7/11/77 BARPH Nº 30

SUPERSTAR SUPERSTAR

A RIVERINA TRUCKING CO. PRODUCTION OPENS THIS FRI. 8 PM. CIVIC THEATRE. STUDENTS \$3.60

Dear Sir,

In reference to the front page of last week's Barph. If as you claim the person 'spreading the word around College that S.R.C. elections will have no chance of being fair' is wrong then he rightly deserves to be exposed. If he has a lack of 'fairness, charity and honesty' as you claim he should not be standing for election - we don't need people like this on the S.R.C. If on the other hand the fairness of the elections is in doubt and he has questioned it he has done the right thing. If this is the case he has showed 'fairness' (to other candidates), 'charity' (to the rest of the College) and 'honesty' (to all).

I do not wish to take sides in the matter until the situation is clarified and I hope that the truth will emerge.

I would, however, like to make a number of observations.

- 1. There was no discussion between Toby and the person talked about prior to the publication of Barph it was Toby's responsibility as Student Officer to do this.
- 2. Both sides of the dispute should have been published at the one time one side only of the dispute being published meant that the candidates chances in the election were severely hindered as he could not support his case in a student publication before the elections.
- 3. The article attacks all Christians standing for election (there are more than one) as it does not name the person but names him 'Christian' this is grossly unjust.
- 4. This article appears to be knocking all organised Christianity why is this - the organised Christian body on Campus (C.F.) had nothing to do with prompting Christians to stand for S.R.C. We support them but were not the instigators in their standing.

HUGH MacCALLUM, Christian Fellowship President.

THE CHRISTIANS VIEW ON SEX - Wednesday night 7.30 p.m.

Coffee Shoppe South Campus - Speaker: Tom Toogood - Lecturer at College.

ALL WELCOME - Transport leaves Main Campus Bustop 6.55 p.m.

COFFEE SHOPPEE'S For You too, And You, And You, And You, thought we'd finished, well we finish when you finish - 8.00p.m. Saturday night till you all leave. See you there, opposite Old Dining Hall South Campus.

RUSSELL McKANE

 ${\rm E}^2$ would like to thank Ross Patterson and Graeme Bellamy for their help at the Dance on Friday night.

Also many thanks to those who participated in the Debate on Thursday night, and those who helped out at the Ball.

ENTERTAINMENT EXECUTIVE

 ${\sf E}^2$ are considering the possibility of <u>holding another Debate</u> before the end of Semester.

If any people are interested in being on the Students' team, would they please apply to Tony Robinson through the ${\sf E}^{\sf Z}$ pigeon hole.

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THIS THURSDAY NIGHT STEAKS WILL BE ON SALE IN THE UNION FROM 8.00p.m. - 10.00p.m. A SURPRISE BAND/ARTIST WILL BE PERFORMING.

THE BAR WILL BE OPEN FROM 5 - 8.00p.m. SATURDAY AND ALSO 5 - 8.00p.m. SUNDAY.

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REMINDER: AN AUCTION WILL BE HELD ON THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 17th FROM 12 - 2p.m. IF YOU HAVE ANYTHING THAT YOU WANT TO GET RID OF, E.G. CLOTHES, RECORD PLAYERS, CASSETTES, ART GEAR, SMALL ITEMS OF FURNITURE ETC. PLEASE CONTACT EITHER TOBY PRENTICE OR MYSELF, I.E. MARK COULLS, THROUGH THE STUDENT AMENITIES OFFICE. THIS AUCTION WILL BE HELD ON THE COLLEGE LAWNS AND IT WILL BE DONE FREE OF CHARGE, SO PLEASE TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THIS ONCE-IN-A-LIFETIME OPPORTUNITY.

WANTED - Guy's push-bike, in reasonable condition.

If you have one for sale, please contact G. Coleman through Student Amenities Office.

INTERCOLLEGIATE this Weekend. Sports return visit to A.C.P.E. Sydney. (Australian College of Physical Education) - November 11th, 12th and 13th. Sports being played are Australian Rules, Netball, Volleyball, Tennis (Mens and Ladies), Water Polo.

People interested in going please leave name with Janelle Pudney or Kris Albietz at Student Offices.

Details: Meet at Wagga Railway Station at 12.00 Friday night or 8.00 a.m. Saturday morning Strathfield.

Total cost for weekend \$10.00 - if going by train, money to be in to Student Offices by Wednesday 5.00p.m.. ALL VERY WELCOME

THE S.R.C. NEEDS TWO REPRESENTATIVES FOR A COMMITTEE TO BE CONVENED BY DR. A. BLAKE. ONE REPRESENTATIVE FROM SECONDARY SCIENCE AND ONE FROM SECONDARY SOCIAL SCIENCE. THIS COMMITTEE WILL ADVISE ON MATTERS RELATED TO COURSE STRUCTURE AND ADMINISTRATION. THIS IS VERY IMPORTANT AND AS IT'S YOUR COURSE YOU SHOULD BE INTERESTED.

CONTACT ME VIA STUDENT OFFICE PIGEON HOLES OR OTHER WAYS <u>IMMEDIATELY</u>.
STUDENT INPUT INTO COURSE STRUCTURE IS A NECESSITY.

WAYNE BOLIN

NOTICE !!

The Pool Tables will be closed down on all late bar openings. This is due to continued student abuse of such, despite warnings.

Any further abuse, that is smoking, drinking, eating over or sitting on tables etc., will incur a fine.

U.B.M. PUBLICITY OFFICER, HELEN WELLS

FOR SALE - Morris Mini Deluxe - in really good condition, and it has behaved itself well under my ownership.
\$650.00 0.N.O.

Contact NEIL SPENCER through pigeon holes.

MANY THANKS TO THE TWO SPUNKY GUYS WHO SPENT AN ARVO AT THE POOL WITH SNORKEL AND FLIPPERS, FOR FINDING MY RING FOR ME.

THANKS FELLAS - DE

FOR SALE - CHEAP TRANSPORT - HONDA 90 STEPTHRU - GREAT CONDITION

1972 Model - Plenty of Rego. - Fire Engine Red

90 miles to the gallon - \$190.00

MUST SELL BEFORE NEXT MONTH.

CONTACT: Jeff Allen via pigeon holes.

QUOTE OF THE WEEK - "I'm not willing to make a spectacle of myself just to entertain other people."

(Tony Palumbo - (Psychology) - on being asked to participate in the Staff -v-Students Debate last Thursday.)

Would the person(s) from C Block who found a Ladies Silver Watch engraved 'A. Armstrong 7.1.77', please contact AMANDA ARMSTRONG thru the pigeon holes.

BADMINTON

Come along Saturday night to Bolton Park Stadium and have a hit. You are more than welcome to join in the competition, either social or graded.

It only costs 80¢ for social and \$1.00 for competition. All equipment is supplied and you can play till 11.00 p.m. if you like.

PLACE:

Bolton Park Stadium

TIME:

7.00p.m. - 11.00p.m.

COST:

80¢ for social, \$1.00 for graded competition.

Highly qualified people to help coach the fundamentals to anyone.

If you want more information contact Bob McAnnalley or Gary Baxter through the pigeon holes.

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OPENING EARLY 1978

LOCATED approx. 11/2 kilometers north of the Main Campus.

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For Reservations, Inspections or further information contact -

K. WHYTCROSS, C/- R.C.A.E. or phone 213467 after hours.

Plans may be inspected at the <u>STUDENTS OFFICES</u>, <u>MAIN CAMPUS</u> or with THE COMMUNITY OFFICER in <u>DOMAN BLOCK</u>.

ABORIGINES AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDERS LEGAL SERVICE (OLD.) LTD.

Far North Queensland Committee, First Floor, Centenary House, 111 Lake St., Cairns. QLD. 4870

25th August, 1977.

Dear Friend,

I am acting for an Aboriginal Co-Operative on the Yarrabah Aboriginal Reserve near Cairns, North Queensland.

This Co-Operative is interested in developing a student vacation scheme which would:

(a) Permit students to visit a reserve. Access to such reserves is normally fairly limited under Queensland Legislation.

- (b) Provide accommodation facilities in amazingly beautiful surroundings.
- (c) Provide the opportunity for fishing, swimming, hiking, hunting etc.
- (d) Provide the teaching of the Aboriginal culture particularly of the KUNGANJI and YEDINJI tribes of the area.
- (e) Provide an education on-the-spot as to the operation of "The Queensland Act".
- (f) Develop an exchange of information and understandings for both students and Aboriginal residents.

I should underline that this is a totally Aboriginal controlled project. As sucy there is the further consideration of some financial benefit to the Co-Operative who have a number of plans to advance the people there. They would seek to charge some fee per week.

They thought of each camp as lasting for several weeks and taking 40 to 100 students (depending on interest and facilities).

The Co-Operative has asked me to get your views on such a scheme and to ascertain the number of students you might have interested. They can then feel more confident in commencing work on the scheme, most of the workers for this scheme being unemployed at present. The Co-Operative presently operates a farm and a bakery and is well organized, but cautious. I personally believe that the scheme will provide a unique holiday and an unprecedented opportunity for all parties. IF INTERESTED, SEE TOBY.

RIVERINA COLLEGE OF ADVANCED EDUCATION - NON-ACADEMIC VACANCY

MEMO TO:

ALL STAFF

FROM:

THE REGISTRAR

SUBJECT:

POSITION OF ADMISSIONS OFFICER

APPLICATIONS ARE INVITED FROM STAFF MEMBERS FOR THE ABOVE POSITION.

The appointee will be responsible for the development, review and administration of admissions regulations, for processing applications for admission to courses, answering enquiries from prospective students, for secretarial services to the Admissions Committee and for liaison with the Joint Admissions Centre for Colleges of Advanced Education.

Applicants should have completed or be completing a tertiary qualification, preferably at degree level.

Salary payable will be within the range \$10,393 to \$11,324.

PERSONS WISHING TO BE CONSIDERED FOR APPOINTMENT TO THE POSITION SHOULD APPLY IN WRITING TO THE STAFF OFFICE BY NO LATER THAN FRIDAY, 4 NOVEMBER, 1977.

D. J. KELSO.

SOFTBALL NEWS - A big weekend for College Softball this weekend at French's Fields (near Mt. Austin High). The College "A" grade team takes on last year"s champs Kooringal, at 2.30 p.m. The curtain raiser at 12.45 p.m. will be a "C" grade game between "College Red" and "College White". A keg is being organised for players and spectators after the game.

SEE YOU THERE ON SUNDAY

B. 6'Keefe

A REPLY: 'CORRUPTION? RIGGED ELECTIONS?'

This is a reply to an article which appeared in "Barph", Vol. 3, No. 29, of last week, titled, "Corruption? Rigged S.R.C. Elections?" and signed by T. Prentice. I believe Toby was misinformed.

I would like to state the following facts:

- 1. I have at no stage stated that Toby Prentice or any other person would or was going to 'rig' the Elections.
- 2. I have never urged any candidate to withdraw their nomination for any reason.

However, I have been critical of the election procedures and expressed my concern to four second year candidates the week before the election, with a view to having procedures changed. After discussing election procedures with Toby on Thurs. 27th Oct. I then decided it was too late to instigate changes for this election. After this time, nothing more was said to anyone about the procedures. This hardly constitutes the 'smear tactics' Toby refers to.

The amateurish level on which the elections were run vindicates my earlier concerns. There are a number of incidents supporting this view, no least the fact that the master roll with names of those who had voted was 'lost' - apparently inadvertently taken home, when it should have been locked away with the ballot boxes.

I do not imply that 'rigging' occured, but again I state that it illustrates the amateurish level of the election procedure and highlights the need for a written policy on Election Procedures, including the type of Preferential Counting system used. This should be issued to all candidates well before the election, with a period in which any objections can be lodged.

I was not consulted or given the chance to reply in the same edition of 'Barph', I can only assum that this was an attempt to discredit me as a candidate. Unfortunately, the article in question also cast aspersions on at least one other candidate.

I would like to know the name of the candidate who alledgedly withdrew his/her nomination at my urging.

David A. Scott

MOST OF THIS ARTICLE IS FALSE

Two candidates and several non-candidates came and saw me to report that David Scott was alleging that I personally would 'rig' the election so that only friends would get in. The fact that these several people in no way knew each other proves that Mr. Scott's denial is false. It was only after the Barph article appeared that his tack changed to-one of "I am only critical of election procedures generally."

One candidate withdrew and another expressed his intention of doing so in both cases, because of being convinced by Mr. Scott that I would see to it that only my friends would get in. I don't have to take that sort of snivelling slander from anyone - least of all an expert at such tactics, such as Scott. It was for that reason that I decided - after some deliberation - to publish a defence of my own name and the conduct of the election, both of which were being cynically maligned by Scott. The fact that all this came to light in the last week meant that there was only one issue of Barph to come out before the elections.

Short of sheer maliciousness, the only reason for Scott's allegations, would be some sort of "insurance" to preserve his dignity if his candidature was unsuccessful, "insurance" that turned out to be unnecessary.

Finally, I would like to thank all those who assisted me in running this extremely complicated election (with 4 voting locations and spread over 2 days), particularly Kris Albietz who took charge of counting from Thursday evening over the Friday when I was off sick.

The election was professional in all ways without even taking into account the fact that almost all the labour was voluntary. The fact that counting was held up for ½ an hour on Friday while the roll was obtained from the last person attending the ballot box, was in no way amateurish or harmful to the conduct of the election. As the Christians' scrutineer will testify, the votes cast balanced with the names crossed off on the roll to within 4. As for the "number of incidents" to which our friend darkly refers without elaboration, - one can only assume they are typical figments of his opportunistic and flexible imagination. The Preferential System used was the one always used, which is the one employed by the College in all ballots, and which is, we are informed, the normal Commonwealth Electoral system.

Successful Candidates were:-

2nd Year

John Adams Betina Blake Walter Dirix David Scott Gary Tilley

3rd Year

Robert Mathews Catherine Murname David Purchase Neil Quinn Robert Walls

> T. PRENTICE, Returning Officer.

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Present occupants are looking for someone who will be able to cope with the above workload.

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The successful applicant will receive \$40 per week plus FREE BOARD and lodging.

Any person interested please contact DENNIS PURCELL, 14 Hill St., Wagga. Phone 251644.

THIS WEEK IN BRIEFS

Monday 7th

Fencing Meeting

7.00 p.m.

Gym

Thursday 10th Nov.

UNION NIGHT (piss up) Surprise Band

8 - 12 p.m.

Car Club Meeting 12.00 noon Union Meeting Room Bar

Friday 11th Nov

"Jesus Christ Superstar" opens (A Riverina Trucking Co. production)

8.00 p.m.

Civic Theatre

Intercollegiate to A.C.P.E. - leaves station

Midnight

Wagga Railway Station

Saturday 12th November

"Jesus Christ Superstar"

8.00 p.m.

Civic Theatre

Sunday 13th Nov.

"Jesus Christ Superstar"

5.00 p.m.

Civic Theatre

Film Club Presents
"The HINDENBURG"

8.00 p.m. (sharp)

Auditorium

SUPERSTAR CIVIC THEATRE

DATES

FRI 11, 8pm

SAT. 12, 8pm

SUN 13, 5pm

WED 16, 8pm. WED 2 THUR. 17, 8pm. THUR 3 FRI 18, 8pm. FRI 2 SAT 19, 2pm. SAT 3

WED 23, 8pm THUR 24, 8pm FRI 25, 8pm SAT 26, 2pm