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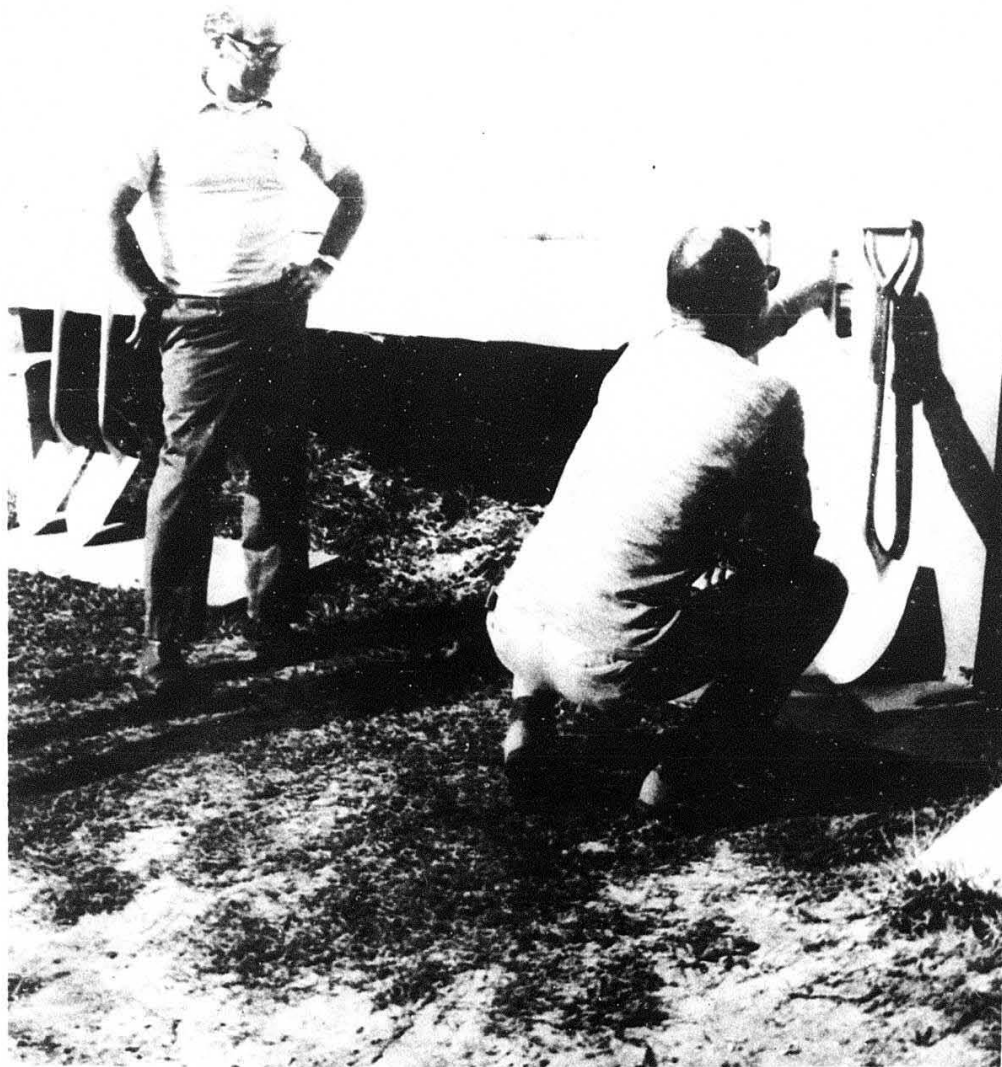
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## SHOVELS PAINTED



LUCIAN RUSSO PAINTS THE GROUNDBREAKING SHOVELS AS JOEY VILECCO LOOKS ON .

On Wednesday March 24, the Roving Eye of the Avion discovered that the shovels to be used in the groundbreaking ceremony for the \$1.4 million Gill Robb Wilson Memorial Aeronautical Science Center will not be gold-plated. The shovels will be spray painted gold.

Reporter Steve Atha

was unable to get a statement from any of the three men who were involved in the actual painting, however, to his trained eye it looked as though they were using an aerosol can, not unlike the type one can purchase at any drug store or 5&10¢ store. This has been unconfirmed, however.

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# SPEAKING OUT

The AVION reserves the right to edit letters as we see fit in accordance with good journalistic practice. All letters must be signed, although names will be withheld upon request from the writer.



## PRESIDENT'S

## CORNER

## LETTERS



I'm sure I speak for the entire S.G.A. when I say we are all deeply greived at the passing of Dr. Lopez. He was one of the first instructors to teach at Embry-Riddle when the school moved to Day-

tona Beach. He stayed with the school through all its growing and troubled times, and it can truly be said that it is instructors like Dr. Lopez that have built this institute into a university. Dr. Lopez was a great educator, and we will miss him.

Stan Widak  
President

Dear Avion,

Why doesn't someone propose to the S.G.A. to allot some money and elect some senator to keep the juke box over at the Student Center up to date and see to it that records are changed frequently? When the S.G.A. elected to buy a juke box they also agreed to make sure it had current records on it. Now why don't they take an extra step and furnish it with an account to which someone would have the authority to go and purchase records for it. Has anyone ever thought of contacting the local radio stations to see if they would donate the "extras" that the recording companies send them when a new record comes out? I think maybe it IS worth looking into.

John Tucker

## 'TAKE THE MONEY AND RUN!!

Bob Duden

The term "pulling the wool over our eyes" is quite outdated, and very appropriate then for this institution. It's colloquialism yes, but in its measured wisdom invariably true. The question then is just how much wool can be pulled, in this case over SGA and administrative eyes, before someone screams.

Point one. Each trimester, under administration coordination and consent, the SGA gives away a number of student aid grants. The sum of each individual grant comes to one hundred dollars, not an overwhelming sum but still a nice piece of change to walk home with, especially when the circumstances are considered.

The work involved to receive a grant is not in question. They are designed to go to deserving students who take the time to fill out the simple appli-

cation form. Yet as apathy, that dirty word again runs around here, only 35 students considered themselves deserving enough to apply. Those 35 applications were then poured over for approval. Eight were to be selected.

At a school such as Riddle, finances appear to be the main constraint to the student body. A little extra cash comes in mighty handy, right? Just how then were those lucky eight elected? Under what was apparently an old system, graft would be about the best way to describe the situation. As I sat writing this article the old system was fortunately changed.

Today, under the system instituted by Bob DeMoss, the new Financial Aid Officer, a point evaluation has been established which gives need where need is due. Each student's application is broken down into a point basis. The points

going for number of dependents, financial need, earnings, G.P.A., and time at Riddle. With this new method, those that really could use the money will get it instead of those that feel they could.

Point two, in the long run, as wool goes that is, more is being pulled in the direction of what is called, "Goodwill." The Daytona Beach Maternity wards are packed week after week with quite a proportion of those born belonging to ERAU wives. Under our present system when a student's wife gives birth, the SGA gives one week's free diaper service. The charge for one week's service is presently \$13.00 plus.

This good will policy has been brought before your senate and will be continued. Along with the floral arrangements, also gifts or goodwill taken from SGA treasury funds, diapers take a weekly slice out of your money.

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## DR. LOPEZ... ...remembering

My most vivid memory of Dr. Jose Lopez concerns my first class day at Embry-Riddle four years ago. It happened in the academic building at the old campus in the big lecture room that is now a tool shed. Our economics 1 class, all 150 of us were herded into the room where Dr. Lopez stood on a raised platform. Looking up at him were 150 bright eager faces ready to absorb the combined economic knowledge of the centuries. Then, he spoke:

"There is one word I want you to all know if you expect to pass this course."

Immediately 150 eager little pens got ready to take the magic word down for posterity.

The word is "esgarsity." One hundred and fifty handy dandy college dictionaries flew open, some students began to make plans for going home and I began penning a letter to my parents explaining that I was going to fail economics and flunk out.

Well, I didn't flunk out and we all learned to recognize that "esgarsity" meant scarcity and the smokers learned to have a spare butt handy. We learned Dr. Lopez was interested in what he was teaching and that he would go to phenomenal length to get it across to you if you were interested enough to go to him for help.

The loss of Dr. Lopez will create an "esgarsity" that we will have a hard time eliminating. We will be missing a dedicated instructor who for five years at Embry-Riddle exhibited an interest and encouragement to his students that any school would have a difficult task in replacing. Gary Anderson

### MAIL TAMPERING

It would be appreciated if all ERAU students checked ONLY their own mailbox - as the instructions stated that were with your combination - there are two in a mailbox. That is SOMEONE else's mail you are poking at beside your buddie's so if it is not your box, leave them alone! Stolen mail gets the U.S. Postal Inspectors upset.

## CONVOCATION INSTRUCTIONS

Students who are participating in graduation ceremonies in cap and gown should pick up their caps and gowns in room 420, Building C, between 10:30 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. on Thursday, April 15, and Friday, April 16. Instructions on turn-in of all academic regalia will be given at that point. These students are requested to appear at Peabody Auditorium no later than 7:15 p.m. on Monday, April 19, for marshalling and one short practice. Gentlemen are requested to wear shirt, tie, dark stockings and shoes.

All other students are required to attend convocation and should arrive at Peabody Auditorium between 8:00 p.m. and 8:30 p.m. on April 19. The ushers will indicate the proper area for guests. Buses will depart Dormitory #1 at 6:45 p.m. and 7:45 p.m. (with stops at Dormitory #2).

Faculty may pick up their gowns at room 420 between 10:30 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., Thursday, April 15 and Friday, April 16. They must be in the foyer of Peabody Auditorium for marshalling no later than 8:00 p.m., April 19.

The platform party will be marshalled in the foyer at 8:30 p.m.. The music starts at 8:40 and the invocation will be pronounced at 9:00 p.m. It is expected that the ceremony will be concluded by 11:00 p.m.

There will be reserved sections for faculty wives and/or administrative per-

sonnel attending convocation. There will also be reserved sections for Board of Trustees, Board of Visitors, and other special groups. See the directory in the lobby and please be seated no later than 8:30 p.m., April 19.

### MAINTENANCE NOTES

1. Students are expected to throw their trash away in the trash cans in the Student Center. If this is not done, the Centers' machines will be closed down.
2. All students are requested to check their OWN mailboxes. If you cannot make it, send your friend to pick up mail at the window with a note and your signature.
3. Students are requested not to enter and depart from their classrooms by way of windows. The frames are being bent.

### COMMENTS

The definition of experience, according to Webster's Collegiate Dictionary, states: direct participation of events, the state or result of being engaged in an activity; knowledge, skill or practice derived from direct participation events. I do not believe that Mr. Bornfield got the correct meaning of this word nor the meaning of my article recently published in the AVION.

One achieves experience by participation, I received my training up

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## There Has Been A Change At HOLIDAY INN WEST

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## ALPHA ETA RHO

by Bob Duden

Like a flash, they came and left, but in the interim, the boys of Rho spent a week and weekend full of excitement. The THEY from the first sentence refers to our yearly visitors from Sigma Chapter at Southern Illinois and with them this time came an uncountable number of the fairer sex. The normally bashful boys here overnight became typical of the wolves den at the Bronx Zoo.

Our northern brothers dragged a brewery along with them and threw parties last Wednesday, Friday, and Saturday. The proverbial breads and booze made for a perfect combination as books just seemed to disappear.

Now that the weather's warmer and our bodies here are still white, you might catch quite a few brothers daily on the beach. That is what is in store for the future anyway.

Last Sunday our ten great men stood alone on the softball field as the Indulgents failed to show. Our fearsome reputation as softballs' greatest defense and the 400 lb. trained-to-kill gorilla we had threatened to bring, probably scared them away.

This past Wednesday, two days ago, the Marines stormed the Rho House. Thanks to brother Gary, the fourth branch of our military made an appearance at the weekly meeting. The talk was enlightening and was also followed by a group sing. A few bars of "Alice's Restaurant" were sung as the Marines marched back out the door.

No sooner did some guests leave as others arrived. Bill Ryan, lovingly referred to as "Billy the Squid" welcomed his home town sweetheart who was down here in Daytona for vacation. The rumors of Bill's secret Christmas wedding were never really killed and the membership intends to watch Ruth Ann and Bill very closely for some tell-tale sign.

Saturday night is the Easter Dance, see you

there, and until next week...who had fun with Wendy last??

## DELTA CHI

This was a rather quiet weekend for Delta Chi probably the lull before the storm. The storm is next weekend when our pledges will start initiation at Gainesville. The pledges obtained a new status which is The Neophyte. A neophyte is lower than the lowest piece of etc., etc. etc. Ask one of our neophytes how low he is! Our neophytes will dress up the campus this week as they must wear shirt and ties until they leave for Gainesville.

Brother Rich Sollen keeps bugging me to announce his engagement to his hometown honey. I'm sorry that this is a little late but anyway, congratulations to Janice DeJohn and Rich Sollen; you've still got time to change your mind, Rich!

The rumor spreading around that we got evicted from our house is true. The landlord says he is losing to much money but we know different. Right now we are rushing around looking for a new house for the summer or something to move into by September. We will miss our beautiful old mansion

with all its assets. And just as we were starting to make friends with the termites.

Well, I'm sorry for the short article this week, but guarantee a bigger for y'all next week, so stay tuned for next week's continuing story....."Will Delta Chi really find a place to live?"

## ALPHA RHO OMEGA

ALPHA RHO OMEGA ANNOUNCEMENT: ALL A&P'S BE AT HOI DAY INN WEST NEXT THURSDAY NIGHT 7:30. PLEASE COME! IT IS IMPORTANT TO YOU. HELP MAKE A&P THE BEST SECTION AT ERAU.



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# SGA MINI-MINUTES

RECORDED BY: J.A. RINKLE

EDITED BY: CHARLES HOOVER

March 30, 1971

The twelfth regular meeting of the SGA Senate was held today in Room 108 with 28 members attending. The minutes of the previous meeting were accepted as written unanimously after Speaker of the Senate Charles Hoover called the meeting to order at 12:15.

President's Report. Senators are requested to act as guides around the various school departments for the Open House to be held from 10 to 2 Sunday, April 18 prior to the Gill Robb Wilson ground-breaking ceremonies.

Student Aid Fund. The Student Aid Fund grants should be released by the end of the week.

Drug Abuse. Dean Spears reported that drug abuse has reared its ugly head once more at ERAU. Currently, three students are in the DeLand County Jail and one student is being detained in Holly Hill. Three are charged with possession of marijuana, one with passing a forged prescription for drugs. Indications are that incidences of drug abuse are on the rise at ERAU. Since these incidents ruin the futures of those involved, costs their families considerable sums, and hurt the reputation of the school and all those connected with it, Dean Spears urged the Senate and all students to personally discourage such activities.

Social Functions. There will be a dance this Saturday, April 3, at the Desert Inn from 8:30 til 2, BYOB, coat and tie suggested, ID card required. Bands will be the Hallelujah Junction and Steam.

New Business. Preregistration: Two or three days before preregistration ends, many courses are filled up. The question was asked if the administration plans on hiring additional instructors.

Graduation announcements read "Institute" on the outside and "University" on the inside, and it is too late to correct them. Jim Frye commented that he would rather have the graduation fee lowered and receive no announcements at all.

Charles Matlock asked why the instructors' names were not included in the fall preregistration schedules. One reason is that it is unknown who will be teaching what next fall. Another reason might have been to even the class loads.

A committee to evaluate the presence of firearms on campus has been formed, consisting of Stan Widak, Charles Matlock, Dan Smock, and Dean Spears; they will be working with President Hunt on this matter.

The meeting was adjourned at 1:30.

## TREASURER'S REPORT

March 12	Balance forwarded		5119.41
	Deposit - SGA fees collected	6683.54	11802.95
	Check 1471 - J. Rinkle - secretary	30.00	11772.95
20	Check 1472 - J. Rinkle - secretary	30.00	11742.95
	Check 1473 - Void		
	Check 1474 - Shagras - band for barbecue	300.00	11442.95
	Check 1475 - Daytona Diaper Service - goodwill - 3 families	33.80	11409.15
	Check 1476 - Wm. McDonald - chicken for barbecue	1250.00	10159.15
	Check 1477 - Knott's Distributors - beer for barbecue	384.86	9774.29
	Check 1478 - City of Daytona - police at Valentine's Dance	62.10	9712.19
24	Check 1479 - R. Van Luven - running projector	3.00	9709.19
	Check 1480 - Swank Motion Pictures	77.91	9631.28
	Check 1481 - Bowman Productions - two bands for April 3 dance	1050.00	8581.28
	Check 1482 - D. Smock - ice for barbecue	4.50	8576.78
	Check 1483 - MAIN FRAME - spring budget	497.50	8079.28

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## MINI-MINUTES CONT'D

March 24	Check 1484 - G. Anderson - baseball umpires	50.00	8029.28
	Check 1485 - Desert Inn - hall rental for April 3 dance	774.80	7254.48
25	Check 1486 - J. Rinkle - secretary	30.00	7224.48
30	Check 1487 - D. Tirado - work at barbecue	7.50	7216.98
	Check 1488 - I. Fletcher - work at barbecue	7.50	7209.48
	Check 1489 - R. Rouse - work at barbecue	7.50	7201.98
	Check 1490 - J. Davis - work at barbecue	7.50	7194.48
	Check 1491 - I. Lind - work at barbecue	7.50	7186.98
	Check 1492 - S. Lopez - work at barbecue	10.50	7176.48
	Check 1493 - G. Brewer - work at barbecue	10.50	7165.98
	Check 1494 - Student Aid - funds collected from traffic fines	150.00	7015.98

## the Baroque Battleship

By now, everyone must have seen and marvelled at the fantastic example of architectural genius acquired by the University. However, to really appreciate this fine example of the architect's art, one must know something of the history of the artist himself.

Ilyamanov Vladimir Rosmenko started his career as the Imperial Naval designer to the Czar during the time of the Russo-Japanese War. Rosmenko provided the designs and ultimately the final product for all the vessels used by the Czar in that unfortunate conflict. History gives us a grim reminder of the fate of the Russian fleet.

Needless to say, Rosmenko was not a favorite at the Russian court after that incident. In fact, he acquired a nickname that would follow him for the rest of his career, "Pinko Rosmenko." Finding the climate too warm in St

Petersburg, Pinko immigrated to America, where he resumed his work.

Rosmenko's next project was the invention of a system of making sea-going vessels unsinkable. His system was employed on that famous unsinkable ship, the Titanic. Oh well, what more can I say? Prior to beginning his career as an architect, Pinko produced a series of revolutionary designs and inventions, to include the following: concrete submarines, iron airplanes and last but not least, lead Zeppelins.

Finally, in his declining years, Pinko Rosmenko almost achieved his most spectacular masterpiece. I say almost, because he passed on before his work was completed. His last work of art was to have been a full sized replica, in plaster and concrete, of the U.S.S. Enterprise. He managed to finish the conning tower section and was due to

start the flight deck when he died. Such a waste of brilliant genius.

Ilyamanov Vladimir Rosmenko's almost masterpiece was acquired for taxes and converted to a residence. You can still see the resemblance to the Enterprise if you look closely and, of course, the naval designer's style and technique are apparent everywhere.

I'm sure I speak for everyone, when I congratulate the farsighted administration for acquiring "the Baroque Battleship," and preserving it for prosperity and art lovers the world over. And, it was such a bargain!

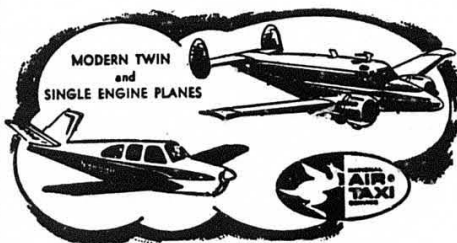
Rich Shoup

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## Safety Tips

by Curtis Poree jr.

What is an ASO?

Prior to my arrival at Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University I fulfilled the position of Aviation Safety Officer at a military Airfield. I have frequently been asked what is an ASO and what does he do? Herewith is a humorous description of an ASO written by an Air Force Aviation Safety Officer whose identity is unknown.

Must be a man of vision and ambition, an after-dinner speaker, before and after-dinner guzzler, night owl, able to travel all day, make out reports all night and appear fresh the next day; learn to sleep on the floor and eat two meals a day to economize on expenses so he can entertain his "friends" on the next trip.

Must be able to entertain wives, sweethearts and mothers without becoming too amorous; date stenographers and at the same time keep out of trouble; inhale dust, drive through snow ten inches deep at ten below and work all summer without perspiring or acquiring B.O.

Must be a man's man, ladies' man, a model husband, a fatherly father, a good provider, a plutocrat a democrat, republican or New Dealer, an Old Dealer and a gast dealer, a technician, a politician, math ematician, an expert airplane and engine mechanic, and be an authority on any thing and everything. Must be a competent stenographer and typist, able to do 150 words a minute and keep a cigar going. Must attend all meetings, conventions, funerals, visit hospitals and jails, contact and sooth feelings of every commander in the Air Force; drive a government car, jeep, truck, tractor, trailer, sweeper, crane palouste unit or oxygen cart, and be readily able to compute mileage drift, ground speed, gas consumption per-block-per-minute wear and tear on tires and depreciation on paint job.

Must have unlimited endurance and frequently over indulgence in wine, women, song, wind, and gab must know wide range of telephone numbers and latest stories. Must own the latest car, an attractive

home, and extensive wardrobe, belong to all clubs, pay all expenses at home plus old age pensions, social security deductions, income tax, sales tax, luxury tax and liquor tax.

Must be able to stick his neck out by answering any question and then pull it back in before it is chopped off. Must be an expert talker, liar, dancer, traveler, bridge player, poker hound, authority on palmistry, chemistry, physiology, psychology, cats, dogs, birth control, etc.; must see all, hear all, know all and be able to say all without telling anything or committing anybody.

## PLACEMENT

Full time student help during the trimester break. If interested, please contact the PLACEMENT OFFICE, as soon as possible for details.

Air frame and powerplant graduates - we have applications for Aero corporation.

All student withdrawal clearance forms are now being initiated in the placement and guidance office. Please note that all students who will not attend ERAU during the summer must process a clearance form. For graduates, please see Mr. Parker approximately one week prior to graduation.

## Goodwill

BY HANK COTHRAN

Greeting from your malcontent, novice, self appointed Ralph Nadar of ERAU.

Our S.G.A. sponsors a program known as "Goodwill". Under this program, you can receive one month of free diaper service if your wife has a baby, get flowers if you or someone in your family dies, or get a free TV if you are in the hospital.

Bachelors cannot benefit from the diaper service. Neither can a married student who does not have a baby while at Riddle.

Hopefully, none of us will end up in the hospital for a prolonged stay. And if we do, we will have to worry about how we are going to pay the bill too much to enjoy television.

In my opinion, flowers do not do much good at a funeral. Expressions of sympathy should be sincere and can be shown in other ways.

Goodwill is an intangible asset. True to form, the S.G.A. has come up with another program that benefits a few at the expense of many.

If the S.G.A. feels that it must BUY goodwill, perhaps it is time for a re-evaluation of the policy and some changes.

Give a damn!

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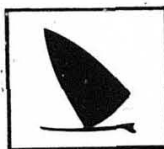
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## VETERANS ASSOC.

Saturday nights' beach party/bbq marked another swinging time for the vets assoc. Two kegs of beer and a BBQ'd pig, a warm bon-fire and good company ensured a great time for all! Look for more of the same in the future, Vets!

Tonight, April 2nd, at 8:00 p.m. is meeting nite. See ya'll at the Boars Head Lounge, Howard Johnsons. Oh yes, beer will again be reduced to 25¢.

All Vets interested in joining, may do so at this meeting. Come on out and see what we can do for you!

## SPEECH FORUM

DATE: APRIL 8th  
TIME: 7:30 P.M.  
PLACE: ACADEMIC COMPLEX  
ROOM 108  
TOPICS:  
PEOPLE POLLUTION  
STUDENT APATHY  
THE GRADING SYSTEM AT  
E.R.A.U.  
STRANGE PHYSICAL PHENOMENA

The speech classes will hold their third inter-class forum on the evening of April 8th. The four classes have each decided on a topic and four students from each class will discuss the topic. A question period will follow each group discussion. The past forums have proved very interesting and have been well attended. Refreshments will be served. All students and friends are invited to attend and take part in the question period.

## ERVAWA

With Easter just around the corner, the ERVAWA went into full swing with plans for an Easter Egg Hunt, as part of the activities of the Vet's picnic on April 11th. Pam Yetman volunteered as Committee Chairman, with Lisa Wolfe offering her help as Assisting Chairman. Suggestions for prizes were numerous, ranging from dinner for 2 at named restaurants to a pair of clackers, from chocolate bunnies to coins of all denominations. It was recommended that any auxiliary member having any suggestions for prizes call Pam at 255-7758.

Final preparations for the hunt will be made on April 9th, at Linda Moores' home with a "bring your own eggs (½ doz. hard-boiled) dyeing party. Linda has graciously extended an invitation to the wives husbands and children. It was decided snacks will be provided, with each family bringing their own refreshments. The party will begin around 7:00 PM. Linda's address is 331 Braddock Ave. Hope to see everyone there.

The next scheduled business meeting will be at DBF on April 13th at 7:30 PM.

*Happiness is...never falling in love again.*

*Happiness is...a lover and good friend combined.*

## COMMENTS CON'T.

north out of one of the 10 most busiest general aviation fields in the country, where we parachuted short field T/off's and landings on a 2000ft. strip with high tension lines at one end and trees directly at the other end.

There was confidence between my instructor and myself. For example, on my first solo x-country he let me go with 5 miles visibility with haze and smoke. Confidence is defined: the state of being certain.

I understand that you consider people who ask for a "crash and dash" are "unprofessional." That statement is from a professional instructor who has 7000 hours and an ATR and used to fly Hercules Transports.

There is another category of pilot. This type does not give a damn. "Hey Joe, my last solo I flew up and down the beach because I didn't feel like practicing."

Once again I say that various types of pilots fly here. Some fly like a chicken with two left feet, and others fly with the skill of an eagle. These talents should not be lumped together in the same category, but be separated so that the advanced student can receive the necessary experience.

Drew Kassal

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## H.D. THOREAU IS A BALLOON

"Professor" Charles E. MacArthur, of MacArthur's balloonworks, Tolland, Connecticut has recently announced the completion of a marvelous new Montgolfier type hot air balloon, capable of supporting three passengers, and named the HENRY DAVID THOREAU. The balloon is a beautiful copper color, and carries as decoration eight black outline figures of animal species now on the endangered list. As one of the eight endangered animals MacArthur has included the human. Color of the balloon fabric is similar in hue to autumn leaves, and circling the equator of the balloon is a black band which some interpret to be a mourning band.

The HENRY DAVID THOREAU is scheduled for use on a college tour this spring, during which MacArthur conducts a training course called SIX DAYS OF AEROSTATICS. While on campus for a week, the balloonist teaches the art of ballooning, with sixteen hours of technical classroom work, numerous actual working sessions with the balloon which allow students and faculty to pilot a captive balloon. In addition, the balloonist appears in the guise of a 19th century Aeronaut in the college theatre in what he calls

a "platform declamation." MacArthur has ballooned from Southern Florida to Northern Alaska. He holds three unofficial world records in aerostatics, the first flight of a hot air balloon above the Arctic Circle, lowest temperature operation of hot air systems and the first recorded balloon ascent from a nudist camp.

During his extensive traveling he has become increasingly disturbed over the disproportionate amount of space, soil and air consumed by the human animal. Reinvestment of fees gained from his ballooning work is leading to production of t-shirts, bumper stickers and picket signs with his original misanthropic messages, such as:

THE PILL OR THE PALL

KICK THE CAN IS NO LONGER A GAME, IT'S A WAY OF LIFE.

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## USAF HOME TOWN NEWS CENTER

Douglas B. Young, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Young Jr., 21732 Knudsen Drive, Grosse Ile, Mich., has been commissioned a second lieutenant in the U.S. Air Force upon graduation from Officer Training school (OTS) at Lackland AFB, Tex.

Lieutenant Young, selected for OTS through competitive examination, is being assigned to Webb AFB, Tex., for pilot training.

A 1966 graduate of Grosse Ile High School, he received his B.S. degree in Aviation Management in 1970 from Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University at Daytona Beach, Fla.

Robert L. Louthen, son of Mrs. Nita Louthen, 3416 Cushing Drive, Columbus, Ohio, has been commissioned a second lieutenant in the U.S. Air Force upon graduation from Officer Training School (OTS) at Lackland AFB, Tex.

Lieutenant Louthen, selected for OTS through competitive examinations, is being assigned to Moody AFB, Ga. for pilot training.

The lieutenant, a 1967 graduate of Chamberlain High School, Tampa, Fla., received a B.S. degree in Aeronautical Engineering in 1970 from Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University, Daytona Beach, Fla.

His wife, Gwyn, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Neil E. Keesler of 1429 W. Yukon St., Tampa.



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# Sports

## From the Dugout

Another heartbreaking loss for the baseball team sports fans. Edward Waters edged the Eagles 2-1 Monday afternoon. Both teams played outstanding defensive baseball and Riddle pitcher, Jim Gorsin threw as well as any pitcher we've seen this year. Tight on hits, Jim threw some stuff that a couple of Edward Waters' players missed by at least three feet. This year's team has suffered massive bad luck and coach DeMoss noted that if something can possibly go wrong, it does. Even the umpire mentioned that he had never seen a team that got more bad breaks on and off the field. For lack of anything more interesting, to do I'll mention some of them:



FISHER CRASHES THE BOX TO SCORE HIS FIRST FOUR-BAGGER OF THE YEAR.

Greg Speck's parachute didn't open and he made a hole in the DeLand runway.

Steve Sullentrup caught a ground ball with his glasses.

Russ Bateson's arm fell off.

Someone painted Bob Duden's glasses black and he didn't realize it for three weeks.

Bill Wurster and Paul Vargo left for Ocala last week and were never heard from again.

## SOFTBALL

Another week fans as only two games were played once again.

The Ballbusters ripped apart Sigma Phi Delta in the first game. This kept the Ballbusters in the running, tied for second with AHP.

The second game was a forfeit victory for the Vets as the "D"-Bags have been eliminated from the league.

AHP took the third game when the Indulgents failed to show up. This kept RHO in the running solidly in second place.

The big game of the day was the last one. The Avion put all their mouths on the line but lost the big one to the Bombers just the same. With the defeat, any hopes of the championship were lost.

It's all up to Delta Chi now who drew this weeks bye. If they stop the Bombers it's a 3 way tie!!

### The Standings

Bombers 6-1  
AHP 5-2  
Ballbusters 5-2  
Avion 4-3  
Delta Chi 3-4  
Vets 3-4  
Sigma Phi Delta 3-5  
Indulgents 1-6  
"D"-Bags - eliminated

The Avion Softball team met defeat last Sunday to a strong offensive Bomber 10. The Bomber's stood up to their name by rapping out one hit after another. Good Luck to the Bombers in their third straight season for the championship. The Avion.



SULLENTROP TAKES STRIKE THREE AGAINST CENTRAL FLORIDA J.C.

## NEW COURSES

Due to the unexpected enrollment for the summer trimester, (801 and 686 pre-registered for summer terms I and II respectively), as compared with a total enrollment of 736 and 720 for term I and II of the 1970 summer trimesters, it became necessary to add additional courses and course sections during and after pre-registration was completed. A list of these courses is given below.

### Term I

Hu-209-01 TTH 4:20-6:00 PM  
MS-100-01 M-F 8:00-9:10 AM  
MS-110-02 M-F 1:20-2:30 PM

### Term II

AE-302-01 M-F 8:00-9:10 AM  
EC210-02 M-F 9:20-10:30AM  
GA-303-01 M-F 2:40-3:50 PM  
HU-208-01 MWF 9:20-10:30AM  
HU-212-02 M-F 9:20-10:30AM  
MS-212-02 M-F 8:00-9:10 AM  
MS-213-01 M-F 1:20-2:30 PM  
MS-313-01 M-F 8:00-9:10 AM

The additional sections are expected to help meet the needs of those students who had difficulty making complete schedules for the summer trimester. Drops and adds for the summer trimester can be made in advance of the summer term. Any students wishing to process drops and/or adds for summer should pick up a drop/add form in the registrar's office as soon as possible.

Although summer drop/adds will be accepted any time prior to the end of the spring trimester, they will likely not be processed through the com-

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## S.G.A. "GALA" DANCE SAT APR. 3

8:30 DESERT INN-BRING YOUR OWN BOTTLE AND RIDDLE I.D.

## MANAGEMENT, AIR SCIENCE or ENGINEERING

I would like to elaborate on the subject of education which I think necessary for future pilots seeking employment in the airline industry.

I have discussed with some prominent personnel and McDonnell Douglas the subject of which route would be best for young people to take who seek employment as airline pilots. I feel pilots will be flying more sophisticated equipment and as avionics advances, the accent will be on computers along with complex electrical components.

Therefore, in my opinion, besides earning the rating required, it would be to one's advantage to have a firm background in computer, electrical, or aerospace engineering. Stop and think of the requirements for today's test pilots and also think in terms of the future. I surely don't claim to be any expert on this subject but am only a typical everyday student here to learn and I am attempting through this article to open up new avenues of thought to concerned students.

To get my point across more accurately, what good is an Air Science degree? Yes, it assists the student in obtaining all his desired ratings in hopes that he'll be a much more capable, proficient, and more informed pilot than the average Joe Pilot.

Maybe that's all he wants. Individual goals vary widely. But for you students who are really serious about flying as a career, even though their hopes may be way down at this time, they should keep striving and not give up. They should search for something better. Anything that is worth while does not come easily.

Especially you pilots, think more towards an engineering curriculum rather than air science. Some of you no doubt will ask what good is an engineering curriculum or how does it relate to flying itself. All I ask at this point is just THINK and THINK HARD. You'll be surprised! Engineering is a discipline as is Air Science, but compare the two. Consider all aspects such as depth, scope and challenge. By all means

research it out. It's never too late to change! There are many careers open to the graduate engineer, more so than the Air Science graduate. Suppose you were to become disabled so that you could never fly again. Then what? Well you have a minor in management but take a look at all the people floating around who have a bachelor's degree in management or even a masters. The airplane is a product of engineering and the true pilot should make every effort from both the pilot's and engineer's standpoint to understand the airplane. The results will in all probability make you a better well informed pilot and the self-satisfaction derived from this is tremendous. So give some thought and consideration to this; it won't kill you.

What I have said here many of you may feel I'm all wet but as a fellow student who is concerned, I felt it necessary to explain myself in some way which may help you.

So, as the regular school year draws close to a conclusion, it now comes time for self-evaluation. Ask yourself a few questions keeping the above mentioned in mind.

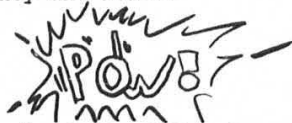
### COURSES CONT'D

puter until the official drop/add period of the first week of summer classes. This means that billing changes will not be made until the official drop/add period.

### MONEY CONT'D

Now granted, many students here are married and have children but what is the percentage? Nowhere even close to 50%. Therefore if you wish to rationalize, it's the minority of students here that benefits from your trimesterly fee.

To put all this together, how many of ERAU's students actually know where their money goes? Don't guess, it's all too few. And so, until someone wishes to take some interest in his own money the present situation will continue. Just take the money and run...



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