Abernathy holds press conference

Greenville, North Carolina



IN GREENVILLE TODAY Abernathy spoke to the Black leaders of the city. He said that if it is necessary he will

bring the fireworks on the National SCLC down on Eastern North Carolina to straighten out racial problems here.

(photo by Ross Mann)

Ayden visit raises questions

By BRUCE SAVAGE Staff Writer

Editor's Note: This is an interpretive analysis of the background and circumstances surrounding the visit of Dr. Ralph David Abernathy to ECU campus.

Dr. Ralph Abemathy did not address the students of ECU Tuesday night as scheduled, due to inclement weather conditions at Kinston, where he was to arrive from Atlanta.

However, Dr. Abernathy did appear in Ayden yesterday. This visit to Ayden brings up serious questions in regard to the actuality of the ECU address.

The scheduled visit was not the typical visit of a distinguished lecturer to the ECU campus. For the last month there has been a great uncertainty surrounding the visit of Dr. Abernathy.

This uncertainty was surfaced due to the actions of individuals directly involved in the visit and its consequences.

The refusal of Golden Frinks, SCLC field co-ordinator, to be interviewed on the subject of the visit gave an impression of uncertainty in regard to the actuality of the visit. It would seem unusual that a national organization would not keep its local co-ordinator informed.

The statement of Jerry Paul, ACLU lawyer who has been involved in the racial crisis of this area, also gave further reason to question the authenticity of the visit.

When the visit of Abernathy was mentioned, Paul replied that it was still to be decided if Dr. Abernathy would attend.

Also, the deficiency of a definite travel schedule filed with the Lecture Series committee as late as Friday, October 15, gave reason for more speculation. Dean of Student Affairs, Rudolph Alexander stated that the

schedule was needed in order to provide transportation for Abernathy.

A number of factors must be taken into consideration when examining the visit.

The recent demonstrations and racial strife in Ayden and the surrounding areas would seem to play a very important role in determining the feasibility of the visit.

The definite lack of security for such a person by local law enforcement officials must surely be considered. When questioned about security for Abernathy, the Greenville Police Department stated that they planned no security precautions or protection for Abernathy. Campus security officer Joe Calder stated that the only security would be one man at the back of the stage during the lecture.

Another factor of the visit lay in the contract between the University and Abernathy. The contract expressly prohibits the "public appearance" of Dr. Abernathy in the community 72 hours before and 24 hours after the University appearance without the prior approval of Dean of Student Affairs.

If Abernathy had addressed the student body

at ECU he would have been presented with a very embarrassing situation.

Being a spokesman for the civil rights movement, it would have been almost mandatory for him to visit Ayden and lend his support to the civil rights movement there.

If he had visited Ayden after addressing the student body, he would have been violating his contract unless he had the consent of Alexander. The approval would be doubtful in that Alexander said that Abernathy would have to show him "a good reason" for his approval of such activities as demonstrating.

If he had not visited Ayden, he would have appeared to "sell-out" the movement in order to make a few dollars. This situation would seem to cause a hesitancy to visit the ECU

Regardless, October 19 has come and gone without the visit of Abernathy. A representative of the Lecture Series stated that arrangements will be made to re-schedule his visit. "Afterall the lecture was cancelled due to an act of God. You can't expect him (Abernathy) to change that," he stated.

By FRANK TURSI

Staff Writer

"You go do your thing, and I'm going to Atlanta to tell the entire Staff of the SCLC, and if this thing is not straightened out I will bring the entire fireworks to Ayden."

So said Dr. Ralph Abernathy, head of the Southern Christian Leadership Conference (SCLC) at a news conference in Ayden Wednesday morning.

Abernathy, who was scheduled to speak at ECU Tuesday night was not able to appear because his plane was unable to land at Kinston airport. Abernathy flew into Washington and then flew into Raleigh, midnight Tuesday. He was picked up at Raleigh-Durham Airport and driven to Greenville.

The news conference which was set up in Ayden was kept fairly secret. The audience consisted of about 100 black people, mostly of high school age. A few members of the press were present

Golden Frinks, State Field Representative of the SCLC, Donovan Phillips and various other

black leaders were also in attendence. The conference which was held in an old church seem to come alive with the activity.

A choir of about 25 young blacks led the people in songs and chants.

The mood was joyful, yet solemn. Everyone was waiting for Abernathy to speak. Frinks got up to the podium. "We are very

fortunate to have Dr. Abernathy here in North Carolina in this phase of history. If you have a song in your heart this is the time to sing it." said Frinks.

The congregation started singing, "We shall not be moved" and chanting "Sock it to me. Soul Power." Finally Abernathy got up on the podium. The crowd silenced.

"I may be Black, but I am somebody. I may be on welfare, but I am Soul Power," opened Abernathy.

The people started chanting "Soul Power" accompanied with intense clapping and stamping of feet.

When the crowd silenced, Abernathy explained why he was in Ayden. "I am here to lend national support to our Field Secretary. Golden Frinks, the leaders of the coalition and to lend to the struggle of equality for black people," he stated.

He also told his audience, "I have come to make it known that the SCLC is behind you in your nonviolent effort to achieve racial

He then talked about the racial situation in North Carolina. "North Carolina for years has fooled the people into thinking that it was far ahead in the field of racial equality... It has lived a lie," said the SCLC leader.

He added, "North Carolina is as bad off if not worse off than the State of Mississippi.' The crowd roared its approval.

"North Carolina does not have clean hands in the field of human relations," said Abernathy. Abernathy said that he has received many letters concerning the recent shooting of a black man, William Earl Murphy, by N.C. State

Highway Patrolman, William Day in Ayden. "I was out of the country at the time." said Abemathy, "but now I have come to join with Day must go.

The people stood in ovation. Abernathy directed one declaration to the people, 'I want you to become the Paul Reveres and the Patrick Henrys and tell the white people that it is not open season on the

killing of black people." The SCLC leader said that he was just released from jail in Alabama, but he would be willing to go to jail again and again to see his people free.

"We would rather spend our time in jail in being educated on the plight of the black man," said Abernathy, "We would rather be in jail letting the state and county support us than walk the streets condemned for being on welfare," he said.

He went on to talk about the First Amendment rights that all people have.

"We will not let Richard Nixon, the mayor or the chief-of-police or anyone else abridge our rights," said Abernathy.

Abernathy then talked about the racial situation as a whole. "We did not start this mess," he said, "the white man started it more than 370 years ago. We didn't start it, but I'll be damned if we don't finish it."

He said, "We will petition the Governor to fire or suspend Billy Day."

Abernathy glaned at all the young black faces in the choir and directed a statement at Father Charles Mulholland of Greenville "Father," he said, "God can not be God if he lets these children suffer."

He then looked at a small 12 year-old black child and told him, "It is not right for you to be fighting for your freedom, you should be preparing to become President." At this point Abernathy's speech tumed political. Abernathy said that since presidential hopeful Edmund Muskie said that a black man as a running mate would be a liability, the black people "will not go with Muskie."

Abernathy again turned to the situation at hand. He said, "We're going to turn Eastern North Carolina upside down." He then added. "They may be able to beat our bodies, but they can't beat our souls."

Abernathy then issued an ultimatum, "If Governor Scott does not do right and get Bill-Day out, then we have to get Governor Scott

The SCLC leader then turned to the press for

When asked if he had yet met with Governor Scott, Abernathy said, "Plans are not yet worked out to see Scott ... but in order not to have a long drawn out movement in Ayden. then he will have to dismiss Day."

Abernathy was asked if the SCIC is experiencing any financial difficulty. He answered, "We have financial difficulty...we've always had financial difficulties. Our financial problem is no more acute than it ever has

But he did say that the SCLC can not expect any aid from the Federal Government, so the black people must bear the load.

Abernathy was scheduled to remain in Pitt county the rest of Wednesday afternoon, visiting the spot where William Murphy was shot and making a tour of the black sections of Ayden, Farmville, and Greenville.

you to tell Governor Scott that Patrolman Billy Leaders not sure of reaction

Two prominent black Greenville leaders were uncertain Wednesday as to the consequences of Dr. Ralph Abernathy's appearance in Ayden.

"I am not sure whether Dr. Abernathy's appearance will arouse action among the blacks or act as a quieting force," said John Taylor, city councilman and assistant superintendent of Pitt County schools. "I believe that Dr. Abernathy will do exactly what he says he will

do. This at least is a recognition of the problems at hand. I am appreciative of the fact that Abernathy was able to get here and hope that his presence will help resolve the community problems."

Clarence Gray, assistant principal of Rose High and also a councilman, said, "Any national figure of Abernathy's caliber will help. rather than harm the racial situation." Gray said that he hadn't had time to think of what the consequences might be, but felt the outcome of Abernathy's visit was unpredictable.

According to Gray, there was no reaction or unrest at Rose High because of Abernathy's appearance. Attendence Wednesday seemed to be normal.

Summer shooting

Situation tenses

AYDEN-A late night shooting incident Aug. 6 near this eastern North Carolina town has developed into one of the most potentially explosive situations in North Carolina today, as charges and counter charges fly between the State Highway Patrol and the local black

The Patrol said that Trooper B.E. Day of Greenville shot William Earl Murphy of Rt. 1.

Grifton once, when the black man allegediattempted to grab the troopers gun, after Murphy had been arrested for public

drunkeness. Pitt County coronor's jury got the case at the end of August and returned a finding that the nine-year patrol veteran had shot Murphy in self defense and that there was no cause for further action.

Dean explains plan

"We have no hard feelings toward Dr. Abernathy for not showing up."

So says Rudolph Alexander, Dean of Student Affairs at ECU. "His not coming is just one of those things that is unavoidable." Alexander was commenting on Dr. Ralph

have lectured Tuesday night in Wright Auditorium. "I am presently awaiting word from Dr. Abernathy's agent in Boston as to re-scheduling

Abernathy's not appearing at ECU. He was to

his lecture" he added. The plans surrounding the lecture were to

have been as follows: Alexander contacted Abernathy's office in Atlanta concerning his arrival time. Aids there informed Alexander that Abernathy had an afternoon meeting in Atlanta, and that the earliest he would be able to arrive in Kinston would be 6:30 p.m.

"I suggested that this was cutting it a little close," said Alexander. "They insisted, however, that this was necessary, and went on with these plans."

Alexander sent a committee of three to Kinston to meet Abernathy and bring him to Greenville. This committee was made up of Dr. Albert Conley, Vinson Dewberry and Kenneth Hammond.

This group was to meet Abernathy's party, and bring him straight to Greenville where he was to lecture at 8 p.m. Afterwards, he was to be guest at a dinner.

"Dr. Abernathy's aids informed me that he would be leaving on a 7:35 a.m. flight Wednesday morning from Kinston," stated Alexander. "This being the case, I had contacted someone to take him back to Kinston Tuesday night, and had made arrangements for his stay in the Holiday Inn Abernathy's plane did not land, reportedly

due to foggy conditions. "We saw the plane come in, circle the airfield, and then fly off the way it came in," stated Dewberry.

"Dr. Conley called me at about 6:30 p.m. and told me that the plane didn't land at all," said Alexander.

He stated early Wednesday that Abernathy's not showing up is in no way a breech of his

"There is a clause in the contract that is officially called the 'Act of God Clause'." stated Alexander. "This states that 'neither party shall be held responsible if an act of God prevents either from upholding his end of the contract'."

In this case, the fog is considered an act of God.

Alexander would not comment on Abernathy's presence in Ayden for a news conference Wednesday until he received official confirmation that he was, in fact, in Ayden. When confirmation came, he was not available for comment.

Dewberry in the dark

The president of the Society of United Liberal Students (SOULS), Vinson Dewberry, has stated that he did not know until Tuesday night that Dr. Ralph Abernathy had plans to remain in the Greenville area.

Abernathy when he arrived. When his plane did not land, Dewberry returned to Greenville. "At 10:30 I went to a reception that was to

be held for Dr. Abernathy at the Holiday Inn," Dewberry said. "We had to tell the people there that Abernathy wasn't coming."

It was then that Dewberry found out about Dr. Abernathy's plans. "They had a full schedule planned for him starting at 7 o'clock Wednesday morning,"

Dewberry stated Dewberry said that the black community. sponsored by the local chapter of the Southern Christian Leadership Conserence (SCLC) had asked Abernathy to remain in the Greenville area this week. "I don't know when he was asked,

Dewberry said. He also added that the SCLC had planned a program in Ayden and Greenville, which included a speech and rally in Ayden.



DR ABERNATHY TAKES a break from his busy schedule for lunch at the

Staff Photo by Ross Mann) Albermarle Cafe. He toured Greenville and Farmville Wednesday.

If you are female and frequently traveling alone after dark, the following information could prove itself vital to you.

Calder offered the services of the campus police as escorts for any women in need. One particular request that Calder mentioned was from a young lady who worked in the evenings. She wished to have a police escort for safety

purposes on her walk home. An officer was immediately sent to her assistance. "This is what we're here for," said Calder.

The revised upperclassmen curfew has not presented any additional difficulties. The number of assaults is decreasing according to Calder, "President Jenkins responds immediately to our requests for the improvement of these dangerous areas," he

RECENT IMPROVEMENTS

Examples of recent improvements are the installation of lights in the sections behind the library and in front of Fleming Dorm. Also, the hedge boardering 5th Street, which was the main danger spot last year, has been trimmed back. No problems have been reported there

"There are never less than four officers patroling campus at all times-including a 24-hour guard at Tyler." Calder reassured. Between the hours of 11:00 p.m. and 1:00 a.m., when many women are heading back to their dorms, he estimated twelve officers to be

immediate contact with the police in the event of assault. For identification purposes try and remember the man's clothing. "This enables the police to pinpoint the man faster, and in assault cases, speed is of utmost importance," concluded Calder



THE ARBORETUM IS one of the potentially dangers places for coeds to walk unescorted.

Three secluded sections that should be from the area near 8th and Charles streets have avoided by lone women on campus are: the been the most numerous." This area is just area behind Rawl, the parking lot behind beside the Greene parking lot. Greene Dorm, and the prime target spot, the Finally, Calder stressed the importance of Greenbarn, located between the Umstead and Memorial Gym parking lots.

parked cars or heavily shrubbed paths.

occur on the fringe of the campus. Reports

ONE RAPE

There has been only one alleged rape this year, occurring on the railroad tracks near the People can be easily hidden by a mass of Andy Griffith Barbecue in the afternoon. "No woman, at any time, should walk in these Joseph Calder, chief of campus security, deserted areas," advised Calder, "especially pointed out that "most attempted assaults off-campus areas where there is no patroling." Of the identified men involved in attempted

assults only three resided outside of Greenville. One was a 17-year old Farmville High School student with a previous assault record. The chairman of the ECU groups, church and civic groups second was a 25-year old man from Ayden, and Department of Child and smaller family life the third was an older man from Robersonville, Development and Family councils. N.C., with a wife and children at home.

Within Greenville city limits some reports are member-at-large to the found to be cases of personal relationships and Executive Committee of the circumstances; however, Calder said that there North Carolina Family Life have been many incidents based on sheer Council at the annual meeting

Alcohol may be legalized Recently a group of student leaders and the to the Eash Carolina administration, current residence halls is very vague. The current policy

UNLAWFUL TO DRINK

N.C. General Statute 18-51 states that it is

The Board is thought of by many students as

Luisana said, "They'll probably pass Open

a group of over-the-hill men who are more

interested in appeasing the student's parents

then they are in appeasing the students

House for Homecoming but not visitation.

We're not going to get much more than we have

Finally there is the dire shape of the SGA.

Without a stable Student Government, the

students have no authoratative voice to back

them. They have no liason between themselves

technological advances but Brown feels that

here again man is not using television to its

The educator referred to a quote which

questioned, "Is it better to teach students to

"Why not study television?" Brown asked.

highest potential.

James Mallory, Dean of Men, said, "The

themselves.

and the Administration.

system-wide policy recommendation on the Referring to the attempt at Carolina to allow

Questioned on the effect this meeting would public places, Stevens stated that he did not see have upon the current policy followed on the how this was possible as long as North Carolina Eash Carolina campus, Dean of Student Affairs, law remains as it is now. James Tucker replied that there would be no "North Carolina statutes clearly state that consumption of any alcoholic beverages at any

"As far as direct effect upon the policy of public place is a criminal offense," he said. our campus there will be none since it concerns only the greater university system." he stated. "but it possibly could have a long-range effect upon later campus decisions." unlawful to drink or offer a drink of any

The Carolina study was drawn up by alcoholic beverage at any athletic event or Richard H. Robinson, assistant to Consolidated public place. This includes concerts, theatric University President William Friday. It performances or musical productions that recommended that consuption of beverages would be attended by a substantial number of with 14 per cent alcohol content or less be the student body, faculty and administration. permitted by persons of legal age in private Any such violation is a criminal offense rooms of the university residential areas and in carrying a maximum punishment of a \$50 fine non-residential areas at times that would be or 30 days imprisonment or both. specified by the respective chancellors of each The Key, the guide line for students on the ECU campus states that the "University

On the other hand Robinson recommended disapproves of the use of alcoholic beverages on that no consumption of spiritous liquor or or off campus and will judge student conduct beverages with more than 14 per cent alcohol content be allowed anywhere on campus at any consumption is expressly prohibited. on an individual basis." Public display or

According to Dr. David Stevens, legal advisor consumption of alcoholic beverages in the

This year, visitation on the ECU campus is

considered by many as a dead issue. The

prospects for a visitation program in the near

It is considered dead because the students

Rob Luisana, a veteran in the visitation

movement, said that the students are just not in

the right frame of mind to support any mass

"You have to get people pissed-off before

Visitation is considered dead because ECU's

This saying pretty well sums up what is

Brown, who is also an audio-visual instructor.

"Our society is not pushing what we need

In citing an example of his idea Brown

feels that man is not keeping up with increasing

the most," commented Brown. "We have failed

not only in keeping up with progress but also in

foreseeing the problems that come as a result of

referred to a recently perfected mechanical

widely in eastern North Carolina, will replace

them won't be able to get other jobs. They will

move north to places like Chicago and New

York but they won't be able to find work there

either. We must take action now to teach the

workers new skills before this un-employment

A similar situation exists for the future of

the libraries according to Dr. Brown. The

professor believes that books will be replaced

"By using microfilm an entire library can be

, put into the space of a file cabinet and what is

the point in having four or five librarians in

Even a machine can shelf books," he continued.

"Circuits will eventually replace librarians.

by electronic communications such as DR.

problem arises," he commented.

microfilm within the next century.

charge of on file cabinet?" asked Brown.

50,000 workers when it is put into use.

harvester. The harvester, which will be used

"When these workers are laid off, many of

happening to society today according to Dr.

Robert Brown, ECU Education professor.

Board of Trustees will not approve a visitation

will not support a movement for visitation.

they will do something," said Luisana.

because it will break your arms off."

advancements in technology.

progress.

future is considered just as dead.

movement for visitation.

Deans of the six University of North Carolina policy on this campus is controlled by the laws followed by resident councelors is that the consumption of alcoholic beverages though not consumption of alcholic beverages on campus. consumption of alcoholic beverages at certain officially allowed will not be punished as long

as such consumption remains behind closed doors of an individual's private room. Asked about the legality of such a policy, Dr.

Stevens replied that "There are many rules and regulations that are not always followed to the letter and unlesss these violations get out of hand they are overlooked. Flagrant violations that tend to impose on the rights of others such as boisterousness should not be permitted."

"Concerning the legality of such a policy," Dr. Stevens continued, "As far as I know there is no statute that forbids the consumption of alcoholic beverages on state property which leaves any decisions on that matter up to the administration."

NO CHARGES

According to Dr. Stevens he knows of no changes in the ECU policy in the near future. The administration is preparing to issue a statement dealing with drinking in public

"In my opinion any public display or consumption of intoxicatting beverages is a direct offense against state law and thus has to Visitation issue may rise again be prohibited," Dr. Stevens stated.

whole visitation issue is up in the air since Glen

the only solution to the visitation dilemma.

ECU President, Leo Jenkins, seems to have

Though Dr. Jenkins does not take a stand on

visitation, he does offer a recommendation on

how visitation can once again be a reality on

to stay out of the visitation issue because they

told me that it is strictly a policy matter, and in

policy matters they make the decisions not

Dr. Jenkins said that the only hope for

visitation is for it again to be brought up before

Said Dr. Jenkins, "I was asked by the Board

(Croshaw) resigned."

the ECU campus.

use t.v. or be used by t.v.?"

something," he stated.

"It's obvious that more people watch

television than read books so why don't we

create shows that would teach people

Anticipating and evaluating the consequences

of progress is necessary in dealing with

Students chosen Life Council is composed of the ECU Family Life members from more than 20 Committee which yearly

Thirty-seven (37) ECU students have been including the State Board of life seminars for faculty, selected to appear in the 1971-72 edition of "Who's Who Among Students in American Health, Pharmaceutical This year the committee will Universities and Colleges." Selections were Association, Congress of focus on Changes in the determined by each student's academic record, Parents and Teachers, Inc. and American Family." his participation and leadership in academic and extracurricular activities; citizenship; and service to ECU. They are as follows:

Gloria Sue Britt: Edward Watson Brown, Ernest Lawson fellow of the Society for Public Brown, Jr., Hugh Charles Cameron, Maria Health Education.

Asuncion Castillo, Thomas Howard Clay; Richard Eugene Corroda, Barbara Helen organization of professional Covington, Glenn Randall Croshaw, David public health educators whose William Dussia, James Warden Early;

Ronald Edward Eggers, Ruth Kathleen encourage, and contribute to Elmore, George Georghiou, Barbara Lee Gouge, the advancement of the health State University.

McCullough, Katharine Gilmer McKinley;

Wanda Carol Magurean Thurston Jeffrey Mann, Catherine Humphrey Nortleet, Gary Richard Parisi, Linda Susan Pescatore, Samuel Alan Sher:

Dwight Stephen Smith, Emily Wagoner

Watson, Margaret Mary Whittet, Joseph Leroy Williams, Wendell Gene Wilson, and Melissa Anne Woodard

"We could have had the visitation we wanted last year, but we blew the whole thing," said

Dr. Jenkins explained that the Boards main objections to visitation is that last year there opportunities during the were reports that some of the dorm men were Winter Quarter to receive

"If the students can prove to the Board that from two top echelon they themselves will stop this then the Board administrative officials. The will look more in their favor," said Jenkins.

Dr. Jenkins said that if the students can Robert W. Williams, has come up with a good representative and a good accepted an invitation from the presentation then he will see to it that the Department of Political

Books old-fashioned; microfilm

situations such as those involving the harvester,

libraries and television according to Brown. "With a little foresight we could teach the field worker a new skill before he is out of a job," said Brown. "Someone has to make the harvester and someone has to repair it when it breaks down."

"The problem now is in creating a type of learning that these people will respond to and be willing to learn," he added. The library's problems could also be

alleviated through advance planning. "Libraries should be teaching their workers to work with machines rather than teaching

then things like how to catalogue and shelf books," said Brown. In regard to television's dilemma Brown suggest that the approach of indierct learning

should be applied. "Learning doesn't have to be cruel and hard. A person can learn something without even realizing it." Brown cited programs such as "All in the

Family", a show that deals with morals and entertaining that viewers often don't realize they are learning. The show works within the system to teach," he said.

Brown summed up his ideas about the future ROBERT BROWN shows his enthusiasm for audio-visual aids in class. Dr. and technology saying "Technology brings Brown advocates the training of people for new jobs . (Staff photo by Charles Bradshaw) about changes that man doesn't realize. When Henry Ford created the automobile he didn't realize the effects that transportation would have on the growth of suburbs and the problem of pollution.'

The problems must be evaluated and the consequences must be realized in advance. We had better watch technology and do something now before it dehumanizes us," he added.

News briefs

Club to meet

The Political Science Club will meet tonight at 7:00 in room 103 of the Social Sciences Building.

Guest speakers will be Glenn Croshaw, former SGA President and Dr. Leo Jenkins.

The topic of discussion will be the relationship between student government and the

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administration of a university All interested persons are invited to attend.

Seniors shows art

Eleven paintings by Judy Long, senior in the ECU School of Art, are on display at the ECU Baptist Student Union Gallery Oct. 16-23. Miss Long, a candidate for

currently student teaching at Roanoke Rapids High School Her show is a requirement for graduation.

She is the daughter of Mr and Mrs. Ernest Long, of Huntersville.

the BS degree in art, New locks work

CAMBRIDGE, Mass. for the locks installed on ex-(AP)-Locks which open only when five buttons are pushed in proper sequence have drastically reduced thefts in three Harvard University dormitories, a university spokesman says.

been asked not to tell Harvard is considering putting nonresidents the combinations such locks on other dorms.

terior doors.

If a dormitory resident forgets his combination, he must be recognized by somebody inside before he'll be let in.

Seniro advisor Richard C. Dormitory residents have Lozeau said Monday that

Love elected

Dr. Nash W. Love, Jr., various community action Relations, was elected in Charlotte. The North Carolina Family

member organizations, sponsors one or more family

Current emphasis for the North Carolina Council has been the future of family life. including sex, the black family, women's liberation, the elderly and teen-age marriages.

Dr. Love is also chairman of

of all people through

associated with the field of

public health in various

capacities. Prior to his

appointment to the ECU

faculty in 1970, he was

Since 1955, Byrd has been

education."

William C. Byrd, assistant Dianna Carol Beaman, Eva Leila Bennett, dean of the ECU School of Edythe Louise Bishop, Sonya Maria Boyd, Allied Health and Social Professions, has been elected a

The Society is a national purpose is "to promote, assistant professor of health

education at East Tennessee Randy Eugene Honnet, Jerri Leigh Jones, Joseph Nisbet LeConte, Jr., Gary Lee Gingerich speaks

Dr. Owen Gingerich professor of astrophysics at Harvard University, will be the guest lecturer for The Society of the Sigma Xi Monday, Oct. 25 at 8 p.m. in the Nursing

School Auditorium. Gingerich, an astrophysicist at the Smithsonian Astrophysical Observatory in Cambridge and professor in Astronomy and in History of

"Johannes Kepler: Physicist or Metaphysicist?"

The topic commemorates the 400th anniversary of Kepler's birth, and inquires with perspective on the roles of aesthetics, observations, and cosmology in Kepler's astronomical achievements.

Kepler, a 16th century scientist, first stated a theory that planets revolve about the Science, will speak on sun.

Officials to teach

ECU students will enjoy instruction in Political Science Provost of the University, Dr. speaker be put on the agenda at the next Board Science to teach Ancient and Medieval Political Thought (Political Science 372); and the Vice President for External Affairs, General John A. Lang, has agreed to conduct a

Seminar in PUblic Administration, Political

Science 452 Dr. William F. Troutman, Jr., Chairman of the Department of Political Science reports that he expects strong interest especially among undergraduate and graduate majors and minors in the courses taught by Provost Williams and Vice President Lang. For more information about these courses, Troutman invites students to drop by the

Departmental Office, SA-124. Cost declines

NEW YORK - A survey of some time thereafter, costs out-patient abortion facilities ranged from \$300 to \$600 and indicates that the costs of in many cases were obtaining a legal abortion for substantially higher. the early termination of pregnancy have declined Roman, executive director of sharply since New York State's the non-profit Council, several liberalized laws went into interrelated factors have

range from \$125 to \$200 for legal abortions up to twelve profit-making abortion referral

According to Richard The survey, conducted by decline in costs: the contributed to the sharp the Council on Abortion competitive economies Research & Education, fostered by the growth in the revealed that current costs, number of out-patient abortion exclusive of transportation, facilities; the elimination of

weeks of pregnancy. When the agencies whose services added law came into being and for significantly to the actual costs.

There will be a mandatory meeting of all MRC and SGA candidates in Union 206 tonight at 7 p.m.

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and then succeeded to the presidency when Glenn Croshaw resigned. By KATHY HOLLOMAN Staff Writer Fountainhead: Would you please comment on the present turmoil inside the SGA?

Editor's Note: The following is an interview

with Tommy Clay, who was appointed SGA

vice-president upon David Edwards' resignation,

Clay: I was dismayed and disheartened at the resignations of Mr. Croshaw and Mr. Edwards. It is depressing to find that such able and competent leaders of the student body should be forced to vacate their offices. Croshaw is perhaps one of the finest men to ever participate in student government politics. It is indeed unfortunate that a "genuine person" is subjected to the "cold and ruthless world of politics." The students have lost two exceptional leaders. It will be difficult for anyone to replace them. I only hope that the students will now realize that the SGA can not survive without their support.

Fountainhead: Are applications now being taken for the offices of President and Vice-President:

Clay: Yes-in the SGA office from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. until Thursday, October 21st. The election for these two offices will be held on October 28th.

Fountainhead: Do you plan to make any major policy changes while in office?

Clay: No. I feel that my responsibility is to make only those decisions which arise during my brief tenure of office and that any sweeping policy decisions would be not only unnecessary but unwise.

Fountainhead: How do you feel about the SGA Legislature's recent decision to appropriate 6,500 dollars to the playhouse?

Clay: As I have said on previous occasions, I think the responsibility for the Playhouse productions are dual - while the primary responsibility should lie with the Administration, the SGA has a duty to provide the students with quality entertainment. Therefore, I was very pleased that the Legislature was able to find some money to support the producations. It is unfortuante, however, that they could not also support the activities of the Music and Art departments. I feel that the SGA has discharged its responsibility as best it could withing the framework of the current financial situation. It is now time for the Administration to follow our example and fulfill its obligation to the students and the community.



(Staff Photo by Charles Bradshaw)

TOMMY CLAY, SGA president, succeeded Glenn Croshaw upon his resignation. Clay said that he does not

I was very gratified at the public support that was aroused for the ECU Playhouse and I am happy to see that the students and the townspeople can work together for their common interests. I hope that the townspeople of Greenville and eastern North Carolina will support the SGA in our attempts to convince the Administration to accept its responsibility with the Playhouse, the School of Music and the School of Art.

Fountainhead: How do you feel about the suggestion that some of the activity fee allocated to the Athletic department for sports be cut and used elsewhere during spring quarter, as there are no major sports to support during this time?

Clay: As I understand the financial set-up, none of the money gained through activity fees goes

intend to make any major policy changes while in office, but only those decisions which arise during his tenure.

to athletics. The money for athletics is allocated by the Board of Trustees from the general fees paid by each student. Therefore, I do not think the SGA can affect the distribution of said monies. Furthermore, it is my opinion that the money for athletics is allocated for specific sports and thus the money for spring quarter is not necessarily restricted to use on spring sports.

Fountainhead: What do you feel should be done about the traffic problem on campus?

Clay: I am very concerned about the current parking problem on campus. I have listened to numerous students complain about receiving parking tickets while parked in unauthorized areas because all available spaces were taken. Likewise, I am disturbed by the fact that faculty are not required to pay for parking

stickers. I am presently researching the feasibility of erecting a multi-story parking facility on campus. I intend to make this suggestion at the next Board of Trustees meeting. I feel that the bond necessary to erect such a structure could be easily retired from the money gained by selling parking stickers to both students and faculty.

It has been suggested by both students and faculty members that the campus be closed off to automobiles. I believe that this is something that should be carefully studied by the SGA in the coming year.

Another problem on campus concerns the numerous bicycles. I believe that some arrangements need to be made in order to protect both the cyclists and pedestrians to reduce the possibility of accidents. This could take the form of banning cars from campus or of setting up bicycle trails on campus. This is another area that should be studied carefully by the SGA.

Fountainhead: How do you feel about the current situation concerning the campus transit system?

Clay: I was in the Legislature when the buses were obtained and at that time I opposed the proposed bus routes. I have not changed my opinion since. I believe that there is a definite need for the buses on campus; however, I think that they could be used more efficiently. I was perplexed to hear that the women students living in Cotten, Jarvis, Fleming, Ragsdale and Umstead block-voted to keep both buses. I support the action of the Legislature in attempting to eliminate some of the waste of the inefficient transit system. However, I would hope that some arrangements could be made regarding that route of the remaining bus so that all the students would be served.

I believe that if my proposal for a high-risc area is acted upon, a well-fuctioning transit system will become even more important to ECU students.

Fountainhead: How do you feel about the location of Minges in relation to the main campus?

Clay: I agree with the "Fountainhead's" recent editorial concerning the location of Minges. 1 believe that more problems are caused than are eliminated by Minges Coliseum. Among these problems are the dangers of assault upon women students walking to Minges and accidents involving the bus on Greenville streets. I think these problems would be practically alleviated by transferring all freshman courses in Minges to Memorial Gym.

Fountainhead: What are your thoughts about the creation of a medical school on the ECU campus?

Clay: As a pre-med student and a resident of eastern North Carolina. I recognize the dire need of this area for doctors. I think that in our society it is inexcuseable for whole counties to have only one doctor as is the case in some sections of eastern North Carolina. Therefore, I believe that a medical school here would be very beneficial; however, I am dismayed at the manner in which it has been established.

I think that the obvious political and regional implications that were voiced when the school was being established are criminal in their neglect of the well-being of the citizens of North Carolina. While I do not believe that those involved desired to harm anyone I do feel that they were not exercising their leadership capabilities as they should have. I am concerned that the feuding and bickering will negate any benefits of the med school. Twor problems are immediately apparent.

First, the sectionalism has hindered attempts to establish a first-rate four-year medical school at ECU It would seem that certain politicians have sacrificed their convictions and compromised simply in an attempt to enhance the glory of ECU. I feel that a totally independent and non-partisan board should investigate the situation and determine the best manner in which to provide for the training of doctors in North Carolina. I believe that if a thing is worth doing, it is worth doing right.

Second, I am afraid that the establishment of the med school with its subsequent siphoning off of funds from the rest of the school will weaken the university as a whole. This will be an extreme injustice to all students and to society at large, as no one will be able to get the best education possible. The purpose of ECU is to provide society with educated thinking citizens. Anything that interferes with this purpose should not be tolerated.

Fountainhead: How do you intend to make the students' voice heard on the matters that have been discussed?

Clay: I will be representing the students at the next Board of Trustees meeting on October 28th, which was called primarily to discuss restructuring of higher education in North Carolina. I believe that restructuring is in the best interests of the students here.

While I do not feel that Governor Scott's plan is the final solution. I do believe that it is the best one available in that it will help to reduce the petty quarreling, bickering and politicking among the various state colleges and universities in North Carolina. Therefore I will support the plan at the board meeting with my voice and my vote. I will also bring up any matters pertaining to the ECU students possible.



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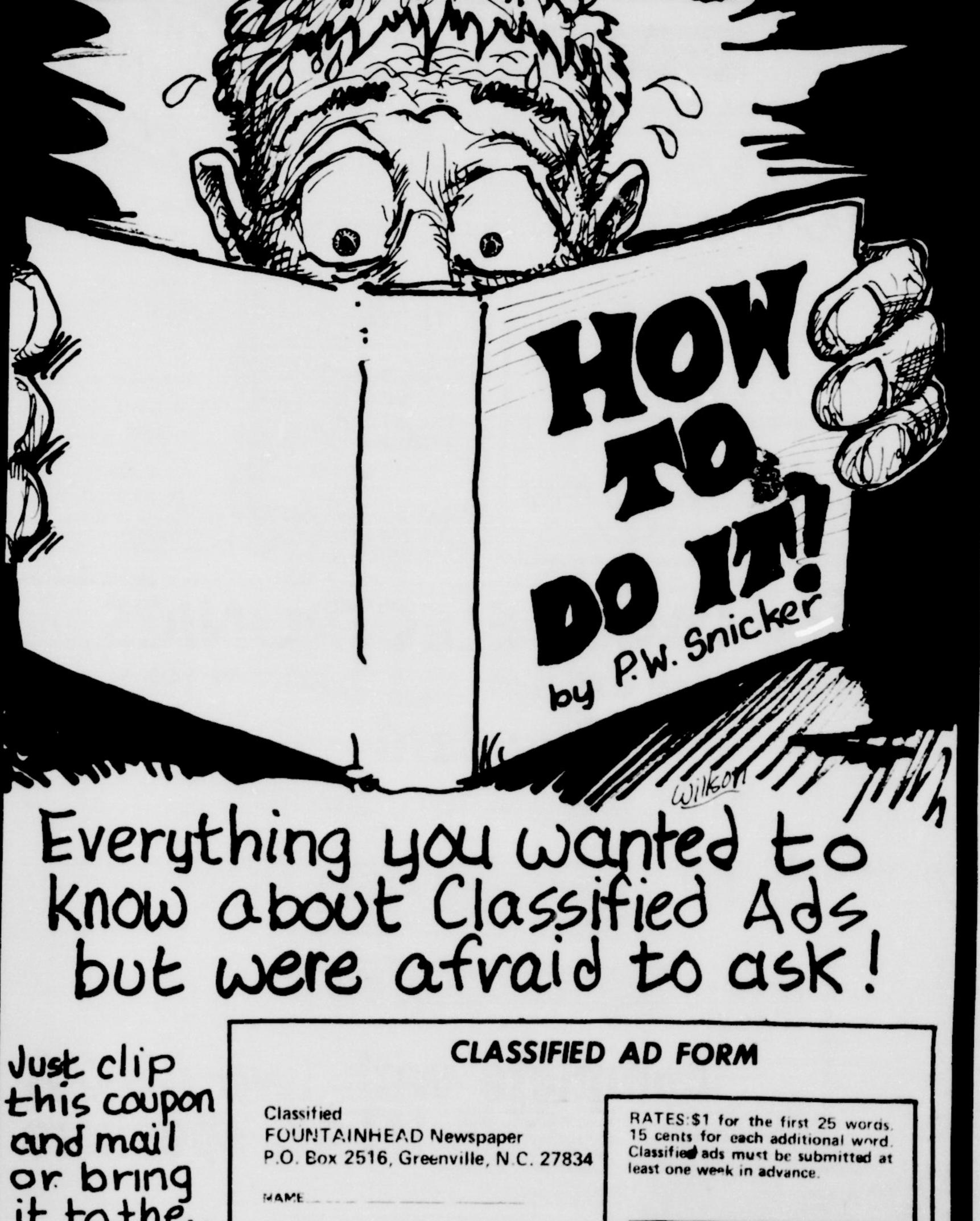


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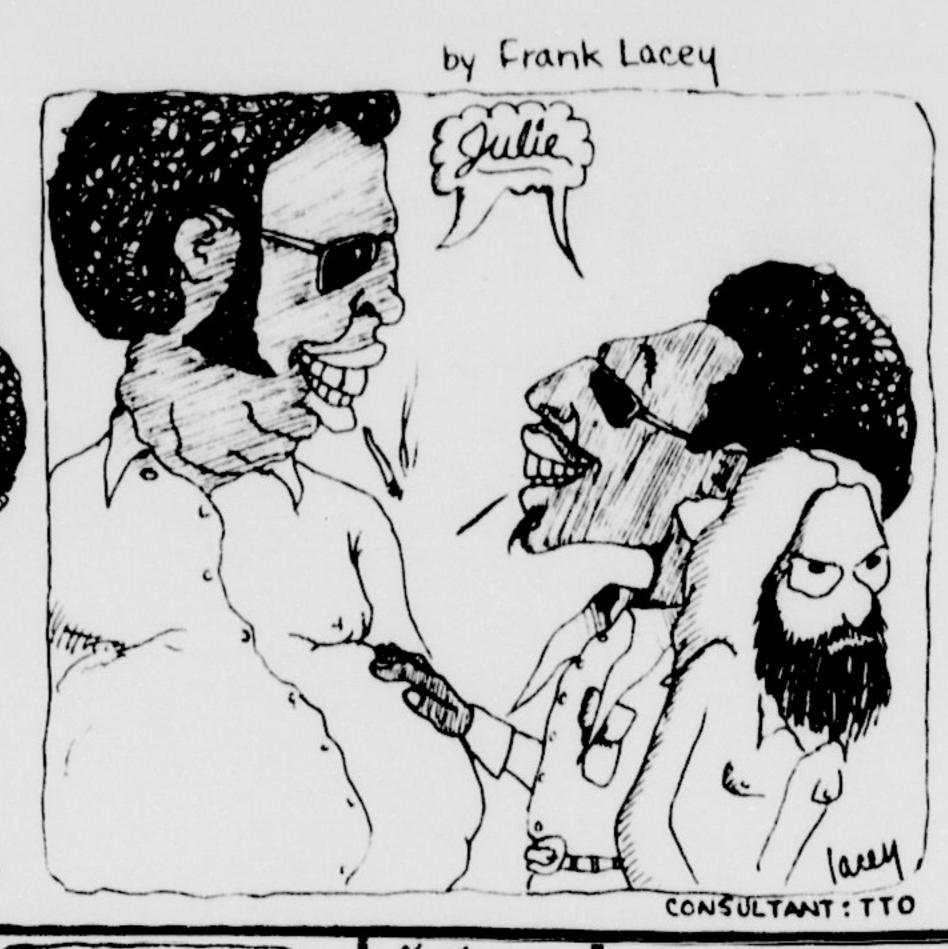
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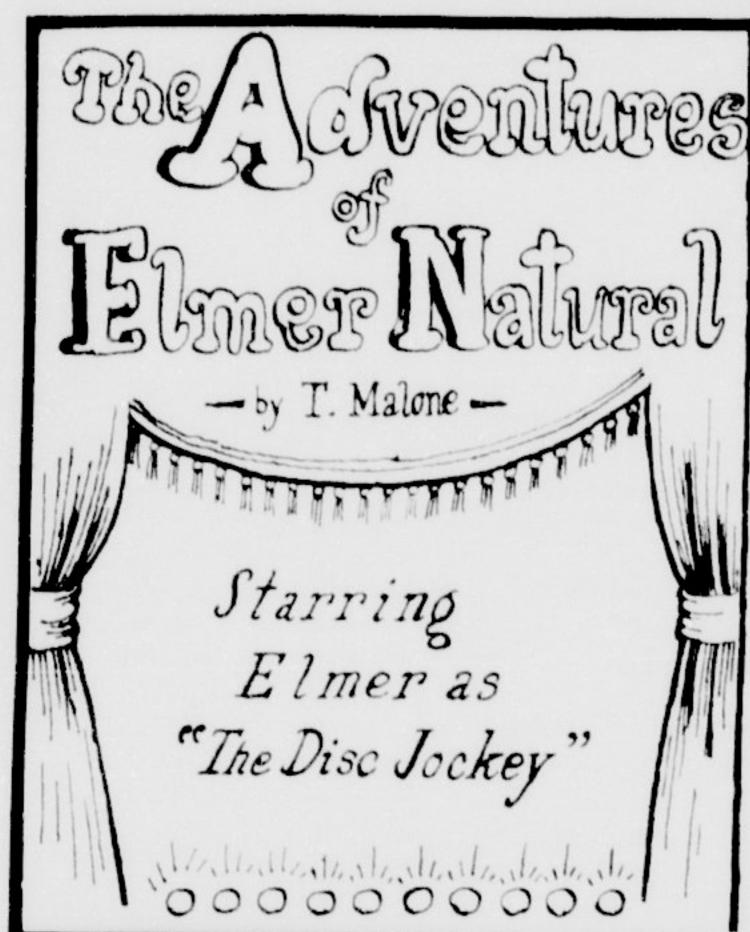
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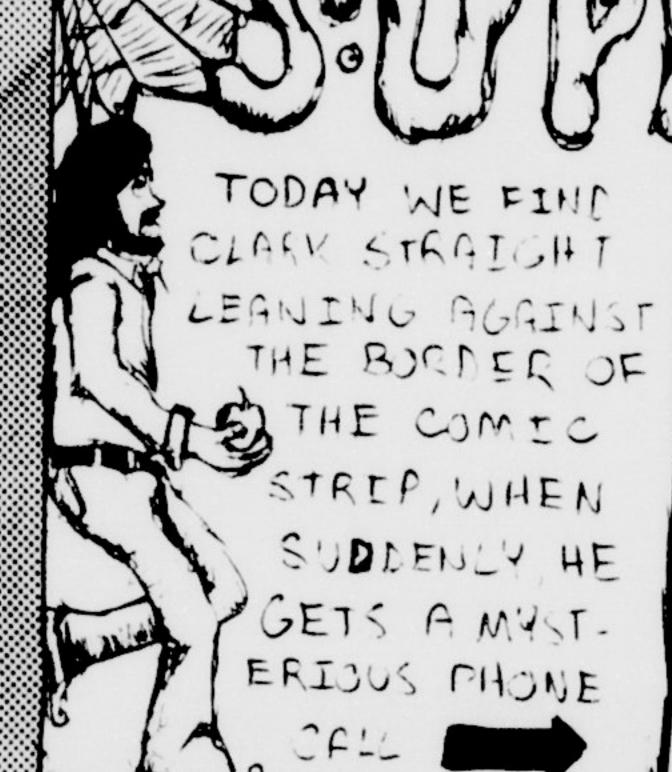
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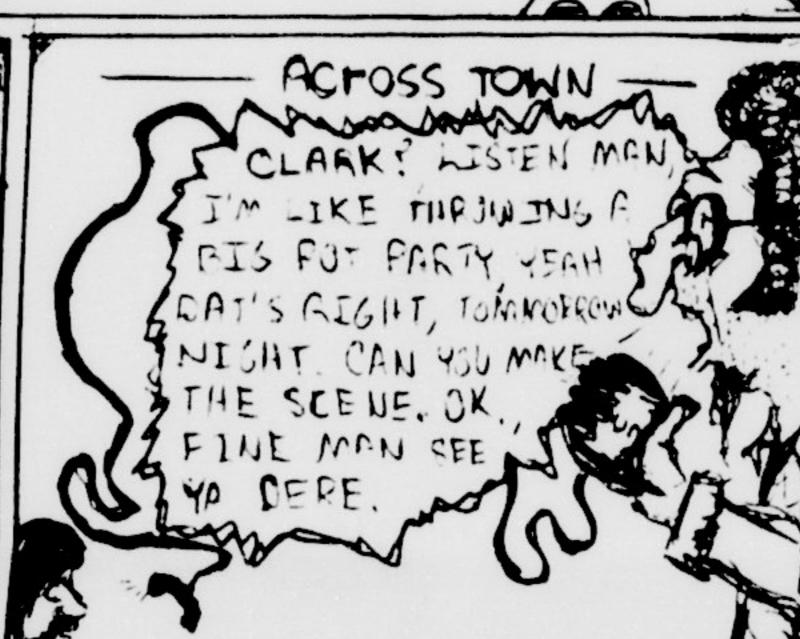
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By JOHN R. WALLACE

Reviews Editor Black Voices II, currently at the ECU Playhouse, brings activity after silence; color and light after darkness. From the blackness of the stage, the set emerges with its modern fuctional design of varying rectangles and squares.

Two screens hang above the set on which slides are projected, slides showing the sadness of sensitvity in a world that is cruel and full of despair.

Within the context of the

play unfolds through scenes that reflect the playwrite's childhood, surrounding, and ideals. Life and the hope of what life can be fill the stage with the quiet spectacle of existance.

ABOUNDS

The play abounds in dicotomies. The central question is what it is like to be black in a white world. One of the black women say that there are two kinds of loneliness with a man and without one. Later in the play, one is told that life is divided between the

the lines that could be stilted and rhetorical. Anita Brehm through the audience. continues to delight with her officious school teacher and upper class wife.

The playwrite is played by the audience.

RESERVED

The actors take on many reserved, but in the scene with roles. From the runaway slave the white intellectual she to the discontented tenant, comes alive and puts so much Connie Toppings brings life to feeling into "Oh, Happy Day," that it is enough to send chills

SUBTITLED

Black Voices II is subtitled two talented actresses. Eve "Portrait of an Artist." Clark possesses an almost Through these scenes and the matronly assuredness in her use of projections, a portrait role as the playwrite speaking, develops which shows the for the most part, directly to plight, not only of the artist, but of the black artist who has to come to grips with himself and the American experience.

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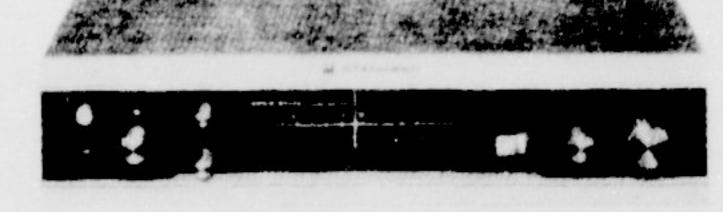
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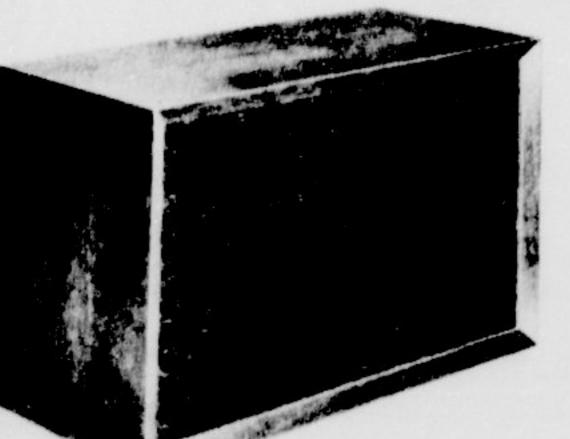
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Pirates face key battle at State

By DON TRAUSNECK

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Sports Editor Little more than a year ago, Mike McGee promised that "The 'Big Four' is dead; It is now the 'Big Five'." McGee lost his only chance to prove it.

successor, Sonny Randle, is left with the task of proving his words

Saturday, in Raleigh's Carter Stadium, some anticipated 30,000 plus fans and all of Eastern North Carolina will find out if McGee was right - if there really is a 'Big Five'.

The curtain rises on Act Two of the ECU-NC State rivalry at 7:30 p.m.

ECU will have perhaps its best chance ever of knocking off the Wolfpack. State, like the Pirates, has won only one of its first six games and this might be one of the most offensively deficient West Virginia. teams the Pirates will face all season.

The Wolfpack has not been able to put many crucial points on the board while losing to Kent State, Maryland, South Carolina and UNC. Saturday, the Pack lost to Duke, 41-13. PULLS UPSET

But the Pirates will have to guard against too much optimism as State turned in one of the biggest upsets of the season, 21-14 Mountaineers. over defending Atlantic Coast Conference champion Wake Forest. That game, like Saturday's, was played in the 41,000 seat

Carter Stadium, a place at which opposing teams find it extremely difficult to beat the Pack.

While State has gotten off to its worst start since 1962, the Pirates have not exactly looked like Rose Bowl contenders either. Playing their roughest schedule in history, the Pirates have lost Now the former ECU mentor is back at his Alma Mater and his to Toledo, William and Mary, Bowling Green, Richmond and West Virginia, and have thus far lacked the spark they were

> expected to generate this year, offensively. John Casazza and Carl Summerell, ECU's two fine quarterbacks, have taken turns in the starting spot but have found the going rough on numerous occasions.

> Randle will not announce his choice for Saturday's game until sometime Friday afternoon. Casazza has completed 38 of 98 passes this season for 488 yards and one touchdown - that one in Saturday's game against

> > BETTER RUNNER

Summerell, who started the first three games for the Pirates. but who is looking for his first start since then, has hit on 22 of 59 attempts for 258 yards and two scores. Summerell is a better runner than Casazza but he suffered a slight injury against the

past several games and this could be a key to Saturday's outcome.

Rich Peeler, defensive tackle and team captain from Shelby. Saturday, was injured against William and Mary but has been ready for action the past several weeks.

He might see action against State. Carlester Crumpler, Wilson's super runner, was limited to only four carries for five yards Saturday but it is only a case of how long before he can break loose. If Saturday is his night, State will have its hands full.

Les Strayhorn had an off day against the Mounties, as well, but he continues to lead the team with 386 yards rushing. Billy Wallace has 283 yards, Crumpler has 225 and Rusty Scales, 112, giving the Pirates an explosive backfield combination.

DEFENSIVE LEADERS

Defensively. Monty Kiernan, who leads the team in tackles, Will Mitchell, Jim Post, Jack Patterson, Ralph Betesh and Terry Stoughton should continue thier team leadership.

The Wolfpack, under first year head coach Al Michaels, had 26 lettermen including 13 starters back from last year's 3-7-1 squad.

They lost only 18 through graduation. Still, the Pack has had a tough time getting started.

Pat Korsnick, State's leading quarterback after spring practice, was benched against Duke and Dennis Britt filled his shoes. Bruce In fact, the Pirates have been hampered by several injuries the Shaw played most of the game, however, and hit on 17 of 31 passes for 166 yards. He might be trouble for the Pirate

Other fine performers for the Wolfpack have been sophomore running back Willie Burden, who gained 76 yards against Duke, and split end Steve Lester, who set a school record of 10 receptions in the same game.

Last year, in the first game of the series between these teams. State won its intitial 1970 triumph, 23-6. The Pirates are 1-1 in Big Five' play having beaten Wake Forest in 1963.

Practice in the Greenville camp has been at fever pitch all week for the game Randle and his staff consider "as important as the Super Bowl.

If Randle and his Pirates have their way Saturday, then there should be no doubt in anyone's mind that there is indeed a 'Big Five' - and all of ECU's gridiron frustrations past and future will

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Intramural corner

Theta Chi and the Forsythe County All-Stars had the best ties) through Wednesday, Oct. records through last week's 13: games as ECU's intramural football program entered its final week of the regular

season. The teams had identical 6-0 marks and led their respective divisions.

NADS and the Footballs also continued along their winning ways, each winning their fifth straight, while the Sweat Hogs completed the week 4-0 to remain the only other unbeaten team in the program.

In volleyball, NADS also remained unbeaten but were tied for first place in the Independent League by the Marauders, who were also 5-0.

In the Fraternity League, Kappa Sigma (5-0) and Kappa Alpha (4-0) maintained their unblemished records.

The badminton tournament began Monday and will continue through the week.

Last week's Teams of the Week were Pi Kappa Alpha, unscored upon in football, and Kappa Sigma, twice victorious in volleyball.

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(Photo by Ross Mann)

BEHIND BLOCKING FROM Dan Killebrew (52) and Grover Truslow,

fire pass against Richmond. Casazza may Pirate quarterback John Casazza sets to start against State Saturday.

Buc booters battle Bulldogs

Saturday in a Southern not acquired full status. Conference soccer match.

will meet at 2 p.m. at the Campbell. Minges field.

This game marks ECU's first official league contest. Earlier the Pirates met Appalachian State, a newcomer to the conference, but this match was

ECU will host The Citadel not counted, as the Apps have Citadel's strength, however ECU coach John Lovstedt The Pirates were 3-3-1 going expects a tough game, and he

The Bulldogs and the Pirates into Wednesday's match with also expects his Pirates to be up for this important

Little is known of The conference tilt.

Frosh seek victory against Fork Union

to action by quarterback straight games. Robert Bailey and linebacker Danny Kepley. Pass receivers
Vic Wilfore and Wilburn Game Set Williamson also should be key

21-7. The looked good in both vengeance.

George Rose has emphasized Friday night.

ECU's Baby Pirates travel to the win over William and Mary. Fork Union Military Academy However, all this and more Friday with hopes of making will be needed Friday if the Baby Pirates are to come out The Baby Pirates will be led on top. FUMA has won 22

CHAPEL HILL - Carolina In posting their even record will try to avenge an earlier to date, the Baby Pirates have defeat in club football but the lost to State, 17-15, while ECU Football Club hopes that trouncing William and Mary, this will not be their week for

The teams are scheduled to Head freshman coach struggle in their rematch here

that his team has a well ECU won the first time balanced attack and a strong these teams played this season. line. This and the running 31-0, but Carolina should be backs, primarily, resulted in stronger on their own turf.

This week's schedule:

Friday - Freshman football at Fork Union MA. Club football at UNC-Chapel Hill. Saturday - Varsity football at N. C. State U., Raleigh Soccer vs. The Citadel, home, 2 p.m. Cross-Country: State Meet at Raleigh.

Wednesday - Cross-Country at UNC-Chapel Hill.



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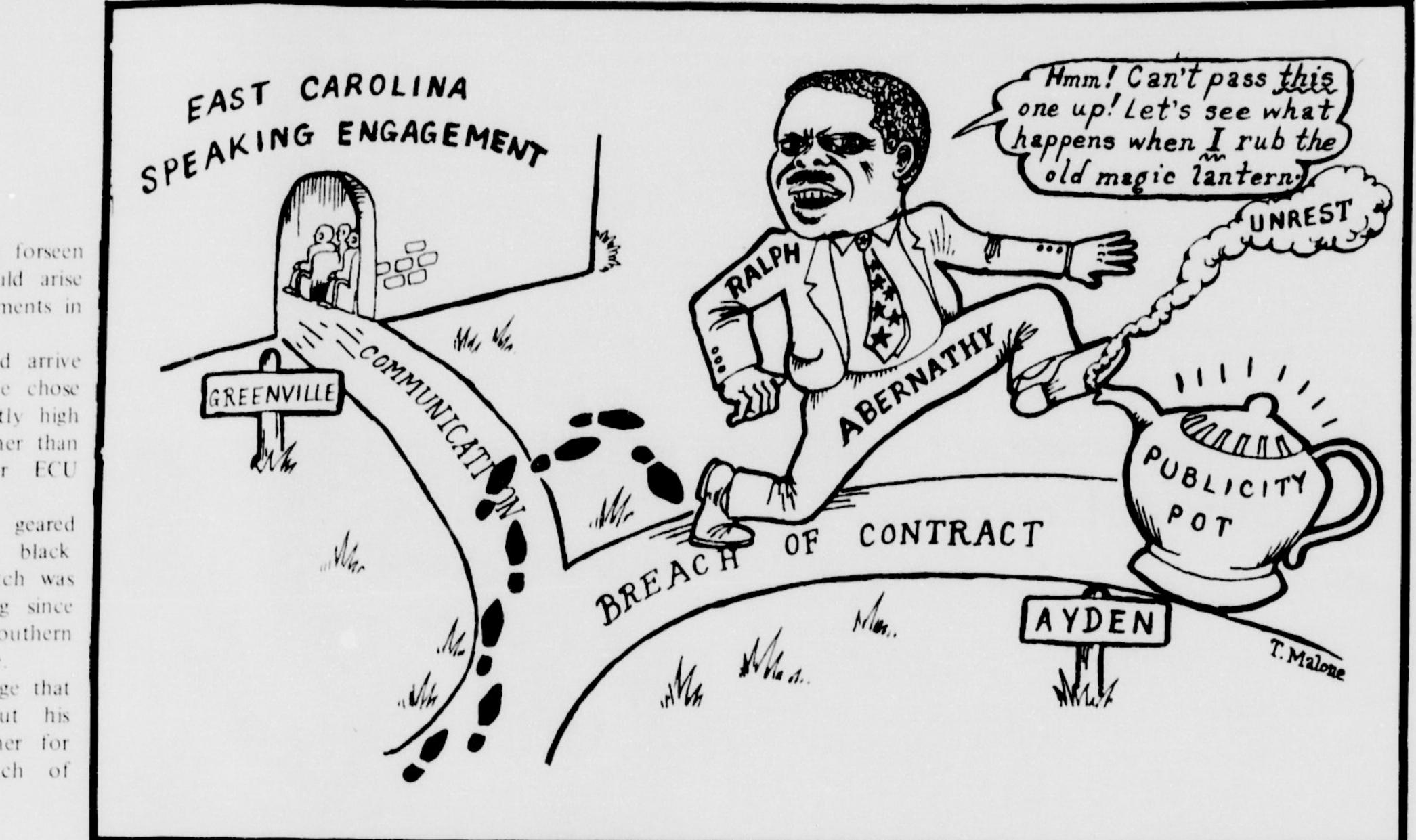
of events, could have made plans contract with the university.

A lot of questions have been to arrive earlier and to have forseen raised concerning the cancellation of the complications which would arise the Dr. Ralph Abernathy lecture had he kept both his engagements in

When Abernathy finally did arrive No one will say anything definite in eastern North Carolina, he chose about whether Abernathy had to speak to a group of mostly high planned to violate his contract school students in Ayden rather than concerning the University's time range to university officials or ECU

area before and after his lecture at His topic, granted, was geared more to the troubled black There is no doubt that Abernathy's community in Ayden. His pitch was reason for not keeping his the same he has been voicing since engagement at ECU because of he became head of the Southern

However, it is not his message that However, it seems that Abernathy, is under question now but his who had already made plans to be in motives or possibly his manner for Ayden yesterday for a full schedule the obviously planned breach of



Area voter registration hampered by county

Voter registration is growing among the 18-21 year-old group. However, in Pitt County the reigning officials are seemingly afraid of what the college vote would do to their local elections.

Students are being denied the right to register to vote-catalogued as "transients" in the county.

Even though a large percentage of students do leave the community after graduation, the few who may have decided to settle here are being discouraged by the discrimination of county officials.

If one standard is being set in dubbing ECU students "transients," why does Pitt County not check all of its residents outside of the university to see that they never plan to leave the community before letting them register?

Why should Pitt County draw on ECU students in the census for government representation when students are not allowed to register for state primaries, much less vote in

local elections? ECU students are being used by

the county for a higher population count and sales tax revenue, among other things. Indirectly, through paying rent, they are also paying property tax.

Being disenfranchiesed in voting, students of this campus are also subjected to unfair jury trials because jury lists are drawn from the voter registration books. The unfairness of this system places students in courts where they have an uneven, and often prejudiced, cross-section of the townspeople judging them.

Rob Luisana, head of the campus voter registration campaign, has been working to get ECU students the right of registration. However, he and a handful of others cannot carry through such a massive campaign as

this unless students give him support. Sor far Luisana has done a commendable job in trying to make students, as well as county officials, aware of the rights of ECU students.

Now it is time for the rest of the student body to take action in this



by Rick Mitz

SAN FRANCISCO -- With a sigh of liberated relief, he dropped out. He hung up his suit coat with patches, his pipe with matches, and donned beads, beard, embroidered denims and a bowling shirt he got at this auction. He moved into a tiny apartment, built bean bag chairs and shelves on which to hang his Huxleys and Hemingways. He became a vegetarian, did Yoga on cushions when the sun rose, studied macrobiotics on cushions when it set. And, like instant Karma, the star became a chorus boy and that was that -- the beginning of a beautiful self-indulgent life.

That was over a year ago, when the well-read, well-bred Brooklyn boy turned English teacher (American and English Literature, Humanities, et al), dropped out to drop in to himself.

Now, he says, moaning one of those academic moans, "I want to drop back in again. I'd like to find a job teaching somewhere. I miss students. But it's hard to drop in . . . the economic situation is so . . . and nobody's hiring, and . . . "

And his voice trails off to the West Coast where he lives and he meekly looks down at his ragged t-shirt wishing, maybe?, it were a little tweedier. You know: with those terribly academic patches so he shouldn't wear his elbows out while leaning on that podium.

With memories of three years at the University of Minnesota, two years at Macalester College in St. Paul, "that awful year writing a dissertation back in '67," and those two last years at Stanislaus College in Turlock,

dropout professor. It's happening all over the country. And Brill (please call him Dr. Brill) is only one of many off to discover the Better Life. And even at your own campus, look around you: you just might notice that Professor -- oh what was his any students." name? -- isn't there anymore. And he hasn't left to accept a Better Position at some elegant hovel down the block.

block. "I was disillusioned," he said in a recent interview. "I was disillusioned with the fact that decisions on education aren't made by the students and faculty. The people who are closest to education don't have any say about

"And," he said, "I wanted a year -- a very private year -- for myself. I thought it might be a good time to get away from teaching and get perspective on myself and spend some time alone with myself. At first, I felt quite elated and liberated and free . . ."

useful thing I can do. I miss students. I think classroom." that students at college age are the most interesting. Their sense of their own potential is greatest at that point. It's that unfilled sense of usefulness that's the strongest goal I feel in

wanting to return to teaching." But can a nice Jewish boy, well-studied in

Calif., Leonard Brill, aging in at 35, is the the finer things, leave the academic community, join the other World, and find real happiness? "I get up at 5 a.m. everyday," Brill said.

"Then I go over to the Zen Center and sit in the victims of a bad academic job market. Money is lotus position for 45 minutes. I work from 7 tight; contracts aren't being renewed. Profs take a.m. 'til 2 p.m. as a proof reader. It's no more hack work than reading student themes, except -" he said rather sadly, "-- except there aren't

But after going from tweeds to beads, Leonard Brill hasn't been fulfilled. He wants to Eastern school. He just might be living in the go back to school. And he -- the drop-out professor -- is like the drop-out student. Both Leonard Brill is living in the hovel down the tire of the educational system and affect a deliberate liberation that often becomes dishabilitation. For Brill, that forced freedom became tedium, and academic unemployment became unenjoyment.

But some good has come out of his self-imposed Sabbatical. "I have explored an education I have never explored," he said. "I was always very tied to language -- a head-consciousness that was bred in graduate school. And I wanted to explore new languages. Vegetarian cooking, Yoga, Zen, the guitar they've all become new languages. But when And now? "Now I'm ready to go back to the school year was over last June," he said, "I teaching because I feel that teaching is the most realized that I had spent a year not being in a

> Leonard Brill -- Dr. Leonard Brill, 646 Douglass, San Francisco 94114 -- is looking for a job. He can teach English lit, humanities, and some other subjects, too. And he can do light cleaning (no windows or floors). Contact him.

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Letter nauseates

Dear Zorro (alias William E. Bender), Your nauseating letter compelled us to comment on your low degree of sensivity and your high degree of sarcasm. You, William Bender, have not been there! Criticism should

knowledge of the situation at hand. In order for Glenn Croshaw to enter law school next year, he needs good grades, and thorough studying is time-consuming.

be based on experience or, at least, some

It is apparent from Croshaw's letter of resignation that he would like to help people, but just as you and I, he wants to do it in his own way, as an individual not as a political machine.

If one looks at the situation on a personal level, he will see that Croshaw was becoming a machine; his individuality was not respected, and that is something everyone, everywhere, wants and needs.

Sure, American independence, racial integration, and a thousand other causes came from hard work and sacrifice-Are you really sure that Croshaw liesurely and efforlessly held his job as SGA president when he upheld and backed such issues as visitation, voter registration, re-organization of higher education and an investigation of the bookstore, just to name a few. Mr. Bender, you will just have to give credit where it is due.

Responsibility requires strength, yet it takes even greater strength and courage, on the part of a man, to realize that his responsibilities are overcoming him.

To Glenn and others who have resigned, we offer our admiration and gratitude for their leadership and efforts, and we extend a special welcome to them in re-entering the regular student body.

Joan & Sue

Thanks strangers

The Forum

To Fountainhead:

I wish to thank the very kind and considerate people who helped me Monday afternoon. It makes me happy to know there are still people who care enough to help a stranger in sickness.

A special thanks goes to the two men that carried me in, the Chemistry Department for the use of a stretcher, and the Infirmary staff.

Thanks again, Marilyn Hardy

being accepted into "the group." But it is nice to be able to sleep on Saturday morning.

Really, the only legitimate complaint we have is the trash that was left all over the mall. Balloons, paper, posters etc. I thought sororities were supposed to perform all these charitable services. I suggest you start with cleaning up your own mess.

This is not meant to cut down the girls just because they are "sororities", it is just that they should have consideration for the people who like to sleep and especially for the cleanliness of the campus.

Cartoon offends

To Fountainhead:

Mr. Barbour's creative effort in last Thursday's issue of Fountainhead is, to me, an enigma. Although I found the "cartoon" repulsive, my major reaction to it was one of wonder. What was it doing on the "funny page"? Perhaps I am blind to the humor of "The Greasy Spoon", but I tend to think that perhaps there is no humor there.

Beverly Moore

Chicks irritate

To Fountainhead:

Along with many other girls in my dorm I woke up this morning-Saturday (no less) to a bunch of sorority chicks, screaming and singing at the top of their lungs.

Now I suppose we should not complain about this traditional function. I guess it's only normal for some girls to have orgasms over

Thanks for listening.

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