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Freshmen Draft Deferrals Eliminated


College students who were enrolled full-time in the 1970-1971 academic year will be eligible for student deferments in the 1971-1972 school year if they continue to make satisfactory progress in their programs of study, selective service officials said. However, young men who entered school for the first time this summer and those who enroll as freshmen this fall will not qualify for student deferments if the pending changes to the Selective Service Act are passed by Congress. The House has completed action on the bill and final Senate action is expected in September.

Dr. Curtis W. Tarr, Selective Service Director, said: "Few incoming freshmen students are likely to be inducted in the near future because of the student deferment phaseout. Of the 1,014,000 incoming freshmen males estimated by the Office of Education, approximately 80%, are 18 years old and only 20% are 19 years of age or older. The 18 year olds will receive their lottery numbers in 1972, and they will not be subject to induction until 1973. The 19 year old freshmen received their lottery numbers August 1st and their enlistment will be subject to induction next year; at least 1/2 should have high enough lottery numbers to preclude their induction. Of these remaining, approximately 50%, will be disqualified on mental, moral or physical grounds. This means that a maximum of 500,000 men will be directly affected in 1972 by the student deferment phaseout and one-half of these, or 250,000, will probably not be inducted because of enrollments in Reserve, Reserve Officer, National Guard units, participating in commissioning programs or because of procedural delays.

Dr. Tarr said that college students will not be drafted in the middle of a semester or term. "If called while enrolled, they will be allowed to postpone their induction until the end of the semester or term. If in the last academic year, they will be able to postpone their induction until after graduation."

Dr. Tarr advised incoming freshmen and students who started their program of study in the summer of 1971 or later not to the applications for student deferments even though the current law authorizes granting deferments to students in full-time programs of study. "If the pending Selective Service Act is passed by Congress, then your applications may be processed in a very short time.

Education Center in Jeopardy

BRIDGEWATER - Governor Francis W. Sargent's $150.7 million capital outlay bill submitted to the legislature on Friday did not include construction money for the new Teacher Preparation Facility and Training School.

The college has received previous capital outlay funds for preliminary and final plans in 1968 and 1969 respectively. The 1968 measure allocated $300,000.00 for preliminary plans, in 1969 $300,000.00 was passed for the final plans.

Dean Harrington told the COMMENT that he was not surprised that the construction funds were not included in the Governor's budget request. Dean Harrington added that most capital outlay projects at Bridgewater originate in amendments made from the floor of the legislature, not in the original budget request. The funds allocated for preliminary and final plans in both 1968 and 1969 were not included in the original budget requests but were added as amendments by the Ways and Means Committee. In addition to the money allocated for the plans, the legislature has granted $500,000.00 for taking on Burrall Avenue at the foot of Great Hill, where the new facility is to be constructed. This capital outlay project also originated in committee as an amendment.

Dean Harrington reviewed the brief history of the Teacher Preparation Facility for the COMMENT. Dean Harrington said that he and President Rondileau had three major goals for the expansion of B.S.C.'s physical plant, the Student Union Building, the new Library Building, and the Teacher Training and Campus School complex. Two of these three goals have been reached, the third is close at hand. But Dean Harrington was quick to point out that nothing has ever come easy at B.S.C. As with all other building projects, there have been a few snags - this one being no exception.

Last year a letter from the Bridgewater School Committee that the contract had been bid haphazardly and endangered the project entirely. The issue arose around the cost of the new campus school. The Town of Bridgewater currently pays 62.5 percent of the operating costs of the new facility, the college school. The state pays the town assuming 90 percent of the operational costs of the new facility. Further delays in the construction of complex caused by the cumbersome bureaucratic procedures of the state have inflated the cost of the facility from the original $6 million to an estimated construction cost in the vicinity of $9 million.

Due to the high cost of construction, the Board of Building Construction (B.B.C.) and the engineers from the Central Projects Office of the Division of State Colleges felt that a two phase construction plan would stand more of a chance of succeeding than did the original plan at one time. Due to the breakdown in contract negotiations with the Town of Bridgewater it was felt that phase I of construction should be the Teacher Training Facility with an estimated price tag of $8 million.

Convocation Set for Tuesday

Dr. Carroll to Speak

The Fall Convocation marking the opening of the academic year is scheduled for September 24, 1971 at 10 a.m. in the Student Union Auditorium.

Dr. Ronald J. Carroll, a graduate of Bridgewater State College in 1955, is the speaker for the event. Carroll is the current Dean of Undergraduate Education and a member of the Department of Biological Sciences at the College. Carroll is widely regarded in the area of undergraduate education and is known internationally for his work in the area of scientific progress and moral issues. His work has earned him numerous awards and honors and has been widely recognized in national and international forums.
Libraries, Openings, Questions Raised

As of Wednesday readers can check out books or classes from the campus library. On Friday the library staff extended the hours to be open for seven days a week. The new library will open for the first time on Monday, August 27, at 8 a.m. The library will remain open until 9 p.m., except for Saturdays when it will be closed.

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The main problem of my campaign has been the lack of information among the voters. I am trying to accomplish this by meeting people on the street and where they work. I believe that this experience, especially during the last three weeks of the campaign, has given me a better insight into the problems of the people. In the Student Union, the automobiles with their internal combustion engine is responsible for at least a percent of air pollution in the United States. In some urban areas it ranges up to percent of the air pollution. This air pollution is killing people. The internal combustion engine also has the potential to be a reliable source of power, which will help solve the energy crisis and provide jobs for the people. However, the people from R.I.C. are not able to help the city in their efforts. This is a new idea, but it is one that has been developed in the last two years. This new concept has been introduced by the City Council of the Student Union.

In May, under the leadership of the Environmental Protection Agency, the city of Taunton decided to ban the use of cars in the city center. This decision was made in response to the growing problem of air pollution and the need for a more efficient system of transportation. The city council was impressed with the success of similar programs in other cities, and they believed that Taunton could benefit from such an initiative.

The city of Taunton has already taken steps to reduce air pollution. They have implemented a car-free zone in the city center, where cars are not allowed to enter. This has helped to reduce the amount of air pollution in the area. The city council is also considering other measures, such as promoting public transportation and encouraging the use of bicycles and walking. They believe that these steps will further reduce air pollution and improve the quality of life for the people of Taunton.

The city council is also concerned about the long-term effects of air pollution. They believe that it is important to act now to reduce air pollution and prevent further damage to the environment. They are committed to finding effective solutions to this problem and are working closely with the Environmental Protection Agency to ensure that their efforts are successful.
Carl M. Simon, School of Public Health, University of Michigan, was awarded the 1973 M.I.T. Systems Science and Engineering Medal. Mr. Simon, 51, has been a professor of operations research and a consultant to industrial organizations both here and abroad, including the Ford Motor Company and the Ford Foundation. Mr. Simon received his Ph.D. from Harvard University and has written several books on the subject of systems science.

As an American despair deepened, the more important problems became clear. The main problem for any company was that it was a matter of the environment, and it was important to the people. The main problem for any company was that it was a matter of the environment, and it was important to the people. The main problem for any company was that it was a matter of the environment, and it was important to the people. The main problem for any company was that it was a matter of the environment, and it was important to the people. The main problem for any company was that it was a matter of the environment, and it was important to the people.
Off and Running at Taunton

by Lee Smith

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Tough the most popular (form of racing in the human area, and a standard middle, is popularity on the national level). The greyhound, a breed of dog known for speed, chase objects instinctively. The dogs are trained as pups and are brought to the track as two-year-olds. A race usually consists of eight dogs, who chase the mechanical rabbit around the ¼ mile track. The dogs are fiercely competitive and the race makes for good excitement, especially if your dog is in the lead.

Most tracks try to make facilities as comfortable as they can, so Taunton features a covered track grandstand, television room, and a race track that is more picturesque and has captured the sprightliness of many tracks on a high school field.

Starts at the tracks alongside do not get to be opened. Veracruz Mike Ager, John Fredrica and John Helms will all run Thursday. All three are injured though, and opening tinkers will probably be the two backhand ball carriers. Start with Pete Hamilton, who switched his affair from a right 7 is a win, although a longer will be hot, the move should spread defenses and close receivers will get open quicker. With Rickey Wallace, a good passer, running the offense, Bridgewater is expected to throw often.
Bears Open at Boston State

by Jim Doody

The Bears' defensive unit remains a constant with linebackers Ed Cashley and Tony Casella returning from last season. The defense could be a key factor with free safety Steve Katsaros starting. Free safety Don Denier is slated to start at left end and senior George Kashi, converted from guard, will open at right end and Frank Voyer at center.

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It seems like there's a few more garage sales around the campus this fall, but this year, as true just as you can't find any action after right. If you are one of those people, fast as you can to the Student Union. The Sun will be your first stop for Katey and Lesley, the student's union and has been offering the sports programs since.

B.C.S. Bears Coaching Staff, from left to right; assistant line coach Kasabian, line coach, Ed Braun, Head Coach, Pete Mazzaferro; backfield coach, Bill Clifford, and end coach, Leo Fanning.

ON THE RADIO

B.C.S. Bears Radio Announcer, to announce the Bears against Boston State College. The broadcast will air from 7:30 p.m.

ATTENTION: THE COMMENT

WANTED: Public Address System Operator to call the Bear's football games. No previous experience necessary. Interested? Contact Mike Frazier in the Student Union Building.

SPORT LIGHT

by Steve Medeiros

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