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**Wings Over Winthrop**

In what many students are calling "...the event of the year," Paul McCartney brought his rock and roll WINGS to play for a capacity crowd of thirteen people last week in the Johnson Auditorium upstairs restroom. McCartney, who played while standing atop translucent glitter toilet seats through much of the concert said, "We've played to some good crowds in our time, but this has been the most magnificent performance of our career."

"When we booked the concert in the men's room, we knew we'd catch people drifting in and we made sure we didn't have to pay anything," said Charlotte's Web, the director of student affairs.  Cinnamon Barbell, president of the Student Gestapo Association was overwhelmed by the attendance, attributing the success to the location. She is currently working on a proposal whereby campus elections could be held in the same location. "In this way, we could catch students coming and going."

McCartney began the concert with "YESTERDAY." When he finished, a bright Winthrop cord shouted, "Now play DAY BEFORE YESTERDAY!" The Winthrop security force, thinking the concert was in danger of turning into a rock riot, at that point kept the audience in the wings, where McCartney's bass guitar to the ground. The guards were believed to have been snorting some rugy looking substance before the concert began. Students entering the concert were frisked by the guards, who confiscated their July Fruits and bubble gum.

When McCartney sang the words "...Admiral Halsey" during one of his songs, a doctor from the Winthrop infirmary, thought he said "...Cerebral Palsy" and jumped on stage to give McCartney a complete physical. WINGS did a bigger crowd of their gold records, most of which no one at Winthrop had ever heard before. Midway through the performance, some of the audience started chanting, "PLAY SOME GUY LOMBARDO...PLAY SOME GUY LOMBARDO" but the band just kept playing back "PLAY DEAD...PLAY DEAD!"

After doing a couple numbers (backstage) McCartney came back out on stage with John Lennon, George Harrison and Ringo Starr but fortunately members of the audience managed to drag the three strangers from the stage before they could do any damage.

Charlotte's Web says that he plans to have another concert very soon with possibly the Doobie Brothers, playing backup for the 1910 Fruit gums company. Asked how they would finance the undertaking, Web said, "...keep this under your hat, but we got hold of the president's Master Charge card..."

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**THE SPREAD EAGLE**

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**Ill-Eagle News Practices**

Several staff members of THE JOHNSONIAT are facing possible libel suits brought against the college paper for stories which appeared in the March 14 issue of TJ.

In what the college president is calling "...the polishing off of the biggest pub date of the year and nuts to even letter our clean, Christianly Institution," the editor, managing editor and newpaper editor, as well as some of the more sane members of the staff, are currently trying to trial for alleged libelous statements that were integral parts of stories which appeared in the last issue.

"Geez, what a touchy bunch of people..." editor Steven Nobrain said, when talking to reporters through a broken window at the campus top security cell block about the journalistic crisis that has hit her staff. The trouble all began when a story written by Nobrain accused the college president of "...undercover pubic relations."

"It was an honest mistake," Nobrain reminded the reporter. "I meant to say was that he was taking part in some UNDER-

HANDED PUBLIC RELATIONS, but, well, we'd all stopped for a few beers on the way over to put the paper together and I guess someone typed the story wrong. Besides, it was pretty funny... I sure don't need any more trouble."

But more trouble is exactly what the young editor got.

Another story, co-written by the entire editorial staff has got the college faculty in an uproar and is threatening the marital relationships of many of the male professors.

THE JOHNSONIAN staff meets their destiny. Long live THE SPREAD EAGLE (photo by The Glaucoma Kid).

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Paul McCartney and Wings perform to a capacity crowd in Johnson Bathroom (photo by The Glaucoma Kid).

"Now, that one really isn't all our fault." Nobrain said, "You see, we have this eponymous contract in the S.G.A., we call him Deep Threat. Anyway, he told us about a secret poll conducted by the S.G.A., whereby the S.G.A. had found conclusive evidence that proved ninety per cent of the male professors on campus were impotent. After deliberation with the other editors, I decided to run the story under the title, ERECTION RESULTS, sort of a take off on Elections, get it? We figured the story would be read by porno and would assure them that none of the professors were a threat to their daughters' purity. Well, to make a long story short, Deep Threat has skipped town and NOW the professors seem to think they have evidence which will stand up in court to prove they are not impotent. Keep this part under your hat, but our only hope now is if we can spike all the campus coffee pots with salt peter."

Managing editor, Ronz Toblance, is also up to his neck in legal trouble. While putting together a story on the first female priest in the catholic church, Father Mother Superior (No relation to Lake Superior), Toblance misunderstood a comment she made about one of her many duties as a priest. She said, "...just love it, at the end of the day when I can perform my ablutions..." Ablutions, it should be noted, is the washing of sacred vessels used in religious ceremonies. When the story appeared with the Toblance by line, he quoted the young priest as saying, "...just love it, at the end of the day when I can perform my ABORTIONS". The Vatican is reportedly bring-

ing a priest's suit against Toblance, despite the fact that Toblance says he, "...doesn't look good in one of those funny white collars..." Toblance is presently being held in a constitutional booth, where local Catholics are threatening to "...beat him to a Pope..."

Martha Smolder, the outstanding young news editor and most popular, is being brought to trial for her story concerning a discovery by one of the college's most respected biology professors. The profes-

sor, having just discovered a new geneology characteristic in women, had tried to explain his finding to Ms. Smolder and help her understand what he had concluded from the study of the genes of several of his coed assistants. Smolder, who fellow staff members have described as, "...out in the ozone most of the time..." ran the story of the discovery under the title, "PROFESSOR LOOKING INTO GIRLS' JEANS". "Well, gee, golly, I wasn't sure, he didn't spell it for me, so I just spaced it he meant jeans, jeans..." Smolder said in her defense as campus security personnel led her into the college psychiatrist's office.

Professor NobbiiBilledias Feet, the advisor for the editorial staff of the newspaper, said to the staff as they were led to pre-trial hearings, "Don't worry gang, I'll be right behind you all the way." He then turned to a local police officer and asked if he could borrow his pistol, saying, "...I've got some wax in my ear I'd like to get out..."

The staff photographer and layout editor are being tried separately for alleged obscenity practices in the photos and advertising of the newspaper.
Chicken Scrawls
To The Editor

Dear Editor:

I have read with interest the report of Winthrop Security that no reported rapes have occurred at Winthrop for the last 13 years.

Reluctantly, I must report an attack not for prosecution but to set the record straight.

I am a male professor at Winthrop, somewhat ugly and not very strong. One evening I had invited three Winthrop female students to my house to discuss world hunger. Everything was fine for a time until I found that the students were smacking me some strange tobacco and the next thing I knew I was not able to defend myself.

Suddenly, they moved on me which made me feel later the vicious act was premeditated. I find I can't sleep well at night. I am afraid to be alone with a Winthrop female. I don't dare walk out at night without loose fitting pants and my collar buttoned up high. In some ways the memory of that incredible attack will be with me forever.

So... the record is straight. Security may accept that rape has occurred at Winthrop in the last several years but some of us are so humiliated we fear reporting it.

In order to help troubled and deprived women at Winthrop to keep from losing control and showing passion like mine, I am willing to try to help those who feel they may commit such an attack. I enclose my address and telephone number in case, good person that I am, I may be able to help.

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Due To April Fool's Day

Tricky Dick And The Plumbers Have Been Moved To A Prison They Goofed!

The campus student government organization, in a much heralded (mostly by members) about face, has made itself the most accessible, communications organization on campus. "Speak loudly and beat 'em with a stick when they don't listen," has become their slogan as they are going out of their way to gain student interest.

The major policy change began when five of the more militant members of the organization forcibly took over the campus radio station WCRO. Changing the call letters to WSGA, the station now plays only "Hats to the Chief", "Basketball Jones", spending the rest of their broadcast time with such important programming as "ISSUES UNANSWERED", "MILET THE PENTS", "SMILR THE PRESS" and in as depth look at the weekly activities and accomplishments of the SGA on a revealing program called "60 SECONDS". Advertisers on the airwaves is limited to SGA listings of improvements they have made, which results in virtually commercial free broadcasting.

Cinnamon Barbell, head of the organization, has also taken over all bulletin boards on campus, explaining the move by saying, "If it doesn't have to do with SGA, it isn't worth reading anyway." Radical members of the student body are now calling the notice boards, "BULL BOARDS." Barbell has also stationed senate members at the bulletin boards with whips and knives to encourage student body members to stop and read the new notices. Students stopped by senate members are required to recite random rules and regulations from memory or face the prospect of having to sit through video tape recordings of Barbell's pre election speeches.

When asked what events were being scheduled for the warm springs days ahead, Barbell said they are planning a huge "MILK BLAST" co-sponsored by a local munuary (not Winthrop) where students could really look forward to getting "messed up pretty good on moo juice". Students are required to attend, as the SGA has made it part of graduation requirements and should wear tails and ties, or Victorian forrnals for females in attendance. Males and females will be kept separated by barber wire fencing and armed security personnel.

The group is also planning a new radio program whereby students are given the opportunity on Sunday afternoons to call in with questions for the college president. Calls will be screened and only those students with a 4.0 average and who are members of at least three honor societies will be allowed to address "I'm a Highness. "In this way," Barbell said, "We feel SGA is reaching out to its common man, the average student and the typical campus members."
It's Been A Gas

Winthrop College, in response to the recent natural gas and electric power shortage, has shut down all heat, washers, dryers, water fountains, and, unfortunately, all stereo, Low dryers, clock/tv's. In short—Winthrop has cut off all electricity in the dormitories and Thompson Cafeteria. However, all administration and classroom buildings are maintaining full power.

Students are frantically and angrily trying to adjust to this rather sudden change. Hundreds of coeds went "home to mother" within the first two days of the shutdown. But a few students remain—mostly those graduating in April—pallidly stick it out. Students in Phelps have been chipping off bits of window sills and door jams in an effort to build small fires in the halls. This has proven quite useful for heating up the frozen dinners issued by Epicure, for drying clothes, and of course, roasting marshmallows. Many students have been bathing in the Tillman fountain and in the lake beside the shack, much to the dismay of the administration. DPB is showing a film in Tillman at 8 p.m. this coming Sunday entitled, "Where Were You When the Lights Went Out?" in honor of the occasion.

Bar (Hic) Treck

Jack Daniels, president of I TAPPA KEG, the Windthrop College fraternity for men, announced publicly today the initiation procedure for this semester's pledge class. Mr. Daniels said that the theme of this semester's rush is "Star Trek." In addition, to satisfy this semester's theme, pledges will be responsible for "boldly going where no man has gone before" at least twice.

On Wednesday, March 30 the college president announced that THE SPREAD EAGLE will continue to be published. This was two days after his decision to stop publication of THE SPREAD EAGLE. On March 28 the press... had called a news conference for THE SPREAD EAGLE to inform them that the paper was not to be printed again. Presumed for a reason by a defied reporter, the president said, "our staff has been printing totally irrevocable, unprintable, or nonprintable information in the paper. After several hours of deep thought a SGA leader stated that she did not think the paper would be able to be heard. The staff was silence. The editor also cited that "You're All W.A.S.H.T.U.p..." as an article that particularly met this need.

The Outing Club recently returned from a week long climb of Mount Everest. Of the thirty-two members attempting the climb, five survived. Dr. Do-Sit-Ups, sponsor and one of the survivors, commented that it was a great experience for those who survived and that it will probably be their big annual trip. He also stated that because of the great success

Senior Confusion, Winthrop's most popular organization, recently inducted its new members. In order of the purpose of the group is to recognize those members of the Winthrop community who have contributed to the greatness of the campus. One of the most noted members, Humphry Dumpty, commented that the class of Senior Confusion improves every initiation. Asked how he informs nominees that they were not selected he replied, "Tuff stuff!"

The less fortunate are bettering up the present members in hopes of being chosen into the most prestigious clique. The outcome is eagerly being watched.

Rescued?

The Outing Club's budget should be extended to a minimum of two million dollars. Therefore all members are encouraged to run for Senate.

Budget Binge

Winthrop superstar, Jo Jo Gun, pumps in 22 points as the Eagles take the NCAA championship over the UCLA Bruins (photo by The Glaucoma Kid).

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In-Security

Security was near to the point of exhaustion after performing their many useful duties this week. In keeping with their policy of concern for students, Security was busy around the clock - 1 p.m. - 5 p.m. Following is an account of their various activities.

Two accounts of lost contacts. One case was in the Tillman Fountain and the other in the fire escape tubes near Roddey. Unfortunately the contacts remained lost after an all night search.

Fifteen accounts of locked keys in car. There was a sudden rash of locked keys in cars. Because breaking into cars is so time consuming (especially Volkswagens) and because Security officers are entitled to two hour lunch breaks, the officers had to resort to smashing windows to get to the keys. Unfortunately one officer mistakenly smashed Mother Mary, Dean of Students', car. When Security chief, Deputy Daws, was asked about the incident he replied, "I'll give you a report in the morning." Two Basta. Security officers crashed into one Phelps coed's room without a warrant shouting, "This is a bust. Mind if we join you?" The other bust details are unclear, but rumor holds it that it occurred in the sacred confines of Tillman.

Undercover work. Security is reported to having several undercover agents. One operates in the library to catch students tearing out magazine articles. An official, Fair-to-Midlin, asked about the effectiveness of the agents, stated that the criminal act continues and that he has not noticed the work of the agent. Evidently he is still undercover (the magazines that is).

You're All W.A.S.H.T. Up...

W.A.S.H.T., (We Are Students Here Too), the militant group of day students who last week took over the Dining Stupid Center, still hold the building under a state of siege, leaving the students here with no access to the campus book store. Professors have reported a 46 per cent jump in grade averages since the required reading materials became unavailable.

In a bold attempt to regain control of the facility, President Hall ordered campus security personnel to charge the student center armed with show-up cans of Coke and pea shooters. The militant day students held the security force at bay, using record albums as frisbees. One officer who took part at the charge and received a nasty scratch on his finger was quoted as saying, "They really knew just which albums to fling.

They hit us with BAD COMPANY, LED ZEPPELIN—all the really HARD-rockers that hit you and hurt. If my tip top on my Coke can hadn't misfired, I might have had a chance to get inside but the breaks were against us. The way we figure, those kids still have enough record albums in there to hold off the National Guard." When someone pointed out that the officers hadn't been badly bent during the fracas, he reportedly burst into tears and had to be led to one of the ambulances standing by.

The day students, apparently pleased with their victory began chanting "OH HAIL...OH HAIL..." Witnesses said the college president made an obscene gesture at the chanting students and fled the scene, clutching tightly to a stuffed teddy bear.

Russian Roulette

The Russian Club recently announced that they will offer the president of their club as a presidential candidate in next year's election for SGA officers.

When the matter was brought before the Senate, it was ruled that this campus could not allow a politically active Communist Party. Various senators voiced their approval of the proposal, but the majority convinced Senate that the administration would not allow it.

A Communist Party was established on campus in November of 1918, and has recently maintained a membership of five to ten members. The club's activities include monthly backgammon tournaments, literary lectures on Dostoyevsky, Tolstoy, and Chekov, an attempt last fall to construct a mini-Red Square in front of Tillman, and occasional book-burning of 50.

President of the Russian Club and Communist Party here at Winthrop, Mike Nikolovich, said that he could not understand the Senate's decision of not allowing his to run for SGA president. He stated, "It's unconstitutional!" When asked what his next move would be, Nikolovich said simply, "REVOLT!"

Prof's Get Kicks

Forty members of the college faculty are presently being treated for bruises and cuts received yesterday when a phantom member of the student body managed to secure "KICK ME" signs to the back of trousers and shirts, leaving the unknown professors open for a barrage of well aimed kicks by student body members. Security personnel on campus have warned professors who have yet to receive injury, to stay indoors and away from the college campus. One professor, who suggested to the security office that it might be simpler if everyone just changed clothes, has been nominated for the distinguished professor award.

When questioned about his feelings concerning the incident, the college president said, "someone obviously did this for kicks..."