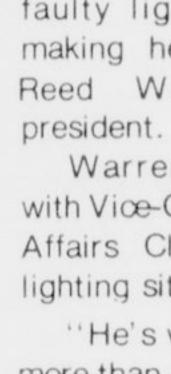


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The IVY in the courtyard of Fleming dorm tells the tale of what began yesterday, rains. Pitt County was one of several in the state that was declared a disaster area last week by Gov. Jim Hunt. This precipitation is probably too late to assist local crops sufficiently, but it did help to cool things down. The photo was shot in mid-afternoon haze with a Micro-Nikkor lens. [Photo by Pete Podeszwa]



"He's very interested, and is more than willing to help us with this problem,'' said Warren.

Warren is in the process of organizing a committee to stake areas where lighting is needed the most.



Members of various ECU departments and community organizations addressed the Chancellor Selection Committee, last Saturday, suggesting that someone who is capable of handling the interior and exterior needs of the university be chosen as Dr. Leo Jenkins' successor.

Among those addressing the committee was Dr. John C. Atkinson, Assistant Dean of the History Department, who complimented Jenkins' effectiveness in increasing enrollment.

chancellor that will work with the faculty. "The faculty is the university," he said, pointing out that the training of ECU students is



NEW YORK (LNS)--When the lights went off on New York's chic Upper East Side the night of July 13, many residents worried when the air-conditioning would go back on.

Patrons at elegant Manhattan restaurants may have decided their dinners were ruined, but waiters in many continued to serve by candlelight.

The next day, as all of New York City waited for the electricity to come back on, radio stations began to broadcast warnings to those with freezers full of food.

In Harlem, the south Bronx, the Bushwick and Bedford Stuyvesant sections of Brooklyn, however, the story ran differently. Most residents were outside on the sidewalks in the muggy

86-degree weather to escape from even hotter apartments. Within minutes of the blackout, residents began to hear the sound of shattering glass and the wail of police sirens. What followed for the next 24 hours depends on who you ask or what you read.

The New York Post ran the headline: "24 Hours of Terror." Newsweek sent out a dozen photographers to produce its first all-color coverage of a breaking news story and wrote: "They're coming across Bushwick Avenue like buffalo.'

Mayor Abe Beame, in the midst of a re-election campaign, called the people arrested, "animals."

Residents in the poor, mostly black and Puerto Rican neighborhoods, describe it differently. Several people described the atmosphere as "festive," and as "Christmas in the summer." Another person explained that people without enough food were

taking what they needed. A black storeowner in Brooklyn who was looted explained, 'Everybody stepped into the television commercials for a few hours

and took what they wanted."

He explained that he was more angry at Chemical Bank, which had

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Warren to form committee

Lighting makes headway

By CINDY BROOME News Editor

An SGA project to have more lighting installed near the women's dorms and to correct faulty lighting on campus I making headway, according to Reed Warren, SGA vice-

Warren conferred recently with Vice-Chancellor for Business Affairs Cliff Moore about the ighting situation.

Some trees block the lighting, said Warren, and steps will be taken to eliminate the problem.

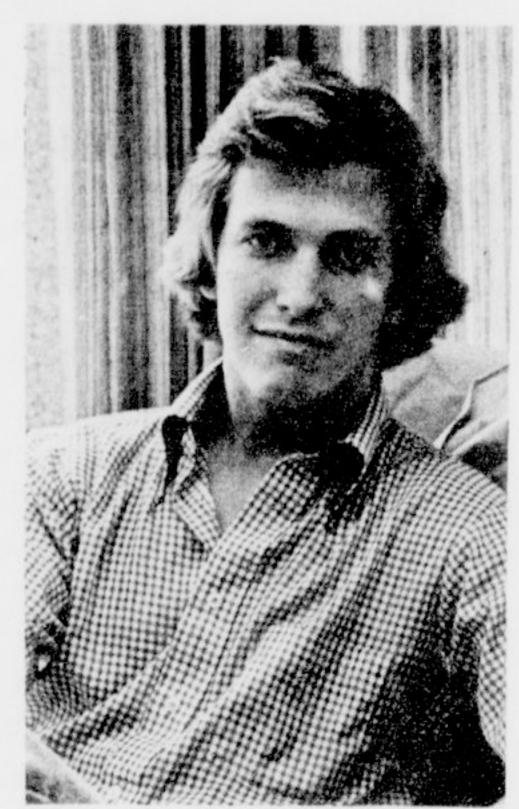
Warren said electrical work is being done on some women's dorms now, but work on the lighting should begin in early fall.

The lighting will be very expensive, but it is necessary,' said Warren.

Warren said the lighting will not be SGA-funded.

"I think we will continue to get positive responses from the administration if our requests are reasonable and if we understand the problem of limited funds," said Warren.

"I'm very, very pleased with the response we received."



REED WARREN

Selection committee convenes

By TIM JONES Staff Writer

Atkinson stressed a need for a

the primary duty of the university and of the faculty.

He should be willing to work with the Continuing Education programs that aid in the education of the community at large, Middleton said.

The next chancellor should be one who will promote scholarship and achievement, said Dr. Rodney Schmidt, Director of the sured the representatives that the Music Faculty.

and enjoyment of life," he selecting the best possible candicommented.

The committee and the department representatives all agreed that the new chancellor should possess personal characteristics of faith in people, aggressiveness, tact, authority, and skill in intellectual leadership as opposed to power.

Dr. Clinton Prewitt, the committee's Executive Secretary, ascommittee members would be 'The arts provide meaning attentive to their opinions in date to lead the university.



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refused him business loans and had contributed to the poor economic condition of the area.

In some neighborhoods, selected stores and food chains were hit. In other areas, rows of stores were ripped open.

The more brave ripped the gates of stores with crowbars. Others entered later to pick through the remains.

Thousand others simply stood on the streets and watched the unprecedented spectacle.

Police poured into the looted areas. Many of the police who arrived in Harlem had been off-duty, and came in civilian dothes carrying baseball bats.

Sweep arrests were ordered by the Police Commissioner. Altogether, nearly 4,000 people were jailed-the largest number in a single day in the city's history.

People breaking into stores weren't the only ones arrested. A resident in Harlem, for instance, described how a whole block was closed off by police and everyone arrested.

One woman, a secretary for the Veteran's Administration, said she was arrested with a friend as she crossed upper Broadway on her way home that night.

Five days after the arrests, at least 500 prisoners were still behind bars awaiting arraignment.

At least one prisoner died in the Brooklyn House of Detention. (The coroner's report listed the cause of death as liver disease but the prisoner's family disputes this claim.)

Released prisoners and lawyers described 100 degree temperatures and jammed conditions inside the jails.

A section of the Men's House of Detention, or the "Tombs" prison, was reopened and prisoners were crowded together into single cells. The Tombs was closed by the order of a federal judge several years ago because of the inhumane conditions.



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Friday sends HEW

back to court

William C. Friday, president of the greater University of North Carolina, has sent HEW back to the drawing board.

When the notorious federal agency handed down its new desegregation guidelines, it managed to sneak in a section which would give itself the authority of prior approval over major changes in the university system. But HEW was not quite cunning enough to slip this by the watchful eye of at least one man who is attempting to pry loose the federal grip on higher education. Friday immediately retorted that this section "is one we cannot accept" (N&O, July 21). A university cannot operate effectively or meet the needs of its students and constituents efficiently under HEW's austere approval or disapproval in its policy making, and Pres. Friday knew this. A sluggish mechanism anyway, this act would only further add to the melee of federal red tape already weighing down the university's attempts at affirmative actions in all spheres. The basic objective of these guidelines is certainly excellent: to get more black students into the UNC system. But, as Friday said, "Educational judgement ought to be exercised by the university...there can be no exception to that." If this right is withdrawn from the university any further, higher education in North Carolina will become nothing more than a conglomerate of marionettes whose strings rest in federal hands. HEW does play a vital role in the long-range results of desegregation for the university. Afterall, someone had to get the integration ball rolling. But university policy making is not, or should not be, within its administrative and bureaucratic domain. A federal agency, no matter how good its intentions, cannot know the unique stumbling blocks of the individual university systems, stumbling blocks which can only be surmounted through careful knowledge and sensitive handling of the particular local needs, fears, even hostilities and degrees of racial prejudices and problems.

To FOUNTAINHEAD:

The review of Star Wars which appears in the last two issues of FOUNTAINHEAD is, I feel, so unjustifiably negative that a second and more favorable opinion is needed.

much pleasure should not be tossed off lightly simply because it lacks intellectual depth. A steady diet of highly intellectual and pragmatic activities must be tempered with an exposure to the frivolous and more idealistic or one's balance will eventually be impaired.

Reader challenges Star Wars review

of its own merits and in the spirit in which it was undertaken. Star Wars definitely merits four stars.

> Linda Friedlander Class of '77

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It is true that Star Wars magic and popularity does not derive either from its plot, characterization, or profound meaning. It is simply fun and as such provides two hours of escape from the harsh realities of everyday living. It is an escape everyone needs; the escape into a fairyland where Absolute Good meets Absolute Evil and actually wins! A movie which gives so

Star Wars falls into this second category and ranks high within it.

Certainly there will be sequels and other movies capitalizing on this movie's popularity. But should not be Star Wars condemned because of this popularity, or the others ill considered because they will be followers. Each must be judged in the light



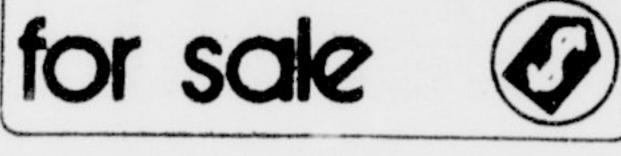
Carl Friedlander Grad Student

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So HEW is going back to court to strike this prior control section out of the guidelines, thanks to Pres. Friday.

The federal government must not be allowed to tamper with the university's right to make its own educational policies and decisions, and it is going to take more strong men and women, like Friday, to see that this does not happen.



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Crowned Heads dethroned

By SUE ELLEN MCLEOD Staff Writer

Thomas Tryon's new novel, Crowned Heads, deals with a well-worn topic, the false aura of Hollywood. The novel is divided into four sections, each one devoted to a "star" of the Hollywood era. Tryon recounts the lives of his "stars," three of which end in death. In one novel, Tryon manages to symbolize the farcity of life, religion, sex, and moral ethics. The result is a very crowded book, lacking unity and direction, which fails to make any meaningful statement. Tryon attacks the emphasis man places on religion, sex, and ethics (without offering another vehicle for man's faith and self-expression). The characters of Crowned Heads all came in contact at various points in their respective careers; however, the connections between them are very loose and almost circumstantial. None of the main characters play an important role in any other character's life. There is no interaction among Tryon's characters. His novel consists of four separate stories revolving around four-Hollywood personalities.

the first, titled "Fedora". This story seems the most intricate and well developed. With more detail and a different method of presentation, the "Fedora" story could possibly have stood alone as a complete work. The next three sections, however, fail to reach the level of "Fedora". The ghastly ruin and subsequent deaths of two characters completely debase the human animal of any vesture of honor, pride, reason, or faith in any conceived idea.

Tryon seems to want his characters to represent what Hollywood, i.e. the world, and success has done to them. Through his work, however, Tryon succeeds in showing that what his characters become is simply a reflection of what they have always been. Fedora loses her beauty by her own vanity, and in the same manner, sells her birthright to the theatre. Lorna uses her body to pave the way for her inner-self. Unfortunately, that inner-self never emerges,

and she dies in the most grotesque and debasing sexual symbolism imaginable. Bobbitt's unbelievable comeback is just that, unbelievable. This fairy-tale story with a fairy-tale ending is completely unbelievable in contrast to the deception and farcity dominant throughout the novel. Willie is the most depressing and the most obvious fake of them all. The "grand old man" of Hollywood is caught in the act, revealed in the midst of his fake chapel filled with fake artifacts, dying for a faith he doesn't believe in, defending the fake



The most impressive section is



replica of an expensive possession, revealing, finally, the farce his entire life has been.

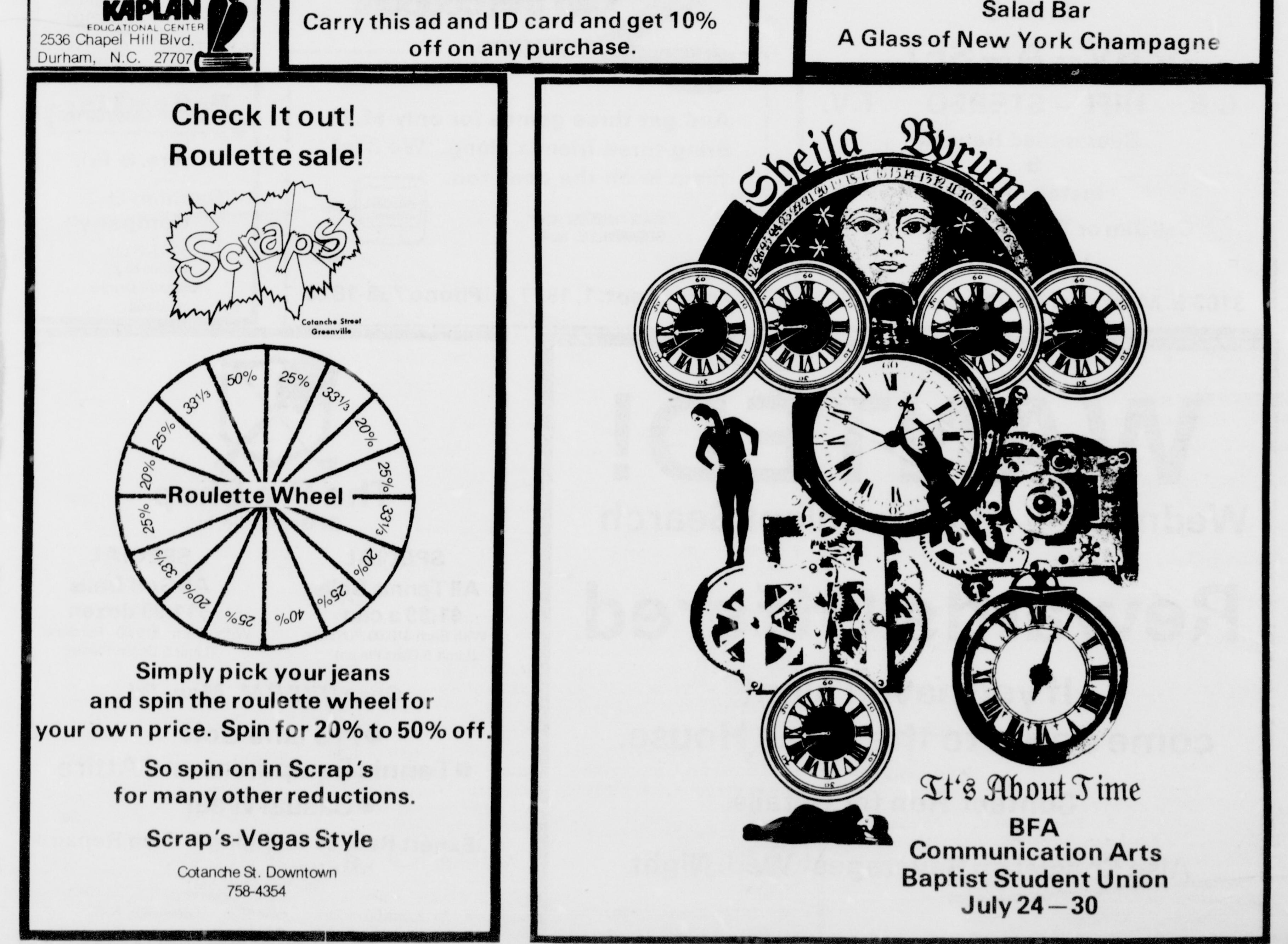
Crowned Heads is a depressing novel about people who are unable to successfully and happily manage their lives. While Tryon's character development is very successful, the situations he creates for his characters are not always pleasant, believable, or original.

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