www.theeastcarolinian.com November 1, 2005 'Midnight Madness' Mania Colten lectures on New Orleans

City has had history of environmental problems

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With activities such as "Fear Factor," Bingo, karaoke, movie challenge, palm reading and a DJ dance, "Midnight Madness" had to spread out to the SRC this year. The festivities lasted from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. and served as a great way for students uninterested in going Uptown to fill their night with fun activities.

Professor speaks on the West's search for



Approximately 100 students and geography enthusiasts crammed into 349 Flanagan Friday afternoon to hear Craig Colten, a Louisiana State University geography professor, lecture on the history of New Orleans' flooding problems.

According to Derek Alderman, geography professor, Colten was invited to ECU for his expertise and his "excellent and timely nature of research."

Colten started his lecture by explaining the inverted topography of New Orleans.

"If you drive away from the Tar River, you generally go up, right? In New Orleans, you drive away from the river and you go down," said Colten.

Colten said the city has had a long and nasty relationship with Mother Nature since its inception as a commerce port and defensive position from the French empire.

"They have had a long-standing struggle to wrest itself from a reckless environment, an environment that was a lousy place to build a major metropolitan area," said Colten.

"It's had to contend with environmental problems from day one."

Colten said New Orleans has a three-part flood prevention plan of levees, seawall and drainage. The levees are there to protect from river flooding, the seawall is to protect against storm surge

universal community

Natural law preserves a key role TAYLEIGH DAVIS STAFF WRITER

John M. Headley, professor of history, gave a lecture last Thursday at the Science and Technology Building titled, "The West in Its Search for a Universal Community."

zation and its place in the global community. The theme focused on two main points: a "common humanity" and the "capacity for self-criticism," which both date back to our European roots.

A major part of Headley's lecture focused on natural law: life, liberty and state.

"Natural law is very important in the foundation of the United States, which is embedded in the Declaration of Independence," said Angela Thompson, professor of history.

Headley emphasized John Locke and Thomas Jefferson's efforts to develop specific concepts of natural law which became more concrete by the end of the 17th century.

When speaking about natural law, Headley compared Thomas Jefferson and Abraham Lincoln as anomalies. The common thought

Headley considers Lincoln to be more of a believer of natural law principles unlike Jefferson, who was a slave owner.

"Lincoln I found helpful in that 100 years later, he not only believes in the idea of equality, but he's in the position to act on it. Normally, we have great ideas, but we can't act upon them," Headley said.

Eleanor Roosevelt was He explained western civili- one woman who acted upon great ideas as she experienced the sufferings of the poor and needy. Roosevelt was a social worker who also had a background in her husband's administration.

> By the end of World War II, President Harry Truman gave Eleanor Roosevelt a diplomatic role to hold together members of other cultures who were focused on producing a statement on human rights. Her work on the universal Declaration of Human Rights in 1948 was her greatest legacy.

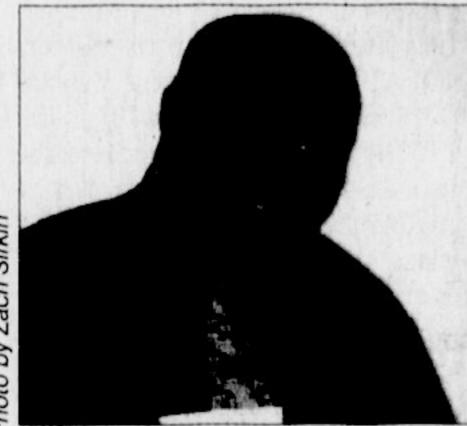
"Her responsibility stands at a the end of what I've been talking 2 about," Headley said.

Human rights and natural law date back to ancient history.

"It was quite stimulating how Headley drew a line from Ancient Greece in 500 B.C. to natural law in the 17th century," said Anthony Papalas, professor of Greek history. Western Europe has used natural law as their main concept of life, but Headley said it was

Greenville was lively with "trick-or-treaters" during the Halloween festivities even though party-goers have classes the next day.

Charles Hawkins speaks to SGA



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No business decided during short Halloween eve session

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Benjamin Wyche, President of the Senate, called the meeting to order at 5:03 p.m.

The majority of the meeting the ECU board of directors. was dominated by discussion of the student fees committee. Charles Hawkins, vice chancellor for financial services, asked the senate for seven volunteers to gather information for the student fees committee. The committee will allow the senate to vote on budgets that will affect

student fees supported units, fees that appear on students' tuition bills.

selected to have full representa-According to Hawkins, the tive powers last week. committee allows the students to have a say in the budget and

and the drainage system is to filter out anything that gets by.

Colten said this system served the city efficiently until Hurricane Betsy challenged its durability in 1965.

"People climbed into their attics and ended up, some of them, beating their way through their roof to escape the flooding," Colten said.

"It's an urban legend in New Orleans that people kept axes in their attics in these neighborhoods because of what happened in 1965."

During the question and answer segment at the end of the lecture, Colten added evacuation to the flood prevention plan, which he said was "wholly inadequate" in regard to Katrina planning.

"People went to bed Monday night thinking the worst was over - on Tuesday morning, New Orleans became an inlet or bay of Lake Ponchatrain," Colten said.

Colten pointed out that the images of suffering the media used would not have been different for any other major city in the United States.

"The poor have consistently suffered," Colten said.

"In this case, the poor and African Americans were the same group."

According to Colten, we may not know the full impact of Katrina for some time.

"Everyday something new

of philosophers of the 18th century was that "all men are equal."

"How can you be so intimately associated with having slaves when all men are in fact equal," said Headley.

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The SGA held their weekly meeting yesterday evening in the social room at Mendenhall Student Center.

will help them to have a detailed understanding of their fees.

"We want you [the senate] to understand what our goals are, and also provide feedback," said Hawkins.

committee will act as a resource for students who have transportation issues.

The senate is expected to vote

In other SGA news, Wyche

on the budgets on Nov. 28, if

passed the budgets will then go to

informed the senate that consis-

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notified and will be kicked out

of SGA and have their funding

frozen if they do not show up by

tion committee attended their

first meeting as a standing com-

mittee - it had been an ad-hoc

committee since 2001 and was

According to Wyche, the new

The parking and transporta-

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unfolds that tells us this is something so much bigger, so much more influential than we ever imagined the first week or two weeks after the event," Colten said.

He said the city has persevered through many floods, and New Orleans must learn from Katrina.

"We need to build a city with the environment in mind and with people in mind," Colten said.

Pat Pertalion, a New Orleans native and Greenville resident, said Colten's lecture was informative.

"I thought it was extremely well presented because they gave so much history there, but physically we understood the whole thing, and then he was very clear, too, when the questions came on a more personal level about what all the implications were, racially and financially," said Pertalion.

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'Meet the Faculty' features talented artist, Hartley

Event enlightens students, artists alike

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Last Thursday was a night of question and discovery as Richard Tichich, director of the School of Art and Design, interviewed Paul Hartley, coordinator of painting and drawing.

With more than 31 years of instruction under his belt, Hartley discussed his career, his life and what led him to ECU.

Hartley was a senior in college at the University of North

Texas before he knew he wanted to go into art school. His previous major was aerospace and engineering, which made for an interesting career change. Although it may seem that this artist found his niche at a young age, Hartley begs to differ.

"I started to like the arts and the art education classes that I started taking ... I don't know when I knew I was creative," said Hartley.

Hartley describes his high school teaching experience as a learning experience as well.

"It was difficult and I admire people who can do it," Hartley said.

What brought Hartley to

ECU, however, was the fact that his aunt loved the university so much.

"My aunt had gone to ECU many years ago and she loved it, so that is how I was introduced to ECU," Hartley said.

The fact that Hartley has dedicated almost his entire life to the "art" of teaching says a lot on its own, but Hartley said he loves to teach and enjoys the students.

"I try to help students develop their talents as all teachers do," Hartley said.

However, even when trying to get students to feel comfortable

with their work, Hartley agrees it is hard to make students feel secure when it comes to painting.

"Everything means something. The aura can change the meaning with one little dot, it's hard to be secure when you're painting, that's hard to deal with," Hartley said.

Even one of his previous students, Georgia Carroll, senior art education major, described how much of an influence Hartley has had on her view of art.

"Hartley is a very good professor and because of him, I will never look at paintings the same," said Carroll.

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"When I took advanced composition with him, he showed us how all of the different shapes come together to make one picture."

The interviewer of the night, Richard Tichich, said the reason they have the "meet the faculty" series is because this is a large university and we do not get to talk enough.

"We don't get to know what a person is thinking, and people can now get to know the quality of the faculty," said Tichich.

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Announcements

Mexican Consulate visiting ECU

The Mexican Consulate will be visiting ECU.

The Consulate will have dinner with select community leaders on Friday, Nov. 18 at the Greenville Centre (Charles Blvd.) starting at 6:30 p.m. Dinner/discussion will be by invitation only, but is open to the media for coverage and questions.

The Consulate will meet with community members (primarily Mexican and Latino community members) at ECU's Willis Building (300 East First Street) from 8 a.m. 5 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 19. Media coverage is encouraged on this day as well. Services and discussions on Saturday include marriage certificates, citizenship, identification (national ID), legal advice, military service registration, birth and death certificates and voting registration. The Association of Mexicans in North Carolina sponsors the event.

News Briefs

Local

Goodyear and Steelworkers look ahead to 2006 talks

CLEVELAND (AP) - When the Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co. opens contract talks next year, it may want the United Steelworkers of America to draw on some tough lessons learned in the union's past struggles with a consolidated steel industry.

Goodyear executives said in an investors' meeting in New York on Sept. 23 they are considering closing an undisclosed number of plants and saving up to \$1 billion over the next three years. Goodyear did not say how many jobs would be cut, how many plants would be closed or identify the locations. One union-represented plant is in Fayetteville, NC.

lower pay in favor of profit sharing, bonuses and a say in how the company was run.

CHRIS MUNIER News Editor

The USWA represents more than 850,000 workers in North America. About 70,000 of them work in the tire, rubber and plastics industries as former United Rubber Workers members, a union now merged into the Steelworkers.

The Goodyear contract, approved in 2003 after about five months of tense negotiations, covered about 16,000 employees and gave the company the option to cut jobs if production and cost-cutting goals aren't met. The union agreed to productivity-improvement targets at every union plant in North America. The contract provides for minimum employment levels and guaranteed

younger man, debuted at No. 3 with \$6.4 million.

Nicolas Cage's The Weather Man, in which he plays a materially successful TV forecaster whose personal life is a tempest of disorder, opened at No. 6 with \$4.3 million. Hollywood's box-office slump abated

ZACK HILL Assistant News Editor

from the double-digit percentage declines of recent weekends, though receipts still were down. The top 12 movies took in \$86.3 million, off 6.5 percent from the same weekend last year.

Saw II, featuring Donnie Wahlberg as a cop drawn into a deadly game with the serial killer of the 2004 horror hit Saw, easily outdid the original movie's \$18.3 million opening over last Halloween weekend.

Distributor Lions Gate, which acquired the low-budgeted Saw at the 2004 Sundance Film Festival, rushed ahead to get the sequel in theaters just a year after the original's release. Saw did a respectable \$55.2 million at the domestic box office, but the sequel got a big boost from fans who discovered the franchise on DVD. "A lot of talk is devoted to the theatrical moviegoing experience being like a warmup for the DVD release. In this case, the DVD release of the first film was a warmup for the huge debut of the sequel," said Paul Dergarabedian, president of boxoffice tracker Exhibitor Relations. "Plus, it's a no-brainer. It's Halloween weekend." The Legend of Zorro, with Banderas' masked swordsman fighting a secret society aiming to ravage the United States amid California's statehood drive in 1850, came in well behind the 1998 summer hit The Mask of Zorro, which opened with \$22.3 million. Considering ticket prices are up about one-third since then, Legend of Zorro drew only about half the crowds

domestically as the first movie over opening weekend.

Distributor Sony noted that solid returns in Latin America and Europe offset the weaker showing for Legend of Zorro on the homefront. In about 50 international markets, the sequel took in \$27 million, up 22 percent from the debut of Mask of Zorro in those same countries, said Rory Bruer, Sony head of distribution.

"In regards to how you go about releasing your film, it's just a matter of what brings the most dollars in box office, whether domestic or worldwide," Bruer said.

Estimated ticket sales for Friday through Sunday at U.S. and Canadian theaters, according to Exhibitor Relations Co. Inc. Final figures will be released Monday.

regions to stay in their homes or hole up in 15 shelters provided by the government. Earlier in the day, soldiers evacuated 10,000 people from the far eastern coastal port of Cabo de Gracias a Dios and from along the River Coco, both on the Honduras border, said Nicaragua's national civil defense director, Lt. Col. Mario Perez Cassar. The Civil Defense Department sent 100 army rescue specialists along with various land and water vehicles. A tent hospital also was set up, while universities and public schools were closed and converted into shelters. Flights to the Nicaraguan islands Islas del Maiz were canceled. Residents of low-lying neighborhoods in Puerto Cabeza were taken to provisional shelters on higher ground as heavy rains and wind began to batter the coast, flooding some low-lying neighborhoods. Businesses raised food prices in response to the heavy demand, while bottled water supplies ran out. Authorities threatened to sanction price gougers.

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Before reaching Central America, the

record 13th hurricane of this year's

Atlantic storm season lashed the

Colombian island of Providencia with

heavy winds, torrential rains and high

surf. At least 30 people were injured,

Colombian Civil Defense Col. Eugenio

The slow-moving storm battered the

mountainous island for more than

12 hours, damaging more than 300

wooden homes and buildings, most

with their roofs torn apart, he said.

Most of the 5,000 islanders found

In Nicaragua, President Enrique

Bolanos declared a maximum

"red alert" late Saturday, ordering

some 45,000 people from the port

safety at brick shelters in the hills.

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For more information on this event, you can contact Juvencio Peralta at 258-9967 or via email at

Juvencio is the Community Advocate for the Association of Mexicans in North Carolina and is a member of ECU's Chancellor's Community Advisory Council.

Think-In Technology Fair

This fall, Academic Outreach and Information Technology and Computing Services will host "Teaching with Technology 2005: A Think-In of Best Practices." It takes place tomorrow, Nov. 2. This event will provide ECU faculty the opportunity to share their expertise using technology in both face-toface and distance education courses. Faculty members are invited to submit proposals for laptop poster sessions. The poster sessions will be available from 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. and should include course demonstrations that showcase the use of technology. Faculty and staff attendees will have the opportunity to judge presentations, and a first prize will be awarded in each category.

But the company expected the union, which has seen the American steel industry shrink from several powerhouses to a handful of companies part of global firms, to go along with the reductions. "The Steelworkers understand what happened in the steel industry,"

said Jonathan Rich, who heads the company's North American tire unit at that investors' meeting. The Steelworkers' three-year contract is set to expire July 22, 2006. "They support Goodyear, and anticipate we will work together and take another step to make sure we have the right balance," Rich said. One steel industry model Goodyear might follow is mogul Wilbur Ross. As head of the former International Steel Group in Cleveland, which he created from steel assets in bankruptcy, Ross convinced the USWA to shed hard feelings toward steel's old guard in favor of collaboration aimed at saving the U.S. steel industry within global competition.

Steelworkers agreed to drop retiree benefits and took on more work at capital investments.

Ron Hoover, the union's Goodyear contract coordinator, acknowledged that health care and pension costs are ongoing issues. He also said the union and Goodyear can work together to maintain benefits while controlling costs.

National

'Saw II' preys on Halloween fear factor to grab \$30.5 million

LOS ANGELES (AP) - Horror swung a sharper blade than Zorro at the box office.

With Halloween at hand, the bloody Saw II won the weekend with \$30.5 million, almost double the \$16.5 million opening of Antonio Banderas and Catherine Zeta-Jones' swashbuckling sequel The Legend of Zorro, according to studio estimates Sunday.

The weekend's other big-name wide releases had so-so premieres. Prime, starring Uma Thurman and Meryl Streep in a romance between a thirtysomething woman and a World

Beta hits Nicaragua's east coast as thousands hunker down in boarded-up homes and shelters PUERTO CABEZAS, Nicaragua (AP) -Hurricane Beta pounded Nicaragua's Caribbean coast with heavy rains and powerful winds Sunday as thousands of people rode out the storm in boarded-up homes or government shelters.

The storm came ashore near the remote town of La Barra as a category 2 hurricane with 105 mph winds. But it weakened to a category 1 with 90 mph winds as it moved inland, dumping up to 15 inches of rain, the National Hurricane Center in Miami said.

While powerful, Beta was a small hurricane, with hurricane force winds extending outward only up to 15 miles, the center said.

At 10 a.m. EST, the storm's center was about 50 miles north of the coastal city of Bluefields. It was moving toward the southwest at nearly 7

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put on a new track in the course of the 17th and 18th centuries. This shifted people away from natural law as something seen above human conduct to something more familiar in terms of natural rights.

Common law helped to form universities, languages and romance, which all stemmed from western Europeans' curiosity in the 12th century. The upper west became more advanced than other countries because of their desire for intellect. Headley said the Chinese, for example, were more complacent because they believed they had everything they needed. "They lacked the intellectual drive found in the West," Headley said. "For American people, natural

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rights are something that springs out of John Locke," Headley said.

The Spaniards justified natural law as their purpose for coming to America in the 16th century. Many Spanish scholars claimed they had human rights to pursue matters of trade and

Friends of Joyner Library Banquet and Silent Auction

On Nov. 4 at 6 p.m., join the Friends of Joyner Library as we support the library's efforts, ensuring students have the research materials they need to become world-class graduates, while also providing literally millions of valuable resources to faculty, citizens and other patrons. Margaret Hoffman, author of Blackbeard: A Tale of Villainy and Murder in Colonial America, will share why for almost 300 years the infamous pirate still haunts our coastline. We will revisit the fascinating history lesson and view artifacts from the pirate's ship, the Queen Anne's Revenge, courtesy of the NC Maritime Museum, all from a lit skyline providing a spectacular view of Dowdy-Ficklen Stadium and Bagwell Field. Tickets are \$40 per individual / \$65 per couple / \$250 per sponsor. Please call for reservations: 328-5685. Contact Sarah Q. Dickens of Joyner Library at 328-5685 or e-mail her at dickenss@mail.ecu.edu.

The Rainbow Fish

Pumpkin carving is a favored tradition for many people across generations and political ideologies.

In contrast to 2004, Halloween pumpkins are not as partisan

CHARLOTTE, NC (AP) — It was part street art, part political theater - a giant wall of pro-Kerry and anti-Bush pumpkins that became a rallying spot for Democratic partisans in a Republican city at the climax of last year's presidential campaign.

A year later, the Great Pumpkin Wall is back – a block of 400 pumpkins set on eight levels of shelving, reaching 12 feet into the sky and stretching 50 feet wide. And though this year's wall is located in the front yard of a Democratic state senator, it has been mostly drained of partisan politics. After last year's fervor, organizer Jeff Dalzell said the aim this year is to make the wall a tradition in the Elizabeth neighborhood just south of downtown Charlotte. "We talked about, 'Oh, do we (make it political)?" Dalzell said Friday evening as he scooped seeds and pulp from the inside of one of the dozens of pumpkins being prepared for carving and placement on the wall. "And we said, 'No, make

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it for the whole community."" As twilight fell Friday, parents and children swarmed around the wall and a set of tables set up for carving in the driveway of Sen. Dan Clodfelter, who gamely cut into his 20th pumpkin of the day. "I was told all I had to do was

let them use my front yard," the lawyer said ruefully.

Clodfelter is responsible for just about the only political touch on this year's wall - a row of a dozen pumpkins, each carved with a different letter to form the phrase "VOTE YES BONDS" - a reference to a package of bond proposals on the county's Nov. 8 ballot. Otherwise, most of the jack o' lanterns decorating this year's wall aimed for artistry or spookiness. Organizers strung Christmas lights inside the pumpkins to light them without having to burn candles. There were ghoulish grins and a cutout of a coyote howling at the moon. There was a two-pumpkin tribute to Hurricane Katrina-rav-

aged New Orleans: one with a

cutout of the state of Louisiana,

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the other carved with the letters NOLA in a stacked pattern similar to the famous "LOVE" sculpture.

One pumpkin featured a peace sign, another a question mark, a third the letters "JENNA." There was a "W" pumpkin, but that was a reference to the first letter in young Will Cuthbertson's name. A year ago, any "W" pumpkin

on the wall was liable to have a slash mark through it. The display featured glowing orange protests against the war in Iraq and for the Democratic presidential ticket of U.S. senators John Kerry of Massachusetts and John Edwards of North Carolina. Blue lights strung across the face of the wall spelled out "Kerry." Dalzell, a designer and architect who friends credit with dreaming up the wall, said he was trying to create "the city's biggest yard sign." He is no stranger to such statements, having gained local notoriety in 2000 for painting a giant Al Gore sign on the roof of his home in another Charlotte neighborhood.

commerce in the New World. Headley made clear the problem with America is that racism and social injustice are flawing the equality of our nation.

"We cannot take these ideas and realize them in society, but they are there and they are a spur we can't get rid of," Headley said. "There are always times when

'Lincoln' will show up."

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When Rainbow Fish refuses to share her shiny silver scales, her friends no longer want to play with her. The octopus advises her to share, and she finds that making others happy makes her happy too. Based on Marcus Pfister's bestselling book. The event takes place Nov. 8 at 2 p.m. in Wright Auditorium. Purchase subscriptions by Oct. 8 for best options. Family Pass (4 tickets to each show) \$96. Public Subscription (one adult ticket to each show) \$30, ECU faculty/staff Subscription (one adult ticket to each show): \$25, ECU Student/ Youth Subscription (one student/ youth ticket to each show): \$20. Advance individual tickets, if available, may be purchased beginning Oct. 16 and cost \$9 public, \$8 ECU faculty/staff, \$6 ECU students/youth. All tickets at the door are \$9. For more information, contact the Central Ticket Office at 328-4788, 1-800-ECU-ARTS or visit ecuarts.com.





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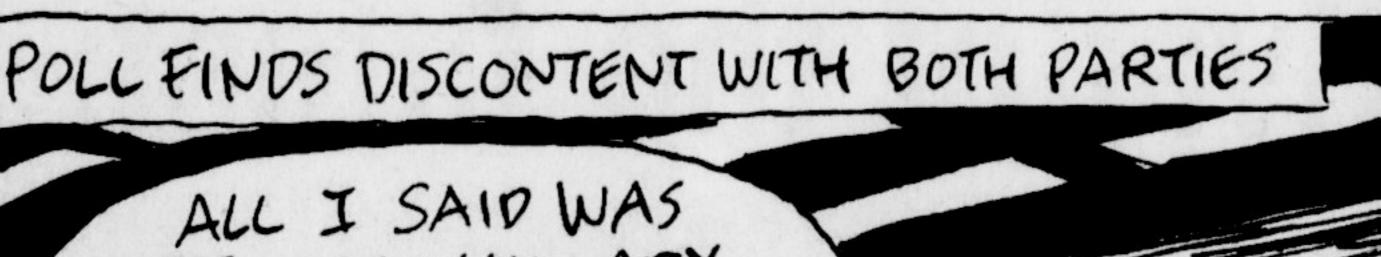
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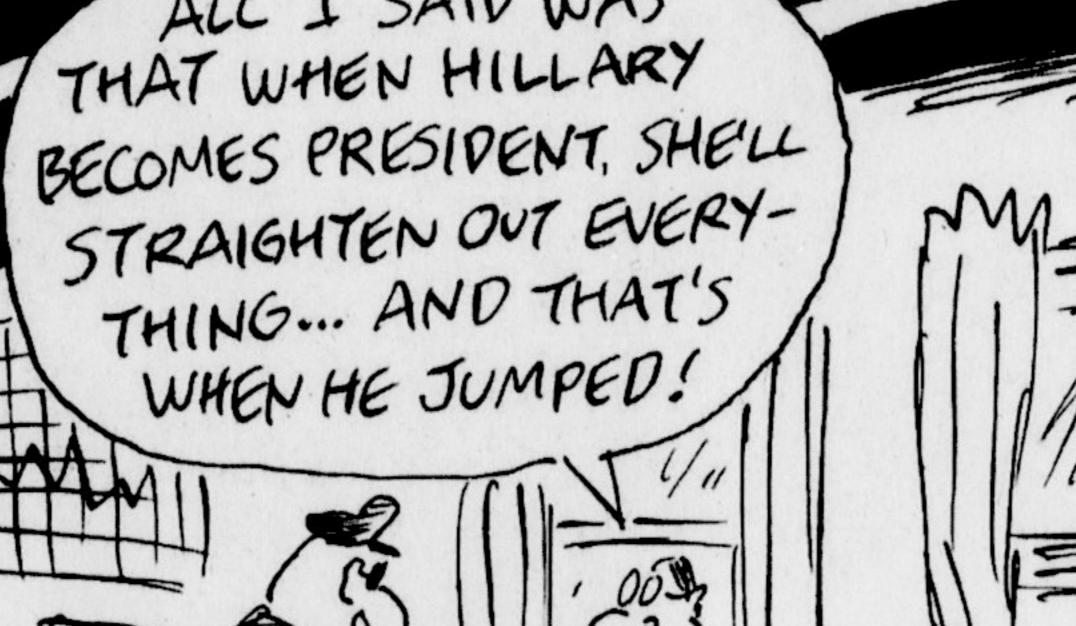
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Our View

It's getting to be that time of year. You know, the time when three tests fall on the same day, you have to register for classes and your best friends are calling you left and right to go downtown with them. Partying on Halloween is practically a requirement, Thanksgiving is just around the corner, followed by those pesky exams and then Christmas with all of its inherent fun and inevitable stress. It seems like an unstoppable force of nature that comes predictably toward the end of every semester, and it can get the best of all of us. It is easy to get frustrated and possibly neglect responsibilities when things seem to pile up uncontrollably. However, with the proper attitude, these times have the potential to be some of our brightest moments. Times of adversity are usually met with either one or two attitudes - the attitude of quitting or the attitude of determination. While quitting is often the easier and more appealing option, quitting is ultimately a letdown to others, as well as CAUSAL OBSERVER yourself. Determination, on the other hand, is rewarding on many levels. For example, getting a good grade on an exam is always fulfilling, but that feeling of pride is only strengthened when you know of the hard work and dedication you applied to getting that grade. Friendships even seem more rewarding when you look obstacles







Pirate Rant

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To the sweet girl I met outside of the Sci-ence and Tech building...I am kicking myself for not giving you my number. Same time and place this week?

Driving in Greenville 101 part 2...it's called a blinker, it doesn't require a lot of movement and it will prevent people from rear ending you. It is not a decoration – it was put there for a reason so USE IT.

It's great to laugh in the face of mis-fortune until you realize misfortune is going to have the last laugh.

To the guy who wrote the article on The Libertines, you made my week. I didn't know anyone else on campus listened to them, which is a shame.

Quit pretending to be politically cor-rect when you are a racist at heart.

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Halloween, Rosa Parks inspire courage

Learning to laugh and standup against our fears. **BENJAMIN CORMACK**

By the time this is printed Halloween will be over, the decorations, costumes and all of the candy corn will be pushed into a storage facility until next year, sold at an extremely low price or, in the case of candy corn, recycled to make more candy corn (at least that's what my favorite commentator/comedian Lewis Black believes). So I thought I would savor some of the memories of this and past Halloweens for this week's article. Now I could fill this space up with information on the history and traditions of Halloween, but that would be boring wouldn't it? Go to Wikipedia Web site (en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Halloween) if you want to know more about Halloween. What I will talk about are my personal thoughts and reflections on Halloween. Now I've been here for a little more than three years and I've seen a lot of crazy things. To be honest, before I came here Halloween wasn't really about parties and other mass gatherings of people. Mostly it was because Halloween hardly ever fell on a non-school-night, but also because my friends and I weren't social-butterflies. I mostly just did what I could to make getting candy from my house somewhat scary for the neighborhood children. One of my fondest memories of Halloween was when my father and I would carve the pumpkin. While we never participated in any contests, I always felt that we had the best pumpkin on the street.

Halloween here was seeing someone dressed in a surprisingly well done **Optimus** Prime costume constructed from cardboard. Which year I can't remember, but I do remember one couple winning best costume dressed as a pair of giant sandals made from cardboard. Another year I remember a friend of mine getting hypnotized and thinking her boyfriend didn't have pants on. I never did the downtown scene because I don't like large crowds, plus it seemed like a lot of hassle to just be stuck in a crowd.

I think I've only not dressed-up once in all the years I've done Halloween. As best as I can remember, I've been: a dinosaur, a Ninja Turtle twice, Batman twice, Sting (the wrestler), The Undertaker (the wrestler), The Shadow, Sub Zero from Mortal Kombat twice, the Terminator twice, a thrown-together twice, a Dragonball Z character (Trunks, for you fans) and a samurai last year. This year, I went all-out to be as cool and scary as I possibly could. In my mind I was going for a half-dragon, but I probably looked more like a demon. I bought those really nice fangs you mold to your teeth - some really cool wings with a tail - two pairs of horns, one pair on a strap and another made of latex. Since you probably can't picture it, if you were at Mendenhall you may have seen me. What makes Halloween such a great holiday? Well I think it has to do with a lot of things. First of all, it's one of the only holidays based solely around fun and choice and despite its origins, not a religious event - there isn't really any sense of obligation to do anything. We don't HAVE to dress-up or spend money on costumes, we don't HAVE to pass-out candy and generally we don't

One of my memories from my first HAVE to do anything we don't want to do. Then there are costumes. You can wear a costume and have it cost you as little as nothing (except maybe a little hard work) or even as much as a thousand dollars. Costumes provide us a way to act out a fantasy - to become something we wish we could be. We can be heroic, scary, silly or even sexy in a way that maybe we couldn't be in our normal, everyday lives. Third, who doesn't love free candy? Not to mention it really warms your heart to give out candy to wide-excited-eyed kids.

Most of all, I think Halloween teaches us how to deal with fear. Think about it - we surround ourselves with decorations that would any other day Live strong is for testicular cancer, and the pink ones are for breast cancer, neither of which are caused by smoking. Smoking causes LUNG cancer!

don't like you. That's why I don't answer my phone. Get a clue. I avoid you like the plague.

To the guy who cheated on his girl-friend, don't thank the girl with one earring for your misery-thank yourself, you are the one that cheated!

To ECU bus drivers that think they're competing in the Indy 500...Hello! You're driving a huge bus with passengers, not a stock car!

An instructor from NC State said that black people should "exterminate white people off the face of the planet. If that's not racist I don't know what is. hat the story was only a blip on the media radar is disgusting. I shudder to think at the explosion if a white instructor said something similar regarding a minority.

Someone explain to me WHY Java City at Wright Place has only ONE employee during the busiest part of the mornings! I need my coffee!

Super Nintendo is great. However, I went to EB Games to trade-in some cartridges and they offered me FIVE CENTS for my SuperMario World. Theysell those for \$15.

To the guy who touched me on the crowded commuter bus, take that mess back to high school, when hallways used to be crowded. Next time I will slap you.

Dr. Collins is my hero. Who else would include the words baby sandwich in a philosophical debate? The absurdity of his reply was freaking hilarious, and I want to buy him a drink.

I feel like a failure as an English major -I cannot seem to find a word to quite cover the awfulness of the stench coming from you.

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having free time. Spending time with friends is much more fun when you don't have to worry about the ominous feeling of knowing you have a paper or exam for which you are not prepared.

So don't let school fall on the back burner during this time of the year despite the many things pulling you in other directions. Keep a close eye on your calendar, use your free time to work ahead on assignments and study diligently for your exams, and don't forget to take a break to have fun every now and then. Relax - the stress is only temporary and Christmas break will be here sooner than you think.

frighten us, disgust us or just weird us out. Yet every Halloween we strive to go for just that. It's a time when we turn our fears into fun.

It's seems kind of appropriate that Rosa Parks would be honored on a day when confronting fear is celebrated. On Halloween morning, I turned on C-SPAN2 and saw a coffin sitting in the U.S. Capitol Rotunda. It was Rosa Parks, who now is decorated as not only a major force in the Civil Rights Movement but also as the first woman to be honored at U.S. Capitol Rotunda. So what does Rosa Parks have to do with Halloween? Consider this: if Rosa Parks had not been brave enough to face the fear of saying "no" to a white man, then the Civil Rights Movement may have never had the inspiration that it had to peaceful and non-violent.

While Rosa Parks may not have been the most popular costume this Halloween, I believe that it's because of people like her that we are able and can be inspired to face our fears every other day of the year.

I bet in the Messiest Roommate Competition, my roommate would own all others. That's not necessarily a good thing.

Why does Pirate Rant only publish rants concerning bashing girls or guys? Why not publish issues that matter, or issues that need to be heard like parking issues.

Matt Cohen, I want to have your babies! I will vote for you.

When rejected by a girl, NEVER go for the best friend.

Who steals shampoo and conditioner? Seriously, now, who does that?

Thank You Greenville police for giving me a ticket for not wearing my seatbelt in my roommate's car as I was about to get out of it in front of Bate. While people are getting shot downtown and drug busts are going on in the dorms, you are concerned for my safety in a car with no belt. THANK YOU.

Clean up after yourself. We are your roommates, not your mother. Don't act like you didn't hear us when we ask you to help do the dishes. Also, please use your "inside voice," if you have one.

GUYS-just because a girl has blonde hair and is skinny does not necessarily make her attractive! Those two characteristics alone seriously do not make someone hot - she's skinny and she has blonde hair, big deal - take a sec and check out that busted face and those nasty teeth before making stupid comments!

What is the point in the girls around here wearing Eskimo boots with a miniskirt. If it's cold enough to wear the boots then I might suggest you change the skirt for some pants.

To the bartender in the back bar of The Element, watching you throw out that guy was the hottest thing I've seen. I'd pay to see that again! From now on I'm only going to The Element to see you.

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In My Opinion

(KRT) - Dick Cheney may have been a nontraditional vice presidential pick. But the indictment of Lewis Libby reflects the fact that he and his aides sometimes played a traditional vice presidential role: attacking political rivals.

And though Karl Rove has at least temporarily escaped charges in a probe stemming from the leak of a CIA agent's name, the entire matter has long sounded like an operation from the playbook the top White House strategist used in past campaigns, including those he ran for President Bush.

public role, climaxing with a 2003 article in The New York Times that directly challenged the claim about Saddam and nuclear weapons.

In the days after its publication, both Libby and Rove played an active role in seeking to undercut Wilson's credibility by suggesting to reporters that, because of his wife's role in the CIA, his criticism was part of an ongoing effort by the intelligence agency against the White House.

the most powerful White House aides in history.

An early incident was the bugging of his office during Bill Clements' 1986 gubernatorial campaign, which some foes alleged he did himself. Another was his ouster from the 1992 campaign of Bush's father, when he was blamed for a leak aimed at Mosbacher.

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The Rove formula: Win at all costs. It's prompted sharp tactics against Bush foes like Sens. John McCain and John Kerry; former Agriculture Commissioner Jim Hightower; and Texas GOP rivals Rob Mosbacher and John Weaver, later an adviser to McCain.

But the man who holds the somewhat misleading title of deputy chief of staff has often avoided direct responsibility and now may have avoided something even worse - a criminal charge.

In this case, the target was former Ambassador Joseph Wilson. The reason: his role as a critic of a key rationale for Bush's decision to attack Iraq, the suggestion that Saddam Hussein was seeking nuclear weapons.

Cheney, of course, was one of the main advocates of the attack that overthrew Saddam. His questions about reports that the Iraqi despot had sought nuclear material from Niger apparently played a role in triggering Wilson's mission to the African nation.

What apparently set off the White House assault was Wilson's increasingly

The formal charges against Libby stem from his efforts to spread word of Wilson's connection, via his wife, to the CIA.

When asked about this, the indictment said, he falsely testified that he got the information from reporters in what may have been an effort to shield the vice president from direct involvement in the effort to discredit Wilson.

Still, it's been evident that Cheney, whom Bush picked primarily for his vast governmental experience, is no slouch in making pointed charges against political rivals. It's a role many past vice presidents and vice presidential candidates have played.

Last year, he caused a stir by suggesting that, if Kerry beat Bush, the nation would face an increased risk of terrorist attacks.

As for Rove, he has long been known for the hard-nosed politics he learned as an ally of the late Lee Atwater in Young Republican politics three decades ago.

As he worked his way up the political ladder, controversy has accompanied the man whose mastery of political strategy helped him become one of

In the late 1980s, Rove had ties to an FBI probe of top Democrats that led to the conviction of three aides to Agriculture Commissioner Hightower. Rove, who was advising his Republican rival, Rick Perry, now the state's governor, denied any direct role in the incident, which contributed to Hightower's 1990 defeat.

In 2000 and 2004, it was widely believed Rove had ties to "independent" efforts aimed at Bush rivals, but he denied it and nothing was proved.

In 2000, Weaver accused Rove of involvement in the anonymous phone calls during the critical South Carolina primary that falsely accused McCain, who adopted a child from Bangladesh, of having fathered an illegitimate black child. Later, some close Rove allies were involved in misleading ads against the senator's environmental record.

In 2004, the issue was the so-called "Swift Boat" ads, sponsored by longtime GOP contributors, which accused Kerry of exaggerating his claims of heroism during the Vietnam War.

But Rove has always managed to deflect criticism and avoid legal difficulty. The fact that he has so far escaped indictment after a lengthy and intensive probe suggests he may do so again.

Why is it so hard being friends with females? Why do they talk so much crap about you behind your back and then put a fake smile on their face while around you. Do us both a favor by not wasting your energy being fake around me. Thanks!

Are there any other black people who feel let down by their people?

What is up with the rise of sequined purses? Ladies if it can double as a disco ball DON'T BUY IT!

To all RA's whose goal in life is to stick their ear up doors and listen to personal conversations...get a life.

To all you boys and girls out there, whose Daddy leased you a beamer: it doesn't make you rich or cool. Maybe the hair gel, popped collar, and sleazy sorority girlfriend will.

To everyone who still has a W. bumper sticker on his car: we told you so.

When did I get to be so old?

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Picks of the Week:

Music

Dashboard Confessional - Unplugged I'm not exactly sure how MTV can do an "Unplugged" for a band which (at the time) played only acoustic music, but this live performance illustrates more than singer Chris Carrabba's ability to make any young girl's heart melt. Before the trendy electrified days of "Vindicated" and "Hands Down" version 2.0, there was Carrabba and his guitar. It was stripped down. It was raw. It was one of the best of the "Unplugged" series that I have ever seen (aside from Nirvana). This performance shows how intertwined Carrabba's vocals are with the crowd, with the fans, more often than not, singing louder than the band ever could. If the sound of Carrabba and company on electric guitar, singing for sub par comic book movies makes you cringe, pop in this CD/DVD combination and hear the real version of "Hands Down."

No pain, no gain: Personal trainers really do help

ASSISTANT FEATURES EDITOR

Before officially starting this whole ordeal, I became pretty certain that I would hate Fridays, the one day of the week where I actually have to get up off of my lazy butt and listen to a personal trainer tell me what to do for an hour. I'm basically a really stubborn person that doesn't take well to people telling me what to do. Lucky for me, and probably for my exercise comrades as well, our trainers were not nearly as hard core as I had expected. They urged us to work hard, but not to strain ourselves. Like Kristin Day said last week, we did a lot of work with the elliptical and the rowing machine, in addition to working our backs and abs. Since that was my first week with the trainer, not only was I out of shape, but 5 I was also experiencing pain in 🖗 areas which I didn't even know I o had prior to that day. This pain persisted for at least the next day or two - needless to say I was not 2 a happy girl. On the flip side, I also felt a lot better, and by better I mean healthier. When I left the gym that day, I felt like I had more energy and I was in a much better mood than I was before I walked through the doors of the SRC. This actually made me sort of excited for our workout this week.





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Local Concerts

Boysetsfire, From Autumn to Ashes and The Esoteric will be at the Lincoln Theatre in Raleigh on Monday, Nov. 7. The "Zippo Hot Tour" featuring the All-American Rejects and Rooney will make a stop at Cats Cradle in Carrboro on Tuesday, Nov. 8. The "Improv Allstars" featuring Drew Carey, Chip Esten, Greg Proops, Jeff Davis, Jonathan Mangum, Kathy Kinney and Sean Masterson will be performing at the Memorial Auditorium in Raleigh on Thursday, Nov. 10.

Converge, Darkest Hour and The Red Chord will be at Cats Cradle in Carrboro on Thursday, Nov. 17. 311 will be at the House of Blues in Myrtle Beach, SC on Saturday, Nov. 26. Clay Aiken will be performing at the RBC Center in Raleigh on Thursday, Dec. 22.

Names in the News

Pregnant Again

Forever young in our hearts, Brooke Shields will always seem too much of a child herself to be having kids. But there the pretty baby is, now pregnant with her second child, the New York Post reports. She already has a daughter, Rowan, 2, with husband Chris Henchy. Along with the little joy bundle, we are all, of course, awaiting Shields' book, Down Came the Rain: My Journey Through Postpartum Depression, scheduled to hit bookstores next spring. You may remember the battle royal Shields had with Tom Cruise, who criticized her for her use of prescription drugs to slog through depression. Incensed enough to rebut the boy on the op-ed page of the New York Times, Shields dissed Cruise, saying his rant was "a disservice to mothers everywhere."

Our week four workout consisted of us stepping onto my least favorite piece of exercise equipment ever invented – the treadmill. Oh treadmill, how I loathe thee.



Kristin Murnane listens intently to advice from her SRC personal trainer while Kristin Day and Ed McKim enjoy their elliptical time.

Basically we walked, jogged and, if you're as ambitious as Ed, ran, for our weekly hour of training. Our only breaks from the monotony of our feet thumping, or in my case, tripping, involved weight training with the one and only Warren, personal trainer extraordinaire. My favorite part about this

week's workout: not being in anywhere near as much pain as

d I was in last week.

This week I started to become more comfortable with the gym. I used to think that all of the people there had these rock hard bodies and they were able to work out for hours on end, and it's made me more comfortable seeing more full-figured people like myself working out. I no longer have anxiety about going to the gym, and I'm actually

looking forward to next week.

In next Tuesday's article, Kristin Day will give you a rundown of the group fitness classes that she has been taking.

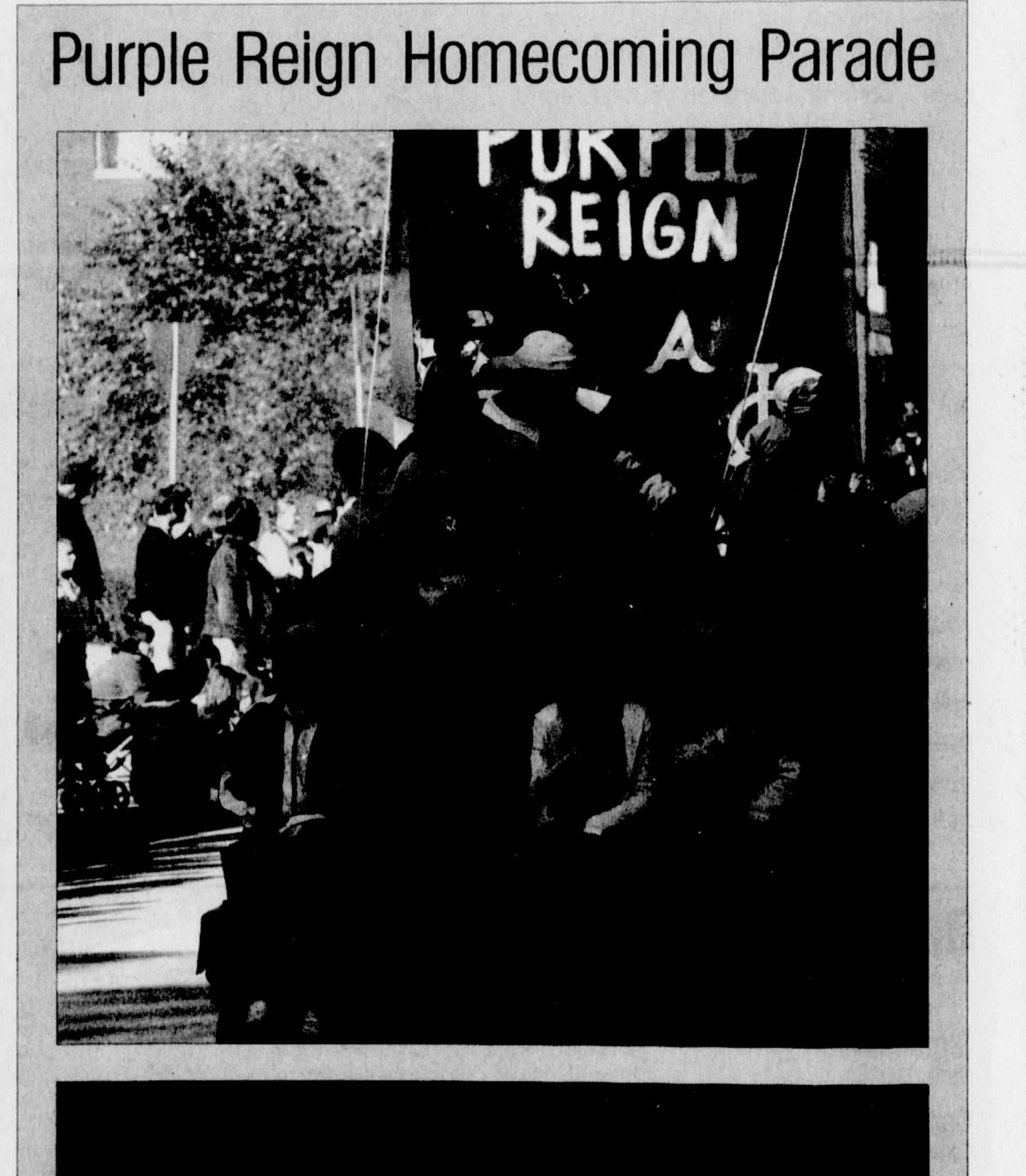
Until next time ... Maybe I will see you at the SRC this week, as I know I am inspiring the masses.

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Fit Tip of the Week:

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Before you even get out of bed in the morning, do 10 stomach crunches while lying flat on your mattress. Increase daily by one until you get up to 100. Think you'll never get there? Try it. You may eventually have to set your clock to wake up 15 minutes earlier, a small price to pay for a flatter stomach. Taken from health-fittness-tips.com.



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Kate's Back

Bet you all remember where you were when model Kate Moss first entered drug rehabilitation a month ago. The big events linger. Anyway, she checked out of Arizona's Meadows clinic, says the *Post*, was reunited with daughter Lila, 3, and is looking forward to getting back to work. Moss, 31, was seen on videotape snorting cocaine in a London recording studio. Those high and happy moments cost her lucrative contracts with H&M, Burberry and Chanel.

Dude, where's my flying car?

Don't let the kids read this one: The Ford Anglia we see flying through all the Harry Potter films has been swiped from a studio lot in England. Stored in the open under a tarpaulin, the car was un-drivable and could not have been moved on its own steam, according to cops quoted by British news services. §

More Dancing

You've waited, and the gods of a television answered. The second edition of ABC's "Dancing With the O



A TALE OF VILLAINY AND MURDER IN COLONEM AMERICA

Stars" will be seen at 8 p.m. EST Thursdays beginning Jan. 5, ABC announced Friday. The program will run for two months, replacing "Alias," which is going on hiatus while star Jennifer Garner is on maternity leave. The new dancing celebrities for the show have yet to be announced.

Top 10

A ranking of the 10 most egotistical celebrities has just been published by *Teen People*. The stars were selected by virtue of comments they have made which indicate a breath-taking degree of self-involvement. The winners are (drumroll, please):

> 10. Lindsay Lohan 9. R. Kelly

- 8. Avril Lavigne
- 7. Justin Timberlake
- C. Jack Milling
- 6. Jack White
- 5. Christina Aguilera
- 4. Beyonce
- 3. Usher
- 2. Kanye West
- 1. Paris Hilton

The "Simple Life" star topped the list for her observation: "(By) channeling my inner heiress, I created a new opportunity for young heiresses." Author of the novel will visit ECU Nov. 4 at the Murphy Center.

Author visits ECU to retell the tale

SENIOR WRITER

PeeDee the Pirate is a near and dear symbol for all who attend this university. Joyner Library knows that and has put together, along with Friends of Joyner Library, a presentation about the infamous pirate, Blackbeard.

Blackbeard, or Edward Teach, was a feared pirate from 1716 until his brutal death in 1718. Most major ports of the east coast have some sort of documentation of the famed pirate.

Blackbeard lived out his last days in Bath on the Pamlico Sound of North Carolina. Many of his political transgressions took place there with corrupt politicians and Governor Charles Eden. Blackbeard was killed in a bloody battle at sea by orders from the Royal Governor of Virginia in 1718. After his death his head hung from a pole on the Hampton River in Virginia. On Nov. 4 at the Murphy Center author Margaret Hoffman will come to share the tales from her first novel, "Blackbeard: A Tale of Villainy and Murder in Colonial America," which was published in 1998.

Hoffman's interest in pirate tales, and more importantly Blackbeard stories, began when she spent her summer vacations on the coast of the Carolinas. She learned a lot about the political side of the pirate tales.

"The story is mainly about the scandal and political side of Blackbeards' life with the Governor Charles Eden," said Sarah Dickens of the Office of Development at Joyner Library.

The presentation will include a social hour, auction and banquet. There will also be a viewing of artifacts donated by the North Carolina Maritime Museum, The artifacts will include bullets, old rope, pieces of silver platters and glass relicts from what is believed to be Blackbeard's ship the Queen

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streets near campus.

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 Scenarille was alive early last Saturday morning with the Homecoming parade featuring floats from campus organizations and music from the Marching Pirates as they filled the

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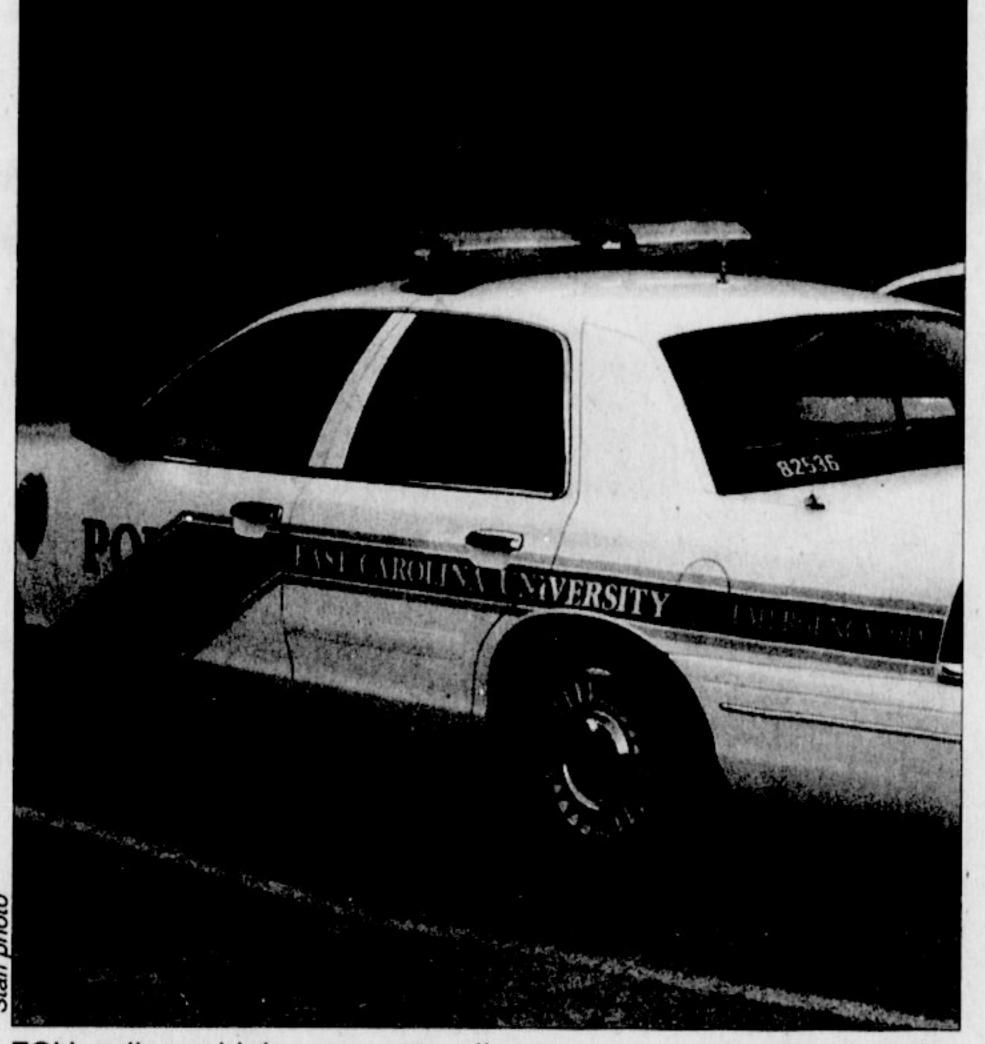
Day in the life of: ECU Police Officer

Major Frank Knight explains it all TOMEKA STEELE SENIOR WRITER

We see them patrolling campus, stationed downtown and possibly arresting drunken friends but we never stop to consider just how tough a day in the life of an ECU police officer can be. This campus is teeming with crimes of all sorts and police officers have to be alert at every possible moment on this campus.

Police officers keep the peace downtown when things get crazy and form bonds with different departments on and around campus to establish effective crime prevention.

Many of us take police for granted but without them this campus would be a raging crime spree. TEC: What is a typical day like for you?



Personal Trainer



None of these increase significantly if two-day **Does not**

Major Knight: Well I am in the Support Services division of the ECU Police Department. My section and I work to provide materials and support to the patrol division so they can enforce their duties. I deal with payroll and purchases of fuel, supplies and equipment for the patrol officers. I also deal with leasing vehicles.

TEC: What are the different divisions of the ECU Police Department? Major Knight: There are

actually three divisions of the

ECU Police Department. There is

see around campus and down-

town. There is a Support Services

division, which I am a part of,

and we are like the administra-

tive staff and deal mostly with

assisting other divisions. Lastly,

there is the Campus Safety divi-

sion which deals exclusively with

crime prevention, the police

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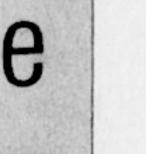
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Major Knight: What I like most is the camaraderie between the different divisions of the ECU Police Department. I like the interaction with the patrol division. There are a lot of good standing police officers at ECU. It feels good to work with other police officers and people of other departments in order to meet the expectations of the uni-

ECU police vehicles are seen all over campus to maintain order.

versity and to meet the needs of the officers patrolling the street. What I least like about my job is seeing when officers have to take enforcement actions on ECU students who are under the influence of alcohol. These kids end up getting hurt in a fight or accident or end up being involved in a crime or a victim of a crime. It's the saddest thing when I know they'd otherwise be great outstanding citizens of the university if only they weren't drunk.

the Patrol Division who are all the TEC: So you'd say drinking is police officers students usually a problem at ECU?

Major Knight: The three biggest problems at ECU are petty theft, underage drinking and over indulgence drinking. The petty theft on campus usually occurs when individuals fail to secure their property. Underage drinking is a major problem at ECU because our studies have shown that most violent crimes that take place here such as vandalism, assault, robbery and sexual assaults are associated with underage drinking and over-drinking.

TEC: What can happen to those who are caught drinking underage?

Major Knight: Underage drinkers are usually given a fine

be issued a state citation and have to appear in court. In the worst case, such as a fight, a student can be arrested and sent to the Pitt **County Detention Facility.**

TEC: What made you want to become a police officer?

Major Knight: Well it kind of happened by accident. I was in the military and there was a shortage of police officers so I got placed into the police career. I was a military police officer for 23 years and have been with the ECU police department for more than nine years. I loved my job in the military and wanted to continue to be a police officer in civilian life and fortunately I was hired by ECU.

TEC: What is it that you want students to know about ECU police officers?

Major Knight: I just want students to know that we are here to protect and serve. We are here to provide safety to residents in dorms and students on campus. Our primary concern is the welfare of the students. We have enforcement actions for those who violate the rules of the campus, city and state but mainly we are here to protect and serve the students of ECU.

Next time you see an officer, think about what they do for you.

workouts are followed by five sedentary days **Improve fitness** Strength Flexibility Endurance

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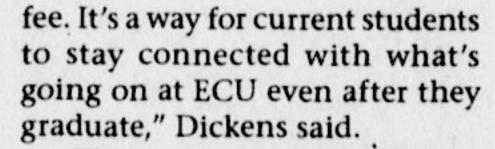
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Anne's Revenge.

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"The Friends of Joyner Library purchase things that the state doesn't. The new Java City in Joyner Library came from financial support from The Friends of Joyner Library. The group is mostly made up of alumni but students can join for a very small



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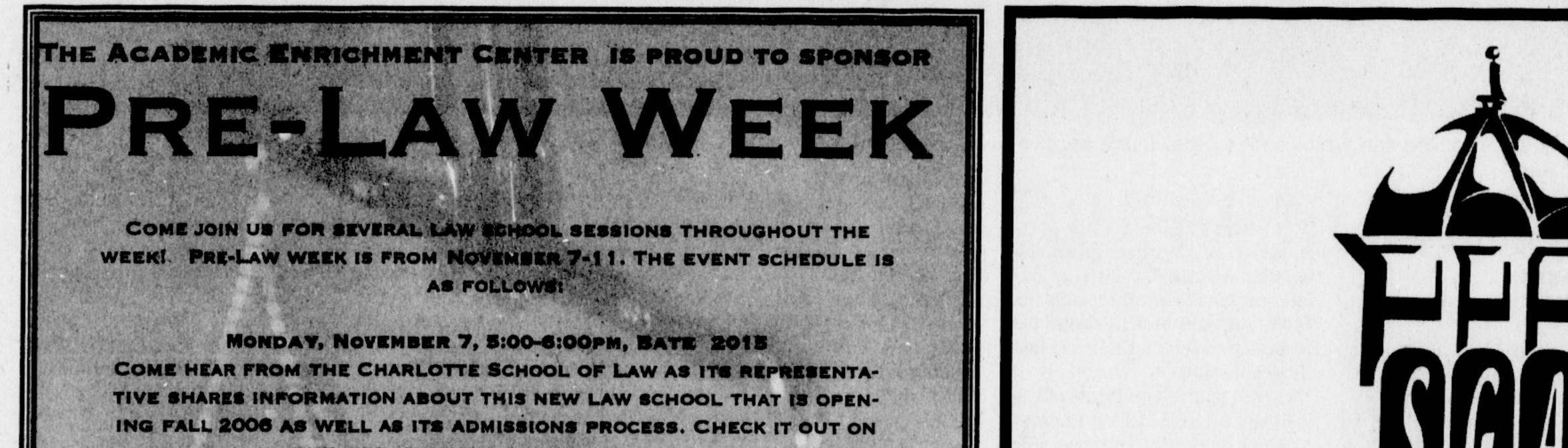
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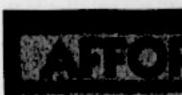
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Severe knee damage ends season for Culpepper

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The Minnesota Vikings season of problems took another downturn Monday when it was learned that the damage to quarterback Daunte Culpepper's right knee would knock him out for the season, and possibly longer. Vikings coach Mike Tice said at his afternoon news conference that the veteran quarterback has damage to a number of different areas in the right knee, including the anterior cruciate ligament, medial collateral ligament and posterior cruciate ligament. The damage was discovered in an MRI on Monday morning. Tice said Culpepper faced a long rehabilitation but that the injury wasn't career-ending.

Autopsy reveals heart problems for Collier





James Pinkney is sacked and fumbles the football in the second quarter of Saturday afternoon's game against Central Florida.

Fumbles, interceptions lead to costly C-USA loss

ERIC GILMORE SENIOR WRITER

Tears dripped and heads hung low as ECU gimped off the field for their second consecutive loss. Massive men were humbled as excitement withered away only to be replaced by an eerie still-

ness.

Central Florida (5-3, 4-1) ebration winning 30-20 in a Conference USA divisional match-up. ECU's miscues and mistakes led to six turnovers, which resulted in 17 UCF points.

Once again, the Pirates (3-5, 2-3) were close. Close enough to smell the win, but not able to corral the victory. 'What-ifs'

rained in the post game press ECU's five losses.

"I don't know what to say, I'm frustrated," said first-year Head Coach Skip Holtz.

"I'm not mad at [the players]. My heart just breaks for them. We just keep making the mistakes that get you beat."

On 2nd-and-3 at UCF's 17,

Brandon Fractious became the conference. 'If only' was the culprit of ECU's turnover plague. ruined ECU's homecoming cel- jargon again, used in each of Down 24-20, Fractious was fighting off an incoming UCF tackler when the ball struck offensive guard Matt Butler's helmet and jolted loose.

> "That fourth quarter drive, I fumbled the rock," said a tearyeyed Fractious.

"I just told myself to squeeze the ball. I squeezed it and the

next you know, it came out."

Fractious earned 107 yards on 10 carries, both career-highs. The junior college transfer gained 96 yards and two touchdowns in the second-half alone. However, Fractious has been fighting fumbling problems as Johnson's backup since he coughed up the ball against USM.

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ECU ice hockey team clubs Radford

Huge crowd watches first-ever home game **ERIC GILMORE** SENIOR WRITER

ECU president and first-string goalie Brent Falcon imagined bringing hockey to Greenville over a year ago. What the elder Falçon didn't imagine was that his twin younger brothers would have the biggest impact when the day finally arrived. Tyler Falcon scored twice, both times assisted from his twin, Ian Falcon. ECU (3-1) used the Falcon trio to sweep Radford (Q-3) for their first-ever home wins. ECU held on late for a 4-3 victory on Friday night in front of an estimated crowd of 300.

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Investigators suspect Atlanta Hawks center Jason Collier died of a heart problem and will announce their findings Tuesday. The 28-year-old player died Oct. 15 after he had trouble breathing in his Georgia home. The autopsy was conducted by the Georgia Bureau of Investigation. GBI spokesman John Bankhead says the office performs all Forsyth County autopsies, and Bankhead said this autopsy showed the cause of death to be "heart-related." The corner's office announced a news conference for Tuesday. Coroner Lauren McDonald III said his office pulled Collier's medical records from the Houston Rockets and Atlanta Hawks. The Hawks are wearing permanent black shoulder patches on their uniforms to honor the 7-footer, who was a part-time starter the last two seasons for Atlanta after three years in Houston. He began his college career at Indiana before transferring to Georgia Tech. The Hawks will leave Collier's uniform in his locker through the season.



Ian Falcon celebrates with brother Tyler Falcon and teammate John Koritz after ECU's first goal Friday night.

"I was very proud the culmination of the past year's worth of work," said Brent Falcon.

"I don't think I could have written it up any better than the way it turned out on Friday night."

The board-to-board crowd ignited the team despite their 9:30 p.m. face-off. Neither team scored in the first period. After Tyler Falcon's first goal, forward Mike Ormsbee notched a powerplay goal less than two minutes later.

The Highlanders sandwiched scores between the third-period 11-1-05

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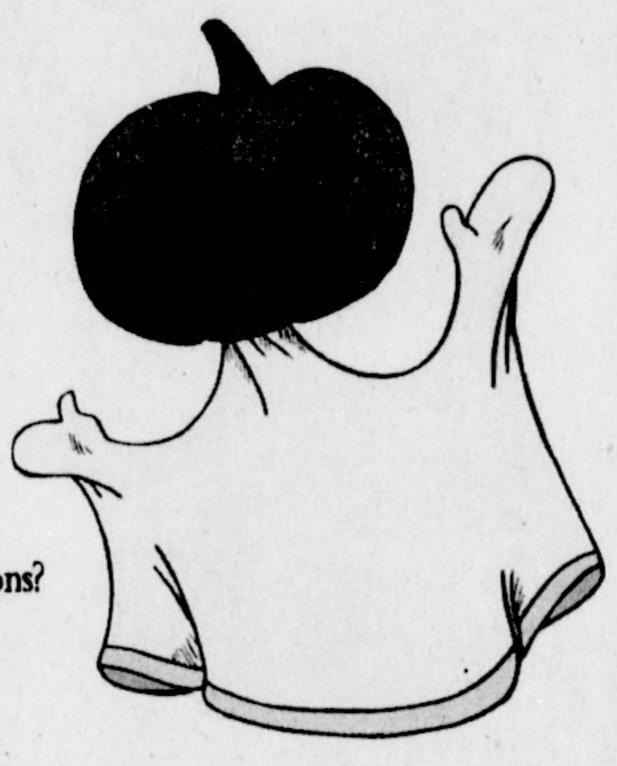
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Team remains winless for the season

RON CLEMENTS STAFF WRITER

For the ECU men's soccer team, Sunday was another disappointing day as the Pirates dropped their 13th game of the season, losing to Tulsa 4-2. Even more disappointing for the five seniors on the team was that it was their final home game in a season where the Pirates (0-13-1, 0-7-0 Conference USA) have yet to taste victory.

"It's been real disappointing," said senior Matt Kowaleski, who shares the team lead in goals with six.

"We've just had an unlucky year."

Kowaleski, Sean Harris, Shinn Takagi, David Rowe and Ryan

the lower left corner of the net.

It was Simon's sixth goal of the

year and the Pirates held an early

at home.

lead, something they have not been accustomed to this year. The attitude at the half was one of confidence.

"Everybody was really pumped like we might be able to pull this game out," Takagi said, "but I think everybody just got tired."

Tulsa (5-6-6, 2-4-3) responded quickly as Daniel Wasson headed a ball to Matt Wiley, who then headed it past ECU keeper Zachery Roszel to tie the game at 1-1 less than a minute later.

The Pirates regained the lead before the half when Kowaleski netted his sixth goal of the season off a free kick from Danny Lundquist.

The second half was all Tulsa as the Golden Hurricane netted three unanswered goals. Kyle Brown got the scoring started 10 minutes into the half, picking up his own rebound. Nine min-Bostian closed out their careers utes later, Wiley found the net Things started well for the again, fortuitously, off a Pirates, who scored first 22 minblocked free kick. Jonathan utes in, when Zach Matthews hit Lange capped the scoring Calvin Simon, whose shot found late in the game, with an assist from Eric Burkholder.

the Pirates this season, and conditioning may be part of the problem.

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"I don't know if we get tired or what," Kowaleski said of the second half, "but we just seem to give it away."

Takagi said the key to strong finishes starts before the season begins.

"We need more conditioning in the preseason," the native Japanese player said.

"Our conditioning was pretty bad."

In just his fourth start of the season, Roszel recorded a seasonhigh 14 saves on 19 shots. Roszel was filling in for normal starter Chris Hicks, who is out with a lacerated thumb.

The Pirates will search for that elusive win this weekend when they travel to Florida for their final two matches of the



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share of the 2005 C-USA regular season women's soccer championship on Sunday by picking up

The second halves of games have not been a strong suit for season against UCF and Florida International, both make-up games from Hurricane Wilma.

"We just need to have fun and get a win on the board," said Kowaleski.

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Lady Pirates earn No. 7 seed in C-USA tournament

SID — The ECU women's soccer team earned its fourth Conference USA Tournament berth in five years Saturday afternoon after defeating Marshal 1-0 in double-overtime. Head Coach Rob Donnenwirth and his squad will square-off against No. 2 seed SMU on Wednesday, Nov. 2 at 6 p.m. at the Rice Track/Soccer Stadium.

The Pirates (8-11-0, 4-5-0) loss to SMU (Oct. 23) on Senior Day at Bunting Field 2-0 to close out the home portion of the schedule. In four C-USA Tournament matches, the Pirates are 1-3 all-time recording their lone win in 2002 after defeating Houston (2-1) to advance to the semi-finals.

UCF and SMU both secured a

C-USA Women's Soccer Tournament by winning a tie-breaker between the schools. SMU will be the No. 2 seed, while the championship host Rice will be the third seed in the eight-team draw which is set to begin on Wednesday, Nov. 2.

The remaining seeds are as follows: UTEP is No. 4, Memphis is No. 5, UAB is No. 6, ECU is No. 7 and Houston is No. 8. Top-seeded UCF will face No. 8 Houston in the tournament's opening game at Noon (CT) on Wednesday. No. 4 UTEP will face No. 5 Memphis at 2:30 p.m. to conclude the afternoon matchups. The evening games on Wednesday feature No. 2 SMU vs. No. 7 ECU at 5 p.m., to be followed by home-standing No. 3 Rice and the reigning C-USA Tournament champions, No. 6

seeded common opponent in the regular season, this past Friday, Oct. 28. The Owls defeated SMU 2-1 in double-overtime on Oct. 9. UTEP and Rice finished in a tie for third in the standings with 13 points each, but the Owls took a 3-1 decision from UTEP in a head-to-head match-up between the schools on Oct. 23 to earn the No. 3 seed.

The Pirates and Cougars clinched the final two spots in the tournament this weekend to set the field of eight. ECU had to use a 1-0 double-overtime victory at Marshall on Saturday to make the field, while Houston registered the one point it needed on Friday in a 1-1 tie with Southern Miss. The Pirates, the Cougars and Tulsa each finished the regular season with eight points, but the Golden Hurricane was the odd team out after going 0-2 in the regular season with losses against ECU and Houston. The Pirates earned the No. 7 seed by defeating Houston in the regular season on Oct. 21.

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2-1 victories over Houston and Memphis, respectively. Both squads finished the conference schedule with identical 8-1 records and 16 points. UCF earns the top seed in the upcoming

UAB at 7:30 p.m.

Since the top two seeds did not meet in the regular season, UCF earned the No. 1 seed because of a 3-0 victory over Rice, the two schools' highest-

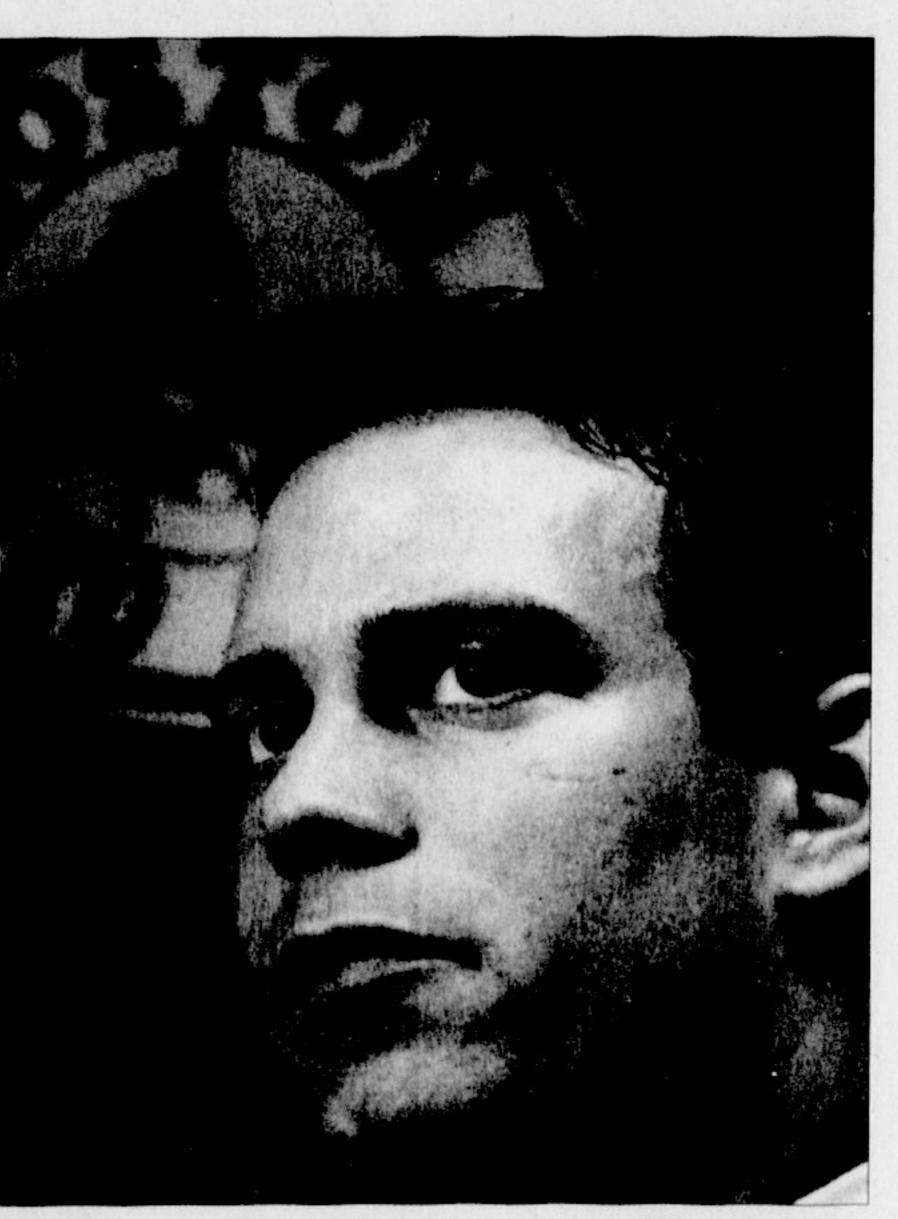
Epstein resigns, walks away from Red Sox

(AP) - Red Sox general manager Theo Epstein resigned Monday, surprising Boston and the baseball world just one year after he helped build the franchise's first World Series championship team since 1918.

The team said in a statement that Epstein will continue working for several days to assist in the transition and prepare for the offseason.

The Boston Herald, which first reported the news on its web site, said the Yale graduate has told associates that he may leave baseball, or at least take a year off.

The Dodgers, Phillies and Devil Rays have GM openings, but none has a \$120 million payroll to match the one Epstein was given in Boston.







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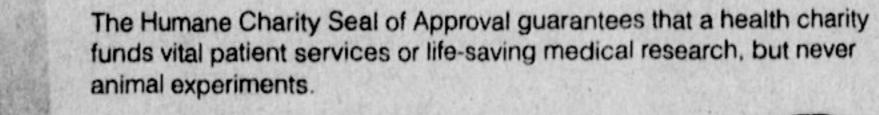
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The 31-year-old Epstein was reportedly offered about \$4.5 million for a three-year extension quadruple his previous salary. But it was still short of the \$2.5 million a year the Red Sox offered Oakland's Billy Beane in 2002 before making Epstein the youngest GM in baseball & history.

Although Epstein and team president Larry Lucchino haggled over the usual issues of salary and authority, the Herald said Epstein went through "agonizing soul-searching" about his relationship with his mentor. The Herald said a Sunday newspaper column contained inside information about their relationship, "slanted too much in Lucchino's favor," and convinced Epstein there had been a breach of trust.

Epstein grew up blocks away from Fenway Park and worked for Lucchino with the Baltimore Orioles and San Diego Padres. A lifelong Red Sox fan, Epstein was brought to Boston to be the assistant GM and promoted to his dream job in 2002, about five weeks before his 29th birthday.

Boston Red Sox general manager Theo Epstein resigned Monday, Oct. 31.

A devotee of statistical analysis who values his scouts as well, Epstein's tenure has been marked by bold adventures that often conflicted with baseball orthodoxy:

He signed first baseman Kevin Millar, despite an unspoken agreement not to poach from off. Japanese clubs.

He went without a traditional closer in his first year, with disastrous results.

He tried to trade for reigning MVP Alex Rodriguez a deal that would have meant shipping out Manny Ramirez and Nomar Garciaparra and then, without remorse, pulled the plug when the deal became too expensive.

He ate Thanksgiving dinner with Curt Schilling in a college

football-style recruiting trip that lured the right-handed ace to Boston.

He traded Garciaparra, the face of the franchise, for the parts he needed to complete the World Series puzzle.

But the efforts have paid

The Red Sox reached the AL championship series in 2003 before the lack of a closer doomed Grady Little in Game 7 at Yankee Stadium. The next year, with a new manager and the closer it had lacked, the ballclub won its first World Series in 86 years.

Boston reached the postseason for a third consecutive year this season before getting swept by the Chicago White Sox in the first round.



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"I thought he competed hard," Holtz said.

"I told him, every time I see you put the ball on the ground, I lose a little more confidence that you're going to hold onto it.' If everyday, you put the ball on the ground - you're not going to play. I don't care who you are."

"We go through drills at practice all the time," Fractious said.

"We're always focusing on holding the ball when you're running. It's a constant thing we're doing every, every day. It's disappointing when do you something everyday in practice and you just go out there and let everyone down."

Fractious and true freshman Dominque Lindsay spearheaded an otherwise stagnant rushing game in the second-half. As a team, ECU gained a season-high 272 yards on the ground. Lindsay finished with 11 carries for 73 yards including a 32-yarder.

Francis to recover the ball inside ECU's 1-yard line.

"I made a careless mistake and I let my team down," said Williams.

"I really didn't get square and it rubbed off on my shoulder pad. I'm still frustrated about it."

"We've got to stay the course," Holtz said.

"We've got to keep teaching and teaching and teaching. It's frustrating we keep making these mistakes that are going to lose football games. Everybody has a job to do. Do your job. It's not all about Travis ... it's about this football team."

UCF running back Jason Peters scored the first of his two rushing touchdowns immediately after Williams' fumble on a 1-yard scamper. James Pinkney's second interception led to a Matt Prater 26-yard field goal to extend UCF's second-quarter led to 10-0.

Down 17-3, ECU ran off 17 consecutive points capped off with Fractious' second touchdown run, a 7-yard dash with 12:16 remaining in the fourth quarter.

Similar to last week's game against Memphis, the Pirate defense allowed a touchdown to reverse the game's momentum. Mike Walker beat Kasey Ross and Zach Baker on a 38-yard post route from Steven Moffett. After the Fractious fumble and Pinkney's third interception, Moffett again found Walker in the end zone- this time on a 31yard play-action hookup.

"UCF was a great team, but we're also a great team," Fractious said. "We work just as hard as any football team in the nation. It's just real disappointing ... we're so close."

"Of course, it hurts," said Chris Moore about the loss. "We got to win these next three games



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With no score due to an ECU goal-line stand, Travis Williams attempted to field a punt at his own 3-yard line. The sensational punt returner as a freshman muffed the punt allowing Curtis

On 3rd-and-1, Peters broke off a 67-yard touchdown run. The junior finished with 14 carries for 113 yards. UCF gained 249 yards on the ground off of ECU's 115th ranked rushing defense.

to go to a bowl. I haven't been to 5 a bowl here yet. I'm willing to do whatever it takes."

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Skip Holtz speaks with his players on the sidelines during the game Saturday.

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intermission to even the score. After another Tyler Falcon goal, sophomore Corey Fleitz notched an insurance goal. Fleitz scored within two minutes of Falcon's second goal, this time with 11:44 remaining.

After a Highlander goal, ECU was forced to cling on amid a screaming crowd. Brent Falcon knocked away 26 third-period shots to seal the Blue Ridge Hockey Conference win.

"ECU fans in basically every sport are ruthless, but hockey fans are no different," Brent Falcon said.

"They let Radford have it. We were pretty confident that they weren't going to come to our home rink and leave with a win. We were determined that we were going to win our first ever home game."

ECU dominated Radford 10-2 in the Saturday matinee. The Pirates, fresh off Friday's win, scored the first seven goals to cruise to the easy win. ECU

and added three assists. Freshman Daniel Hopkins netted two goals and one assist.

"Not only were we finally playing ice hockey in Greenville, just to see how many showed up and were excited to be there," Brent Falcon said.

"It was great to see that many people get behind a relatively new sport to Greenville. I think we did convert a decent amount of fans. I think there's a couple more hockey fans walking around campus now than there were even a couple of weeks ago. The atmosphere was awesome."

ECU's two wins moved them to second in the Southwest Division standings of the Blue Ridge Hockey Conference. The Pirates' six points trail only Virginia Military by two. VMI has seven games remaining while ECU still has nine conference games left. Clemson and Appalachian State have two points and 11 games remaining.

The Pirates will travel to

(AP) - There's a buzz in Oklahoma City. The NBA is in town.

The Hornets, forced out of New Orleans by Hurricane Katrina, will face Sacramento on Tuesday night, the first of 35 regular-season games at the Ford Center.

"I think it's going to be wild and crazy," Hornets coach Byron Scott said Monday. "It's going to be fun. It's going to be a great atmosphere."

Forward P.J. Brown, entering his 13th NBA season and his sixth with the Hornets, is the only player left from the team's move from Charlotte to New Orleans in 2002.

"It's going to be a new city, kind of like a grand opening," **** Brown said. "There's going to be a lot of excitement. It's going to be a festive-type atmosphere, and the fans are going to be going wild the first night.

"I expect it to be a lot like it was back home on opening night three years ago." The Hornets have planned a "BuzzFest" street party with live music and the NBA's interactive Jam Van. Artis Gilmore and Bill Walton will sign autographs, and former Oklahoma standout and NBA All-Star Wayman Tisdale will sing the national anthem. The NBA released extra seats that it had on hold, and less than 1,000 are available in the 19,163seat arena. Fans will be given a limited edition T-shirt available only to those in attendance, and



Jamal Maglore sits down during one of the Hornets' practices this week.

a commemorative program will be on sale.

"I'm anxious to see what the atmosphere's going to be like," said point guard Chris Paul, the Hornets' No. 1 draft pick. "It was pretty wild for the preseason games, but I'm sure they were saving some things for the opening night. I have no clue what it's going to be like. I just can't wait." The Hornets, 18-64 last season, had been scheduled to start their season Wednesday night at Cleveland, but the NBA moved the team's home opener against Sacramento up to Tuesday night, where it joins three games featuring the league's marquee

players and teams. The Hornets' opener won't be televised nationally, but TNT is planning live look-ins.

In two preseason games in Oklahoma City, the Hornets

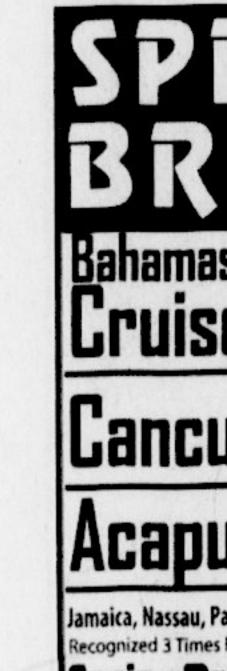
lowest-scoring team with only 88.4 points per game. But that hasn't mattered to fans in Oklahoma City who have been longing for a chance to prove their city is ready for a major-league

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outnumbered Radford 40-25 in shots taken.

"Radford came out flat and we took it to them from the beginning," the team president said.

"We got up early on them and kept the pressure on. We controlled the tempo in both games."

Senior forward John Leonard notched three goals and one assist. Forward Mike Ormsbee knocked home a power-play goal

Chesapeake, Va. to take on Old Dominion on Nov. 4. ECU will play the very next day (Nov. 5) in Newport News, Va. against William & Mary. Both are conference match-ups.

Further information can be found on their Web site at ecuicehockey.com.

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averaged more than 14,750 fans and overcame 20-point first-half deficits in both games - one a win and one a four-point loss.

"We want to establish some type of a home-court advantage," Scott said. "We've got a great crowd, so we've got to bring an energy and a physicality to the game that we haven't been bringing, and all our guys know that right now."

The Hornets opened last season 2-29 and were the NBA's

franchise.

Out at restaurants, fans recognize players, acknowledge them and say, "Welcome," Paul said, and that goes a long way.

"We're in a new city away from home," Paul said, "but the more people embrace us the more we feel at home."

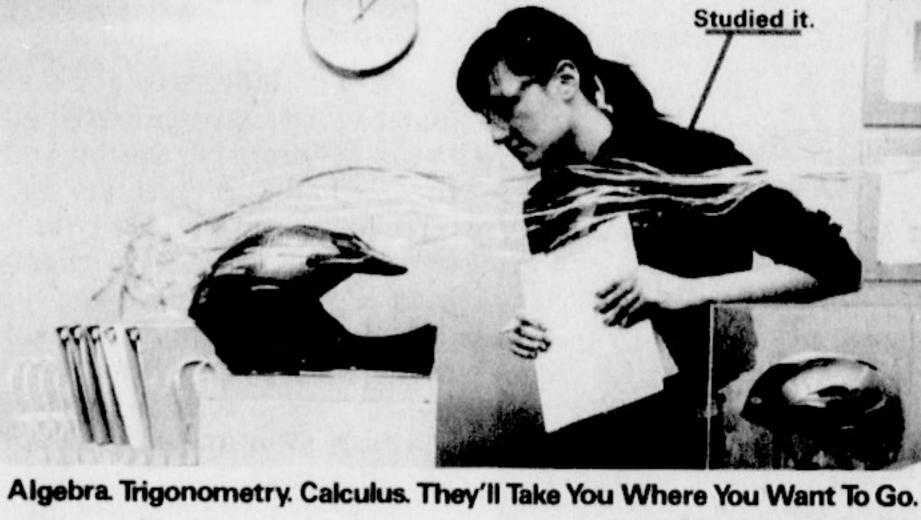
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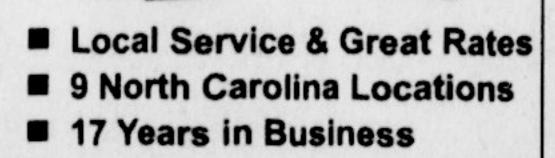
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GREEK PERSONALS

Congratulations to Katie and April for being Kappa Delta's sisters of the week! We love you!

The sisters of Delta Zeta wanted to congratulate Kenzie Hood on her Homecoming Court nomination Good Luck, we love you!

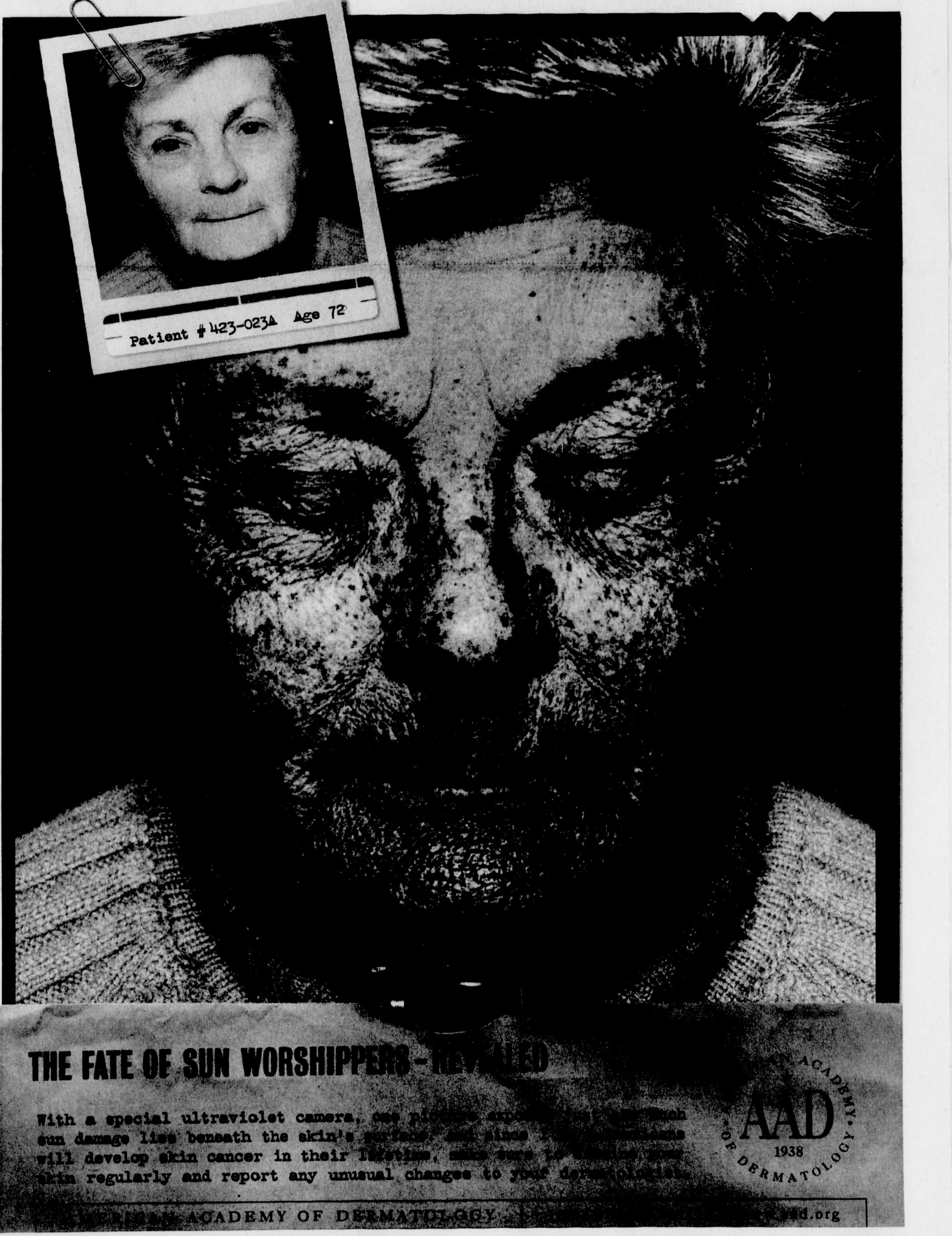
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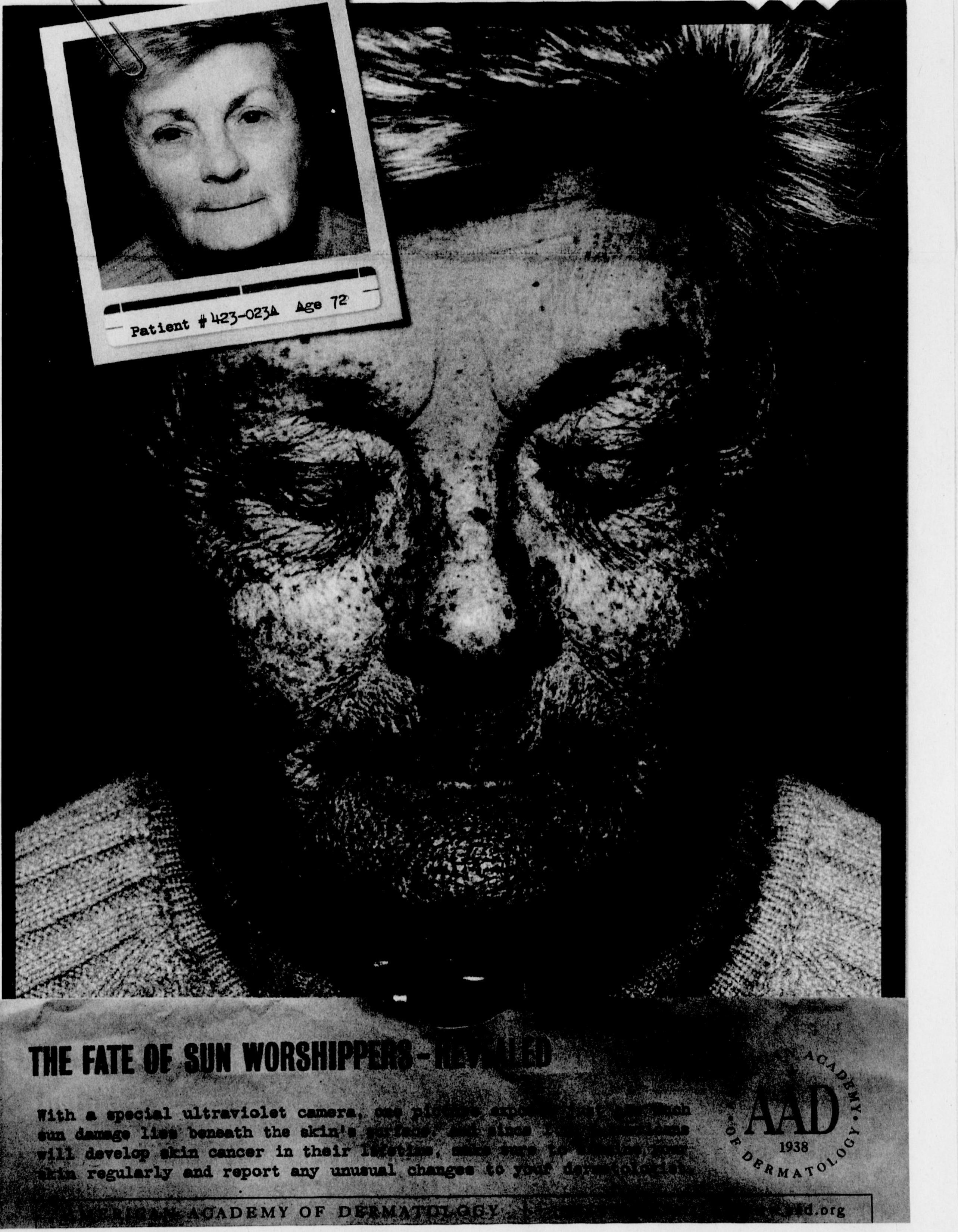
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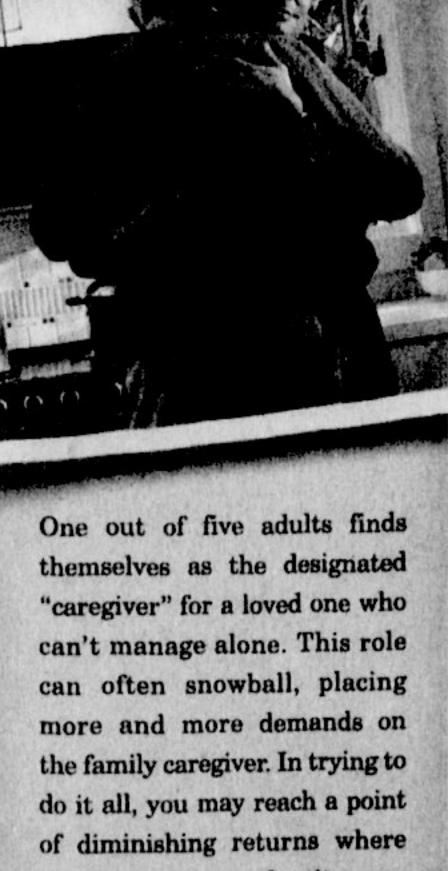
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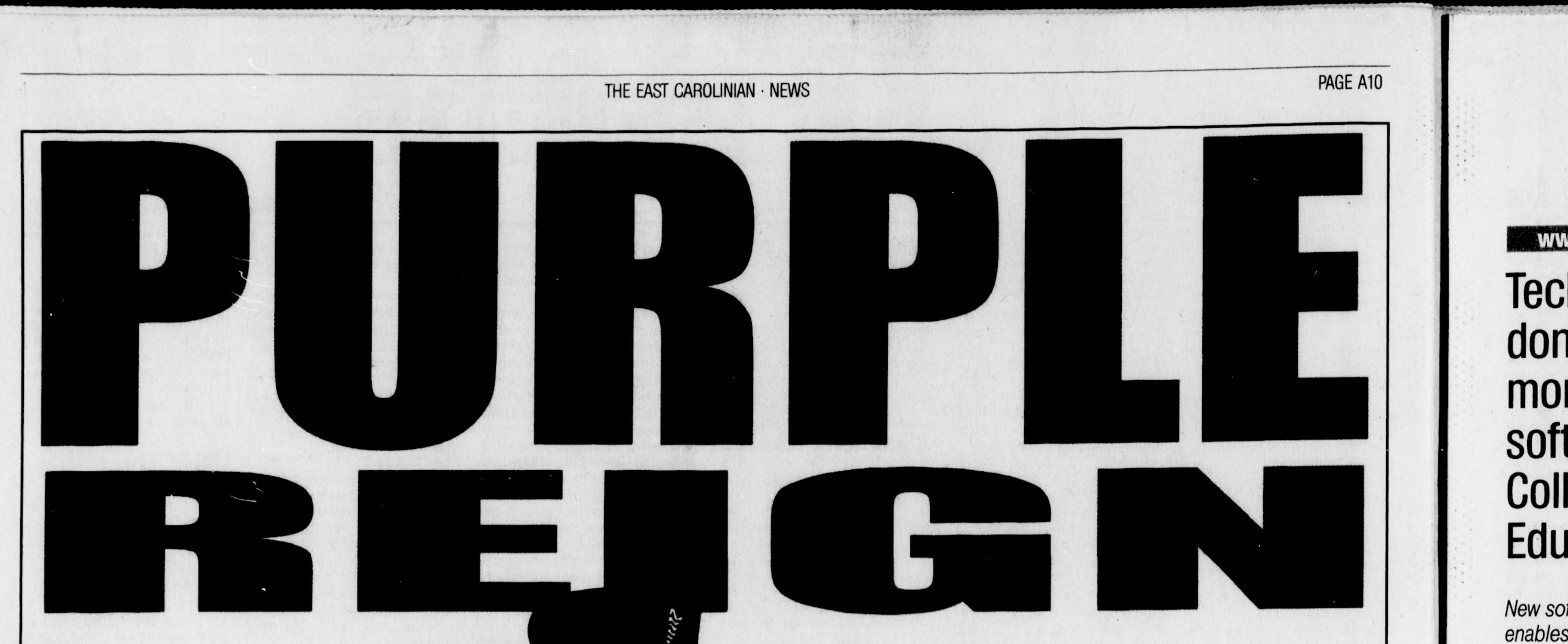
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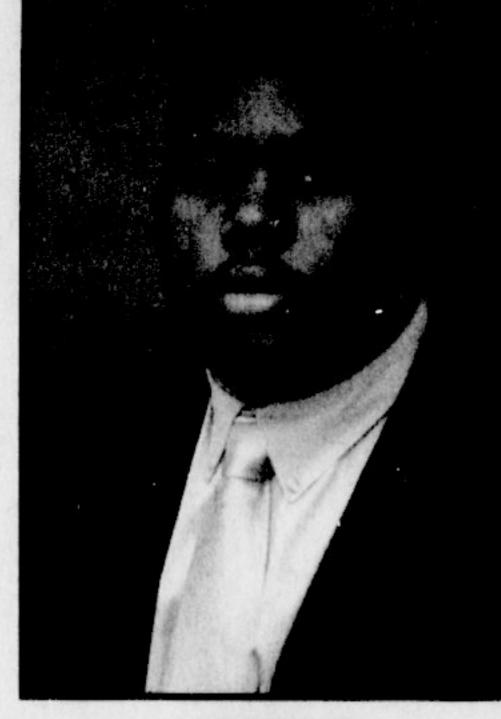


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BANNER COMPETITION

- 1st Baptist Student Union
 - 2nd Healthy Pirates
- 3rd Epsilon Sigma Alpha

FLOAT COMPETITION

- 1st ECU Cheerleaders
- 2nd NC Teaching Fellows 3rd - Student Union

Thank you to all Student Organizations for your participation in Homecoming 2005! Together we collected 10,700 food items that were donated to the Salvation Army.