Intercollegiate Student Association in Denton last Saturday were reported to the Student Council Thursday by Ben Hamleges and Junior Colleges.

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Letters to the Editor -  
Writer Organizes Destructive Club

To the Editor:

This is rush week for the newly-organized Student Council. This organization will be the most exclusive club of any kind on the Rice campus. True, its' Business Manager Tom Smith will be more and more exclusive with every meeting of the Hall Committee for the members of this society will be required to maintain the distinction of remaining a resident of the dorms without having been thoroughly involved in the student body in student activities and consequently know the limits of the law. Thus, the members in effect will be chosen for the following criteria: sincerity, humanity, selflessness, unscrupulousness, and submission.

Now, good news to the anti-guided society blues. The ever-increasing number of persons, who except for the strictures of law, would ordinarily qualify for the Student Council, are invited to join the Sons and Daughters of J. Will Arts. Composing for the club's utter lack of exclusiveness, is the fact that E.D.I.W.A. is conversed to achievement of the following noble purposes: organized resistance to the administration, unswerving opposition to authority, subversion, sabotage, and destruction.

Here are some of our immediate purposes: scattering of last one bottles remaining in the case; crushing of office cigarettes, on lounge floor, careless tobacco chewing, and synchronization of all pyromaniacs and "hydro-maniacs" activities in the dorms. Remember our motto: Be ye therefore_subversive. Our war cry: Burn! Kill! Drown! Destroy!

Students, arise! Destructively yours, WADING MORAN, Pres. E.D.I.W.A.

Cochran Criticizes Brannan Farm Plan

To the Editor:

The Attackman Administration has recently proposed a plan to protect the farmer from the possibility of reduced crop prices and confirm him in the friendliness toward the Democratic party that he exhibited last fall at the polls. Secretary Brannan's proposal is that the Agricultural Department "shall fix the prices paid to the farmer—not at the 150% of parity he received for his crops last, but at a level about 50% higher than that in order to equalize farm and urban per capita income. Mr. Brannan proposes this 50% increase in farm income and of far more than that in the volume of support required at a time when the government has already found it necessary to allocate two billion dollars for the maintenance of farm prices. He does not estimate the cost of this program to the taxpayer. He does not think that, for though it might be well to reap more, it could scarcely be less than ten billion dollars—enough to keep our present fleet of war footing for almost two years, or to build a squadron of ten carriers like the present fleet at sea on a war footing.

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This is what happens at other colleges.

But not here. There's a law against it.

At the Rice Institute there is the Freshman Guidance Program. The dedicated, naive newcomers are led gently by the hand of their older and wiser brothers. They wear the uniform and participate in all the happy-go-lucky games planned for them by the Sophomores. There are times, it's true, when, from the pure joy of life, they carry each other gently with brooms, but this is entirely up to them; they are not forced nor is any outside pressure exerted.

Now, let us see what will happen (Continued on Page 3)
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INTELLECTUAL SADISM —

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If this was done away with, that is, if the Freshman Guidance gram was abolished or materially weakened, the freshmen, not knowing what to expect, would not know how to reach the dorms. The head was too high. They would not have known where to reach the dorms and were properly instructed. Let us return to our original position. Your students cannot try to dominate the freshmen. That was the law of nature. With the natural, harmless Guidance forbidden, a sinister situation would result. There will be a mental diploma to the place of the former physical aid. In time, this will give rise to mental sadism.

There are various types of mental sadism. One is the sarcastic, consisting in repeating the subjects words in a stinging tone of voice. That is:

"Fresh.—"If sure is a nice day, isn't it?"

Sadist.—"If sure is a nice day, isn't it?" Well, you can see where this leads. It lowers the amount of intelligent conversation tremendously.

Under another system, the sadist quotes authorities. Fresh.—"If sure is a nice day, isn't it?"

Sadist.—"Well, according to the historian, theory, that may be so, but let us state it in the manner of good ol' Socrates, 'Is it a good day, or is it not? Is it a nice day when the weather bureau says yes, but on the other hand, the Almighty says no.'"

We can't have freshmen who don't even know whether it's a nice day or not.

Now there is a third type which places great stress on the word "NO!" A conversation with one of these goes thus:

"Fresh.—"It sure is a nice day, isn't it?"

Sadist.—"No! Fresh.—"Yes! Sadist.—"No! Fresh.—"Not even a little! Sadist.—"NO! This type of thing inhibits freedom of expression even more than a public book-burning. The fourth and last classification is a borderline case. He might be called a verbal, rather than a mental sadist. He replies to every ex-

SUGGESTION for Summer Job Hunters

Despite the numerous career opportunities this year, the Institute has already begun to suffer a shortage of summer jobs for the students. This is due to the increasing demand for the students' services, as well as the reluctance of employers to offer internships.

The students are encouraged to explore all possible avenues for summer employment, including part-time jobs, internships, and volunteer work. The Career Center is available to assist students in their job search.

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netters moved into third place in the conference race Saturday and taking five of six from UT-Friday. The Texas match established the best day for the frosh team as Bobby Harris defeated Jimmy Grier in the number one singles. Bobby Harris, 6-2, 6-1 and Howard Starkmann downed Ed Braswell, 6-0, 6-1.

The doubles, looking black when Goldberg and Kelly topped the Rice No. 1 entry, Chick Harris and Turpin, 6-2, 7-6; but Friday and Bobby Harris pulled the surprise of the day when they upset Braswell and Howard Starkmann, 6-3, 6-4. Texas now leads the team race with 23 wins and 5 losses with 7321 second with a 10-5 record, and Rice is third with 16-6. The Owls meet the U. of H. in a match today at 4 at the city recreation courts.

... AIEE Outing

The AIEE will hold its annual picnic at Galveston Saturday, May 14. The outing will cost $2.50 a person and will pay for beer, music, and maybe lights.

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Rice to Meet Longhorns in Austin; Hopes High Because of Steer Injured

Friday, the Rice track team journeys to Austin for a dual meet with the Texas Longhorns in what may develop into a thrilling point duel. If the Steers' injured duo of Charley Parker and John Robertson return to competition, the meet will be a runaway, with the point totals expected to be something like 77 for Texas and 44 for Rice. However, if the pair remain on the sidelines, the meet will not be decided by more than one or two points. Another doubtful starter will be Augie Erfurth, who injured his leg briefly at the Drake Relays and who may be held out to avoid mishap before the conference meet.

Those same Drake Relays produced one bright spot for the Institute: the 1405 relay. Besides taking the only first place which Texas teams pulled down, the relayers won in the fine time of 3:18.4, best time by a Southwest Conference team this year, and 3.5 seconds faster than the conference record. This performance promises a record in this event in the conference meet in a couple of weeks by either A&M or Rice, the loser pushing the win-ner down to a probable 3:18.

Speaking of the Aggies, the Farmers finally suffered a bit of tough luck of their own. Although they claim that it takes more than luck to beat the Aggie mile relay team, they found that it is pretty hard to get around a dropped baton. Yes, the Aggies suffered their first defeat of the year when they failed to qualify for the finals of the event because of the aforementioned baton fumble.

It seems that Donald Mitchell, running the first for the Aggies, lost his stride, and before he could untangle himself from the pack, he had lost valuable yardage, which subsequent runners (except Ray Holbrook) lost rather than made up.

Only two other Rice entries placed. Augie Erfurth was fourth in a 14.6 high hurdles race, just one yard behind the winner. Heating out his old nemesis, John Rowland of SMU, while the 440 relay team placed fourth in a strong field. The field was so close that anchor man Red Brown was only one yard behind the winner.

Tentative Schedule For Softball Games

Schedule for the softball intramural games to be played this week is as follows:

Thursday, May 6: Rally Club vs. Chemistry Staff.


Slippery Slimes vs. Super Nine

All managers of teams who can play on Saturday afternoon should notify Plumbley in order that no-hit games may be played on Saturday.

OWLS Meet Baylor; Conference Muddled

The Rice baseball team will play two games this week, meeting the sturdy Baylor Bears on the Rice diamond both Friday and Saturday afternoons. Both clubs will be fresh from eventful happenings this past weekend. Baylor, at that time, threw the conference race into a muddle by sweeping a four game series from the leading Texas Longhorns, while Rice hung up its first victory of the conference season when Billy Bishop hurled the Flock to a 14-7 win over TCU Thursday, Friday and Saturday, however, the team slipped back into its losing ways as scores were dropped to TCU, 8-1, and SMU, 5-4. Two Frog hurlers combined to turn a no hitter at the Owls in the Friday struggle, while Johnny Finch lost a toughie to the Ponies when footballer Doak Walker batted in the winning run in the ninth with an outfield fly.

Just Talking

The OWLS held their annual closed dinner in honor of senior members at the Houston Yacht Club Friday April 29th. Members and their dates enjoyed swimming and sailing in the afternoon. The formal dinner and dance followed.

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