Higher Education Hit By Financial Crisis

Trinity finished the past fiscal year with an operating deficit of $320,474. In his annual report, College Treasurer J. Kenneth Robertson explains that he had to pay bills totaling $6,949,215 with cash income of $6,628,742, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970.

However, the college is predicting it will end the current fiscal year without a deficit. In his report, the Treasurer says many of his colleagues at other institutions speak openly "of the impending demise of private education...barring miraculous change" in the factors that produced the financial crisis facing higher education nationally.

The factors most commonly mentioned are external inflation, internal inflation peculiar to education, a depressed stock market, social concerns that have increased expenses such as the need for financial aid, dwindling sources of income because of tight money or a disenchantment with changing life styles on campuses, and increasing demands by society for services from educational institutions.

Despite the gloomy outlook from other treasurers, Robertson views the future "with optimism." He writes, "deficit confrontation is a traumatic experience," but "in some ways a salutary experience. It has forced us to reorder our priorities...to redesign the budgetary process, encourage cost control and to avoid waste."

He concluded, "there are hopeful signs that once again we are drawing closer together as a community with shared ideals and shared responsibilities." (The outlook nationally and what Trinity is doing "to realign expenditures to balance its budget, under the pressure of fiscal imbalances and constraints" is the subject of the lead article of this issue. - Editor)

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Trinity Seen Turning Corner By Cost Cuts, Aid Appeals

Even more startling is the Commission's estimate that the hardest hit financially are private colleges and that 71% of the nation's liberal arts colleges are "in trouble" (running deficits or cutting important programs) or will be soon.

There has been a deluge of reports since confirming Carnegie Commission Chairman Dr. Clark Kerr's conclusion that "higher education is facing the greatest financial crisis it has ever had." A recent sampling:

- Sixteen teachers at Hiram Scott College (Neb.) have been fired in an economy move and intercollegiate athletics dropped.
- Potsdam College in Beatrice, Neb. closed its doors in January and gave its 385 students two days notice to leave the campus which is up for sale.
- The Oregon State system of higher education will base tuition charges next fall on the cost of instruction.
- Columbia University projected a $15.5 million deficit for the current year and announced a five-year austerity program to balance the budget. The theater arts program will be phased out with the graduation of present major students.
- Bradley University and the University of Buffalo are both dropping intercollegiate football.
- Yale University announced efforts to seek $30 million to finance a deferred tuition plan which would allow students a "tuition postponement option." for 35 years to pay swollen tuition rates.

The Association of American Colleges, after surveying 500 institutions concluded the average private college ran a small deficit in 1968-69. That deficit quintupled in 1969-70 and is expected to be even higher in 1970-71.

In actuality Trinity ran an $86,000 deficit in 1968-69 and a whopping $15.3 million deficit for the current year ending June 30, 1970. But Trinity officials are confident that 1970-71 (current fiscal year) will be even better.

Morris Named Education Head

Dr. Richard K. Morris, professor of education, has been appointed chairman of the Department of Education effective July 1.

Dr. Morris will succeed Professor Alexander A. Mackimmie, who has held the post since coming to Trinity in 1962. Professor Mackimmie, whose career in education spans 43 years, will retire in June.

A native of Somerville, Mass., and educated in Exed, Conn., schools, Dr. Morris was graduated from Trinity in 1940 and received M.A. and Ph.D. degrees from Yale. Dr. Morris joined the Trinity faculty in 1951 after six years of teaching history at three secondary schools and after serving two years on the executive staff of the Connecticut Education Association, which has since made him an honorary life member.

Dr. Morris is an authority on the history of education and in 1961 delivered the Henry Barnard Sesquicentennial Address for the Connecticut State Board of Education. He is the author of numerous articles which have appeared in educational journals. He also is an accomplished sailor and for many years explored the U.S. East coast in his own sailboat. In 1967 he delivered the Fenian Centennial Address at University College, Galway, Ireland.

He is an authority on the development of the submarine and is the author of a book, "John P. Holland— Inventor of the Modern Submarine," Papers and photographs Dr. Morris collected on the
Letters To The Editor

Kind Words
Just thought I'd drop you a note to tell you that I enjoy the Trinity Reporter and think it does a fine job of keeping alumni up to date on all things Trinity.

William P. Kahl '61

Confusion
My husband is an alumnus of Trinity and we have both enjoyed reading your current newspaper, the Trinity Reporter.

We are very much interested in the affairs at Trinity and would appreciate applying the skills of America's professional Technical Assistance (VITA), attended a board meeting of the organization in New York City through the world and in 11 years the Cleveland. In February they both attended alumni meetings in Cincinnati, Columbus and Florida. Next stop on the alumni circuit is at Atlanta on April 1, 2 and 3.

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Campus Notes

President LOCKWOOD, chairman of the board of The Volunteers for International Technical Conferences, attended the meeting of the organization in New York City in February, and spoke of the importance of applying the skills of America's professional and technical resources to the problems of the world's underdeveloped. VITTA has over 7,000 volunteers who offer assistance to projects throughout the world and in 11 years the number of projects has expanded to more than 19,000 requests from 120 nations.

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BOOKS
BRIDGE OF NO RETURN
"The Ordeal of the U.S.S. Pueblo"
F. Carl Schumacher, Jr. '65
(Former Operations Officer, U.S.S. Pueblo)
George C. Wilson
(Military Correspondent, "The Washington Post")
Harcourt Brace Jovanovich, Inc. 1971
241 pages
Reviewed by R. Malcolm Salter
Director, News Bureau

"I had to kill myself," writes Skip Schumacher in the opening line of his vivid and moving account of the capture of the U.S.S. Pueblo on January 23, 1968, and the 11-month ordeal he and his shipmates endured as prisoners of the North Koreans.

The young Lieutenant had decided suicide was "the only way out," just three days after capture and twice he tried to carry out his decision by placing his head in a bucket of water in his room, only to choke, cough and sputter his way back into the lonely, bleak, tormenting "life" that was to be his for the next year.

This is the account, as told to veteran journalist George Wilson, of one of the most dramatic events of the cold war. Game played by the North Koreans after blatantly capturing a U.S. ship on the high seas.

While the capture of the Pueblo and the subsequent incarceration of its crew raises a number of tricky questions, including policy decisions at the highest levels and accountability of the Code of Conduct expected of military personnel, Skip's book essentially concentrates, as his only regret, on his love for the ship and the crew.
Alumni Invited
to Rome Campus

Alumni and their families planning to visit Rome this summer are welcome to attend classes on the Trinity/Rome Campus without charge. This program, now in its second year of operation, will be conducted from June 9 until July 29.

The number of jobs available for graduating college seniors will probably be some 25% less than the number of openings a year ago, says Mrs. Paula L. Robbins, director of career counseling at the College.

Mrs. Robbins, who succeeded the late John Butler in the career counseling office, told the Trinity student body in a midwinter newsletter, that based on information from the National College Placement Council, "The job outlook for graduating seniors is not encouraging."

She reported, "early indications are that employers in business, industry, government and education will have quotas averaging 25% less than in 1970."

Mrs. Robbins attributed the situation to a "depressed economy" which had reduced the normal rate of turnover in jobs "resulting in fewer openings," coupled with an increase in the number of competiting job skills, or "the job seekers will be looking for employment. And it is expected fewer seniors will be entering military service this year as well."

Mrs. Robbins said, "The students who will have the most difficulty in finding jobs are those of last year's "new BA's" in liberal arts, education, chemistry, and physics."

However, she noted that jobs for which there will be a relatively greater demand will be vocationally-oriented and will include many aspects of higher education that we (educators) haven't come to grips with because of our (higher education) employers just don't know..."

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In memory

John Henry Esquirol, 1905

The Right Reverend John H. Esquirol, the ninth Bishop of the Diocese of Bridgeport, died in December 30, 1968.

After practicing law for 13 years in Brooklyn, New York, Bishop Esquirol entered General Theological Seminary, Columbia University in 1936. He was leadership of the Diocese of Bridgeport in Connecticut in 1922. A lifelong resident of the Episcopal Diocese of Brooklyn, he was ordained a deacon in Long Island and, a year later, was consecrated as a bishop in the Episcopal Diocese of Brooklyn in 1923 when he was 50 years old.

In 1956 he came to Hartford and was installed as the fifth dean of Christ Church Cathedral.

A treasurer of Berkeley Divinity School in New Haven, he received an honorary Doctor of Divinity degree from Berkeley and New York University. In 1971 he received the same degree from Trinity.

Commenting on Bishop Esquirol’s passing, an editorial in the Hartford Courant said, in part...

...in his installation address, Bishop Esquirol said that he thought of himself as being in a pastoral, personal relationship with the people, and not as one who exercises authority. He was a man of his word. And young people in Episcopal churches across the state especially admired his compassion. Bishop Esquirol will be remembered as one who really cared about people and their God.”

Besides his wife, the former Margaret J. Bloom of New York, two sons, Atty John H. Esquirol Jr. of Boston and Howard J. Esquirol of Connecticut, and five grandchildren.

Ernest DeKoven Leffingwell, 1885

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Voluntary Physical Education Thriving

by Jay L. Schaefer '71

His hands closed slowly around her neck, his eyes stared into hers: then a loud scream - "hey-yah" - and the small fragile freshman girl sent the big senior flying head over heels onto the mat.

The students were practicing judo in one of the new classes offered by the Physical Education Department. Other courses now popular include karate, squash, diving, skiing, and indoor tennis.

The former traditional group activities such as touch football, softball, basketball, soccer and volleyball have given way to student requests for "carry-over" courses that include extensive individual instruction, according to Professor Roy A. Dath, coordinator of the physical education program.

The change came two years ago with the faculty's adoption of the New Curriculum, which eliminated required courses and brought sweeping reform and new courses to many departments, but none more radical than the P.E. program.

The curriculum change came at the time the doors of the George M. Ferris Athletic Center were about to open.

The initial change eliminated the two-year physical education requirement. Dath said, and allowed students voluntarily to take physical education courses for a maximum of one academic credit (four courses - or one year for one credit and no limit on the number of activities without credit).

"People thought we might be lonely down here and that the change (eliminating requirements) might be the end of our program," said Robert E. (Robie) Shults, associate professor of P.E. at that hasn't happened. Students are coming down, and we've offered new courses to keep them interested," Dath said.

Dath said the response from the students - and especially the girls, who are in every class has been "tremendous." For example 96 students signed up for Thursday night skiing lessons at nearby slopes. However, we were able to accommodate only half this number, Dath reported and he added there are always waiting lists for squash and tennis classes, and bowling, sailing and golf fill up fast.

Leo J. Hamel, trainer, who offers courses in judo, medical self-help, and body mechanics (for girls) said there has been "a big change from the time when we used to line up and do standing broad jumps. Now the students learn skills. The program is a combination of activities found now at country clubs, health spas and tennis clubs," Dath said.

All of the coaches agreed that under the old system the courses were often filled with unwilling students. Now, they point out, there is a receptive attitude in the classes that makes the students easier to teach and their teachers more enthusiastic.

Each department member teaches physical education courses in addition to coaching intercollegiate sports (varisty and freshman athletics). "We wear a lot of hats," said instructor William P. Sferro, "but it is enjoyable, and the program is worthwhile." Sferro is an assistant football coach, freshman basketball coach, freshman lacrosse coach and teaches bowling, squash and urban recreation classes.

Several of the coaches had to brush up on the fundamentals of newly offered courses. Assistant Professor David R. Bum said he was "only a few chops ahead of the students" during his first karate classes, and Hamel said he had learned his brown belt in judo.

Robie Shults said students interested in team sports can work out with the varsity, play intramurals, or compete in pickup games. Many students have organized continuing classes in fencing, sailing, karate and formed a gymnastics club to continue developing their new skills by themselves.

In addition to teaching beginning and survival swimming and Senior Life Saving, Assistant Professor Robert D. Slaughter, who works with water safety instructors who are eager to give individual swimming instruction as part of their practice teaching program. Now with classes in diving and scuba diving, Slaughter said, "The aquatics program offers everything except water skiing."

Slaughter said the old required swimming program had kept the pool occupied most of the day. With the new curriculum, the swimming pool, along with most of the other field house facilities, are available for greater recreational use during the day by students, faculty and alumni.

The Ferris Center opens at 7:00 a.m. with several students and faculty regularly playing indoor tennis or jogging around the indoor dirt track at that hour before going to class. Activities continue in the facilities until 10:00 p.m. and evenings usually reserved for recreational use.

There is a recreation program from 11:45 to 1:00 p.m. daily for alumni and faculty to enjoy basketball, squash, tennis, weight lifting and swimming. And there are other programs, such as "bubble babies swimming" for the pre-school children of faculty and staff of the College.

Another aspect of physical education stressed in the new program is coaching and teaching "urban recreation," a pilot course offered by Sferro, which will become a graduate lecture/lab seminar leading to further work in Hartford.

Medical self-help, a "first-aid-plus" course explains how to treat persons injured during blackouts or other emergencies.

Associate Professor Donald G. Miller, varsity football coach, offers a seminar in "coaching varsity football," designed for students interested in teaching or coaching. He also teaches squash and coaches freshman baseball.

Dath said that in addition to new courses offered which include badminton, archery, recreational rowing, gymnastics, swimming and physical development (men only) - other courses will be added when students express an interest.

Professor Karl Kurth Jr. director of athletics, said he was happy with the increasing participation in the classes but that he was concerned under the voluntary participation, some students might leave college unable to swim, who never developed a skill in a carry-over activity, or who had no knowledge of the need for physical fitness.

"If I was the student I would not have this ability coming to Trinity, I wouldn't be concerned," Kurth said.

Both Kurth and Dath said an increasing number of students are "auditing" physical education courses and participating in an activity without receiving academic credit.

The physical education program at Trinity is unusual, according to Dath as it offers a wide-range of courses (with textbooks and individual instruction) that are not required, but may be taken for academic credit. He said many other colleges were studying the program to see how Trinity combined voluntary physical education, a modern well-equipped athletic center and new courses to bring about spiralling enthusiasm among the students, faculty, coaches and alumni.

This year's senior class, however, will be the last to remember the days of the (all-male) required half-mile survival swim.

"Alright, men," the instructor used to say, "you're going to have to swim half a mile. Everyone into the pool."

And 20 naked young men jumped into the water.

But no more. The new curriculum ended that memorable forced swim and the administration has promoted posting signs in the locker rooms today noting "Swim suits must be worn at all times."

This sign is a reminder of the dramatic changes that have swept the physical education department in the past two years. Wearing swimsuits also points to a new requirement issued by a department which is flourishing in the absence of old ones.
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