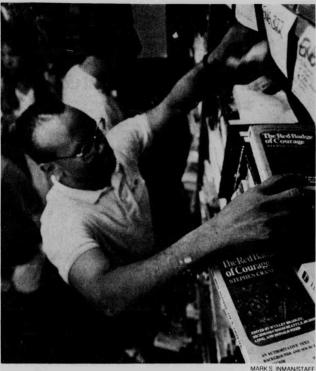
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Badgered employee

David Torin, an employee of D.J.'s Bookstore on Hillsborough Street, restacks Stephen Crane's Civil War classic on shelves recently attacked by regiments of knowledge-hungry students.

STATE UNIVES Money Card problems

Harris Hall crowded as cards malfunction

By Suzanne Perez

N.C. State students continued to crowd Harris Hall Wednesday in hopes of correcting their malfuntioning Money Cards, but University Dining officials said they do not expect problems to last much longer.

Arthur White, director of University Dining, said unusually long lines stemmed from the onslaught of students returning to school and wanting to open Money Card accounts.

"With 24,000 students coming back to campus and waiting until the last minute to open new accounts, we've been backed up quite a bit," White said. "Considering the large number of students we're having to deal with, the pro "am has been running quite smoothly,"

White said lines at the Harris Hall offices have decreased significantly during the pass week. "It seems

smoothly."

White said lines at the Harris Hall offices have decreased significantly during the past week. "It seems that students wanted to get their accounts straight right away," he said. "Most of the students coming to our

offices now are trying to correct problems with their cards."

Students who received a "not authorized" or "lost card" reply from card-readers at campus dining locations may need to bring their cards to Harris Hall to correct the problem, said Zeph Putnam, assistant director of University Dining.

The most frequent problem occurs when a card is placed near a magnetized device such as a stereo or typewriter, Putnam said. Magnets affect the encoding stripe on the back of the card, resulting in an error when the card is read, he said.

If a University Dining employee erroneously enters a student's account number into the computer, it may also result in a "mot authorized" reading. Putnam said. "Since the computerized system looks for a one-to-one match to the student's account number, punching in one wrong number may mess up the whole thing."

Because so many students are experiencing problems

Meal prices increase

Visitors to the University Dining Hall will pay 25 cents more for a meal this year. The new prices, in the 'all-you-can-eat' style cafeteria, are \$2.75 for breakfast, \$3.50 for lunch and \$4.50 for dinner.

Art White, a director of the University Dining program, said that eash-paying customers should pay more for a meal now since the cost of meal plans, which freshmen must purchase, have increased three or four percent this year. Few restaurants offer all-you-can-eat meals for prices that low. White said.

Students who go down to the Commons in the Student Center, may notice that few of the prices have increased, White said. "These

prices will remain in effect through-out the year, unless something drastic happens."
University Drining alone made the decision to increase eash prices, but a faculty senate committee and a student government committee re-viewed the proposal to increase the meal plan prices. White said.
University Drining is a self-supporting university department, and it does not receive money for expenses from the university. "We are a non profit program, but we do have to make enough money to replace equipment, and to build new services." White said.
Renovating the Annex Atrium in the library cost \$600,000, and some of the snack bars — especially those in older buildings — need renova-tion, White said.

Keeping the dining areas fully staffed can be a problem, especially at the beginning of the year, but that should not affect the speed or quality of service. "Lines are not bad at the dining hall, and students only have to wait a couple minutes in line there. If we do have a problem, it ususally comes back to labor, it's very difficult to staff completely." "The first week is the toughest, because we depend upon student labor. That's when we're trying to get employees, and trying to operate at the same time... We run anywhere from 300 to 600 part time employees. We have approximately 150 full time workers, "he said.

Students are doing all jobs related to food preparation and service."

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Political science, history courses to be broadcast on Cablevision

By Hunter George II

N.C. State students who subscibe to Cablevision of Raleigh can take two courses for credit this fall in the comfort of their own homes.

The program, Credit via Cable, is run by the Division for Lifelong Education and is available on public access channel 10.

Registered students watch classes on television, mail completed assignments to the instructors, and take final exams on the NCSU campus.

The classes to be broadcast this fall are Political Science 201, taught by Abraham Holtzman 5:45 to 7 p.m. on Mondays and Wednesdays through Dec. 2, and U.S. History 244, taught by Joseph Hobbs 5:45 to 7 p.m. on Tuesdays and Thursdays through Dec. 3.

Students interested in receiving credit for a televised

p.m. on Tuesdays and Thursdays unough Students interested in receiving credit for a televised course must register with the Division for Lifelong Education and pay tuition of \$175.

"We think it's a great move on the part of the university," said Curtis Fitzgerald, assistant head of the philosophy and religion department. "It's a public service."

service."

The program started in the spring, with a criminology course taught by Elizabeth Suval and an American literature course taught by Sidney Knowles.

Suval said the most important aspect of the program is that anyone with cable can watch the classes.

"Some of the faculty here at State (and) some of my old students said they saw the classes," she said. "I know people who went out and bought the texts just because they enjoyed the shows. No credit was involved. They just watched and enjoyed."

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audiences:

Students in the university classrooms who want to review or make up classes.

Non-registered viewers who want exposure to the information without receiving credit.

"Some of the humanities and social sciences are used as basic courses that fill requirements for other schools," Suval said.

for credit.

"It's an exciting opportunity," Suval said. "People in the city of Raleigh can watch for enlightenment, enrichment, entertainment whatever."

Several liberal arts courses will be offered each semester.

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said. "That can be done in class. But the viewers cannot be involved in the discussion, a meaningful part of the education process."

Suval said the cable program will never replace traditional systems of teaching.

"In the formal educational sense, I have a preference for the lee, are system," she said. "We need the discipline of class attendance."

Holtzman and Suval said students in the classroom often feel intimidated by the cameras. "Students might be a little more hesitant about expressing problems because they're on television," Holtzman said.

Fitzgerald said after a few classes, the students and faculty get over their inhibitions.

The program is a cooperative effort by the Division for Lifelong Education, the School of Humanines and Social Sciences, the School of Textiles and the School of Engineering.

Social Sciences, the Scinon of Raleight, Engineering. "We're very appreciative to (Cablevision of Raleight," Fitzgerald said. "They've been extremely generous in terms of studio time."

Senators face pressures of government, academia

By Stephanie Porter

StaffWriter

Student Body President Kevin Howell is looking foward to a productive year for the student senate.

Howell welcomed senators and government officers to the year's first student senate meeting Wednesday and said many projects are in the works.

Howell said he is concerned that student government has only "one year to get things pushed through on this campus."

Despite the limited time available for numerous senate undertakings, Howell stressed that the senators will focus on academic concerns first. Senators should "pay attention in classrooms so that they can have success academically," he said.

A leadership retreat offering sem-

Correction

Part of the ticket distribution system for block seating was incorrectly reported in Wednesday's Technican. The rule should have read Tickets will be distributed on a trist come, first serve basis at the inside coliscum ticket window on the first day of distribution, from 8:30 a.m. to noon. The group leader must pick up his group's tickets between those hours the following day.

inars on parliamentary procedure is scheduled for the weekend of September 11. Howell said the retreat "will help us to learn what our role as student leaders will require us to do."

Bob Sutton was appointed chairman of the elections committee during the meeting.

Sutton said problems are expected in the upcoming elections because of AllCampus cards, but a new procedure for manning election polls should solve the problems.

Students' schools and classifications are listed on registration cards, but not on the AllCampus cards, but not on the AllCampus cards. Because registration cards were not distributed this year, voters will be able to vote only at polls for their schools. Students manning the polls will be given registration printouts and will check off voters' names as they cast their ballots. This will prevent students from voting twice. Sutton said.

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Sutton said he hopes to establish a poll that will be used by graduate and LifeLong education students. Even though "the track records show that neither the graduate students nor the LifeLong education students will have contested seats."

Sutton said he feels a poll is necessary.



Kevin Howell

died this summer in a job-

year, died this summer in related accident.
Allen said "the scholarship will be awarded each year to the most outstanding judical board member,"
In other business, Allen said the judicial board is looking for freshmen and graduate students to fill nine empty seats.

nine empty seats.
Student Body Treasurer Derek
Tyson introduced a new financial
packet that provides information on
the 1987-88 Student government

Suggestions for dorm fare

It's a widely accepted thought that people who live in dorms don't eat well.

You have to either walk all the way to the dining hall from someplace like Syme, or sit in your room and feast on peanut butter and jelly crackers.

It doesn't have to be that way. There are plenty of things you can do right in your own dorm room to keep from deadening your taste buds.

First, you have to be willing to take a few risks. Not everything you need to make a good dorm feast is exactly, shall we say, legal.

Microwaves. Certain popcorn poppers. Exposed elements. Amana Radaranges.

When I lived in Bragaw, my

Radaranges.
When I lived in Bragaw, my roommate and I made a deal with our resident advisor. He got all the leftovers.

our resident austor. The got am to leftovers. Most RAs will swear a microwave is a television set if you let them heat up a pizza every now and then. Do what you have to do. Just don't get caught. And for God's sake, don't set anything on firetion you need is a good hot pot. You probably got one for graduation. I got two.

got two.

The possibilities are endless for this amazing little invention. Coffee. Ice tea. Macaroni and cheese. Spaghetti. Any number of canned items you can pick up at Food Lion. Be creative.

Another good thing to have is a

Be creative.

Another good thing to have is a Mr. Coffee or some similar coffee maker. I have it on good

Tim Peeler

ONE BRICK SHY

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authority that you can make tasty
macaroni and cheese, nachos, or
instant soup with one of these. Don't
try oatmeal cookies, though All
you'll get is a mess.
The only problem with a
coffee maker is that sometimes a
cockroach falls down in the water
tank and wims around. It might
really gross out your roommate, but
the operable chiech here is "What he
doesn't know won't hurt him."
If you can gain access to an
electric frying pan, you can add an
array of protein, in addition to all
that peanut butter, to your diet.
You can cock hamburgers, make
spaghetti sauce, fry up a couple of
steaks, some pork chops or a whole
chicken. Again, be creative.
In our room, the "kitchen"
consisted mainly of a toaster oven,
my roommates' shavorite graduation
gift.
We usually used it for toast, one

gift.

We usually used it for toast, one
of our dictary staples. But we also
made some great baked potatoes,
even though it took almost two
hours for one of those suckers to get
one. TV dimers will fit, somewhat
snuggly, in most toaster ovens.
And, being good single people, we
are more than our share of

Swansons. The only problem was we had to go in the suite bathroom to eat over a sink.

Our classic meal was fried chicken with the works corn, green beans, homemade bread, iced tea. And for dessert, doughnuts from Krispy Kreme, Well, you didn't expect us to make those too. did you?

There are a few problems with this system. One problem is having a limited supply of cooking appliances. It kind of takes the luster off a big meal when you have to wait 45 minutes between courses.

Another problem is the cleanup, It's kind of sick to have to wash.

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Friday Inside

Captain Kirk, Spock travel back to the 20th century to save Earth from a deadly alien. See movie review.

A student who originally wanted o be a swimmer for NCSU is now one of the ACC's best fencer. See story inside.

Sports page

Campus Briefs

Elections books open until Wednesday

Books for student government's fall elections are now open. Interested students can sign up in the student government offices on the fourth floor of the student center. They will close Wedneday, Sept 2. Senate seats are available for freshmen and graduate students. At large seats are also available. The meeting for interested candidates has been changed to Sent. 2 at 7 cm in 327 km.

large seats are also available.
The meeting for interested candidates has been changed to Sept. 2 at 7 p.m. in 307 Mann Hall. All senate candidates should attend.
The election schedule is as follows:
Primaries will be held Sept. 9 and 10.
Runoffs will be Sept. 16 and 17.
A second runoff will be held on Sept. 23 and 24 if necessary.
Nine seats on the judicial board are also available, including five seats for freshmen and four seats for graduate students.

Group wanted to study best-selling book

Sandy Kessler, associate professor of political science and administration, is organizing an interdisciplinary reading group to study and discuss Allan Bloom's current best seller. The Closing of the American Mill.

Bloom's book offers a highly provocative critique of contemporary American liberal arts education. The group will meet on alternate Sunday evenings, beginning Sept. 20. Persons interested in, or desiring more information about, the discussion group should contact Kessier at 737.2481 by Sept. 4.

Violinist NCSU's Musician-in-Residence

N.C. State's Musician-in-Residence for the 1987-88 academic year is violinist Ziao-Lu Li, from the Cleveland Conservatory. Li is from Shanghai, Peoples Republic of China. He served as soloist and leader of the chamber ensemble of the Shanghai Philharmonic. Li will perform four solo and chamber music recitals in Stewart Theater, perform with the Raleigh Civic Symphony and provide enrichment programs to the university. Li will be available by appointment through the Music Department. For more information regarding programs, lectures, and availability, contact him at 737-2981, Box 7311.

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Scholarships now taxed as income

The Tax Reform Act, as passed by the U.S. Congress in October 1986, requires the following:

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If services of an employment nature are not performed for the award, the university will not send any reporting form to the individual or the government. However, the recipient is responsible for reporting the award as income. Tuition remission is considered a non-service

award. If the recipient is a degree candidate, he/she will be able to reduce or offset the reportable amount by the amount expended for tuition, fees, books and course related equipment.

*If employment type services are performed for the award, all payments are considered wages to the recipient and must be paid and reported through the University Payroll System.

*Awards to non-resident aliens from United States sources will be reported as income through the

University Payroll System. If employment-type services are required, the awards will be subject to graduated income withholding. Otherwise 14 percent federal tax will be withheld on the amount in excess of tuition, fees, and an allowance for books. For many people, withholding may not be required based on tax treaties in effect with individual's home country.

•It is the responsibility of the recipient of a scholarship or fellowship award to retain copies of award letters and invoices for tuition, fees, books and course related equipment

report on hisher teneral income tax return.

The preceding information is presented to give sholarship/fellowship recipients a brief, general overview of potential individual income tax reporting requirements.

NCSU cannot act as a tax advisor for the individual recipients. Questions on individual tax situations should be directed to the individual's tax advisor of the Internal Revenue Service.

Space problems in dorm corrected soon

From Staff Reports
About two hundred students are living in temporary triple rooms, but a Housing and Residence Life official says the space problem will soon be solved.
Cynthia Bonner, director of Housing and Residence Life, said she thought most students living in triples would be out in the next two or three weeks.
"Once we I.D. where people have not shown up, we'll be able to fill the vacancies," she said.
The process began this week.
Almost 6,550 students preregistered for housing this year—about 200 over capacity in assignments, Bonner said. "Once we figure out who's not here. I feel that give or take a few, we'll be right at 100 percent occupancy."

Some students move to fraternity and sorrority houses, providing beds for the students now in triple rooms, she added.

Bonner said the over-occupancy was about the same as it was last year. "There are no students in hotels like there were the year befor last. We worked hard to avoid that situation."

She said she expects occur ancy to be at "full capacity" this semester.

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AllCampus continues to have problems

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with their cards, cashiers at all University Dining locations are accepting Money Card deposit receipts in lieu of cash, Putnam said.
Forms with the student's name and account number are sent to Harris Hall daily, and the money is manually deducted from the account.
White said students seem to be making large deposits into Money Card accounts this year. He said the increase, about 25 percent over past years, is largely due to the increased services of the Money Card system.
"Students are depositing more money into the cards so that they can buy books at the school store," White said.

said.
White and Putnam agreed that the transition from the traditional registration card to the new AllCampus card has been a smooth one.
"We're not totally happy because there are still some problems," Putnam said. "But overall, we're saitsfied with the way the system is working. It's been our best beginning of the year ever."
Putnam said students having problems with their AllCampus cards or their Money Card accounts should contact the University Dining staffat 217 Harris Hall.



Students try to straighten out Money Card problems at Harris Hall





in line at the Dining Hall. University Dining has in

Professors receive honors for engineering contributions

Three members of the mechanical and aerospace engineering faculty have received 1987 Outstanding Extension Service Awards presented by the N.C. State School of Engineering for their contributions to engineering extension education and applied research.

The recipients of the awards, sponsored by Fairchild Industries Inc., are Mohammed M. Fikry, administrator of the Videobased Engineering Education (VBEE) Program in the school's Engineering Extention Education Division; and Michael D. Bryant and John H. Hebrank, co-directors of the mechanical engineering senior design course, in which the students tackle actual projects from industry in cooperation with the school's Industrial Extension Service.

The annual awards recognizementorious performance by engineering extension specialists and faculty and significant activities in meeting extension and public service objectives of the school and the university.

Fikry was cited primarily "for his successful efforts in building the videobased engineering education program into a viable program for engineers and scientists for continuing their engineering education white remaining fully employed."

Fikry counsels students from industry regarding their course needs and administrative requirements and encourages them to obtain a master's degree in engineering from NCSU through the video-based program.

NCSU through the videobased program. Bryant and Hebrank were cited for their efforts "in restructuring the mechanical engineering senior design course to include projects sponsores; by industrial firms that provide significant benefits to industry and an educational experience for seniors."

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University Dining increases 1987 cafeteria food prices

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There are students operating computers, helping with purchasing serving, cooking and running cash registers. "We have a student management leadership program, in which we have approximately 14 students who are working with the leadership program here in the Student Center and employed by University Dining as managers on a part-time basis."

Since last spring, students have had the opportunity to submit their opinion of University Dining's food quality and service on a bulletin board located in the Student Center. Near the Commons' dining line, a diner wrote that the quality and variety of food here was not as good as at Piccadilly, a local caleteria.

White disagreed. He said, "We buy grade A quality in all of our products. When we buy meat, we always buy choice....It is graded and inspected, graded by the USDA. The grades go prime, choice, cut, all the way down."

"The sooner you can get your food served to you after it has been cooked, the fresher and better the product is... we're working on programs to increase that kind of quality control."

University Dining chef, David Rittenhouse, has begun a new training program for University Dining personnel with the intention of producing more accredited University Dining personnel with the intention of producing more accredited University Dining chefs, White said, "Sepole don't go to the K&W five nights a week, and a lot of our students eat here five nights a week. If they are at the K&W, they would see that their menu doesn't have a lot of variety."
"You see us every day, Our customers are the same customers. We don't get you once a year, or once whatever You see us at our best, and see us at our worst."
In adultion to slightly higher food costs this year, students also need to be aware of the cost of replacing AllCampus cards. University Dining charges \$15 to replace lost cards. The fee helps deer students from asking for new cards frequently. White said.

Freshmen must keep their meal card plan, but others may terminate the agreement in the first two weeks, of school. After two weeks, a termination fee of up to \$50 is charged.

White said the termination fee is necessary because "we've counting on that money (in the budget)."

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This time, IJ'S PERSONAL

General Johnson, lead singer of the popular beach music band Chairman of the Board, pours emotion his performance at the First Annual Triangle Balloon Classic in Garner last Sunday.

Concern raised over complex's maintenance

Staft Writer
E.S. King Village, a low-cost alternative to apartment living for married N.C. State students, offers many advantages for student families, but problems still exist.
While there is usually a watung list for residents, Student Family Housing Director Ib. Panee said there are some vacancies.

list for residents, Student Family Housing Director Ib Panee said there are some vacancies.
Chainarong Ratamacharoensuri, assistant student family housing director for the 300 unit complex, said the community's residents get their money's worth.
"We try to keep rent low and I feel that these are appropriate facilities for the money." Ratamacharoensurisad.
For an efficiency apartment, including water and gas, King Village tenants pay \$210 a month. Rent for one and two bedroom apartments, not including gas bills, are \$202 a month and \$224 a month. respectively.

Certain restrictions dictate which apartment the students and their families may move into. In order to get into an efficiency apartment, a family may not have more than one-child. Only two children are permitted in a one bedroom apartment, and families with no more Dorm fare ideas.

Dorm fare ideas

Continued from page 1 your spoons and forts in the same sink your suitemate just used to wash his underwear. But you try not to think about things like that. And if cooking is not your fortet. And if cooking is not your fortet, there are alternatives.

For a cheap meal, you can try the Wendy's condiment buffet. It's free. All you have to do is go to the local chain outlet and pig out on the complimentary soda crackers. With it you get plenty of catsup, taco sauce and chili sauce. You might even be able to sneak a few bread sticks off the salad bar, if you are tricky enough.

wnright nasty? Wait anul eaten in the Dining Hall for a

returned," she said.
Rafanacharoensiri said a resident
may have his or her apartment
sprayed by a professional
externunator once a month it
necessary. They must only request
that the service be performed, he

than three children may reside in a two bedroom apartment. Although the rent at the oncampus apartment community is mexpensive by today's standards, some residents expressed concern the quality of maintenance. There have been complaints about more the quality of maintenance. There have been complaints about the complex for about two vears, and he understands the problem and tworking on a solution. We are in the process of having the windows replaced. The said experience of the companies on deciding which types of windows would be most energy efficient.

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he added.

A Community Advisor (CA).
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Community Advisor (EA)
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families. Vacancies for CA positions
are announced Residents must
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CC coaching changes might confuse fans

Atlantic Coast Conference foot-ball fans may be slightly confused when they watch their favorite teams this season — four of the eight conference teams have new head coaches.

The story is more than a little confusing, because it involves not just the ACC, but also Alabama, Virginia Tech and Tampa Bay — twice.

Katrina Waugh

SPORTS EDITOR

In the meantime, in yet another reaction to 'the cocaine death of Len Bias' (the last reference to that event you will find in these pages). Maryland football coach Bobby Ross resigned December 1, 1986.

coach and athletic director Ray Perkins accepted the head cc nand department. Maryland cleaned vice president positions with the Tampa Bay Buccaneers.

director.

Duke football coach and Alabama graduate Steve Sloan was hired to replace Perkins as athletic director at Alabama and Georgia Tech football coach Bill Curry was hired to replace Perkins as coach for the Crimson Title.

Perkins as coach for the Common Tide.

Just to make this even more confusing, does anyone know why Alabama, whose mascot is an elephant, is called the Crimson Tide? It's more reasonable than the Hokies and Wahoos of Virginia, but still... Ross, the coach that had just left Maryland, was hired to fill Curry's position at Georgia Tech. Duke hired former Blue Devil offensive

coordinator and recent coach of the USFL's Tampa Bay — there's that town again — Bandits to replace

Maryland replaces
longtime offensive coordinator Joe
Krivak.
In the middle of this chain of
coaching changes, Wake Forest just
couldn't resist. After six years as
Deacon head football coach, Al
Grob resigned January 16 over a
contract dispute and found a job
with the NFL's Atlanta Falcons.
Wake hired Dooley from Virginia
Tech, and formerly from UNC, to
replace Grob.
So the picture is complete — Ross
jumps from Maryland to Georgia
Tech, Duke hires a former offensive
coordinator, Maryland hires a current offensive coordinator, and

Dooley jumps from Carolina to Wake Forest by way of Virginia Tech.

The ACC has four new coaches who are not new to the ACC or to Cooching and concentration to the ACC or to cooching and concentration to muture.

NFL strike? c'mon

Date: Monday September 15, Giants. My wife better take it light tonight. I don't wanna hear my wife's mouth or nuttin tonight, man. This game is too damn important, he says as he runs through his large of nacho-cheese Doritos and a bag of nacho-cheese Doritos and and my homeboy Leroy and his home in Fuquay-Varina. "This jame are tonight a about 75 miles per hour." I got \$10 on this game me and my homeboy Leroy and his home in Fuquay-Varina. "See WHO page 7.

Fencing team organizational meeting Monday

The varsity fencing team is holding an organizational meeting Monday, August 31 at 5 p.m. in the fencing room of Carmichael Gymnasium.

fencing room of Carmichael Gymnasium.

Anyone interested in trying out for the team is welcome to attend.

Last year's team went 18-6 with 11 first-year performers, and only two of the 19 team members had any fencing experience before coming to State, according to coach David Porter.

The intramurals office will hold officials clinics for anyone interested in officiating football. No experience is necessary and officials are paid \$3.50 an hour.

Officiating clinics will be held Thursday, August 27: Monday, August 31; and Thursday, September 3 at 6 p.m. in room 2015 of Carmichael Gym.

Students attending the clinics are requested to bring a driver's license and either a social security card or a certified birth certificate in order to complete university payroll procedures.

complete university payroll pro-cedures.

The intramurals office will hold registration for the fall semester's ric-hallenge football, flag football and soccer teams through Wednes-day, September 2.

Registration for fraternity pitch and putt opens Monday, August 31, and runs through Friday, September 4. The men's residence registration for pitch and putt is Tuesday, September 8 through Friday, Sep-tember 11; and registration for women's and sorority pitch and putt is Monday, September 14 through the Friday, September 18.

Organizational meetings for all flag football leagues will be held September 2 in room 2014 of

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Carmichael Gymnasium. The men's open league will meet at 5 p.m., the women's open league and residence/soroity league will meet at 6 p.m. and the co-recreational league will meet at 7 p.m.

The men's residence league and the fraternity leagues will meet in room 2015 at 6 p.m.

Organizational meetings for the men's and women's open soccer leagues will be held Thursday, September 3 at 5 p.m. in room 2014 of Carmichael Gymnasium.

of Carmichael Gymnasium.

Play will begin the week of
Tuesday, September 8 for all leagues
except fraternity tri-challenge football, which begins Thursday, September 3; men's residence pitch and
putt, which begins Monday, September 14; and residence/sorority
pitch and putt, which begins Monday, September 21.

Several dorms are without an athletic director. Alexander, Bagwell/Berry, Bowen, Lee, North, South and Watauga each need an athletic director for the women's residence league. Alexander, Bagwell, Becton, Bragaw, Gold, North, Owen, Syme, Tucker, Kings Carmichael Gymnasium, 737-3161.

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AUG. 31 - SEPT. 6

September 2 :

Men's soccer vs. Atlantic Christian
College, home, 3:30 p.m.
September 5 :
Football vs. ECU, home, 7:00 p.m.
Men's soccer vs. Jacksonville, home,
1:00 p.m.
Women's soccer vs. Central Florida,
at Chapel Hill.
September 6 :
Men's soccer vs. Winthrop, home, 3
00 p.m.
Women's soccer vs. George Mason,
at Chapel Hill.

SEPT. 7 - SEPT. 13

September 11:

Men's soccer vs. Evansville, at
Duke, 6:00 p.m.
Women's soccer vs. Florida
International, home, 3:30 p.m.
Volleyball at USC Invitational.
September 12:
Football vs. Pittsburg, away, 1:30
Women's soccer vs. George
Washington, home, 3:00 p.m.
Volleyball at USC Invitational.
September 13:
Men's soccer vs. Stanford, at Duke,
1:00 p.m.
Women's soccer vs. Berry, home, 3:00 p.m.
Women's soccer vs. Berry, home, 3:00 p.m.



SEPT. 14 — SEPT. 20

omen's soccer vs. N.C. Wesleyan, awy, 4.00 p.m. September 18: Men's soccer

Men's soccer vs. Duke, away, 7:30 Volleyball at Wolfpack Invitational

September 19: Football vs. Wake Forest, away, 12:00.

:00.

Women's soccer vs. Univ.
Connecticut, away
Cross Country at UNC-Wilmington
Invitational
Volleyball at Wolfpack Invitational,

September 20:



SEPT. 21 - SEPT. 27

September 25: Women's soccer vs. Erskine, home, 3:30 Volleyball vs. Purdue, home, 7:30. September 26: Football vs. Maryland, home, 7:00

p.m. Volleyball vs. Hofstra, home, 7:00

p.m.
Cross Country at Carolina
Invitational, at Chapel Hill
September 27:
Men's soccer vs. Maryland, away, 2
00

:00

Women's soccer vs. Virginia, away,
2:00 p.m.

Golf at Butler National
Intercollegiate Golf Classic,
Butler National Golf Club, Oak
Brook, Ill.,

SEPT. 28 - OCT. 4

September 28:
Golf at Butler National
Intercollegiate Golf Classic
September 29:
Volley hall vs. Duke, home, 7:30
Golf at Butler National
Intercollegiate Golf Classic
September 30:
Men's soccer vs. Campbell, home, 3
30 per

30 p.m. October 2: Volleyball at Univ. Texas Arlington Invitational October 3: Football vs. Georgia Tech, home, 12:00

:00
Women's soccer vs. William &
Mary, home, 2:00
Cross Country at UNC Charlotte
Invitational
Volleyball at UT Arlington
Invitational

Invitational
October 4:
Men's Soccer vs. North Carolina,
home, 2:00 p.m.

OCT. 5 - OCT. 11

October 6: Women's soccer vs. Methodist, away, 4:00 p.m. Volleybulf vs. North Carolina, away, 7:30 p.m. October 7: Men's soccer vs. Catawba, away, 7:00

Women's soccer at Vodicke Memorial Tournament

OCT. 12 - OCT. 18

October 12: Volleyball vs. Penn State, away, 7 ;30 p.m. Women's soccer at Vodicke Memorial Tournament October 14: Men's soccer vs. Davidson, away, 3

's soccer vs. Davidson, away, 3

October 15: October 15: Cross Country at State Collegiate Championship, home October 17: Football vs. North Carolina, home,

Football vs. North Carolina, home, 12:00 p.m. Women's soccer vs. Northern Colorado, home, 11:00 a.m. October 18: Men's soccer vs. Clemson, home, 2:00 p.m.



OCT. 19 - OCT.25

October 20: Volleyball vs. Villanova, home, 7:30

p.m.
October 21:
Men's soccer vs. Radford, home, 3:30
Women's soccer vs. Radford, home, 1:30

October 23: Volleyball vs. Virginia, away, 7:00

p.m. October 24: Football vs. Clemson, away, 1:00

Football vs. Clemson, away, 1:00 p.m.
Women's soccer vs. Alabama, home, 1:00 p.m.
October 25:
Men's soccer vs. Wake Forest, away, 2:00 p.m.

OCT. 26 - NOV. 1

October 27: Volleyball vs. Duke, away, 7:30 October 28: Men's soccer vs. UNC-Charlotte, away, 7:30 October 30:

October 30: Women's soccer vs. Maryland, home, 3:30 Volleyball vs. Maryland, home, 7

:30 Cootball vs. South Carolina, away, 1 :30 p.m. Volleyball vs. Georgia, home, 7:00

Volleyball vs. Georgia, home, 7:00 p.m.
Men's soccer vs. Furman, away, 11:00 a.m.
Women's soccer vs. Virginia, home, 3:00 p.m.
November 1:
Women's soccer vs. North Carolina, home, 3:00 p.m.

NOV. 2 - NOV. 8

November 2:
Golf at Wolfpack Invitational,
home, Lochmere Golf Club,
Cary, N.C.
November 3:
Golf at Wolfpack Invitational
Volleyball vs. North Carolina,
home, 7:30
November 5:
Men's soccer at ACC Tournament,
at Duke
November 6:
Men's soccer at ACC Tournament
Volleyball vs. Georgia Tech, away, 7:30
p.m.
November 7:
Football vs. East Tennessee State,
home, 12:00
Volleyball vs. Clemson, away, 1:30
p.m.; vs. Auburn, at Clemson, 5:30 p.m.
Men's soccer at ACC Tournament
November 8:
Men's soccer at ACC Tournament

NOV. 9 - NOV. 15

November 13: Volleyball vs. South Carolina, home, 7:30 p.m. November 14: Football vs. Duke, away, 1:30 p.m. Cross Country – District III Championship, Greenville, S.C. Volleyball vs. West Virginia, home, 1:00 p.m., vs. Florida State, home, 6:00 p.m.

NOV. 16 - NOV. 22

November 20: Volleyball at ACC Tournament, at Clemson November 21: Football vs. Virignia, home, 12:00 Volleyball at ACC Tournament November 22: Volleyball at ACC Tournament

November 22: Cross Country at NCAA Championship, Charlottesville, Va.



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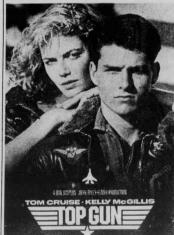
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Student not cut to be swimmer, now a top fencer

By Katrina Waugh

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ports Editor

When Donn Mueller came to C. State as a freshman, he wanted be swimmer. He tried out as walk on for coach Don

coach David Porter, both of those goals are within reach. Mueller pulled off a 37-17 season, placed second in the Atlanuc Coast Conference, qualified for the NCAA's last year, and placed 24th in the NCAA tournament.

because it's something I've never done before, but since it's not that big a sport I had achance to start." Mueller said. "It's really a mental game and I enjoy the mental part."

nothing afternoons.

That was when Mueller heard about State's fencing team from a dotrm-mate. He'd never fenced before, but he decided to try out.

Now as a junior, Mueller has set his goals as qualifying for the NCAA's this year and becoming all-America fencer before he graduates.

According to Wolfpack fencing the MCAA's this year and becoming and all-America fencer before he graduates.

The sabre, originally used to train cavalry soldiers, scores on any part of the blade, but only on the torso.

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The three are totally different search, the same the same totally different sports. Porter said.

A top 12 ranking is needed in order to earn all-America honors in fencing.

Mueller's story is not unique on the Wolfpack squad, according to Porter.

Although Mueller, a foilist, is one of the most successful, Porter says that most of the State's fencers come to the sport new in college. On the men's 18-6 team last year, 11 of the 19 fencers were competing for the first time.

"It's realistic to think that you can make the fencing team, and at the same time not be on some scrub team," Porter said. "We need a lot of people. I've got 19 guys and I want 30 and this year we had six girls and I want 15 – 20 girls. We really need women.

"The only thing that I ask of the

women.
"The only thing that I ask of the athlete is that they be willing to work and, they don't have to be geniuses, but you can't be a dummy and fence."

Mueller, a junior in mechanical

engineering with a 3.86 grade point average planning to graduate on schedule in the spring of 1989, is no

dummy.
Porter, who graduated from the
University of North Carolina's fencing program, models his training
after that he learned in college. He stresses the basics of conditioning and footwork, as a base for a

successful program.
According to Porter, new fencers can sometimes beat more experi-enced ones because of superior

conditioning and footwork.
This is especially important for the kind of team competition that the Wolfpack participates in Every win Wolfpack participates in constitution on every skill level counts towards the team's point total. Even the least skilled fencer can contribute to the team by winning a bout.

Coach Porter is holding a meeting

for anyone wishing to try out for the varsity fencing squad Monday, August 31 at 5 p.m. in the fencing room of Carmichael Gymnasium

Who needs Monday Night Football when there's horse finals

Continued from page 5
in front of my brand new 25-inch color TV set with this super deluxe TV antenna I just got from Radio Shack, I can't wait."

After running six red lights, hitting two dogs and three near-collisions with a Mercedes Benz, Lamborghini and Porsche, Mooser gets home with just 29 seconds to spare.

"Great, Leroy and Isiah are already here."

"Great, Leroy and Isiah are already here."

"Mooser runs to the house top speed. "Man, I thought I wasn't going to make it, Leroy", he says as he turns the TV to channel 11.

"These dogs ran out in front, this Porsche almost hit me. Shhh, the game's about to start."

"Due to the NFL player's strike, tonight's scheduled game between the Chicago Bears and the New York Giants has been cancelled. Instead, we bring you The United States Championship Equestrian Finals from Tubalow, Mississippi," the announcer said.

"Damn," Mooser says. "I rushed home to see some horse bull, man I just can't believe it"

"Yeah man." Leroy says. "These dides make about \$600,000 a year

and they want to go on strike."
"Yo check this out," Isiah says.

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"These dudes make more money than the president leads over 240 million people."
"Yeah that's true holmes," Mooser says, "but they have better memories than the president."
Suddenly Leroy starts shaking. "I just can't live without my MNF. I don't know what I'm going, I don't know what I'm going, I don't know what I'm..."
"Grab hold of yourself," Mooser says to Leroy after punching him in the jaw. "It's not the end of the world. We can get use to watching horses prancing up and down the field. I think."
"You know what we should do,"

field. I think."
"You know what we should do,"
says Isiah. "We should go on strike.
I mean they couldn't survive without us."
"Well, we can catch a flight out of
Raleigh-Durham to Indiannopolis
when the strike is over and chain

reselves to the ticket gates so no ne can get in to buy tickets," says

one can get in to buy the can get is ah.
"Yeah," Leroy says, "We can get the citizens to dump their trash in the stadiums."
"Then we can get the networks to the control of the stadiums."
"Then we can get the networks to say that every game is blacked out and then no one won't really be at the stadium and yo, you writing this down man," Isiah says.
"Yeah man," Mooser says. "Yo,

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Isiah says. "But check this out. I
betch you \$10 that management will
win the strike."
"Man you're crazy," Mooser says.
"You know the players are going to

"Well put your money where your mouth is. You already owe me \$10 from last year." Leroy says "Man you're crazy."

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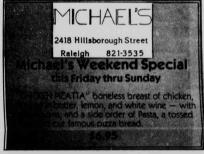
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Comic magician to kick off Printer's Alley's fourth year Saturday night

anting flair, inner's Alley will start off its th year Saturday night at 8 with talents of comic magician Bob

Toracte of come magican Bob armer.

Located in the basement of the tudent Center at the Special dition Steakhouse Printer's Alley as been operating four years now.

The magican is from Cleveland, white and has appeared on numerous call shows and a couple of national roductions including HBO.

Garner frees to avoid being noted as magican who does snappy one more white pulling coins from cople's cars or doing cheap gags, the does promise to take a volunteer from the audience and cut the

One of the new features for the season is that many of the artists appearing in Printer's Alley will also be performing in the lobby of the Student Center on the Friday before at noon.

"This will give the (entertainer's) a chance to attract a larger crowd and put more acts into our noon performance series," said Mike Wallace, assistant program director for the Student Center.

Garner will be the first to do this, starting at noon today.

The Union Activities Board's Entertainment Committee sponsors Printer's Alley. This year the committee is chaired by Kevin Lay with

the vice chair being held by Orrin Gallop.

Over the past years, Printer's Alley has gone through minor and major changes. When it began, it used the Dining area in the Student Center around the Cutting Board. This was done while Special Edition was being constructed in the basement.

ment.

When Printer's Alley moved to the basement, free draft beer was given out to students of drinking age. But with the raising of the drinking age, the university changed the public alcohol policy. This cut off the tap at the shows. It was feared that the attendance would fall.

Saturday night's performance will ature free soft drinks and ice

One act that has packed the room almost every night he's played there is Carl Rosen. The Charlote-based pianist will be playing in November.

For this season, the committee is oking to book more local acts than the acts that tour colleges.

This new policy is demonstrated by local guitarist Chris Sites ap-pearing on the bill with Garner. Sites played for the freshmen during this summer's orientation.

Printer's Alley is free for all students and will not cost \$1 as reported in the Student Affairs Bulletin.



ESPN's Surfing Magazine delivers everything the title promises viewer

The temperature is still in the 90's, out classes started Monday and that can mean only one thing — summer sover.

is over a two or three hour drive can have you at the beach by Friday night, and the inflatable pool can be set up right outside your dorm, but there may be something more. ESPN brings advanto to the loyal beach burn on the tube with its "Tronical Mondays".

At 9 p.m., ESPN becomes a

land-locked surfer's dream. Surfing Magazine starts off the evening with a thirty minute show which delivers everything list title promises. You see the best waves and riders, without having to guess how the maneuvers end, like you do with the magazine's still life photos.

Matt George, program narrator and magazine editor, provides the background information for the shots of the most beautiful coasts with its constant breakers. Corky Carrol povides comments in a humorous vein about "surfari" travel.

The next show is almost too much to believe.

Splash features two Olympic swimmers presenting — of all things — videos from swimsuit manufacturers. Some people just don't get any job satisfaction.

The women frolic on foreign beaches or swagger across the screen in fashion-show imitations in 1987's hottest beach wear.

But if Splash doesn't air, don't start flipping the channel. Something just as steamy as Splash will be on. This can include One Fantastic Summer, which shows clips of windsurfing and other "beach only" sports, or some other beach show as easily recognized by its name. Later, at 11 p.m. after an hour of "normal" ESPN programming, put down the comics and switch on the tube again for the final installment of Tropical Monday" for the latest surfing competition. The 'Stubbes' competition from California, with a stunning defeat of two-time champion Tom Curren, was shown earlier this summer, but all the other competitions are worth catching. If you've never seen competitive surfing, it's worth tuning in. After all, that's the phrase for ESPN's Monday lineup — turn on, tune in and get stoked.

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Escape from the real world; travel into the future

By Jeff Lundrigan

If it's pure escapism you want, you'll get it from Stewart theatre, starting, tonight with last year's megahit Top Gim at 7, 9:05, and 11:15 p.m.

Tom Cruise is Maverick, a.k.a. Pete Mitchell, a Navy fighter pilot. From the film's stunner opening flight sequence we learn that while Maverick is an excellent flyer, he has a rebellious streak a mile wide, making him as potentially dangerous to his fellow pilots as he would be to any airborne enemy. Will he be able to find the discipline he requires to make it through the Navys "Top Gum" flight school?"

Along the way he wins the amorous attentions of one of his instructors, Charlotte, played by Kelly McGills, and butts heads more than once with his man road, one "Iceman", played by Val Kilmer, After a lot of flying around and trying to prove how good he is at everything, all accompanied by a pounding rock score, Maverick flies into his destiny; a head-on confrontation with some very serrous, if somewhat improbable, Soviet MiGs.

If this all sounds exciting, it is. Top Gim is a slick, fast paced.

quences. But when its all over, you're left wondering just what it was all about. The supposed rivalry between Maverick and Iceman is expressed mostly in a few locker room shouting matches, and the relationship between Cruise and McGillis gets torpedoed watching McGillis slouch around and contort herself, trying not to sabotage Cruise's square jawed machismo by calling attention to the fact she's a full head taller than he is.

Director Tony Scott did television commercials for a lot of years, both in Britain and the U.S., and maybe that helps explains things a little. Top Gim is exciting, and fun, and probably deserved to be a big hit as much as any movie. But more than anything, it is a 110 minute commercial for itself.

Saturday night, Stewart theatre will present two very different varieties of science fiction, starting with Star Trek IV: The Voyage Home at 7 and 9.15 pm.

Taking place immediately following the events of Star Trek IV: The Voyage Home at 7 and 9.15 pm.

that the entire planet has been paralyzed by an unknown extrater-restied visitor.

The only way to save the Earth is to attempt to go back in time and procure what the visitor is apparently looking for: a humpback whale, extinct on Farth during the 23rd century.

The concept of time travel had been utilized before on the Star Trek television series motably in the "C my on the Edge of Forever" episode, and the culture clash of 23rd century personalities and a 20th century setting is once again an excellent source for einematic possibilities.

Many consider this the fourth Star Trek film, to be the best in the series; director Leonard Nimoy has come closest to recapturing the interplay between the characters and the essentially light-handed, humorous approach to the material that was present in the Star Trek television show.

Then at 11:30 p.m. barring the wrath of God, Stewart Theatte will present Flesh Gordon "Not to be confused with the original Flash Gordon", the ads said, as if there were a danger of it happening.

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and his intrepid companions. Dale Ardor and Dr. Flexi Jerkoff as they head for the planet. Porno in a desperate attempt to find and stop the source of the Cosmic Sex Ray, which threatens to turn the entire population of Earth into nymphomaniaes. After a perilous crash landing, they discover that Porno is ruled by the evil Wang the Degenerate, who ... well, anyway, you get the idea.

What made this film such a cult hit, however, was not so much the idea of doing an X-rated takeoff on the Flash Gordon serials of the thritiss. After all, there have been point versions of everything from come With the Wind to Radiers of the List Ark and Pinnockho, and flesh Gordon is probably siller and even more inaptly scripted than inost.

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What made it so wierd was that the few modest special effects the producers had envisioned ballooned into a few more, then really got out of control and eventually took on a life of their own.

Pretty soon some very young but ery talented guys, like Dave Allen, Iam Danforth, Greg Jein and others, were just showing up and doing some really good work. Its odd that onen who would soon make names

for themselves as effects wizards on films like Close Encounters, Dragonslaver, and The Empire Strikes Back, would get one of their first professional credits by building phallic spaceships and animating a creature called a "penisaurus" (which, by the way, is one eyed). On to more serious fare Sam Peckinpah's Major Dundee starring Charlton Heston will be shown Monday night at 8 p.m. in the Erdahl Cloyd theatre of D.H. Hill library.

Monday night at 8 p.m. in the Frdahl Clood theatre of D.H. Hill library. Shorily after the Civil War. Heston assembles a motley army of Union regulars. Confederate prisoners and whatever mercenaries he can find, in order to hunt down a band of Apache Indians who have crossed the Mexican Border. One of Peckinpah's earlier films, Major Dundee contains several trademark elements that he would continue to explore in subsequent pictures. These elements include his realistic, often brutal, use of violence, battle scenes on an epic scale, and the idea that not so noble me can band together for a noble cause.

The film's major flaw stems from Heston, who never seems confort-

able with the role. Peckinpah would have to wait for William Holden in The Wild Bunch and Dustin Holfem in The Wild Bunch and Dustin Holfeman in Straw Dogs for actors with the ability to portray his necessarily complicated characters.

And finally, Wednesday evening at 8 p.m. Erdahl-Cloyd will present the late Danny Kaye in The Inspector General.

In Eastern Europe during the early 19th century, Kaye is working as the "Thing head" in Walter Slezak's touring company. Through a sense of misadventures, Kaye is mistaken for the feared Inspector General. He is sent to uncover corruption in a town where everyone expects him but no one knows who he is.

The film is built around several amusing scenes of Kaye trying towing it in his suddenly important capacity although he hasn't the slightest idea what he's doing, and includes at least one genuinely funny sequence where he blusters his way through an encounter with an official who knows the real in spector General quite well, but is nearly blind and can't quite see that he's talking to someone else.

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Pizza Hut (with extra cheese. Hold the pepperonisaying money.) 37. New bike. (Old one disappeared.) 38. Bike lock. 39. Portable TV for dorm. 40. Subscription to TV Guide. 41. Cliffs notes for Ulysses. 42-55. Ski weekends (pray for snow.) 56. Microwave oven. 57. Microwave popcom. 58. Make dentist appointment to fix tooth broken on popcom kernels. 59. Take roommate to Subway for birthday dinner. 60. Stamps and card for mom's and dad's anniversary. Really! No

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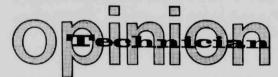
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Learn from past mistakes

There is mounting evidence that a number of N.C. State's prized parking spaces have been secretly killed off over the last year. Once, long ago, multitudes of these flat, open spaces would be seen. Dark, asphalt hides slowly warming in the sun, these quiet areas bothered few as they carried on their nondescript existence.

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In fact, their only real worry was a relatively uncommon predator known as the car. Initially, these were encountered mostly as stray individuals or were occasionally grouped together in small packs. An empty space here, a tiny lot there — nothing really noticable or upsetting. And there were still plenty of vacant parking spaces for others.

Unfortunately, as with most ecological cycles, things were disrupted. Once harmless cars began to multiply beyond control. Before, there at least seemed to be enough parking spaces to be found. Wild, bloodthirsty packs of cars were seen regularly chasing a lone vacant parking spot, fighting and jostling each other to gain the advantage.

Things were beginning to get savage around here.

around here.

As fewer and fewer spaces were seen, on-campus parking became listed as an endangered species. Rigid rules and a permit system had to be instituted in order to bring some kind of sanity back to the parking situation. And as enforcement-control took hold, slowly the number of wild packs of cars began to die off and parking spaces on campusbegan to make a come back.

Eventually, balance returned, and until recently, the number of parking spaces seemed to be satisfying the number of parking spaces seemed to be satisfying the number of cars coming to campus. Public transportation, new parking lots and an increased number of car-pools combined to at least make the campus parking situation bearable. But this balance is delicate.

Now it seems that a new predator has come onto the scene. Silently stalking their victims, these greedy carnivores aren't satisfied with taking a single space here or there. They consume entire

parking lots for months — and even years — at a time. Some lots are disappearing completely, never to be

disappearing compacts; it is seen again.

Who are these vicious hunters? They come under the heading of new campus construction.

Staff lots on east campus have been hit especially hard recently. Construction of the Daniels Hall Addition and renovations to Winston Hall have taken a number of faculty parking spaces. And some of these have no hope of being used again.

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We're not suggesting that all campus building projects should be immediately killed off. New buildings are rarely seen on a university campus today as it is. But more study into what effects the construction will have on campus life today — and not just for the future — is

But more study into what effects the construction will have on campus life today — and not just for the future — is needed.

Granted, projecting a need of more building space for the various campus departments is necessary for a modern technical university like NCSU. But the projected future benefit must be weighed against the actual inconvenience on the present. As is, on campus parking is difficult enough to find for faculty and staff.

When consruction takes up entire parking lots, those are spaces lost for the duration of those projects. And, as in the case of the Daniels Addition, it appears the entire lot between Daniels and the 1911 Building will be gone forever.

Now what can be done to solve this? Unfortunately, not very much — the projects already started can't be halted now due to expenses. NCSU on campus parking is such that any spot lost to construction puts that much more strain on the situation.

Technican also hopes that the persons in charge of planning the development of NCSU's Centennial Campus are taking note of present day problems and are plotting out solutions for this property. The administration has the enviable task of working with a virgin area of land where they can, with the proper planning and foresight, create a model campus where present-day troubles like parking will be alleviated.

Score one for freedom

Chaik one up for academic freedom.
Two separate U.S. Court of Appeals decisions this week have once again defined the barrier between state and religion by rejecting bans on textbooks in public schools. What the courts stopped was a dangerous precedent of narrowing the education of many children through legal "book burnings" organized by a small, but vocal, minority.

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In both cases, the plaintiffs contended that the school textbooks were godless promotions of secular humanism. One passage from a banned home economics book read: "When you recognize that you are the one in charge of your life, you will be way ahead of where you would be if you think of your life as something that just happens to you." Since when was a strong will and belief in oneself been antireligious?

The courts agreed, citing that even if the books ran contrary to the children's religion, merely reading and discussing them in class didn't force students to agree with the texts. An appellate court in Cincinnati Monday struck down a lower court ruling in Tennessee that allowed several fundamentalist Christians to pull their children out of school. The same court also dismissed a related lawsuit. Another panel of judges Wednesday reversed a decision that banned 44 textbooks in Alabama schools.

The classroom is a forum of ideas, not all of which a person should accept just because a teacher — or a professor — said them in a lecture. And we're glad these principles, which form the basis of education at both the elementary school and university, have been reaffirmed by these recent court decisions.

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Retired army officer made a difference in more than one way

Three years ago, when I began working for Technician, I said to myself, "One day I'm going to write a feature story on Ed Arrington."
Reporters, it seems, can be easily motivated by people whose paths they cross. Everyday we interview school officials and student leaders, the people who run N.C. State.

But of all the people I've ever interviewed, can honestly say Ed Arrington is the most

But of all the people I've ever interviewed, I can honestly say Ed Arrington is the most memorable.

I met Arrington when his family began attending the predominately-white church I belong to I, got to know him better when we entered NCSU together in 1984. I was a 17-year-old freshman working on a degree in applied mathematics. Arrington, a retired, decorated U.S. Army officer with a handful of degrees, was a doctoral candidate in counselor education.

He commuted to NCSU several times a week during my freshman year, and occasionally I would hitch a ride home with him. On these rides to Durham we would talk a little about school and a little about to home with some encouragement, he would talk about himself.

It seems his parents were dirt-poor farmers.

himself.
It seems his parents were dirt-poor farmers from West Virginia. They were caught in the cycle of poverty all too common in American society. But Ed had a good head on his shoulders, so when his father wouldn't accept a white neighbor's offer to pay Ed's way through college, he left home with a mule and a bundle of clothes.

He wound up an infantryman in South

Mark Bumgardner

OPINION COLUMNIST

Korea. He became a member of the Green Beret, an elite branch of the U.S. Army. He was a military advisor in Vietnam for four years. Later, he conducted covert military operations in Africa.

Arrington talked proudly of his military days. To hear this balding man, who could pass for Santa Claus both in looks and personality, recall his days as a Green Beret was certainly paradoxical.

But he made it clear that the best thing the Army gave him was an opportunity to get an education. Between tours of duty, he used the Gf Bill to pay his way through college. After retiring, he continued his studies, most recently earning a masters in counselor education at North Carolina Central University and beginning a doctorate programat NCSU.

Ed Arrington was an American success story in every sense of the word. I imagine very few of his peers were able to break free from the grip of poverty.

But his life made a difference beyond his financial and career successes. His work as a counselor at Duke University affected countless lives. He made incalculable con-

tributions to Contact, a 24 hour volunteer telephone counseling service, where he answered phones and helped train new workers. Had he been able to finish. I'm sure his research on programs for educating inner-city children would have helped give the underprivileged a better shot at a deere life. Friends and family members remember Arrington as a person who, even in casual conversation, put the concerns of others before his own.

Ed Arrington's life is a testament to the importance of education. In the coming months, hundreds of NCSU students will become furstrated with school and drop out. Many come from backgrounds similar to Ed Arrington's — first generation college students or blacks at a predominately white university. These students will be giving up the best chance they have at building a better life for themselves and their families. A greater number of students myself included, take education for granted. We blow off classes and do as little as possible tog the subject of the control of

Harmonic Convergence: nothing much

One of the foremost advantages of living in the triangle is the abundance of outstanding universities: consequently, the region is blessed with many brilliant thinkers. These people immerse themselves in its blessed with many brilliant thinkers. These people immerse themselves in subject of deep philosophical and intellectual import. Thus, in my attempt to stay relevant and vital. I hopped in my car a few Sundays ago with the intention of attending the observance of the Harmonic Convergence at Umstead Park.

Try to realize how significant this event was to be. Ponder its implications. Just think, thousands, maybe even dozens of people world-wide untiling their spirits, chanting and breathing and thinking as one. I was impressed by the convergers' optimism and by their ability to come up with such a practical way to bring about tworld peace. It was impressed by the convergers' optimism, and by their ability to come up with such a practical way to bring about tworld peace and the start. It occurred to me that perhaps I could converge harmonically with the others at Umstead and on the Eno and at the Pyramids if I thought hard enough, but apparently this convergence thing works only at close range. I thought somewhere — I'd guess Stonehenge — someone had established Harmonic Convergence Control so all the groups harmonizing worldwide could call in:

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Hello, Easter Island? This is Machu Picchu. We've converged! How are things there? How's the weather?

Since I know nothing about engines. I was in trouble. How could I converge from my driveway? I thought of an answer, fortunately. Right there, as dawn was breaking, I sat in my sard and hummed and channeled and called on one of the many spirits occupying the great cosmic void. I summoned Jimmy Fetzer, a highlyskilled mechanic who died in an industrial accident in 1961. Soon. Jimmy had the car purring; he didn't charge very much, but he did leave a grease stain on the driver's seat. A small price, I think, considering the magnitude of the day.

My troubles had just begun, though. Having neglected my tires for too long. I

discovered 1 nad a flat and found myself stranded on the roadside. I tried to summon Jimmy again to get some help— not wanting to be late for the convergence— but he liad been called away to work on a faulty brake system for someone in Greensborn. A night as the had died in 1638 of pneumona. I as she had died in 1638 of pneumona as she had died in 1638 of pneumona. I couldn't see where she would have been much use with my car. Finally under way again. I hoped to at last he able to harmonically converge with the others at Umstead, even though I was now feeling too many negative vibes.

The sun had risen as I turned into the entrance to Umstead. I was too late. Afready the convergers were dispersing a line of cars was fling out. All the drivers had contented little smiles on their faces. And some of the cars had spirits in them, for instance, I recognized Cleopattr arding shogny in some guy's Monte Carlo. Though happy for them. I was somewhat carlo. Though happy for them. I was somewhat was done that the heart to ask about any UCOs Janding or whether they had out chanted their friendly vivals from Chapel Hill.

That day was bittersweet for me. Though I regret not actually converging harmonically, I was glad so many were able to be there, in spirit, at least.

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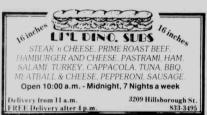
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