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there were so many fake permits. Just today alone, I know the police confiscated seven or eight of them.

In an effort to increase the communication between PTTS and students and to better understand the role of PTTS, student senators members of the Student Government Association (SGA) took administrative positions for PTTS while administrators were away on a retreat. Lane, a senior political science major, filled in for Tom Williams, rector of PTTS. Lane said the experience helped him to understand the challenges PTTS faces.

"I think we learned what some things PTTS does and what they're responsible for and why it's such a difficult job," he said. "It's a great learning experience for me and for other people who helped out. I want to learn what PTTS deals with on a daily basis."

Angela Newman, a communications specialist for PTTS, said student senators took on a variety of PTTS roles.

"Someone [took] over the director's position, someone [took] over the executive associate director's position, someone [took] over the customer service manager who deals with the angry students or anybody who's upset with anything."

Although most positions were left vacant by the administrative staff, which kept the students busy, senators also left the office to work with PTTS officers to see how they operate.

"I went to a metropolitan planning meeting this morning, and had a staff meeting this afternoon and some other things in between," Lane said. "People were taking complaints and appeals today, so that's an interesting perspective."

This is the first time student senators have swapped positions with PTTS administrators. They will continue their PTTS roles today.

Correction
In Wednesday's *Battalion* about Tuesday's presidential debate, a statement by George W. Bush was attributed to Al Gore.

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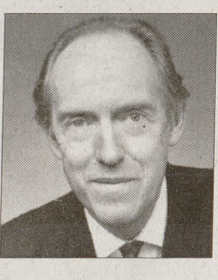
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