

maintain Rice's image; she claimed that all she read in the paper about Rice was false trash with which the press was attempting to destroy Rice's good image. Any action departing from dignity is prohibited, since most students favor only quiet tactics. A member of SDS said that she felt more action was needed than students milling around in the quadrangle and called for an orderly demonstration in front of Cohen House, where the press conference will be held. She said that the SDS plans no disruptive actions and that the community created by the issue must ~~not be destroyed~~. Skaaren warned students to guard their statements to the press so that they will not be misconstrued. It must be emphasized that the demonstration is the work, not of a few activists, but of almost all the University. The idea of a strike was mentioned, but it, along with other references to less tranquil tactics, was completely rejected. In short, because of the undesirable effects student unrest has led to in other universities, we must not allow the press to deceive itself in thinking that Rice has now achieved a similar state. The support of the public must be won. But above all, the alumni must be won over.

It is hoped that the Administration will not regard this demonstration as a vitriolic attack on it and everything it stands for, but as what it is-- a protest against a grievance. Yet the Administration should reconsider what students and faculty consider a slap in the face. They should be aware of one principle of the current movement: "It can't happen here."

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