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c) Applications for a loan may be made at Room 6 in building rear of Student Center.

d) Student Bank Loan Office open Saturday 9:00 AM to 12:00 AM.

PRESIDENT HUNT IN RUSSIA

President Hunt and his wife are presently vacationing in Russia. It will be their first vacation in five years. For three weeks they plan to tour Russian cities, spending Christmas in Leningrad.

President Hunt reports he will not be trying to raise funds for the school but he does plan to observe aviation and flight training facilities in USSR.

Frustration is... dealing with the administration.

CHRISTMAS SPIRIT ARRIVES IN NEW DORM

Have you stopped into the New Dorm this week? If not, do so right now, because Christmas spirit - something so hard to come by in Florida - has come to the Dorm lobby.

The idea, originally started by Ralph of New Haven, Connecticut, was to decorate a small 3-foot tree. Ralph paid for the decorations on his own. Then the idea snowballed (no pun intended).

Sunday, Tony Cristiano and myself decided that the lobby still needed more decorating. A trip to the local drug store and $5 later, the lobby had strings of pine cones, ribbons, etc. At that point, the lobby began looking like something, but still lacked a lot.

Then, enter Mr. Robert Hofstater, who was more than pleased with the progress. His holiday spirit and generosity, along with Greg Allen's produced another $20. Three more trips were made to buy more decorations while Sky Brown, the founder of the Dorm Council, appropriated a 15 foot tree. Two pleas to the dorm residents raised another $8 and we were in business. Several dozen guys helped to decorate the dorm.

The residents of the Dorm would like to thank all those who helped, and especially Mr. Hofstater and Greg Allen. To all, a Merry Christmas.

Richard T. White
Embry Riddle Aeronautical Institute has now been added to the list of accredited institutions. A round of congratulations is in order for everyone concerned: the administration for all the work that they put in; the faculty for the courses they have prepared and presented; the students both past and present, who have carried Embry Riddle to the business and aviation worlds. They all deserve a pat on the back.

Now that ERAI is an accredited institution of specialized studies, many doors will be open to us. With over 100 junior colleges specializing in aviation, we will offer these students a place to acquire their B.S. Degree in their aeronautical pursuits. It would be nice to see females on the flight line once more. Also the companies in the aviation industry will take more of an interest in us now.

The SGA and I would like to extend congratulations and thanks to all concerned.

With the semester and the year fast coming to a close, I'd like to extend to everyone my best wishes for good marks in the finals and a happy holiday season to all. Drive and fly carefully and I hope to see you all once again in 1969.

Terry Minor
President

The Dress Statement was brought before the Student Council for its suggestions and comments. The statement resembled closely the SGA proposal of November 26th, except for changes in the mechanics of appeal and the addition to a "no beard" clause. The SGA voted to strike the "no beard" clause and send the proposal back to the Administration.

Jan Collins, first VP, reported that the new, 1969 parking stickers are being distributed from the SGA office. All vehicles must have the new stickers plainly visible from the rear within 72 hours after the first day of classes. A ten dollar fine will be levied on all vehicles improperly registered after the 72 hour period.

SGA voted to commend Brent Bruns, Roy Skinner, and Richard Cook for the hard work and achievements this trimester.

By Cam McQuaid

The Christmas spirit is upon us. Soon we will benevolently give to the school our tuition and fees for next trimester. Everyone will approach the cashiers' window with a feeling of joy and mirth. Ha!

Really, our payment of tuition and fees is a strict business proposition. It will not be unChristian to question what we will receive for our Christmas 'payments. We will wonder about the comfort and efficiency of our new facilities across the runway. We will wonder about the quality of our instructional staff next trimester.

Also, we are hoping. Perhaps this is our Christmas spirit as a student body. Hope! We hope conditions are going to improve. We hope our administration is making the needed changes. As busy college students, this is often all we are able to do. Hope!

Dear Suggestion Box,

In regard to Mrs. Bradley's letter, I believe she is ideologically in the nineteenth century. Agreed, her analysis of roles and duties in our school is accurate and helpful to some, but she negates such useful tools as student involvement in educational affairs. She should understand that student participation in formation of administration policies has benefited the school, which is everyone. From a little "fuss", excellent viable policies are eventually developed.

Name Withheld

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HOPE
Recently, I have heard many student complaints about things in general. In some cases the complaints have been about library services. I always believed that for one to complain his own "house must be in order" as the old adage goes.

The library staff has worked hard to offer the best services we could with non-professional library personnel, with student assistants, with cramped quarters, and in many cases with second-hand equipment. Because of this hard work, we (the library staff) become annoyed when only one magazine is lost.

Recently, one of the most flagrant misuses of library property that I have witnessed in my two years at ERAU occurred. Some selfish, spoiled, pampered, unthinking student removed three chapters from one of our newest books – Meer and Boedman’s Production Planning and Inventory Control. Need I remind any of you about how to treat someone else's property?

Library books are not to be mutilated in any way, but especially one does not mark in them. Books are for all students and faculty to use, not just one selfish student. A Xerox machine is available for reproduction; thus, there is no excuse for anyone tearing one page or several pages out of a library book.

In the minds of many students, the school facilities are lagging and not improving as rapidly as they should. How can they if students abuse school property and destroy what books and other property we are trying to accumulate. Please be more considerate of others! (Remember: NO MARKING IN LIBRARY BOOKS!
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The Embry-Riddle SGA must be congratulated for the great social function they put on at the Armory this past Saturday evening. I'm sure most who attended had a good time. Our hat is tipped to Brent Bruns, social functions committee chairman, for organizing this and all the social affairs sponsored by the SGA this trimester. He and his committee have worked hard to bring the best events to be seen on this campus.

A fraternity section was set up at the dance and it displayed the closer relationships between the groups being established by the Inter-Fraternity Council. Our organizations are finally becoming well known on campus. The hard work by the members is paying off and we are starting to show the students of ERAI what a powerful and close knit organization we are.

Most events are now over for the trimester and everyone studying diligently for final exams. Good luck to all.

Rush plans are well under way and ought to start off the Spring Trimester next week. Many good times are planned for all by the brothers of Sigma Phi Delta. Join us be part of them.

Have a merry Christmas and a very Happy New Year from all the members of Sigma Phi Delta - better known as "the Professionals." See you on campus next trimester.

Among the several things that should have gone into last week's article was a word on the Pi Sigma Phi - Sigma Phi Delta Dance. Probably most important is the fact that it came off rather well, with everyone seeming to have a good time. As Sigma Phi Delta stated in their article last week, the party broke the ice for other mutual fraternity functions, hopefully with all the frats participating.

After much delay - we have finally found a design for our fraternity pin. With only a few changes, you should start seeing these on our brothers early next trimester.

Speaking of brothers we have two more, Ken Wixon and Ray Loehner. Both lasted a very cold "hell night" last week and the fiasco of trying to find the fellow with the key to the handcuffs they had on. They need only go through our initiation dinner and they will be in.

Last Sunday - along with the other fraternities we supplied ushers to the Volusia International Club's U.N. 20th Anniversary Program at the Peabody Auditorium. The program was very interesting and very well done. I believe most of the ushers would agree that our help was definitely worthwhile.

This coming week will see most of us studying and packing for the earliest possible departure. Families to see, girl friends to kiss and Christmas lists to buy await many of us.

It is the hope of the brothers of Pi Sigma Phi that your holidays are the finest ever and that you will help spread the joy and peace of this season. The Merriest of Christmas to you all.

Joy is the spirit of Christmas. Peace is the hope of the world.
This is our last article until after the Christmas holiday, so I would like to remind you not to forget our Spring rush party. I would also like to wish all my fellow students the best of luck on their finals. See you all after Christmas break. A very Merry Christmas and Happy New Year from Epsilon Rho Chapter of Alpha Eta Rho.

A SHORT LETTER OF THANKS

We are greatly indebted to the two ERAI students, Howard Grant and Durwood Lewis, for the unselfish courage in helping to pull the two girls out of the canal after the two-car collision on Monday, December 9, 1968. One of the girls was my wife - Eva May Gay.

If it weren't for their undaunted courage, the two girls might not be with us today.

Again, we are deeply indebted to Howard Grant and Durwood Lewis.

Stephen E. Gay

HOLIDAY INN CAFETERIA

As many of you already know, major changes will be occurring with the Holiday Inn cafeteria service. Interested members of the Dorm 11 Council have been working with Mr. Jim Baker, the Assistant Manager of II IW, and Jean Spears, with the goal of providing a more satisfactory meal service for E.R. This would be an opportune time to present a description of the new system to the system.

The service will be set up in a regular cafeteria style in the same room presently being used for lunch and dinner, but at least six choices of entrees will be offered. Students will be using a new meal ticket with $10 and $25 values and may be purchased and paid for as the student desires. The student will purchase and pay for only what he desires to eat. Therefore, if one wishes to skip the salad and eat two entrees, he would pay for the two entrees but not the salad.

Each student living in the new dorm will be required to purchase as a minimum, the equivalent to a two-meal, five-day ticket, but may purchase as many or as few tickets at a time as he wishes. The average meal will cost 60¢ while the average whole meal will cost about $1.17.

A very important aspect of the new system is that, along with the privilege of "managing" your appetite, you now have full responsibility for managing your resources. It is your job to see to it that your meal ticket lasts through the entire length of the planned period.

Also being planned is a "quick lunch" a lunch already prepared on a tray for those students having only 15-20 minutes to eat lunch, while on the regular line, steaks and/or steamship rounds will be regular items.

The term 'meal equivalent' is used since you have full latitude to eat any amount you wish at any meal of any day of the week. Conversely, you may omit any item, meal, or day that you wish.

It is hoped that the new system will be more satisfactory to all students. In fact, Mr. Baker has extended an invitation to all non-resident students to purchase meals at Holiday Inn, especially those students present last purchasing meals from a vending machine.

The Dorm Council would like to hear any suggestions or complaints next trimester from any student who is not satisfied.
Dear Mrs. Bradley,

Thank you very much for your letter to the INFORMER. You are quite right in pointing out exactly where the students' (and faculty's and administration's) responsibilities lie. Perhaps we the students do over-react and become indignant too easily.

Although it would be nice if each of us would cling to our role as pupil it is expecting too much for us not to respond to issues that affect us. I recognize the right of the administration to make any rules that they all think will meet the needs of the university. But you must recognize that administrators and trustees are not infallible in spite of their absolute discretion. You must recognize that administrators and trustees have an obligation to themselves, if no other, to familiarize themselves, with all the options available to them to reject an alternative merely because it came from students would be equally as absurd as students condemning a proposal just because it comes from the administration.

Specifically, I objected to the howitzer approach the report to the report to the president took to solve the dress problem. Even I, among the most indignant of students, admit there are abuses of common dress standards by a few students on campus, but I must speak out against any attempt to make my school a Procrustean bed. Please do not deny me that right.

You and other casual observers were treated to a spectacle of much aimless thrashing about by students who were furious, resentful, angry, but mainly scared. There was an unfortunate lack of concrete information on the proposed dress code. We panicked and made many useless waves. The one serious alternative printed in the INFORMER, a supplement was well-received by students and administration. The Alternative Proposal represents the type of dialogue I would like to see between administration and students not because the administration offers it to us, but because it may avoid much purposeless bickering and we want to help.

Sincerely,

Richard Jordan

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BY GARY ANDERSON

As the trimester draws to a close, most everyone starts to think of home and begins to make plans for the trip. If you are going by car or bus stop reading here because I'm going to talk about the airlines. Most of us here are pilots and flying has become almost second nature to us. However, at least once during your college education you will be going to board an airliner. At the airport one of the things you must do is check in. I put him in compartment?

"I hope Poopsie is enjoying the flight."

"Oh dear, what do you suppose happened to him."

I'd say he's back in Daytona. . . and Melbourne, and Jacksonville. . . from St. Augustine."

"Young man, please put out your cigar."

"I'm not smoking one."

"Something smells."

"I think your foot-warm er set fire to the rug."

AROUND THE FLIGHT LINE

BY BILL OBERLE

It appears that the flight line will derive some indirect benefits from the "dress code". The merits of special dress requirements discussed by President Hunt at the last flight council meeting.

Without belaboring the discussion on beards, long hair and sneakers, President Hunt remarked that when he was flying with the navy, pilots were required to fill their pockets with string, fish-hooks, a ball of wax, bowie knife and a can of sardines (for eating only), a canteen, a map, a penknife, an ice knife and a can of sardines (for eating only). No one has any intention of hanging around long enough to fish a flash light, etc. No one wants to get shot down, but if you can walk away from an accident, it's a real shame to die from a snake bite or exposure. President Hunt thought this was a good idea and turned the suggestion over to Mr. Ford as an "action item".

Final arrangements are still pending, but it looks as if the flight students are going to have a fighting chance.

FROM AIR SCIENCE

Don Bundy is a student enrolled in Aeronautical Science at ERAI who is both conscious and dedicated to the education profession. He became an instructor with the Air Science Department in September 1968. He has developed an Instructors Creed which he uses as his guide and it is certainly worthy of adoption by all educators:

A STUDENT IS THE MOST IMPORTANT PERSON WE KNOW.

A STUDENT IS NOT DEPENDENT ON US, WE ARE DEPENDENT ON HIM.

A STUDENT IS NOT AN OPTION AT OUR WORK, HE IS THE SOLE PURPOSE OF IT.

CONT.
A STUDENT IS NOT A STATISTICAL ENTITY, HE IS FLESH AND BLOOD, A HUMAN BEING WITH FEELINGS AND EMOTIONS LIKE OUR OWN.

A STUDENT IS A PERSON WHO BRINGS US HIS WANTS.

IT IS OUR JOB TO HANDLE THEM PROFITABLY BOTH TO HIM AND TO OURSELVES.

It is a distinct pleasure to have this type of instructor conducting our classes. A vote of thanks goes to Don for his devotion to the students.

A NOTE TO MR. BOAZ

BY BILL OBERLE

When an administrator takes the time, especially when he is working some 26 hours a day, to inform us of the factors and developments which effect our status as students, he deserves to be commended.

As the flight-line reporter for the ERAI INFORMER, and a flight student, I wish to thank you for your open letter of the November 19th issue. Many of the students pursuing studies in flight do not understand many of the basic factors governing administrative decisions. An area which I would like to comment on is the "Gemini Flight Concept."

When I arrived to take FC-100 (Private and Basic Flight), I was told that I would have to accumulate half as many "observer hours" as I received dual flight instruction. No one explained why, nor did anyone check on my progress. I have amassed some sixteen pieces of paper that attest to the fact that I have "logged" 19.1 observer hours. Now that I have completed this course, what am I expected to do or what should I have accomplished? Do I turn these slips of paper over to someone? Do I throw them away? Even more important, now that I am enrolled in FC-200 (Commercial Flight), do I start over again with a new set of observer requirements?

The point is, I understand the "Gemini" concept but will the next class? I think there is a need for more information to be given to the student and a little closer supervision of students' participation (observation time) coupled with a procedure for scheduling of observer requirements. I think this would greatly increase the utilization of the "back seat."

I hope that you will give these ideas some consideration and that you will continue to disseminate information from the flight technology division. It is greatly appreciated by us all.

Happiness is............
President Hunt in Moscow

Happiness is............
The flight dress code in Moscow

Happiness is............
Christmas at home

Happiness is............
shooting P A R's at Patrick A.F.B.

Happiness is............
no phys-ed

Happiness is............
Horseback riding

HUMAN RIGHTS OBSERVANCE

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SAVE WATER:
SHOWER WITH A FRIEND!
GUTTER TALK

BY GIL GAUTHIER

READERS OF GUTTER TALK--BEWARE THE END HAS COME!!!

Yes, you who have followed this article during this winter trimester should be rewarded by a few weeks of rest, while GUTTER TALK itself takes a few weeks off, together with the members of Daytona's greatest bowling league. Next week will be the final week for Embry-Riddle's Bowling League. Since the University of the Air operates on a trimester basis, the League takes a break for the holidays and starts anew in January. This means that new trophies will be offered next trimester, along with the usual post-season banquet. This trimester the league has spent over one hundred dollars for trophies which will be awarded when classes resume in January.

Since this is my last article this season, I would like to congratulate the officers on the good job they have done this season. Hats off to:

President - Jerry Coffman
V. Pres. - Tom Yeager
Secretary - Mike Cicale
Treasurer - G. Gauthier

The success of bowling league lies not only in the caliber of its officers but on the caliber of the membership. I'd like to take this opportunity to say that our league this trimester surpassed any which we have had in the past. I certainly hope that more of the student body will take advantage of this weekly seminar in human relations.

The team standings are really close and I would like to report them as they stand at this very instant. The scores of this coming week may affect these standings but right now:

1. Team #6 - J. Coffman, R. Fracis, T. Clay.
2. Team #1 - Peterson, Freeman, M. Baker.
3. Team #8 - Quanstrom, Giesbrant, Magerus.
4. Team #11 - Tesini, Vagnozzi, Vogt.
5. Team #2 - W. Adikes, M. Cicale, G. Gauthier.

HI average is still a toss up right now so I'll just withhold a statement on this award.

It looks like Mr. Ford is going to take HI series with a 604. With one week to go, I don't think that anyone is going to beat him.

High game goes to Gil Gauthier who shot a 247 last week to beat Mr. Clay's 237.

Well, that's about all for the season. Don't forget to watch for the posters which will be going up when we come back in January. They will remind you of the meeting which will be held during the first week of classes.

Merry Christmas and happy bowling. See you next year.
TENNIS TEAM REPORT

Coach Dave Dewey and his small band of netmen, are having their share of problems this trimester. Unseasonably cold winds along with conflicting schedules has made it difficult for the team to get together for regular practice sessions.

Coach Dewey informs us that many industrial and college teams are interested in scheduling matches with us. He feels we have only a few solid players, and is eager to look at new talent. Practice is held daily at City Island Tennis Courts.

Time: 11:00 - 1:00
The Embry-Riddle Veterans Association conducted a chicken dinner for its members on Thursday evening, December 5, at VFW Post 1590. Following the dinner the Association conducted a business meeting and an election of officers for 1969.

Elected for a period of one year beginning in January 1969 were:

Rich Martucci - President (second term)
Gene LeClair - Vice Pres. (second term)
Bill Oberle - Secretary (first term)
Jerry Berndt - Treasurer (second term)

Several amendments to the Association's constitution were presented and accepted by the membership by a vote of 17 in favor, two opposed, and one abstention.

A social committee is being formed and the chairmanship will be headed jointly by Bill Haas and Jim Gateway.

Arrangements were made for members to participate in the United Nations Appreciation Day last Sunday, December 8th at Daytona Beach's Peabody Auditorium.

The Veterans Association is going to contact veterans accepted to ERAI by letter prior to their arrival, in an effort to inform them of the group, and pass on some of the information they will need to know about the Veterans Administration operating procedures here at the school.

Plans were discussed concerning the possibility of having a "happy hour" at the next meeting. Expenditures involved for this were unanimously approved by the membership.

Several areas were under the impression that the initiation fee was $10.00. It is $9.00. The fee was $10.00 (50 cents for administration cost, 50 cents for the first month dues). Dues are 50 cents per month thereafter.

See you all at the next meeting.

HUNT INSPECTS NEW DORM AND SAYS "SHAPE UP" AND YET...
BY KENN WOODS

A number of complaints have been circulating among students concerning Dorm 1. Surprisingly enough, many of the complaints are justified. Then again, many are not. Some of the students that may be away from home for the first time are not acting as mature adults. Our advice to these adolescents is to shape up as President Hunt suggests. This type of student apparently never progressed beyond the age that marks the size of their shoes. Many incidents that show no respect for President Hunt, much less fellow residents, have been uncovered. This type of student is responsible for the disturbance of sleeping peers, disgusting lumps of green flint in drinking fountains, unflushed toilets, grease on new rugs, and a continuing, innumerable listing of offensive short-comings.

Cars belong in the parking lot and not dispersed in a dormitory room. Parts to the cars should stay in the car. The parking areas should not be turning into a junk lot as they are now. These areas are designed for the purpose of parking cars between times of use. These areas are not designated for car storage such as disassembled vehicles up on blocks or the disposing of VW bodies after the transition to a "beach buggy." It is the common responsibility of the students using the parking areas to respect the rights of his neighbor, thereby protecting his own privileges.

If there is a remote chance that you are a student that has accepted membership in any of the above segments of our society, do not read further. Your kind of selfishness and disregard for the rights of others is not appreciated by anyone.

Inspection Cont.
Inspection Cont.

including your "friends", who have to live with you. You are immature and deserve none of the benefits that Embry-Riddle could offer you.

For those interested, there are two sides to every story. Read on for #2.

President Hunt stretched the patience of many residents one Friday when he inspected our "pleasant modern and comfortable barracks". President Hunt displayed unmitigated gaul and a bit of discretion ordering the dispersing of many notices to rooms "that do not meet the condition requirements of Embry-Riddle Aeronautical Institute".

We shall admit that the greater percentage deserved these notices, but then again there are two sides to every story.

There were five direct condition charges presented relating to Dorm #1. These charges were:

1. Remove garbage.
2. Pick up personal articles from the floor.
3. Remove excessive display of (Empty cans), (Bottles) or (Lewd pictures).
4. Money (amt) has been charged to your account for damages to (damages done).
5. Other

Needless to say, these charges varied from room to room. But what we, the students, have to say to President Hunt is as follows:

1. We have had no air-conditioning when we have needed it for well over a reasonable period of time.

2. During the current cold season many of the residents do not have heat. Why must you deprive students of a suitable atmosphere in which to study?

3. Speaking of study—the rooms do not have desk lamps. Why not? If we have to pay $60 a month to

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exist in this dorm we demand better convenience. Those two sun-lamps combined with the white wall reflecting torrents of bright light is blinding. The situation often arises in which one student of the room wishes to continue his study and his roommate would like to get some sleep without fear of getting cooked.

4. When we pay for linen, it is naturally assumed that the sheets will fit the bed. Guess what, President Hunt. Be it far from me to tell you a lie!

5. Many toilet areas lack the common wastebasket. A wastebasket is a means of sanitation. Some of us are sanitary, President Hunt.

6. At present it is very common to venture to the showers only to discover the absence of pressure and hot water. This just has to be remedied. How about that President Hunt?

Now that the facts of the student plight are grouped and presented, we want action now! You may proceed with your inspections, but believe me, President Hunt - inspect your disposition towards the common student. We represent the future and reputation of Embry-Riddle Aeronautical Institute. Respect us and our demands if you wish our respect in return.

Respectfully Yours.
ANGLE OF ATTACK DEVICE
RESEARCHED BY E-R

Some of you may know that from March of 1968 November of 68 three of our 150's were equipped with an angle of attack device.

This device was developed to give info directly and accurately to the pilot. The idea was developed to supplement and possibly replace the airspeed indicator. The idea was to keep airspeed indicator for navigational purposes. This idea may seem radical to some, but after some thought it may seem practical.

Riddle received the contract in May of 1967 from the FAA. The government furnished the necessary equipment for installation.

The Flight students were divided into two equal groups. They were given the three formal prog checks (pre-solo, 20 hour, final). The results were equal. The instrument seemed to make little difference in pilot performance.

Ten Riddle instructors were asked to evaluate the instrument. These were opinions:

2 said it aided the students.
6 said it was detrimental.
6 said that students developed a skill in one or more specific maneuvers more readily.
4 said they didn't.

Mr. Forrest, who heads the project seems to think that the A.O.A. may be used in lieu of an airspeed indicator. Others think it has its place in instrument and Commercial phases of pilot training. What is your opinion?

TO THE THINGS OF CHRISTMAS

WHEN THE SILVER TINSEL DANGLING FROM PLASTIC PINKS HAS GONE OUT WITH THE COMMERCIAL TIDES,
AND BROTHERHOOD IS STRIPPED FROM A MONETARY HAND
AND PROPSED AGAINST THE SOLE HEART OF MAN,
WHEN PAINTED SANTA'S ARE LEFT BEHIND
LOCKED AWAY WITH THE CHILDHOOD OF MANKIND,
WE ARE LEFT WITH THE WORDS THAT TRUTH BRINGS,
THAT TOUCH US AND TELL US OF CHRISTMAS THINGS.

AND THE JOY OF GIVING IS THE FIRST OF THESE,
HIDDEN IN A KIND WORD THAT THE SPEAKER SEES,
OR A THOUGHTFUL GESTURE, A MOMENT TO LISTEN TAKEN.
TRUST IS THE SECOND, WHEN MISTAKES HAVE SHAKEN
A FRIENDSHIP, A FAITH, OR A MAN'S BELIEF IN MAN,
WHILE TRUTH IS THE THIRD, LOOKING THROUGH CLEAR EYES AND
FACING FEAR WITH COURAGE, AND DOUBTS WITH CONVICTIONS.
THEN HUMILITY, WITHOUT ANGER OR THOUGHTS TO DISCOURAGE
MINDS OF OTHER BETTER MEN, HAS OPEN EYES TO THOSE LESS,
WITHOUT JEALOUSY TO THOSE EQUALLY REFUSED.
AND FORGIVENESS IS LAST, WITH THE GIFT OF INNER PEACE WITHIN IT;
SOOTHER OF HURT, THE BRIGHTNESS SHINING IN A HEART DILLY LIT.

SO ARE THE THINGS OF CHRISTMAS, ALL OF THESE,
OFTEN FORGOTTEN, OR THROWN AS CHRISTMAS TREES,
INTO THE GARBAGE TRUCK ON NEW YEAR'S DAY,
AND SOME SMALL CHILD CRIES THAT NIGHT.
REMEMBERING THE GIFTED, THE BATTED, AND THE LIGHT.
AND WE, AS THE CHILD, MUST HOLD THE MEMORIES SUBLINE
OF THE THINGS OF CHRISTMAS FOR THE DAYS OF ALL TIME.

MERRY CHRISTMAS

LINDA LARSEN, EDITOR

IS THERE A BETTER WAY?

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A TEST FOR IDLE STUDENTS

BY JOHN HANSEN

Many of the new students do not have anything to do with their spare time at the New Dorm. I have prepared a short test which some of the students might enjoy taking to help pass some idle time. I will be happy correcting any test completed and returned to me.

1. The first thing a new student at ERAI is told to do is:
   a. get a haircut
   b. shave
   c. buy a meal ticket
   d. see the chshier study hard
   f. a, b, c, and d only

2. The recreational facilities at the New Dorm are:
   a. a swimming pool
   b. pool tables
   c. TV sets
   d. none of the above

3. Colonel Saunders:
   a. cooks chicken dinners seven days a week.
   b. eats chicken at three meals a day, seven days a week. With a Holiday Inn meal ticket
   c. was once a dean at Embry-Riddle.

   WIPE OUT SLUMS DRAFT DORM ONE

4. M. Gandhi
   a. wore sandals
   b. didn't wear socks
   c. had a beard
   d. was a member of the "in-rebellion"
   e. was dismissed from ERAI for violating the school dress code.
   f. all of the above.

5. If "Dizzy" Dean and Jane Mansfield began a flight school, it would be called:
   a. Embry-Riddle Aeronautical Institute.
   b. The "Dizzy" Dean-Mansfield Aeronautical Institute.

6. John Hansen:
   a. is an ex-dorm advisor
   b. has transferred to an accredited northern school.
   c. refuses to re-enlist at Embry-Riddle.
   d. suggests that everyone at ERAI do both b. and c.

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from the management: to the students

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GRADUATE COCKTAIL PARTY

In the interest of promoting better relations with the graduating seniors and future alumni, the Student Government Association sponsored a cocktail party at the Riviera Ballroom on December 6th. Over a hundred seniors with their guests attended the gala event. A champagne fountain, bar and a dance band supplied the entertainment for the seniors.

Mr. Frank Forrest, Vice President of Embry-Riddle was the keynote speaker. He made a short speech outlining the seniors progression through Embry-Riddle and wished the seniors success. The senior class had chosen four instructors which were awarded with an appreciation scroll. The awarded instructors were Mr. Titus, Mr. Chrisman, Mr. Campbell and Dr. Ritchie. About thirty-five wives were presented with their PHT (Putting Hubby Thru) degrees. Terry Minzer, SGA President, served as master of ceremonies. Roger Harwood, SGA representative, was the principal organizer and planner.

CHEERLEADERS 27
WRESTLING TEAM 0

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