. New York theatre trip was a great success
- ... the Co-Ed dance is next Friday night—ASK NOW.

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