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Next Friday is the blood drive. It promises to be the most successful yet.

Last Tues the ERAU 500 netted 360 pints of life-giving blood for the Volusia County Blood Center. Needless to say we were tickled red with the outstanding participation at ERAU, but now we have a chance to outdo ourselves.

Four hundred pints of blood is not an unreasonable goal for this drive. It will be held for two days, March 16 & 17, between the hours of 9:00 AM and 3:00 PM. We were successful in obtaining room 110 in the Academic Complex. This should be more convenient for students, faculty, and staff.

In addition to our goal of 400 pints of blood, we are trying to get more participation from the faculty and staff of the school. In the past this has been a weak point in our drive. We encourage everyone connected with ERAU to participate. There is no truth to the rumor that you have to be Irish to give; everyone is welcome.

As in the past there will be prizes, lots of them, such as dinners, shows, and gift certificates. The grand prize hasn't been finalized yet but it promises to be outstanding.

In keeping with the tradition of the holiday, we'd like to see everyone wear green. Try to get some spirit started. As usual, the fraternities are encouraged to promote the drive and participate by competing for the blood drive trophies.

If we all work together and put forth a little effort, we can reach our goal. It takes very little time, doesn't hurt, and is a rewarding experience. The blood we donate could be the pot of gold at the end of the rainbow for a loved one or a needy person somewhere. So, let's get out and give next week. Believe it or not you'll feel better in the long run. We will even make a guarantee; you won't turn green!

The ERAU Blood Drive Committee awarded scholarships to eight deserving students this past week. Presented to senior Roland Sicotte was a full scholarship for the academic year starting in Sept., 1971 and ending in April, 1972. This award will cover full tuition in recognition of his outstanding efforts as a student here. This was also the only full scholarship awarded.

One hundred dollar scholarships were also awarded to the "rising" sophomores of the sophomore and junior classes and to the top students in the Division of Maintenance Technology and the Division of Flight Technology. John Pierce was the sophomore receiving the scholarship. Paul Rehder was awarded the junior scholarship. In the Maintenance Technology division and the Flight Division, Norman Hankel and Michael Oliver received scholarships.

Three other awards were granted, two of those were $300 Zonta Scholarships for women. Nancy Lucas and Vickie Smith received the awards. The final scholarship was given to Embry-Riddle by the Volusia County International Relations Club. It will be presented to Fred Abal at the club's next meeting.
Hi guys, the score is still Lions-5, Christians-0. Flash: We are having some more domestic training films this Trimester. The films will be shown right after a business meeting at the recreation hall over at Lakeview Mobile Home Park. Show up about 8PM (Friday) - there will be free beer for all members. Also, watch your mailboxes for details of a dinner dance we have coming up Saturday the 18th of March. The dance will be at the Club Morocco with live music, a buffet, and a rumored two hundred dollars in door prizes. The deadline for reservations is Tuesday, the 14th of March. You may make your reservations anytime before then over at the used bookstore.

Our volleyball team finished up their season last week with a record of two wins - three losses - two hard wins and lots of fun. A vet's club thanks go to all you players, supporters, and especially to the captain, big Frank Melody. Our softball team is still hanging in, tied for first place. Don't forget about the movie tickets that are available at the used bookstore; for $1.25 you can get a ticket to any show at the Daytona Theater.

The petition drive for increased Veteran educational benefits that I mentioned last week is in high gear this week and going well. If you haven't signed the petition, or would like to help us get signatures, we would appreciate your stopping by the bookstore and letting us know; we'll fix you up.

That's all for this time. Drive carefully - and let me assure you there is no truth to the rumor that Bob Tadak is going to be the consulting physicist for ERAU.

There is no truth to the rumor that Embry-Riddle is merging with the Army, Air Force, Navy and U.S.M.C.
The SGA President's Corner

I have talked with Malcom Jones, who is on the county commission, and he informed me that the lease for building 12, which is to become the Student Beer Hall, is to be on the agenda this Friday, and we should know by next week whether the lease has been approved. If it is approved, we can anticipate an opening within 30 days after receipt of the legal lease.

I would like to extend on behalf of the SGA a most sincere “Get Well” to President Hunt. We are looking forward to seeing him back on campus in the near future.

Seniors desiring to attend the Senior Class Party, Sunday night, April 16, please stop by the SGA office and fill out these cards, the invitations to the party will be sent to you. Only seniors receiving invitations will be allowed to attend the party. This party is for all Seniors graduating in the year 1972, not just those graduating in April.

An abundance of generalizations concerning involvement and indirectly skirting on apathy slashed through the presses last week. These two words, involvement and apathy, make periodic appearances here on campus. In retrospect though, the voices that screamed those words so loudly in the past, were soon forced into silence. Undoubtedly the new voices that are rising now, face the same consequences as those before unless of course, they find unity with cause.

This all relates to a phone call (received last week) from a ROC student. He questioned the validity of priorities and expressed discontent. Amongst the questions was the question, “What can be done then to alleviate this situation?” History reflects that the majority of journalists take a liberal outlook. This is especially true with the college newspaper staffs today. The newspaper is the voice of the people. To reach the people with ideas is the object of every paper. Conservatism only breeds stagnation, and this is your opportunity for change.

The true value of our Student Government Senate is the proper management and representation of the student association. The newspaper and Senate Committees are the major parts of the general scheme of operations. In order to achieve that change, the student must work within the system. The AVION is part of that system: use it.

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The last time we went to Gaylord's, we made reservations. When we arrived we had to wait anyway. This could be easily explained because it was in the middle of a tourist event and the whole town was full.

We were shown to our table...it was the worst table in the whole house - next to the busboy's dropoff and just around the corner from the kitchen, so the waitresses were rounding the corner and almost bumping into us.

We told the hostess that we would like to have another table (the place was thinning out and there were several available). These requests are usually most easily handled with a little palm greasing, but in this case we felt that since we did have a reservation that wasn't honored, we were entitled to at least have a table where we could enjoy our meal.

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This was the biggest deal in the world (we were still standing with the hostess and a couple of steps in either direction could have solved the problem). Finally, the hostess consented to allow us to have another table. It started our evening out on the wrong foot.

This time we went in a group. When we were seated, the owner's husband solicitously asked us if we were enjoying our meal, etc. He then turned to a longer haired fellow in our party and said, "How about you miss - are you having a good time?"

He didn't leave it at that. Twice more during the evening he made references to our friend's haircut. Things were getting a little tense,
Dear Mr. John Storm (whoever he may be):

Yes, I do know what I am doing. The senior class has about 450 students in it. If each one is allowed one guest, some 900 people could show up at the senior party. Add to that figure an additional 200 people from the faculty, administration and VIP guests. That means that the senior class officers must plan for 1100 people on an allocated budget of $2500. Nor do cheeses cost a minimum of 75¢ per item. Some of the hors d’oeuvres you want cost over $1.00 each. If you would like, we could throw a BYOB senior party.

Since you believe the old wives tale that solid food in the stomach soaks up alcohol, may I suggest that you bring a loaf of bread to the party. It would fall within an acceptable price range and would more than adequately serve your purposes.

You further insist that eating staves off cirrhosis of the liver. Again you are obviously not ready for this one.

As president of the senior class, I am bound morally and legally to do my best for the senior class and to aid in the planning of good, enjoyable events. I therefore ask that you refrain from criticizing the planning of the senior party.

Sincerely,

Hank Cothran  
Sr. Class President
Since tomorrow is the big day, we've been doing some last minute chores, mostly cleaning up the house. After the softball practice tomorrow at 8:30, all the pledges and brothers will meet at the house to make the planters sparkle again. Later in the afternoon, alumnuus Pat Phelan is flying in from California to attend the banquet. Representatives from National will be our regent, Phil Scherene and Field Secretary, Paul Bohman. Congratulations telegrams and letters have been coming in all week from various Delta Chi chapters all over the country.

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I think now since only one day remains, we should thank brother Roger Spasyk and his Chartering Committee for all the time and work they put in for preparations.

Be back next week!

**Alpha Rho Omega**

All members are reminded that the big Robb Wilson dedication takes place April 15th. Six volunteers are needed to drive visiting dignitaries, act as ushers, and perform other related tasks. The hosts will be from 2-5 PM. Contact Jim Bear.-wolf.

A social function will be held toward the end of the month. Members will be notified of the details at the next meeting on Wednesday, March 8th, at Lakeview Mobile Estates Rec Center.

At the last meeting Frank Implagluzza talked about the upcoming articles on Alpha Rho Omega in a national magazine. The film community has provided the entertainment. Jim Pappas and Bill Norman were voted in as active members. Congratulations to both.

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

**Sigma Chi**

The brothers and pledges of Sigma Chi have again been very busy, and things don't promise to slow down in the near future.

Recently we solicited for the United Fund, collecting over $345.00 for this worthy cause. Although this was slightly below our goal, it proved to be an interesting and rewarding experience for those who participated. We were surprised by the number of large dogs that abound in the area. Now that we have completed our United Fund campaign efforts will shift to the Easter Seal program that is to start in a few weeks.

While the fund collection was in process on Saturday, part of the Pi Sigma Phi members came in all week from various Delta Chi chapters all over the country.

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Dear Aunt Lucy,

When you called last night, you probably wondered who that loud voice was who answered the phone and what that barking was in the background.

Wilbur, my first college roommate, is staying with me again. We used to room together in one of those super-small dormitory rooms with thin walls, tiny dressing stalls, indoor-outdoor linoleum tile—you know, a typical college dorm. I remember my first day at the dorm, wondering what my roommate would be like. I arrived three hours before he did and I guarded the bed near the window, making sure I'd get custody of the top dresser drawers so I wouldn't have to bend over more than necessary.

And then Wilbur arrived with a knapsack and a menagerie of cats, hamsters, birds, gerbils, chameleons. Wilbur was an animal freak. I'd wake up in the middle of the night and find Wilbur's ten gerbils stuck between my toes, his four cats taunting the mynah bird, which was caving obscurities that made the college newspaper look innocent. But he didn't have a dog.

And now after three years of being away from that soot, I am rooming with Wilbur again. And not alone.

"I always wanted a dog," he explained when he arrived here. "You know, I used to see those movies like Rin Tin Tin, Lassie and National Velvet...."

"National Velvet was a horse.... It's a horse," I know, but I used to squint my eyes real tight and it looked like a dog. I always wondered what Elizabeth Taylor was doing riding a dog. Of course I called the Soviet大使...

And he did. And as he did, Wilbur tried to mumble something about "a dog, a dog..."

"Oh yeah? I'll teach you not to call my wife a dog..." And he did teach Wilbur. An eye, an ear, and a nose worth.

And Wilbur moved out. Quickly. And moved into my place. Quicklier. So you see, Aunt Lucy, that's what Wilbur is doing here.

So now Wilbur spends his days at the doctor (a good eye, ear and nose man) and looks for a new apartment, although he doesn't seem to be in too much of a hurry.

And I spend my days with an unruly dog named Paddington, wishing that Liz would leave Dick and ride away on Pad into the sunset until a big The End flashes across my mind's screen and this whole mess—Remembrances and all—is over.

I haven't gotten around to telling my newly wed neighbors, Pat and Leonard Meister, about the dog yet. I've been too busy with the dog, trying to teach him to behave—you know, 'lay down, Pad...stay, Pad...sit, girl...roll over, Pad...get off my bed, Pad...'

Oh, now she's jumping on my desk and I think she wants some attention. "Do you want me to rub your belly, Pad?"

Hey, someone just came in the apartment.... It's, it's Mr. Meister. He's coming at me, I think.... Anyway, I finally got a dog a few weeks ago. She's sitting on your table...didn't you notice?"

Devouring my table was the biggest sheep dog I had ever seen; so large that even Richard Burton would be afraid to ride her. And if I hadn't noticed the dog, I certainly noticed the little Remembrances she had left from the door to the table, a la Hansel and Gretel, without the fairy tail charm.

"Her name is Paddington," Wilbur said, "but you can call her Pad."

"Pet?"

"No, Pad. Consider her your third roommate."

―RICK MITZ

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A number of students made an unnecessary trip to this office on Friday thinking it was pay day. So once more I will do my duty and inform the uninformed by telling them that pay days are the 6th and 21st day of each month. The only exception to this is when one of these dates falls on Saturday or Sunday, then you may pick up your check the preceding Friday.

Career Day is for all those students graduating in the calendar year 1972. Please stop by your Placement Office at your earliest convenience and indicate if you will attend Career Day. I will have lists of companies participating and would appreciate your signing for those you are most interested in. This is only to determine the number of persons that will have to be accommodated. Representatives will be on campus from 8 AM to 4 PM and will be available to talk with students from 10 AM until 11:30 AM and from 2 PM to 4 PM. If you have any questions, contact Kevin Phillips, Frank Meyer or myself. Major Cobbett, U.S. Marines, will be on campus Monday and Tuesday, March 20 and 21. Major Porton, U.S. Air Force, will be on campus Wednesday and Thursday, March 22 to recruit students nearing graduation for 172 and Flight School. Anyone interested in interviewing with Major Porton must make an appointment in the Placement Office.

PLACEMENT OFFICE

CONSUMER CORNER

INSURANCE FOR THE COLLEGE MAY NOT BE YOUR LIFE! ADVISES C.U. (Prepared by Consumer Reports)

Unless a college student has children, as a rule he should not buy life insurance. In fact, says the nonprofit Consumers Union, "The last thing most college students need is life insurance." Unless a college student has children, as a rule he should not buy life insurance. In fact, says the nonprofit Consumers Union, "The last thing most college students need is life insurance." The exception would be the breadwinner on whom the student will be dependent until they grow up. Despite this atypical circumstance for a collegian, CU says "The life insurance agent has become a familiar figure on many campuses." Bearing this out is an industry survey of more than 300 life-insurance companies which turned up 20 percent with sales programs aimed at college students and student professionals who are not yet earning enough to pay the premiums. Isn't it difficult to sell a policy to someone who can't afford it? Insurance men have their sales pitch so programmed to this hurdle that they can often turn it into a selling point. Says Consumer Union, they approach the premium-paying problem by offering to finance the first annual premium, and frequently the second, with a loan to be paid off perhaps five years later.

The interest on that five-year loan? It's payable at an annual rate of 6 to 88 or more. And, says CU, in many plans the policyholder

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As an example of what life-insurance loans can cost, the nonprofit consumer organization tells of a $10,000 policy sold by Fidelity Union Life of Dallas in 1970. The 21-year-old student purchaser paid an annual interest rate of 8.5 per cent. The compounded finance charge on the first year premium loan of $151 comes to $76.07.

From the creditor's standpoint, such loans are among the safest imaginable, says Consumers Union. Its full report on the sale of life insurance to students, contained in the January issue of Consumer Reports, explains why lender's risk is so minimal.

One element involves a miniature endowment policy built right into the insurance policy. At the end of five years, the insurance company gets most of the cash value in payment of the policyholder's debt. The promissory note itself has built into it an acceleration clause, a typical feature of retail installment contracts. If the student fails to pay any premiums on time, the lender can demand immediate payment of the entire loan. With the promissory note, he can also readily obtain a court judgment ordering payment.

Entitled "Caveat Emporor on Campus," the CU report warns that as with most retail credit agreements, an insurance policy financing note may be impossible to cancel. Life insurance is customarily sold for a year at a time. When a student is persuaded to buy a policy and sign a financing agreement, he is committing himself to buy a full year's protection.

None of the policies or promissory notes examined by Consumers Union had a provision for refund of premiums during the first year. And, says CU, the policies are relatively expensive cash value policies with lots of extra-priced features.

Companies doing a big business in college policies often set up special agents in college towns. They like to recruit as salesmen popular campus figures such as fraternity leaders, recently graduated star athletes, former coaches and even faculty members and administrators.

One professor at Michigan State University is cited as reporting some students he interviewed didn't know they were signing a contract committing them to buy insurance. Some thought they were signing a medical form. Others thought they were getting the first year's insurance free. All were being sued by the same insurance company.

There is no truth to the rumor: That this is the Book Store's spy camera in action.

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BASEBALL
by Coach Brown

Last Wednesday, March 1, the Eagles dueled a tough U-of South Florida squad, and came out on the short end, 8-0. As is sometimes the case, the final score did not indicate the closeness of the game. USF poked 6 hits and made 1 error, while Riddle managed only 3 hits but played an errorless game. Walks hurt the Riddle cause though, as three alone came in the first inning when USF scored four runs.

Captain Steve Sullen-trup came up with the fielding play of the game, driving for a hard hit ball in back of second base and flipping to the shortstop for a force-out, stopping cold a possible big inning for USF. Two of the extra bases, as Gary Hauk connected for a double in the first inning, and Ray Osborne for a triple in the ninth. Riddle's record as of this writing is 0-3. On Saturday, March 11, Riddle plays F.I.T. in a twin - bill, away. Game time is 1:30 PM.

ATTENTION 1972 GRADUATES
If you plan to attend the Senior Class Party, stop by the SGA Office and fill out an Invitation Form. Hours are from 9-3 daily, last day will be March 17th. You will not be admitted to the party without the invitation.

SPORTS WORLD

TEEN by C.A. Brown

Through a misunderstanding about who would keep the AVION informed about the ERAU Tennis Team, no one has; and so this is to give the student body and faculty information about the team's activities this year.

Our record this year looks pretty bad—until we compare it with other years, especially last year. Until this year we never defeated a college team and had come close only once. This year we've been soundly beaten once, we've soundly beaten another team once, and we've lost three by one point. Let's look at last year's and this year's scores:

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It's an improvement. I, as the worn out coach, would like to pay tribute to eight players who have learned that determination and fight pay off on a tennis court as well as they do in contact sports.

Getting It Together
by John Eaton

At the beginning of my senior year in High School, I was very much looking forward to the rewarding benefits and changes that college would bring to my life. In order to make the "big step", I began improving my scholastic ability—on the advice of my Guidance Counselor—just to make sure I could handle the added responsibilities that go along with college.

At this point, I would like to direct these questions to Pres. Hunt: Are you the Avion and/or to whom you could answer that one, here's another: "What, besides an insurance, does Embry-Riddle Aero Univ. offer the students?"

Within my daydreams, I was envisioning such responsibilities as the freedom to think and act for myself and to live my own life as I want to live it, not for parents, teachers, and principals to live and decide for me. Pres. Hunt, this is your biggest and most important mistake, and concerning on campus students. E-RAU does not give students the right to decide for himself what is morally right or wrong. Examples of this include: races, inspections, class attendance, and of course 24 hour visitation. One of the hopes that parents have when they send their kids away to college is to provide them with a good education, but also to help their "children" develop into responsible human beings with the capacity to successfully meet the outside world. If your answer to my first question was just that, then your aren't FULLY considering this to the development of your students. There are enough regulations in the handbook to fill a 747. Speaking on behalf of the residents Dorm I, we feel extremely restricted in developing ourselves morally and psychologically to compete with the challenge and pressures of the outside world. We feel, like most every college student, that the purpose of a college is one of "learning by experience". College, in the parent's eye, is the crucial point in their sons or daughters' life. I'm sure that if the parents fully realized this, E-RAU was not FULLY accomplishing this, that there would be a considerable decrease in enrollment!

How can we prove to you, the Administration that we can handle added responsibilities and develop our maturity if we are so obstructed with all these regulations? These rules, which you are using against us, indicate your disrespect and low esteem, not to mention your underestimation of us! A very fine example of this lies in Dean Spears' response to 24 hr. visitation. during the last meeting; which was that he would resign if and when Dorm I got unlimited visitation on the weekends. Dig that! GIVE US A CHANCE!

We, the readem of the AVION, will be expecting your reply to the above questions and comments. News of your reply, if any, will receive considerable publicity.

As I stated before, this column has been created in the hope of increasing student-administration relations-START DOING YOUR PART! by John Eaton

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DID YOU KNOW THAT?
by Fred Willems

The trend for '72 is for hair styles to go to a moderate length. But the older kids stay at the bottom of the ear, as it was last year. Same number of hairs on the head varies with the color of the hair. A person with light blonde hair approximately 140,000; brown 110,000; black 108,000; red 90,000.

The average area for a head is about 120 square inches and hair averages about 1000 hairs to a square inch.

Hair has elasticity which allows it to stretch and return to its original form without breaking.

Normal dry hair can be stretched to about one-fifth its length. Wet hair can be stretched 40 times its length, but will return when dry.

There are two types of dandruff: dry and greasy. Dry dandruff is usually accompanied by itchy scalp and is found in small white scales in masses on the scalp. It is scattered loosely in the hair. Dry dandruff is scattered loosely in patches. This type also causes itching.

Treatment for this type of dandruff is frequent shampooing and daily use of antiseptic lotions. All treatments should be avoided with this type.

In most cases daily shampooing with a mild soap does benefit the hair and scalp.

One of the most bacteria ridden implements a man uses is the electric razor. When was the last time your razor head was cleaned or sterilized?
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The petition drive for increased Veteran educational benefits that I mentioned last week is in high gear this week and going well. If you haven't signed the petition, or would like to help us get signatures, we would appreciate your stopping by the bookstore and letting us know; we'll fix you up.

That's all for this time. Drive carefully - and let me assure you there is no truth to the rumor that Bob Kakak is going to be the consulting physicist for ERAU.

There is no truth to the rumor that Embry Riddle is merging with the Army, Air Force, Navy and U.S.M.C.
Sure wish I could drink this. I thought it was bigger than that!

There is no truth to the rumor that one of the faculty parking places are marked "TRUCKS ONLY". 

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