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DORM I STILL WAITING

One month ago Thursday the Dorm Council had a meeting with Dean Spears and Dean Mansfield. At that meeting the subject of unlimited visitation in Dorm I (on weekends) was the major topic.

Both Dean Spears and Dean Mansfield said that they felt a bargain must be made: If the residents of the dorm could comply with all regulations, they would have enough evidence of the maturity of Dorm I residents to grant such rights.

The month is up and there was not one violation. The dorm council has been pressured by the more militant students to tell the administration that they are fed up with being treated like children, and having someone constantly buzzing, knocking, and asking about their company.

The majority of the students feel that no major upheaval will take place with a new policy. It only means that the hours between 2-6 AM are now free of administrative hassles - most dates have to be home before 2 AM anyway.

The only thing the Dorm II residents want is the recognition of their maturity, which they proved.

A Dorm Resident Speaks

"Our part of the bargain is fulfilled. Will you, the Administration, say what you made us sacrifice? We're sorry if we took you literally - because we did.

Please don't disappoint the Dorm residents. Some of them have reached the boiling point. They were there a month ago, but were temporarily placated by the knowledge that adulthood was in the offing.

Don't put off a bargain that was made - we do our part by being adults - don't treat us like children."

DORM II ERUPTS

In keeping with long term scholastic tradition, the mid-semester faucet for steam release was opened this past Sunday night, as the mounting frustrations of the Dorm II students to handle.

The invasion of privacy to allowing students to be "decided" March 14th, but 7 days earlier E-RAU has the opportunity to vote. Will you vote? Will you vote? Will you vote?

Dean Spears arrived like the cavalry,just in the nick of time. Within an hour the Dean had instituted law and order with efficient use of the security forces under his command. On duty at the time was security guard Bill Corey. Bill was interviewed shortly after the event by the AVION that for awhile things looked pretty bleak, but when Dean Spears intervened quiet was quickly restored. The Dean, armed with fifty dollar fines for the use of fireworks, hit the crowd where it hurt the most, right in the pocketbook.

PROJECT SEVENTH OF MARCH

Who do you want for leader? Will we have bus-sing or not? Do you want Muskie, Jackson, Humphrey, Medover, Wallace, Lindsey, Shirley Chisholm, Vance Hartke, or Sam Yorts? How about adding a state student loan system to the ballot? CBS News has expressed an interest in this program. So have the candidates, elected officials and "retired" officials. All the above have endorsed the project as the only means of getting the students' feelings. So let us show them we care.

All these issues are to be "decided" March 14th, but 7 days earlier E-RAU has the opportunity to add its, and your, voice to a statewide Student Poll. Bring your voter registration card to the Student Center next Tuesday between 9:30 and 4:00.

Dance Sat.-9 Pm. at Desert Inn
The SGA President’s Corner

Well, it’s party time again, and I am cordially inviting all students, faculty and administration members to attend the dance on March 4, 9 PM, at the Main Ballroom in the Desert Inn, ID cards are required. Any student wishing to bring more than one guest to the dance should come by the SGA office and request permission to do so. During the last social function there were some students and non-students of the University who used another student’s ID card to gain access to the dance. To be fair with your fellow students, in the future, disciplinary action will be taken for any violation of or misuse of student ID cards.

On Feb. 25, we had the opportunity to send to Florida Atlantic University ten delegates from Embry-Riddle Student Court to attend the first State Judicial Conference. We received the benefits and suggestions from many State Government Officials who offered conference lectures at this assembly. The tuition increase was the best written, legally and realistically, of any constitution presented before the conference assembly. The SGA President, Frank A. Mayer, moved and seconded the motion to increase the tuition by 4%. Motion was made and seconded that the increase be voted upon this motion. The motion was then passed on January 12, 1971, and we were not members of the board at the time. This meeting authorized the administration to increase the tuition if deemed necessary. But in case of any further increase in tuition, your student representatives on the Executive Board will be able to voice their opinion.

The AVION would like to thank the Maintenance Men across the yard for all their help and cooperation. Thanks for always being there when we need you.

Florida’s sultry days of summer appear to be here at last. Unfortunately, the pleasant beach weather coincides with our mid-terms. In decision arounds when a choice has to be made between the books and the sand.

Kick-backs galore: it appears that my opinions on the Goodyear Slipp were both uncalled for and unsupported. The space in our parking lot is donated due to the contributions Goodyear has made to Embry-Riddle in the past. I’m sure that more adequate space could be given to them though, so as to satisfy both their needs as well as ours.

To all students who feel left out, the SGA has put together another spectacular dance. Scheduled for this Saturday, March 4th at 9PM, the Desert Inn will once again be the location. It appears that our new social functions committee is hard at work erasing any doubts about their management capabilities.

Saturday’s twilight witnessed the fall of ERAU’s Varsity Baseball debut. Poor attendance quite possibly added to the mistake filled ball game, as only twenty odd people made the drive across town to the Beach, Cookman, and P.Mid. In spite of the outcome, a few fans might have had the time of their lives. If the Eagles are to continue getting monetary support from the administration, they will need physical support from the students. Why not try to help them?

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.

The opinions expressed in this paper are not necessarily those of the University or all members of the student body, nor do letters appearing in The AVION necessarily reflect the opinion of this newspaper or its staff.

The AVION is a publication for Embry-Riddle students partially financed by the Students’ Activity fee through the Student Government Association. Articles may be submitted to the AVION for publication by the administration, the faculty, and the student body. The AVION deadline is every Monday afternoon on the first floor in the Student Union. Please mark all items AVION, and deposit in the box at the door, the suggestion box, or ERAU box 1588.

The SGA President’s Corner
The steak was delivered along with the wine— which was warm. You did not have to go to the Vet's wine tasting party to know that Rosé's wine is chilled before drinking, but apparently the Pumphouse is still ignorant to that fact.

The steak was very good, now that we can look back on it objectively. At the time we were so angry that it didn't make any difference.

We can say that the Pumphouse is a nice place to sightsee. The place is done in a western style-gaudiness that the management must be very proud of because the place is lit up with no less than ten thousand candle power. We recommend sunglasses.

The bill came to about $20. We should have been reimbursed for all the waiting we did.

The Pumphouse has its problems. It is a potential good eating place and if the service improves about one hundred percent, we might try it again. Better get hoppin'...

John Storm

Dear Avion-

Come on! Is it true that the Senior Party will only have peanuts and potato chips for parents, friends, faculty and students to nibble on? How ridiculous can you get?

Every drinker knows that when you drink you must eat. Not only does it stave off cirrhosis, but it helps make the drive home considerably safer.

Besides, what kind of a graduation party is it that offers no hors d'oeuvre—Swedish meatballs, cheese and crackers—sweet and sour meat tidbits? This college graduation is the first and last one I'll be attending—and I want it to be first class.

Mr. Cothran—what are you doing? Do you know?

John Storm

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**GUIDANCE**

Upon receiving word from the Veteran's Administration, Mr. Ledewitz, Director of Counseling and Guidance, has found that benefits are available for veterans who are in need of tutoring.

Special tutoring assistance is provided for eligible veterans who are students at Embry-Riddle and who are failing a required subject. Payments are made to the veteran for his tutoring expenses after receipt of his request, for a maximum period of nine months.

The Veteran's Administration does not approve the applications and payment for this assistance until "after the fact." Once your "need" is established by the Veteran's Administration and the Embry-Riddle certification is completed, you can receive reimbursement. Mr. Ledewitz hopes that veterans who are eligible for this service and who need tutoring assistance will take advantage of the new tutoring program. Anyone who is interested may apply at the Counseling and Guidance Office.

**placements office**

The Navy Fly Team will have a jet aircraft at Volusia Aviation March 6, 7, and 8 for those students who qualify for a test ride.

Martin Marietta's Orlando Division will hire 350-400 engineers in this year, and "several hundred" other workers, according to a news item in the Orlando Sentinel. The GRAD system literature has been received for those graduates wishing to submit a resume to them. This can be done two weeks prior to graduation. Stop in my office and pick one up if you so wish.

**JOBS IN ALASKA**

Jobs in Alaska, South America, Australia, and Europe are available. Wages range from $700 to $1300 per month. For information write: Overseas Job Referral Box 1581, Hartford, Conn. 06103. Please include one dollar to cover postage and handling.

**CRITIQUE**

Major obstacles for Bob Minke are in going to the Atlanta AIAA conference, please give me your name and there will be room for you.

Doug Lloyd

**CONSUMER CORNER**

Try Ray's Meat Market for fantastic (and cheap) meat. The beef is western choice and is trimmed of bone and fat much more closely than in local supermarkets.

The market offers pork, chicken (big fat ones for 29c a lb.), and almost anything else you desire. If you have a freezer, the market sells large or quarters of beef.

Things that caught the AVION'S eye were the cleanliness of the place, the friendly, personal service, extra cheap prices, and even free dog bones.

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Sigma Phi Delta

Well, here we are again after a round of mid-term tests. We hope everyone did well, and for you who didn't, there is another chance in about seven weeks.

Sigma Phi is hanging in there with our softball team. We're at 0 and 2, but our strategy is to let the other teams become overconfident. However, the fellow who said "It's not whether you win or lose," must have not lost many games.

The pledge class is advancing at a fine pace. We have some activities planned for them tonight, and we're sure they are going to enjoy them.

If any of you engineers out there have any bitches, gripes, or suggestions on any subject ranging from curriculum to social functions, contact your representatives to the SGA Senate. They are Charles Matlock, Richard Shaffer, Brett Spitalny, and Mike Voulo. They can help you while you help them.

We would like to express our appreciation to Henry Cooper. He has done much for Sigma Phi and we're going to miss him. Good luck, Henry.

So hit the books next week, keep smiling!

Alpha Rho Omega

On Feb. 28, Alpha Rho Omega played WMFJ in a basketball game. Due to the superhuman efforts of our players, we won the game 73-72. All fraternity members who desired to play had ample opportunity.

Saturday at 9 AM Alpha Rho Omega played the "Old Timers" in a pick-up softball game. Sunday, Alpha Rho Omega met the Sigma Chi forces.

A highlight of the Feb. 24th meeting was a talk by Frank Impagliazzo on his recent trip to Chicago. On this trip, Frank investigated Delta Air Lines and employment opportunities. Short haircuts and conservative appearance are a must for applicants. Martin Avsec and Jim Baerwolf showed films on the Boeing 727 and Boeing 737. Both were interesting and informative.

Persons interested in Alpha Rho Omega contact Norm Henkel, Box 781.

Delta Chi

Our third annual "Spring Night" was held last Friday. This is an evening in which most of the pledges and brothers got to meet each other informally; in this case over two kegs worth. Paul Barry and Company went to great lengths to acquire some new pledge education films. I'm sure they planted some new thoughts in several people's minds. All in all, a rather busy night, to say the least.

Sunday saw Delta Chi defeat the Broken Bats. However, there's more to it than that. In extra innings we overcame a 7-1 deficit to tie and then win the game by a score of 9-7. It's just too bad that it didn't win out.

One thing from tomorrow and counting is our much anticipated chartering banquet. Invitations are out and all is ready. Now that all remains is the quick passage of one week.

One pledge class remains and is established at 16. They have had several fruitful work days at the house with the brothers and are now selling refreshments at the weekly Sunday softball games.

Watch out for the other guy! See ya next week.

Sigma Chi

The past couple of weeks have been pretty hectic for the brothers and pledges of Eta Iota. The weekend of Daytona 500 saw all of us trying to earn money for the refinishing of our chapter house. The excellent participation of the brothers and pledges made the event a smashing success. On Saturday we held a very profitable car wash at our house. We were successful in returning the shine to about a hundred and fifty cars. Also on that day and on Sunday we parked cars at the races. When all of the final receipts were in we had achieved nearly fifty percent of our goal. A special thanks goes out to Mark Ropp and his excellent leadership during the fund raising.

Congratulations to our softball team for their victory this weekend. The softball team's future looks promising with that victory. Brother Skip Beard is the man behind our athletic success.

This Saturday will see the members of Eta Iota out in force collecting for the United Way. This is just one of Sigma Chi's many contributions to the welfare of our community. We are also in the planning stages for our spring Easter Seal Drive. More on the Easter Seals will be mentioned in later weeks.

Our pledges are hard at work into their fourth week of their pledge period. We have a pledge class of 21, all under the watchful eye of brother Jim McCarthy. Between him and his assistant, Terry Gardner, they have their job cut out for them.

Until next week, the brothers of Sigma Chi wish all of you a very pleasant weekend.

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Lambda Chi Alpha

Officials from Lambda Chi Alpha Fraternity Head-quarters in Indianapolis Indiana instituted its newest colony voluntary at 200 at the home of President Hunt. This graciously offered home became the scene of a day-long program, culminating with the installation ceremonies of the following men: William Ryan, Edward Bular, Les Williams, Stan Peine, Louis Arroyo Anthony Silber, John Cober, James Baerwolf, Thomas Morgan, Mr. B. Lamar, Clay Owen, Robert Spielman, and Michael McCarthy.

We are now brothers in the fourth largest national social fraternity in the US and will join the over 200 chapters across the nation. This never-ending search for new brothers has rewarded the Fraternity with a cross section of men deeply devoted to their fellow man and with a great interest in their country. We are extremely proud of our affiliation and brotherhood with Lambda Chi Alpha and will earnestly strive to maintain their far-reaching goals.

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I used to be a nothing - a little short, fat, whiny kid from Milwaukee with a running nose. I was a real thorn in your mother's side, a regular down-and-out; a disgrace to any neighborhood, and not at all beloved in the neighborhood.

Then something happened. I became educated.

It all began in high school when I dropped out of P.S. 184 and enrolled in what must have been the first Alternative School. In the swamps of Milwaukee, everyday after school, we used to go down to Lake Michigan. One afternoon, I met my friend Norman, lighting up. On the cover of his matchbook it said "Finish High School." "Let me see that," Norman said to him. "Okay," Norman said to me.

And as I lit my weed, I opened the book of matches and read on: "Are you tired of being a nothing, a little short, fat, whiny kid from Milwaukee with a running nose, a real thorn in your mother's side, a regular down-and-out, a whiney-out, a has-been who never was, and not at all beloved in the neighborhood? Then finish High School in your spare time. You can't get anywhere without a High School diploma. Write away right away."

So right away I wrote away. A few weeks later my info arrived in a plain brown wrapper. "What's in the plain brown wrapper," my mother asked. "Just some obscene literature," I told her. "Okay," she said. "Just as long as it isn't any of the correct pondence school stuff." I promised her it wasn't and the next day dropped out of school everyday, between the hours of 7:45 A.M. and 4:30 P.M., I'd sit on the banks of Lake Michigan and do my assignments diligently, taking only an hour out for lunch.

A few months later, my diploma from Matchbook High School with my name magic-marked in arrived. And now hangs proudly over my Father's pipe rack.

Upon discovering there was no Matchbook College, I enrolled at the state university and took classes in physics, freshman English and animal husbandry, and then it came in the mail. A pamphlet proclaiming: "Instant Learning -- courses that turn your tape recorder into an automatic learning machine." Shaking with excitement, I read on. "Now! Electronic Technology gives you a New Way To Learn Any Skill You Wish -- so easily -- so quickly -- so automatically -- so perfectly and permanently that it will take your breath away."

I gasped. Could this be true? Could this be from those nice people who brought me Matchbook High School? And, if I, as the pamphlet promised, "be turned into a walking encyclopedia to whom your friends and business associates will turn as a final authority on virtually any point," I decided to sign up then and find friends and business associates later.

I dropped out of college. I sold my dorm and got all this in two quick events:

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And I revitalized, as the ad promised, "My marriage into a thrilling daily experience." It all worked. And I wasn't even in business or married. Only $9.98 per tape.

I learned how to develop my "Creative Mind Power" as I began to "Liberate the Creative Flow Beethin Within You!" I learned to "Defend Yourself Against The Human Parasites Who Want to Rule You. Life and, before you could say $9.98, I forgot my "feelings of inadequacy" and learned how to "try open the clenched fists of control the people wrap around you!"

Right after while, while I was asleep, I began to double my power to learn (In Just A Single Weekend) I brought the "Magic of Mystic Power" into my life. I learned how to "avoid lawyer" to my way out of fatigue, cast astrological horoscopes, write articles that sell" and "Give The Magic of Push-Button Self-Hypnotism," started to shed pound after pound, "You'll Be More Alive, More Alert, More Attractive to the Opposite Sex, And All for Only $9.98.

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Now I can do anything, I am the American Dream. I'm happy, I'm rich, I have control over people, I know everything you always wanted to know about ever-
STUDENTS
Flight students have lately been suffering through an unnamed bureaucrat's seemingly arbitrary and inconsiderate new policy. This policy requires all students to arrive at the flight line and personally (as opposed to telephoning) cancel flights (dual and solo) due to weather.

This lack of consideration for the student's position came to light when a student had to drive from Ormond Beach to the flight line to say "cancel me out," and then drive all the way back home. He had called the flight line and the weather wasn't predicted to become flyable for solos until noon. He was scheduled for 8 o'clock. It does not take a barrel full of brains to see that this student was unreasonably inconvenienced and spent much time, money, and school spirit complying with the new policy. He was told that the alternative was being charged with a "No Show." For an easy-going guy, our friend was pretty hot.

He pointed out that no gripes would be justified if his had been a dual flight. He could have gotten an oral or perhaps a GAT period from his instructor. He realized that the instructors have to make a living, and that weather periods affect them financially. So he wouldn't have been excited about coming to the flight line for a cancelled dual period.

Another student rode the bus over from Dorm II. He cancelled and almost drowned waiting for the bus back (funny thing how weather days and rain go hand in hand). We think that one such trip to the line in a pouring rain would make the originator of this policy withdraw it. The only reason we can come up with for this policy is the attitude of "I have to be here and you might as well be too." The time spent traveling to and from the line and personal cancellation would make the originator of this policy withdraw it. The only reason we can come up with for this policy is the attitude of "I have to be here and you might as well be too." The time spent traveling to and from the line (and drying off) could be spent on studying: an item that bureaucrats don't worry about anymore. Flying is only one part of the student's life—so his weather time can be certainly utilized in other areas.

Another consideration is the attitude of the flight student. He often completes flight training and then transfers to academics. With this new thorn in his side he will judge all of E-RAU in the same light, and leave.

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ATTENTION ALL TEAMS!!

If your game is scheduled for 12:15 on any of the game dates, remember, it is a misprint on the schedule. The games will be played at 12:45.

Sunday, Feb. 27, turned out to be a beautiful day for softball. At 9:00, Sigma Chi and Alpha Rho Omega met on the diamond. At 9:45, the score was 24 to 2. Sigma Chi scored five runs in the first inning and 9 runs in the second and third innings. Needless to say Sigma Chi crushed Alpha Rho Omega.

At 10:15, the undefeated Vets went against the "Oldtimers." The Vets scored all their runs in the first five innings. The "Oldtimers" rallied in the sixth inning but fell short by five runs. The rally was a futile attempt as the Vets rolled over the "Oldtimers" by a score of 10 to 5.

The third game started at 11:30 as AHP National well, and took full advantage of breaks and errors.

Riddle, already beset with injury problems and sore arms in the pitching staff, suffered a serious loss when third baseman Roger Fisher was spiked in the second inning. Fisher required six stitches and will be out of action for about 10 days.

Fritz Pederson got the starting nod, but was driven from the mound in the second inning. Rich Santanna came in with the bases loaded and retired Cookman with one pitch: a fly ball to short center.

Both pitchers were working with only one day of rest.

The game went into overtime and Delta Chi pulled the rug out from under the seemingly overwhelming "Broken Bats" score. Just before the time I began thinking that it was all over, Delta Chi upset the apple cart and scored six runs in the bottom of the two innings. This made the score 9 to 9 in the last inning.

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Please note that the time of the baseball game Saturday, March 4, with F.T.U. has been changed to 7:30 at Tinker Field in Orlando.

**BASEBALL**

by Coach Brown

Embry - Riddle was soundly defeated Sat, 11-1, by Bethune Cookman. Cookman hit the ball well, and took full advantage of breaks and errors.

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The dynamic, new International Students Association held its elections at the home of faculty advisor to foreign students, Mr. Jeff Ledewitz, on Feb. 23. The following students were elected: Alexander Rodriguez, President; Bill Bolton, Treasurer; Marcelo Rey, publicity; Anne Irving, Secretary; and Robert Sabella, soccer team coach.

The Association was organized three weeks ago by 22 E-R students representing North, Central, and South America, Europe, Africa, the Middle East, and India. It was created to provide a social organization and service club for international students here. There are approximately 80 students at E-R now from foreign countries.

The meeting lasted about one hour and was followed by an informal party. The members provided their own beverages and Mrs. Betty Ledewitz served a snack.

Israeli - American Joseph Stein, who studied accordion in Israel, exploded into a fiery "hora." Chairs were pushed back, and Eilon Krugman-Kadi, another Israeli student, led the circular, Jewish folk dance.

Following this exhibition, Telmo Guevara of Ecuador and Alexander Rodriguez of Peru dashingly executed a tango, and the spotlight shifted to Puerto Rican Noel Colon, who is a terrific guitarist. The rest of the membership joined in on many familiar songs.

The International Students Association is looking for a place to hold its Wednesday night meetings. Any student may join the International Students Association by signing the membership roster. Students from the USA are welcome. If interested, please contact the secretary, E-R box 657.

MODEL AIRPLANE CLUB

It has come to our attention that there are many E-R students around campus who are interested in model airplanes, but are reluctant to join our club because of their inexperience in building models or in flying them. You do not have to be an experienced modeler to be welcome to our club. We are dedicated to the promotion of the hobby, and that includes helping others get started. We have experts in most phases of building and flying who are anxious to share their knowledge with others, so if you are a beginner, come by and let us help you, or if you are already an expert, come by and share your experience with us. We'll be glad to have you. Our next meeting will be held at 7:00 PM, March 6, Building A, Room 102. Also, we fly in the Academic Complex Parking Area on Sunday afternoons. You are welcome to stop by and discuss modeling with us there.

Plans for the Third Annual Eagle - Beagle Model Airplane Contest have been completed. The contest will be held April 29&30 in the Complex Parking Area. This is an AMA Class AA control line contest and will attract modelers from all over the Southeast. A breakdown of the various events will be published in a later edition of the AVION; however, anyone interested in participating in the contest should start preparing now. Additional info can be obtained at our club meeting or by addressing a note to ERAU Box 296.
Getting It Together
by John Eaton

I have been talking about involvement these past couple of weeks and the Dorm Council of Dorm I is a fine example of the point I've been trying to express.

We have been involved in many productive issues regarding the needs and benefits of the residents of Dorm I, and so far have proven to the Administration and to the Resident Manager, Fred Arabab, that the present Dorm Council is more organized and more effective, through our concern, than others in the past. That, in itself, was the only valid argument presented to the Administration - that the former Dorm Council could not live up to their responsibilities.

Presently our main issue is bringing about 24-hour visitation on weekends, beginning 6 PM Friday and ending 11 PM Sunday. With the Administration's advice, we agreed to a two week trial period, under the existing visitation hours. We passed this test with flying colors. Another meeting is scheduled for Wednesday the 33th with the Administration to represent our request. At this meeting, we will see if they live up to their part of the agreement.

News of this meeting will appear next week. Through much determination and effort we are fairly optimistic of the outcome.

We held another meeting with Dave Harvey, the Secretary of the SGA, and Linn Henry, the Chairman of the SGA, and it became apparent that we would receive any support we needed from the SGA and, in their opinion, favorable consideration of the Board of Trustees!

With the incoming residents of Dorm II, change is even more necessary in order to accommodate the needs of the "impressive, funded, Flight Line; not to mention the increase in tuition for the present students. Now, I can't really say that a new A&P hangar is less important than a Student Center, because I don't know which one the A&P students need. All I can say is that with a Student Center/Cafe- teria, the majority would benefit enormously. The increased enrollment and finances would then solve problems for specific students. I admit that I don't know all there is to this issue, so please return the poll below to the Student Center or to my box, Box 4498, or to the AVION. This will be a good indication of how much ACTUAL influence we really do have - provided we ALL get involved and speak our minds!

While I'm on the subject of "speaking our minds", I'd like to extend my admiration to the residents of Dorm II for the good example of "speaking their minds" last Sunday night. Don't get us wrong, I don't like to combine such action. I do feel though, that this is a good indication of what's to come from rising student unrest and frustrations.

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The current G.I. Bill is not as equitable as those of the past. Education costs have soared while the "bill" hasn't. Talk to any World War II or Korean veteran, he will probably think your tuition is getting paid and that you are getting a subsistence allowance as well, which was the treatment he received. We all know how far our check goes today, not near so far, after tuition and books; pickings if any are mighty slim.

Among the proposals to be pushed are: increase benefits from 36 to 48 months; authorize payments for tuition, fees, books, and supplies; an overall 20% increase of payments; and an advance payment program to help a Vet make his first tuition payment (remember that long wait for the first check). The foregoing proposals outline some of the weak areas of the current "Bill." We realize that all of the proposals will probably not become a reality, however all of the area must be prodded to see where advances can be made. We are not asking for overstuffed inflationary legislation only fair and equitable treatment. Doesn't it make sense to have a Vet with a trade working rather than a Vet drawing unemployment? Most of us are all too aware of the fact that most of the good jobs went to the boys on the "block" while we were doing our thing.

We need a lot of support from all the Vets on campus, and petition will be circulated to all Vets Association members via their school mailbox. Petitions will also be available at different points around campus including the Vet's bookstore. So if you're a Vet, whether a member of the club or not, please grab one and get as many signatures as you can from friends, neighbors, and students. Remember, they do not have to be Veteran's to sign.
ERAU-VWA
by Susan Mackay
A wonderful thing has happened to our club. We will be having all our meetings at the Lakeview Mobile Home Recreation Building! The entrance to the park is on Reed Canal Road just before it intersects with Nova Road in the South Daytona area. Al’s Market is at the intersection of Reed Canal Road and Nova Road and there’s a cement plant on the corner. The next meeting, on March 14th, will be held here, and will begin at 7:30 PM. We will have nominations and elections of the officers for the new term, so please try to come. We’ll also plan a bake sale. We need your favorite recipes, so bring them with you on the 14th.
We’re still collecting aluminum cans with the collection center at Pam’s Van’s home at 312 Pletcher or you can bring your savings to the meeting. We had a number of new faces at our last meeting. If you haven’t come to a meeting, please do! The “New Faces” keep coming back, so the club must be a good thing! If you have any questions, call Lisa Wolff at 252-5686. Your husband must be a veteran for he does not have to be a member of the Emby-Riddle Veteran Club. At our last meeting, we enjoyed an informative talk by Dr. David L. Siegel, a local gynecologist, and a film on cancer.
On March 14th, drop everything and be at Lakeview Mobile Home Park at 7:30 PM!

LETTERS TO THE AVION CONT.

Dear Avion,
On Sunday night, Feb. 28, there was a rumour around campus that Dorm II was to be reconstructed. D-Day, an event that brought forth both the Daytona Police and part of our beloved administration.

It may seem funny that I should be writing an open letter concerning Dorm II, but it got back to me that chances for Dorm I’s tentative 24 hour privileges were seriously set back. It is the feeling of the Dorm Council that Dorm I was in no way related to or responsible for Dorm I’s action and feels resentment towards the administration (President Hunt) for even considering this incident in his consideration for our 24 hour privileges.

Although we don’t exactly condone the action of Dorm II, it is none of our concern. When Dorm II is vacated, some of those students will be residing with us and our Council will take the responsibility of seeing that they regulate themselves just as we regulate ourselves now.

Dorm I is finally beginning to get well organized, and the privileges and better living conditions we are working toward depends on each individual cooperation. As long as Dorm I regulates itself, things will continue to get better, but let it be known now that we regulate only ourselves, not students that live off campus or in Dorm II.

Don Coleman, Dorm I Dorm Council President, on behalf of the residents of Dorm I.

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