

Anti-war protest professor's 'finest hour'

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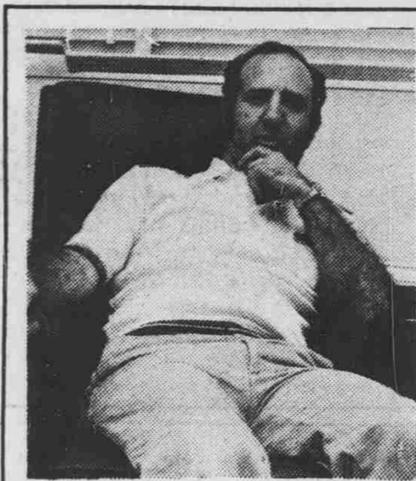
He doesn't look like the man who led 10,000 protestors to the Governor's Mansion in a demonstration against the Vietnam War. But he did. And he certainly doesn't look a man almost set up as a conspirator by the KGB, the Russian equivalent of the CIA. But he says he nearly was.

In fact, Professor Joel Schwartz, associate chairperson of the UNC Political Science Department, looks like what he has been for the past twelve years—a teacher. A short man with a dark complexion and a receding hairline, Schwartz is a specialist on Soviet government, having received degrees from Harvard and Indiana.

But this teacher, a second generation American, was not content to teach and then return to his office in the late 60s when anti-war protests were at their height at UNC and throughout the country.

"I had always believed Vietnam was the worst moral outrage by the United States against anyone, destroying Vietnam and tearing American society apart," Schwartz said. Because of his feelings, he campaigned for Eugene McCarthy in the 1968 presidential election. But he became involved in what he calls "my finest hour," the "March on Raleigh" in 1969, quite by accident.

"I was walking to my office one day and there were some radicals agitating near the



Professor Joel Schwartz, associate chairman of the UNC Political Science Department, has been called a radical by many people.



In 1969 he led a demonstration at the Governor's Mansion in which a crowd of 10,000 protested the Vietnam War.



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American flag pole in the Lower Quad. I can't remember the exact day, because those times seem so far away. But I do remember they were saying irrational and violent things like 'Let's take over South Building in protest against the war!'

"I took the microphone and told the crowd, which had become pretty lively by then, that if they wanted their opinions heard, taking over South Building was the wrong way. They would have to take their ideas to prominent people for results, I said. "Well," he continues, "I guess I asked for

it." Soon organizers of a protest came to Schwartz and asked him to lead their rally, which they called the "March on Raleigh" (even though everyone actually drove to the capital city). The march was to protest a telegram Gov. Bob Scott had sent President Nixon in behalf of the people of North Carolina. The telegram had congratulated Nixon on the bombing of Cambodia.

"I was to give this fire-and-brimstone speech on the lawn of the Governor's Mansion while a delegation of people picked from the protestors went in the mansion to

give Scott a petition against his action and the war.

"So I gave this rabble-rousing sermon for about 20 minutes and suddenly the microphone went dead!"

The state police protecting Scott had pulled the microphone cord and whisked the governor out the back before the delegation got to see him.

It was a hot day in April and the crowd of protestors from all over the state were already angry. Soon people started talking about seizing the mansion in protest.



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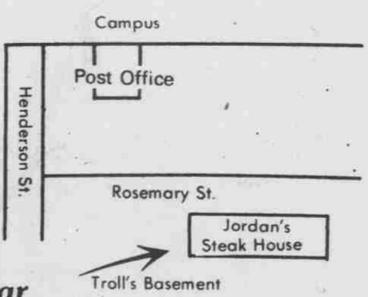
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