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School of Business gets new lab

Thanks to a grant from the Francis Ley Springs Foundation, a new, state-of-the-art laboratory complex will be constructed in the Winthrop School of Business Administration.

The lab, which will consist of a semicircular theater-type room with seating for 60 students, will be equipped with the latest technology for both observation and recording.

The lab, valued at $150,000, is funded by the Winthrop School of Business Administration.

Coach Gordon talks with Andrew Schorr of the "Carolina Camera," which will be shown January 31 at 6 p.m. on channel 3.

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The Creamer twins, 6-10 Donnie and 6-9 Ronnie, received national attention in SPORTS ILLUSTRATED magazine earlier this season.

Presently, Ronnie leads the Eagles, who are on an eight-game winning streak. In both scoring (19.1 points) and rebounding (10.0), Donnis is second in both categories, averaging 11.3 points and 9.8 rebounds per game.

USC hosts lecture series

Six leading contemporary American authors will speak this spring in Columbia as part of a lecture series sponsored by the University of South Carolina College of Humanities and Social Sciences and the Department of English.

Nowell, Kurt Vonnegut Jr., heads the all-star list of writers, which includes two Pulitzer Prize winners: John Updike, short story author, and John Gardner, short story author, and film critic Pauline Kael.

Vonnegut will appear Tuesday Feb. 13 at 8 p.m. in the auditorium of Carolina Coliseum. "He is probably the most popular and widely read author in America today," said Professor William Price Fox, chairman of English Department's Creative Writing Committee, and assistant coordinator of reading and lecture series. "He is studied by high school and college students alike.

Vonnegut, author of more than nine novels, has been called a black humorist because of his pessimistic, but funny plots. He has been tagged a science-fiction writer, a satirist and a surrealist.

Post Richard Wilbur will give the second reading in the series on Feb. 28 at 8 p.m. in the auditorium of the Business Administration Building. Wilbur is one of the most distinguished poets in America today. He is also one of the most remarkable and interpreters of his own work," said USC President T. D. Easley.

Both lectures will begin at 8 p.m. in the auditorium of the Business Administration Building. Additional readings will be held March 30, Apr. 6, and April 17. All lectures are free and open to the public.

In contrast to Gardner's renowned for his popular novels, Vonnegut's "Slaughterhouse-Five," and "Cat's Cradle," his next novel will be "Slaughterhouse-Five," and "Cat's Cradle," his next novel will be "Slaughterhouse-Five," and "Cat's Cradle," his next novel will be "Slaughterhouse-Five," and "Cat's Cradle," his next novel will be "Slaughterhouse-Five," and "Cat's Cradle," his next novel will be "Slaughterhouse-Five," and "Cat's Cradle," his next novel will be "Slaughterhouse-Five," and "Cat's Cradle," his next novel will be "Slaughterhouse-Five," and "Cat's Cradle," his next novel will be "Slaughterhouse-Five," and "Cat's Cradle," his next novel will be "Slaughterhouse-Five," and "Cat's Cradle," his next novel will be "Slaughterhouse-Five," and "Cat's Cradle," his next novel will be "Slaughterhouse-Five," and "Cat's Cradle," his next novel will be "Slaughterhouse-Five," and "Cat's Cradle," his next novel will be "Slaughterhouse-Five," and "Cat's Cradle," his next novel will be "Slaughterhouse-Five," and "Cat's Cradle," his next novel will be "Slaughterhouse-Five," and "Cat's Cradle," his next novel will be "Slaughterhouse-Five," and "Cat's Cradle," his next novel will be "Slaughterhouse-Five," and "Cat's Cradle," his next novel will be "Slaughterhouse-Five," and "Cat's Cradle," his next novel will be "Slaughterhouse-Five," and "Cat's Cradle," his next novel will be "Slaughterhouse-Five," and "Cat's Cradle," his next novel will be "Slaughterhouse-Five," and "Cat's Cradle," his next novel will be "Slaughterhouse-Five," and "Cat's Cradle," his next novel will be "Slaughterhouse-Five," and "Cat's Cradle," his next novel will be "Slaughterhouse-Five," and "Cat's Cradle," his next novel will be "Slaughterhouse-Five," and "Cat's Cradle," his next novel will be "Slaughterhouse-Five," and "Cat's Cradle," his next novel will be "Slaughterhouse-Five," and "Cat's Cradle," his next novel will be "Slaughterhouse-Five," and "Cat's Cradle," his next novel will be "Slaughterhouse-Five," and "Cat's Cradle," his next novel will be "Slaughterhouse-Five," and "Cat's Cradle," his next novel will be "Slaughterhouse-Five," and "Cat's Cradle," his next novel will be "Slaughterhouse-Five," and "Cat's Cradle," his next novel will be "Slaughterhouse-Five," and "Cat's Cradle," his next novel will be "Slaughterhouse-Five," and "Cat's Cradle," his next novel will be "Slaughterhouse-Five," and "Cat's Cradle," his next novel will be "Slaughterhouse-Five," and "Cat's Cradle," his next novel will be "Slaughterhouse-Five," and "Cat's Cradle," his next novel will be "Slaughterhouse-Five," and "Cat's Cradle," his next novel will be "Slaughterhouse-Five," and "Cat's Cradle," his next novel will be "Slaughterhouse-Five," and "Cat's Cradle," his next novel will be "Slaughterhouse-Five," and "Cat's Cradle," his next novel will be "Slaughterhouse-Five," and "Cat's Cradle," his next novel will be "Slaughterhouse-Five," and "Cat's Cradle," his next novel will be "Slaughterhouse-Five," and "Cat's Cradle," his next novel will be "Slaughterhouse-Five," and "Cat's Cradle," his next novel will be "Slaughterhouse-Five," and "Cat's Cradle," his next novel will be "Slaughterhouse-Five," and "Cat's Cradle," his next novel will be "Slaughterhouse-Five," and "Cat's Cradle," his next novel will be "Slaughterhouse-Five," and "Cat's Cradle," his next novel will be "Slaughterhouse-Five," and "Cat's Crade...
You are alone when it comes to REAL security

By now we're all settled back into a rut after our month-long vacation. We've finally settled into a good book and a spirit of giving as we left for home in December. Big, some unfortunate students ended up giving more than they planned to while they were gone over break. According to reports, five students returned to their Thomson dorm room on January 14 to find they had planned to while they were gone over break. As the case may be, that parts or all of their stereo equipment had been stolen. There had been no sign of a break-in, no broken windows or doors. The burglar was even so thoughtful as to lock the doors behind him, but not before he had estimated $5000.00 worth of personal property. According to the Rock Hill Police Department, it's called GRAND THEFT.

It seems the on-campus students are alone when it comes to REAL security. Some of you are probably shooting the breeze about the immense value of an education, the stuff about becoming a better person for it, the bits about knowledge's sake. I used to think that was why I was here. But for the majority, the answer is to get a good job. Sure! After all, what good is knowing the symbolic nature of Molière's works while you're out digging a ditch or mopping the floor? Not a big deal, huh? Really, I don't mean it that way. Why are we, as students, "here at WC?"

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Son of rambling

By Ron Hough

Hi there. I'm back. Which is a big deal, huh? Really, I shouldn't be here. Some of you may recall that I was presumably graduating in December. Also, such was not the case. I too fell prey to the slow rot of institutionalness. Life is so easy on campus that it is really hard to face the imminent reality of the real world out there. So, I screwed around in a course I didn't like, flunked it, and returned to assuage your tender tastes with my column. Some are already accusing me of becoming a professional student, a fate which certainly isn't the worst of many.

However, a PS has a hard time. It is a demanding profession. Long hours tolling under a blazing neon light at the nearest disco, exhausting rounds of Hearts until the wee hours of the morning, and interminable ball sessions at ATS take their toll. And, of course, the decisions are horrifying. Can you imagine years of decisions such as whether to spend that last fifty cents on a hamburger or a pack of cigarettes? Yes, the PS lives a grueling life.

But, enough levity. Let's move on to the matter at hand. Why are we here? Hold it, all you Philosophy majors. I move on to the matter at hand.

Some of you are probably shooting the breeze about the immense value of an education, the stuff about becoming a better person for it, the bits about knowledge's sake. I used to think that was why I was here. But for the majority, the answer is to get a good job. Sure! After all, what good is knowing the symbolic nature of Molière's works while you're out digging a ditch or mopping the floor? Not a big deal, huh? Really, I don't mean it that way. Why are we, as students, "here at WC?"

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Everything you always wanted to know about insecurity but were afraid to ask

or Chester, the yokel, strikes again

By BRUCE MCDANIEL

"It's the Revenuers for sure, Paw, coming down the road not a mile away."

"Hush up Junior, didn't I tell you to hush up? I told you sucker. Clem, you got all those chickens under the plastic?"

"Just about Chester, just like you say, everything's under control."

The two mountain men and the boy worked to complete their preparations. They had stretched a big spread of plastic over a hastily constructed wooden frame to conceal their smoking still, and the chickens had been shoved inside, against the wooden frame to conceal their presence. Even so, as the Revenuer drove up, in his '77 Torino, which was unmarked, they began to clean up around their little clearing in the woods. Clem called the boy over to the tree and Chester sat down on a stump and made like he was giving dictation to his boy, who was copying down what lay ahead, their little braves holding a pencil and notepad. The boy felt something scurry by under his bare feet, and as he looked around he saw a stream of com-Uquor running down his leg. "'Cept now, Paw?" said the boy, as he pulled at Chester's overalls. The Revenuer let out a kind of sigh that the boy was looking at the boy, making like he didn't see the Revenuer. "According to the latest tests..."

"You don't really expect me to believe this B.S. tale, you google-eyed old idiot?"

"Just look at these figures," Chester continued, since he wasn't going to be interrupted, "since they have been laying by nearly one hundred bottles, and happiness; my chickens are happier now than any other chickens in this county."

"There's nobody else with you people, and I've caught you with all the evidence. Now if you'll just cooperate with me, nobody will get hurt."

"Illegal distillation?" Chester exclaimed, as he advanced bravely up to the Revenuer and put his hand on his shoulder.

"I'd like to see the school taking responsibility for items stolen when students are not in school."

"Just like you say, Chester," said Clem, as he stepped under the sign, he had hung up, waiting patiently for his signal. As the Revenuer had pulled up the plastic, the chickens started coming out, along with some of the smoke that had got trapped in them with them. Chickens are usually pretty nervous birds, but give them a little Janet corn flake to lap up and then they really get excited. These chickens started trembling out, cackling and trying to fly. One of them flew right into the face of the Revenuer, and almost knocked him down.

"Now, Clem!" said Chester, as he kicked the Revenuer as hard as he could down where the sun didn't shine. Clem ran out from under the tree and knocked the Revenuer down. After a brief struggle, Clem got his gun. They tied him up to the tree and then they all three stood looking at him.

"This won't do you any good, you damn yokels," said the Revenuer, as he struggled with what seemed like just so happened that I figured you people might resist; so I called in a "Hush up, Junior," he said, adding: "make like you're cooperating down what I say." The Revenuer pulled up and got out of his car. He pulled a Police .38 Special and advanced cautiously, looking all around into the bushes and trees, like he expected there was someone else there. He turned to his partner, who was looking at the boy, making like he didn't see the Revenuer. "According to the latest tests..."

"Hands up; you're all under arrest," said the Revenuer, who had advanced up to the clearing and was still looking around. "There's nobody else with you people there?"

"No sir," said Chester, as he stood with hands In the air, along with Junior and Clem. The Revenuer stared at them all, then told them to put their hands down. But he didn't like the look on them, like he considered them real dangerous.

"You're under arrest," he repeated, "for illegal distillation. I got a hot tip on you laying by nearly one hundred bottles, and happiness; my chickens are happier now than any other chickens in this county."

"I think they ought to have better entertainment at ATS."

"I'm sure they are," said the Revenuer, as he pulled back one edge of the plastic, "they might stay that way. If this smell doesn't kill them..."
Spring semester interview schedule

Hey! Will you be graduating from Winthrop College in May, August, or December 1979? Do you know what kind of job you want? Have you made any applications for that job?

If not, why not stop by the Placement and Career Planning Offices and let them give you a placement paper packet. Complete these papers and check the campus schedule of interviews so you can help you get interviews with prospective employers from numerous corporations and agencies in Charlotte and the surrounding areas. Employers are eager to interview new and upcoming graduates for exciting positions in growing companies.

So, fill out the placement papers, return them to the Placement and Career Planning Offices at J. C. Bryant Hall and get ready for your future!

Starnes joins Public Affairs staff

Cheryl G. Starnes has been named assistant director of public relations at Winthrop College. A graduate of the University of South Carolina, Mrs. Starnes was news editor of the Enquirer-Journal in Monroe, N.C. Before joining the Enquirer-Journal in 1976, she held reporting and editing positions at the Seneca Journal and Tribune and the Charlotte Observer.

Cheryl Starnes

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A & C Hodge 2.60
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Chicken 1.20

Lettuce & Tomato 10 Extra

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News briefs

Poetry workshop scheduled

Rock Hill post master Susan Ludvigson will teach a poetry workshop class at Joynes Center for Continuing Education on the Winthrop College campus beginning Monday Jan. 29.

The eight-week course is designed to help participants improve their own poems and become good readers and critics of contemporary poetry. The class will meet from 7:30 to 9 p.m.

Ludvigson's poems have appeared in such magazines as Poem, Partisan Review, The Nation and Texas Quarterly. Her collection of poems, "Sleep Carefully In Night Grass," won the Oscar Young Award for the best book of poetry published in North Carolina in 1974. She is an assistant professor of English at Winthrop.

Fee for the course is $35.

For more information, contact Joynes Center at (803) 323-2196.

Dinkins has something for everyone

Brian Huskey, a singer-guitarist who has often performed at Across The Street, will return for a three-night engagement Jan. 30, 31 and February 1, according to Ronnie Littrell, Chairman of ATS.

A short course in plant propagation will begin Wednesday evening, Jan. 31, 7:00 to 9:00 in Sims 113, according to Dr. John Dille, the course instructor, said that at the five-day winter session it is the intention of how to multiply house plants and start their growth from cuttings, root and seeds.

The Dinkins Travel Committee has scheduled a series of Friday ski trips to Sugar Mountain in North Carolina February 2, 9 and 16, Littrell said.

The bus will leave Dinkins at 2 p.m. and return later the same evening. Cost for transportation, lift ticket, and equipment rental is included in the $16 fee. An additional $4 will be charged for lessons, if desired.

Students may sign up at Dinkins information desk.

Psychologists hired for Counseling Center

Two clinical psychologists have been hired on a part-time basis in the Counseling Center until a new director can be found, according to Vice President of Student Affairs Dr. Mary T. Littlejohn.

Dr. David Riddle and Dr. James Phillips, both of Rock Hill, will aid Acting Director Gary Kusenberg with student counseling.

Riddle, a minister and graduate of the University of South Carolina, is Director of Saluda Psychological Services Center in Rock Hill. The center is a non-profit organization sponsored by the Presbyterian Church.

Phillips, a part-time instructor at Saluda Center and a private practice in Rock Hill, has been recommended by former director Bill Gardner before he became Adult Education Coordinator at the University of Georgia.

"This is a temporary arrangement in order not to reduce the counseling service to our students," Littlejohn said.

Students to show art work

Etchings, engravings, lithographs and screen prints from one of America's best known printing institutions will be shown at Winthrop's Gallery of Art through Sunday, Feb. 11.

Guests and students from the Pratt Institute in Brooklyn, N.Y., will show some 45 examples of the latest techniques in the printing field.

The graduate students' works will be complemented by works done by Davidson College faculty members Herb Jackson and Bill Gardner. Faculty prints may be seen on the same dates in Winthrop's small art gallery, also in Rutledge.

Edmund D. Lewis, chairman of Winthrop's art department, says both exhibitions represent a cross section of recent print work done in the Northeast and Southeast.

Gallery hours are from Monday-Friday from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. and Sunday from 2-5 p.m.

Teachers conference to be held at Winthrop

William W. Purkey, professor of education and division chairman of the School of Education at the University of North Carolina at Greensboro, will be the keynote speaker for Inserv 79, a conference of 2,600 area teachers on the Winthrop College campus Friday, Feb. 2.

All teachers from Cherokee, York, Lancaster Area 4, Union and Chester County school districts, plus many Winthrop faculty members, are expected to attend the one-day program as part of their inservice training. The event is planned and sponsored by a consortium directed by the eight school district superintendents and Winthrop College President Charles B. Vall.

The consortium officially began in 1977 after four years of informal meetings among superintendents of the surrounding school districts and President Vall. The CYLUCW Consortium is a cooperative endeavor for dealing with educational, managerial and administrative problems.

This year, topics to be discussed at Inserv 79 include current trends in discipline, legal rights of students and teachers, maintaining responsibilities for the classroom teacher, space use in the elementary classroom, consumer economics and programs for the gifted. Also on the agenda will be a discussion of the South Carolina Competency Testing Program, motivating students, an initiation to learning in the content area, the Educational Finance Act, reading for the disadvantaged student and ideas in main teaching will be discussed. Topics were selected from questionnaires submitted by teachers.

In addition to the speaker topics, sales representatives will be showing the latest in textbooks and other teaching aids. Johnny Jones of the Rock Hill School District Office will be in charge of the sales representative program which is an expansion of the Rock Hill School District's annual book fair for its teachers.

An author as well as an educator, this year's inservice speaker is a native Virginian. He received his doctorate degree in educational psychology from the University of Virginia and taught for three years in Virginia, and for 14 years on the college level.

He is the recipient of the University of Florida Student Award for instructor excellence, the Good Teaching Award from the Standard Oil Foundation and the Outstanding Teacher Award by Omicron Delta Kappa, a national leadership honor society.

He has published over 60 articles and four books, including "Self Concepts and School Achievement," now in its 12th printing, and his latest book, "Inservice School Success."

Inserv 79 will begin at 8:30 a.m. and conclude at 3:30 p.m.

For more information, contact one of the following members of the planning committee: Anita Harvey, Clover High, 222-4591; Jo Roper, Lancaster High, 265-2601; Mary Cudrowe, Chester Junior High, 377-4683; Billie Niday, Sharon Elementary, 927-7157; Anne Blackmon, Fort Mill Junior High, 547-4255; Julia Robbins, Rock Hill School District Office, 328-3814; Reba Bogon, Monarch Elementary in Union, 427-6802; Sidney Gourley, Cherokee School District Office, 489-0251; or Maeberta Bobb, Winthrop College School of Education, 323-1151.
Fannie Floyd’s a fighter

By KATHY KIRKPATRICK

When Fannie Floyd makes up her mind to do something, she does it.

Take the time she wanted to attend Jefferson High in York so badly that she wrote and mailed school officials daily until they agreed to give her a try. Four years later, she graduated. An ordinary enough feat for most of us. But Fannie Floyd has been in a wheelchair all her life.

Born with a type of dwarfism that involves a dis-        

dament of the long bones, the 33-year-old York native has always had to fight for what she wants. Today she attends classes at Winthrop College. She plans to graduate in 1980 with a bachelor’s degree in business administration. But the battle for her education began early in life and has lasted most of her life.

“When I was ready to start school, the school officials wouldn’t let me ride the bus,” she says, settling back in her motorized wheelchair. “They were afraid something would happen to me, and they didn’t want to be responsible.”

So the young Floyd read the school books of her brother and sister, teaching herself to read and write, while registered nurse Lucy Dunlap fought with the school officials. “Mrs. Dunlap was the main source of my formal education,” says Floyd of her life-long friend. “She could see that I was alert and that nothing was wrong with my mind.”

When Floyd was 11, she was assigned a homebound teacher by the school system. After four years of private tutoring, the battle to attend high school began.

In 1966 Floyd graduated from Jefferson High. “I made up my mind to do it and I did,” she says firmly, displaying a mixture of stubbornness and determination. “I know I have to be pushed around in a wheelchair, but I don’t have to be pushed around in other ways. I can speak up for myself.”

Indeed she can. In 1969, after 3 years at the Rock Hill Rehabilitation Center, Floyd wrote a letter to a local newspaper, asking help in finding a job as a bookkeeper. A week later, Floyd was working at a local restaurant keeping books.

She held the job for six and a half years and made enough connections to land other bookkeeping accounts. Today she holds her own part-time position.

In 1974, Floyd enrolled in Winthrop Technical College, where she graduated in 1976 with an associate degree in business. After graduation, she served as a file clerk, Floyd came to Winthrop to prepare for a career in accounting.

“I can’t stand to be inactive.”
The absent professors

By CINDY DEAN

You see them everywhere— the Winthrop professors. Some tote briefcases as they hurry to class, while others bear- ing their piles of books and papers close to their computer-card hearts. Some dress to kill in their 3-piece suits. They're all hearts. Some dress to kill in close to their computer-card to class, while others bear-hug their briefcases black or white? And the question is not whether they always get it.

Winthrop's faculty numbers approximately 300 in full- and part-time employees. Of this number 116 are females and 6 are blacks. The School of Business Administration employs 32 males versus 8 females. The Schools of Home Economics and Music employ no black faculty members. Where are Winthrop's absent professors?

Les Reynolds, Winthrop's Affirmative Action Officer since 1973, comments, "We try to treat all employment matters with equity. We make a special effort to make up for any intentional or any unintentional past discrimination. We also have a commitment by way of our Affirmative Action plan to make an extra effort to recruit and employ women or minorities in areas where they appear to be underrepresented depending on the availability of figures."

Reynolds can rattle off specific laws and agencies and titles faster than most people can recite their abc's. Yet, most people are already familiar with the concept of "Equal Opportunity Employment"; it's stamped all over personnel offices across the country and it's as familiar as "Warning: The Surgeon General Has Determined That Cigarette Smoking Is Dangerous to Your Health." Reynolds adds that the hiring process has strict guidelines. "For every single applicant there is a reason put down as to why that applicant was or was not recommended for the job. There is a very careful assessment made for every applicant. And, if there is no reason put down, and it has to be recorded and documented." (This is not to give the illusion that Affirmative Action hires the faculty members. Each department interviews all the applicants, but Affirmative Action keeps tabs.)

Reynolds feels that the percentage of females on the Winthrop faculty is much higher than the percentage in most other fields. "As far as the Affirmative Action has helped but gives some credit to the fact that Winthrop has been a city school. Winthrop had a heads start since it was an all girls school. Winthrop's proportion of women faculty and administrators is an accomplishment that should be noticed, although at the same time, any smaller percentages elsewhere should be questioned. But Reynolds re- minds the optimist that, "How many women college presidents do you think there are? You can probably count them on your two hands."

Fifteen percent of the students who attend Winthrop are black. "We have probably as high a percentage of black students as any college in the state. Yet we very much need to have a higher proportion of faculty members from all minorities, but especially blacks," says Reynolds.

Reynolds mulls over why there aren't any more blacks seeking employment at Winthrop. Maybe it's because blacks with Ph. D.'s are in such high demand. Maybe it's the location. Nevertheless, "we simply do not get the applications," says Reynolds. "It's not just a situation that looks bad but one that deeply distresses us. We've tried our best. Yet we are not succeeding in recruiting minorities." Reynolds adds, "There has been a continuing effort to get rid of policies that seemed to be unfair to women—and we have--and to give women a hand in that respect. We've worked the same thing with minorities but we haven't flourished there."

The world might have been a simpler if everyone in it were colorless and genderless, thus providing an answer to all the social problems. "Yes, Winthrop hires the faculty members from all minorities, but especially blacks," says Reynolds, "I certainly think so. At least we're one of the few colleges that hasn't been taken to court in five years."

Fannie-- (Continued from page 6)
Black fashions begin week

By Lori Ridge

It was a wintery Sunday night, January 21, and the audience scurried in from the cold to take their seats in a warm and comfortable Johnson Auditorium. It was approximately 8:05 p.m. when the lights dimmed and the distinguished guest speaker walked on stage under the spotlight to narrate the course of events for the soft and sensual background music. The curtain opened, revealing a multi-talented Clark Nesbitt, native of Greer, S.C., as the guest speaker. His attire was casual winter wear purchased by the models, but as Nesbitt noted, Winthrop's Fashion Unlimited agency supplied all the clothing.

Nesbitt placed special emphasis on color coordination between the clothes and the complexion. "People should remember that fashion should suit the mood, style, and taste of the individual. Just because something looks good on someone else doesn't mean it will look good on you," he said.

Nesbitt, a graduate of Benedict College, majored in English and has since increased his talent and knowledge of the fine arts, particularly in design, music, and fashion.

Eugene Dennis, president of the Ebonites Club, said that the purpose of the organization is "to promote black awareness and culture around Winthrop and Rock Hill." There are approximately 80 members of the Ebonites Club at Winthrop. The Ebonites started preparation for the fashion show back in September 1978 and began their practice on stage a week before the performance.

The curtain opened, revealing a partition on which was composed an artist's rendition of the organization's purpose. "The Ebonites, said that the purpose of the organization is, "to promote black awareness and culture around Winthrop and Rock Hill." There are approximately 80 members of the Ebonites Club at Winthrop. The Ebonites started preparation for the fashion show back in September 1978 and began their practice on stage a week before the performance.

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A trip to the Grand Canyon is planned for spring break, March 9-18. Participation on other trips will determine who goes, Hanning said. "The cost of the trip is $150.00 and includes everything except meals. Deadline for signing up is February 1 and a deposit of $50.00 is required." The trip is open to all students, Plyler said. "The trips in the past have been very exciting and a lot of fun," she said.

The cast of twelve has been chosen to play the 67 characters in Dylan Thomas' UNDER MILK WOOD, Winthrop College Theatre's production set for February 22, 23, and 24 at Johnson Hall 8 p.m., according to the play's director Christopher Reynolds.

The play highlights comic, thoughtful, bizarre, and dramatic moments from the lives of an entire town. "People will have a good time," he said. "I want the audience to come to the meetings every Wednesday night at 6:00 p.m. in room 100 located in Sims Botany Lab, according to Joann Hanning, Dr. Dille, the club's adviser, ext. 2111.

See the Big Apple and D.C. too

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Winthrop's first black student speaks out

By CYNTHIA J. WILSON

On June 24, 1949, Cynthia Comer, a young black graduate of Allen University, wanted to enter Winthrop College graduate program. Comer was refused admission and was told that the courses she wanted were offered only during summer school. Comer was advised by Dr. Henry R. Sims, Winthrop's president, to attend South Carolina State College in Orangeburg.

Fifteen years later on July 20, 1964, the college that refused Cynthia Comer was accepting Cynthia P. Roddey. Roddey, an honor graduate who received her Bachelor of Arts degree in English and Religion from Johnson C. Smith, became the first black student to attend Winthrop.

Winthrop has made history by becoming the third state college to integrate. Clemson University was the first, followed by the University of South Carolina.

When asked why she decided to attend a white Southern women's school, Roddey said, "My friends influenced me. It was a matter of convenience. I could walk across the street to the library. The closest place was Benedict, it was seventy-two miles from Rock Hill to Columbia. It would be costly to commute; I had two small children."

Roddey said that her husband and neighbors were supportive of her decision to attend Winthrop.

While Roddey's husband added his own care of the children, concerned neighbors guarded her house at night with shotgun. She was told by one of the neighbors that she had "nothing to worry about; just to sleep and make good grades."

According to Roddey, the neighbors had little to worry about. Few precautions were taken to ensure her safety at Winthrop, although to make Roddey feel at ease, two policemen visited her home the weekend before she attended Winthrop. The policemen said that they would keep an eye on campus for Roddey's protection. "It was really funny because I knew both of the policemen," Roddey said. "When I came on campus they would wave at me and I was supposed to ignore them! But I would wave back."

Roddey felt that no special treatment or hostility was directed her from the students or professors.

Before attending Winthrop, Roddey had been a teacher in York County. Because of difficulties, she failed to renew her contract.

The second time Roddey applied for a teaching job in York County, she was told that they (York County School District) did not have any jobs for which she was qualified.

Roddey, the non-qualified applicant, was certified in Elementary Education, along with her major in English and Religion, and was working on a degree in Library Science at Winthrop.

When asked what advice she had for students, Roddey, a media specialist in the Charlotte-Mecklenburg school system, said, "I find a lot of young people will start off with good intentions, but don't keep working at them. It is not going to come overnight. Regardless of what you see on TV, there is no pill that is going to get you an A in your class. You can't take a pill and solve any personal relations. You can't take a pill and get a job. It's something you have to work at every day. You can't give up! It's going to be hard, but every day that you work, it gets easier. Like I tell my students, whatever they practice, they will become good at it."

Roddey holds audience

By CYNTHIA J. WILSON

AEO officer Angela Hendrix gave closing remarks.

Several Association of Ebonites members and some non-members gathered in Dinkins Auditorium on January 22, to hear the speaker for Black Week, Mrs. Cynthia P. Roddey, the first black student to attend Winthrop.

The program was opened with a scriptural reading by Nancy L. Lindsay, and was followed with a prayer by Gina G. Cunningham.

Past president of the Ebonites, Gail Boyd, welcomed the group. Vice-president Larry Williams introduced the speaker.

Cynthia P. Roddey speaks of past, present and future struggles (Photo by Ann Page Copley)
Shepherd appointed Director of Placement

Billy A. Shepherd has been appointed director of placement and career planning at Winthrop College.

Shepherd, 45, succeeds Jerry Smith who was appointed director of the Small Business Development Center at Winthrop in October.

A native of Birmingham, Ala., Shepherd received his bachelor's degree in psychology from the University of Alabama and his master's degree, also in psychology, from the New Orleans Theological Seminary.

Before coming to Winthrop, he was assistant industrial relations manager at Bowater Carolina Corporation in Dalton. A Navy veteran, he is the immediate past president of Rock Hill Area Personnel Administrators and awards chairman for Region 5 of the American Society of Personnel Administrators (North and South Carolina). Shepherd holds the highest rating awarded by the American Society of Personnel Administrators, accredited executive in personnel. He is also a governor's appointee to the State Manpower Planning Board and former president of Rock Hill Area Personnel Administrators.

Shepherd will continue to lecture on labor relations law, collective bargaining and advanced industrial relations at Winthrop, as he has since 1977.

Winthrop's Placement and Career Planning Office provides students with information about careers, offers workshops for senior in resume writing and interview techniques, and schedules student interviews for potential jobs in business and industry. The office also provides on-campus counseling for all students.

The many faces of Betty Richardson

Betty Richardson is getting older—and better. At 52, she's an accountant, a mother, a student, a runner and a traveler.

Twenty-four years ago Richardson landed a job as a bookkeeper at Winthrop College. Today, as head cashier, she handles all the money received by the college. "Winthrop's been good to me," she says, smiling from behind a desk stacked with computer printouts and official-looking papers. "I've enjoyed my job and the people I've worked with and not everybody can say that."

But working her way to the top of her department wasn't all Richardson did during those two decades. She also raised two daughters, Barbara, now 29, and Nancy, 27. Barbara teaches English and remedial reading at a junior high school in North Augusta. Nancy serves on a Navy admiral's staff in San Diego.

Richardson credits her children with inspiring her to complete her own education. "My husband died in 1971 and I needed some kind of goal," she says. "Barbara was starting on her master's degree at Winthrop and Anne was just finishing high school and planning to enter Winthrop as a freshman. I decided to join them in the classroom." Taking one or two classes each semester on her lunch break or at night, Richardson spent seven years working on her degree in accounting. In May 1978 she graduated magna cum laude.

It was during those years of rushing to and from work and classes that Richardson decided to become a runner. "I had a class at the top of Kinard and one day I ran three flights of stairs because I was late," she recalls. "When I got there and my teacher called me I was so out of breath I couldn't answer. I said to myself, 'I can't be this old,' and I decided to do something about it."

That was two years ago. Today Richardson runs six miles three or four times each week. This fall she ran several races, including the pre-cruise Governor's Cup Race in Columbia where she finished second in her age group. "I thoroughly enjoy running," she beams. "And I inspire other people. They ask me, 'If that old lady can do it, so can I.'"

"That old lady" also happens to be quite a traveler. In 1977 when Nancy was stationed in Japan, Richardson visited the country and stopped in Hawaii and San Francisco on the way home. In September 1978 she spent 10 days in Caracas and Mexico. And this past summer she traveled to Europe via Winthrop's Study Abroad Program and was awed by Versailles, the Alps, Vatican City, Rome, Florence and Paris. "The highlight of that trip was seeing Rudolph Nureyev dance in the Opera House at Vienna, Austria," she says. Richardson plans next to see "my own U.S. particularly the West."

Richardson's philosophy's apparent in her lifestyle: "I enjoy life and I enjoy living," she says. "I'm very proud of being 52. It's better than the alternative which is being dead."
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Career planning workshops

Placement and career planning will conduct a series of workshops this semester, according to Laura Dockets, Career Counselor.

These workshops, scheduled according to the student's needs, are on-going in that they will continue until the student feels his needs are satisfied. Dockets said that the workshops, consisting of a minimum of six students, are designed to help students develop their own individual career paths and make realistic career decisions.

For more information or to sign up for the following workshops, call or stop by the Placement and Career Planning Offices at 147 Bancroft Building, 323-2141.

TROTSKY: The End of An Era

Fifty years ago, in January 1929, an era in Soviet history ended. Following the liquidation of Leon Trotsky from Russia, Trotsky had long been a prominent figure among Russian radicals. During the Revolution of 1905, he had served as chairman of the St. Petersburg Soviet. Through the years, Trotsky had not gotten along very well with his fellow radical, V.I. Lenin. But in the revolutionary year of 1917, the two men put aside their differences. Trotsky served as Lenin's right-hand man in carrying out the Bolshevists' Revolution in November 1917.

Following the seizure of power, Trotsky served in Lenin's first government as commissioner for foreign affairs. Then, during the Civil War from 1918 to 1920, Trotsky achieved a brilliant success in organizing and leading the new Red Army.

Before long, Trotsky was almost universally regarded as Lenin's most likely successor. But, despite his brilliance as a radical theorist and as a revolutionary and military organizer, Trotsky displayed a remarkable lack of skill as a political infighter.

In the early 1920's, Lenin became incapacitated as a result of a series of strokes. He died in January 1924.

At the time of Lenin's death, Trotsky was in southern Russia, recuperating from an illness.

Although informed in time to attend Lenin's funeral, Trotsky refused to participate. His absence allowed the ambitious Stalin to assume the position of the chief mourner. This was the first of Trotsky's major political mistakes which finally enabled Stalin to maneuver him completely.

While Joseph Stalin was not as well known as Trotsky among Russia's Communist leaders, he was a powerful figure behind the scenes. Stalin possessed great skill as a nuts-and-bolts political organizer and governmental troubleshooter. In this role, he had gained a wide acquaintance with and an increasing control over party and government functionaries throughout the country.

As the conflict with Trotsky developed, Stalin began to call his chief. Responding to Stalin's wishes, the Communist Party Congress in May 1924 condemned Trotsky and his supporters as "petty bourgeois deviations from Marxism."

When Trotsky refused to submit, he was dismissed as chairman for war in January 1928. The inflating now began to earnest. But Trotsky had failed to recognize Stalin's skill and had waited too long before ordering his support.

By the summer of 1927, Trotsky was dropped from the Politburo, the governing body of the Communist Party. And by year's end, he was expelled from the party itself.

In January 1928, Trotsky was exiled to Turkestan in remote Soviet Central Asia. Here he hunted, fished and lived comfortably. He also carried on an extensive political correspondence.

At the end of 1928, the secret police ordered Trotsky to cease his political activity. He refused and denounced Stalin as "creatively impotent, false, contradictory, unreliable, blind, cowardly, inept."

The secret police returned in January 1929, bringing the order for Trotsky's deportation. He wanted to go to Turkey and his migration then took him to France, Norway and finally Mexico.

Trotsky's denunciations of Stalin and Stalinism continued until 1940. On August 21st of that year, Trotsky died in Mexico City from wounds inflicted the day before in his home in Coyocan by a man who called himself Ramon Mercader, one of a long series of alloys he had used through the years. Down to his death in a Mexican jail in 1978, Mercader never revealed his true identity, although he was generally believed to have been an agent of Stalin's secret police.

WHO AM I?

Take a look at your abilities and values and see how they affect your choice of college studies as well as your employment possibilities.

CAREER INVESTIGATIONS

Find out how to get the career information you need from the Career Information Library and other sources.

CAREER DECISION-MAKING

You Can Be What You Want To Be

How to choose a career and explore alternatives within your career interest area. Learn how to analyze skill, experience, and educational requirements, employment possibilities, salary ranges, and other important factors related to specific jobs.

LET'S TALK CAREERS

Informal discussions of both traditional and non-traditional careers and innovations in the field are encouraged.

WHERE DO I WANT TO GO?

A look at your individual interests and how you can use them in establishing short-term and long-term career goals.
Men post a 13-5 record

BY DAVID JACKSON

Winthrop's men's basketball team has won all five of its games played since Christmas. Following victories over Central Wesleyan (79-76) and Limestone (80-77), the Eagles posted their most impressive win of the season in a road game against Francis Marion College on Jan. 15.

Winthrop came from behind to post a 71-64 victory over the Patriots thanks to the superb play of forward Ronnie Creamer. Creamer scored 30 points and grabbed nine rebounds to lead the team to victory.

Trailing most of the first half, the Eagles went ahead in the second half 99-36 on Ronnie Creamer's layup with 17:30 left in the game. It was a lead they never surrendered. With 1:39 to go in the game, Winthrop owned their biggest lead of the night at 69-56. A Francis Marion tally at the end made the final score 71-64.

In addition to Ronnie Creamer's 30 points, Winthrop also received double-figure scoring from Bennie Bennett with 12 and Donnie Creamer with 10.

The Eagles returned home on Jan. 18 to take on the USC-Spartanburg Rifles. The Eagles had to rally from 15 points behind in the last 7:46 minutes to post a 69-66 victory.

The Rifles took a 33-28 lead at halftime and after intermission picked up where they left off, eventually building a 57-44 lead with 7:42 left.

The Eagles closed the gap through strong defensive play. A Carl Feemster steal led to a 3-point play by Ronnie Creamer which narrowed the score 60-58 with 4:13 left. A Dave Hampton steal led to a Feemster layup which made it 60-59 at the 3:20 mark. Finally, Bennett's driving 10-foot jump shot put the Eagles ahead to stay with 2:07 remaining. Clutch free throws by Hampton, Alan Ours and Donnie Creamer helped preserve the victory.

Once again, Ronnie Creamer led Winthrop scoring with 15. He was followed by Bennett, 14, and Donnie Creamer, 13. Donnie led rebounding with 12.

Winthrop looked upon the next game, a match with USC, as a chance for redemption. The Pacers had previously defeated the Eagles at home 71-69. Redemption was realized as Alton was defeated 92-87.

After a halftime lead of 47-45, the Eagles assumed domination of the game. With 8:36 remaining, Winthrop held a 52-43 advantage. But then, the Eagles ran into one of those periods that have plagued them all season and saw their lead dwindle to 87-81 with 2:11 left to play. Only clutch free throw shooting down the stretch by Hampton, Bennett and Riese allowed Winthrop to hold onto the win.

The high scoring game saw six Winthrop players hit double figures. Donnie Creamer led with 27 points and a team record 16 rebounds. He was followed by Bennett, 17, Klise 12, Ronnie Creamer, 11, Tim Raxter, 11, and Ours 10.

All three of those victories have one characteristic in common which affects the Eagles' standing in the district: all three opponents managed to outscore the Eagles in the last few minutes to cut down the final margin of victory. This is important in that the Dunkel ratings which determine the district's eight playoff teams is based on point spreads. The more points a team wins by, the higher its rating is. Winthrop's rating is currently second to Lander's with only a few percentage points margin. It is quite possible that the Eagles' letdown in the final minutes of these three wins cost them a first place in the current ratings.
First year team makes good impressions

The Winthrop College men's basketball team has completed over half of the 1978-79 basketball season, and in doing so has accomplished some remarkable things for a first-year team.

Before the basketball season even began, the young Eagles were dominating North and South Carolina sports pages as speculation to what this new team would do began. New York's SMITH & STREET basketball yearbook pre-ranked the Eagles 7th in the nation in NAIA, and 1st in District 6. This national recognition went even further when the Nov. 27 issue of SPORTS ILLUSTRATED in-cluded several lines on Winthorp's "mystery team." The coaches of Winthrop's own district pre-ranked the Eagles 3rd in District 6, the highest any new team has been pre-ranked. How all these pre-season expectations affect head coach Nield Gordon's Eagles is near-perfect 40 minutes of team-play last night through press-time for the Eagles, who have never had a losing record. Several players rank in the current cumulative basketball statistics of District 6. Ronnie Creamer holds 4th place in scoring with a 19.2 average. Ronnie is 6th in rebounding averaging 10.8 per game and brother Donnie Creamer is right behind in 7th place averaging 9.8 per game. In 10th place for field goal percentages is Britt Hudson with a .508 percentage (this has gone up since the District 6 release). Gerald Moore has a free throw percentage of .333 to place him 7th, and as a team the Eagles rank 1st In scoring with an average of 80.0 points per game. And for those vocal fans who have been screaming, "Get the rebound, dammit!" the Eagles are No. 1 In total team rebounds, averaging 50.1 per game, 6 more than No. 2 Florida. The Eagles basketball team will garner further recognition for Winthrop College when they are featured January 31 on the 6:00 WBTV news in the "Caro-lina Game of the Week." With District 6 play-offs for a bid to play in the national championship in Kansas City being nearer, Nield Gordon said he doesn't have any goals other than to continue playing as they have been.

Dunkle Power Ratings

Top Ten Teams in 18-team NAIA District Six

1. Lander
2. Winthrop
3. Newberry
4. Central Wesleyan
5. USC-Allen
6. Francis Marion
7. Coastal Carolina
8. USC-Sparta
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9. Presbyterian
10. Erskine

Women

Top Ten Teams in 21-team SCAA

1. Clemson
2. S.C. State
3. College of Charleston
4. Francis Marion
5. Erskine
6. Winthrop
7. USC-Allen
8. Lander
9. Benedict
10. USC-Sparta
tzburg

One more time--
basketball ticket policy

If the game is an odd-numbered one, and you are Jones (mentioned above), you can get your ticket the day before the game in the athletic office because you are an A-J. If you are Smith, you can get your ticket the day before the even-numbered games because you are K-Z. Or you could wait until the day of the game when tickets are available to any students, first come, first serve.

It's really not a long walk to Bancroft and the athletic department wants to give away all the student tickets. They need student support!

If What if you have a non-Winthrop date? Two dollars will buy a data ticket. And if you decide at the last minute to go to the game, you can still get your ticket the day before the even-numbered games because you are K-Z. Or you could wait until the day of the game when tickets are available to any students, first come, first serve.

What if you only want to watch the women's games? You still have to have a ticket. A free ticket! If you know how to get it.

The first step is to get an activity card available anytime through the athletic department office in Bancroft. Next, note the first letter of your last name. (If your last name is Jones, J is the first letter.) The third step is to find out if the student bus picks up between Richardson and Thomson from 6:00-6:00 for doubleheaders and 7:00-8:00 for single games, and makes return trips after the games. Admissions: A free ticket, if you know how to get it.

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Baseball is Winthrop's newest sport

Baseball has been added to the men's intercollegiate sports program at Winthrop College, following a faculty committee recommendation and approval of the Winthrop Board of Trustees. Baseball becomes the ninth intercollegiate sport at Winthrop, joining men's soccer, women's volleyball, softball and field hockey.

"We felt that we needed to add baseball to give Winthrop a well-rounded men's program," said Athletic Director Niel Gordon. "Rock Hill has always been a great baseball town and we felt that we will receive good student and community support."

The new sport will compete as a club this spring. In the spring of 1980, Winthrop will enter intercollegiate competition within the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics (NAIA) District 6.

Horace Turbeville, who came to Winthrop as assistant athletic director in 1978, will coach the baseball team. Home games will be played on an existing baseball field at the Winthrop Farm.

Turbeville made his mark in South Carolina baseball coaching Newberry College teams from 1967-78, compiling a win-loss record of 196-138-1. His Newberry Indians advanced to the NAIA College World Series in 1977, finishing seventh in the nation. Turbeville's teams have also captured one Area 7 championship, three consecutive District 6 and three second-place honors.

That 1977 Newberry team initiated Clemson University when the Tigers were ranked the top college team in America. The same Newberry team stopped the University of South Carolina's 33-game winning streak en route to the Indians' best seasonal record of 34-11.

Three Newberry players coached by Turbeville have been drafted by the major league in the last five years—one a first-round choice.

Turbeville was named South Carolina coach of the year in 1973 and District 6 coach of the year in 1978.

The operator of Indian Sports Camps at Newberry for 15 years, Turbeville, along with Athletic Director Niel Gordon, coordinated the Eagle Sports Camps last summer in which over 3,000 participants attended Winthrop. The camps included football, men's basketball and volleyball, women's basketball and volleyball, women's basketball and volleyball, sports medicine and cheerleading. Turbeville also coordinates the Eagle Club, Winthrop's athletic fund raising organization.

Turbeville was married to the former Kate Lee of Camden. They have three daughters: Melissa, 18, a Winthrop freshman; Allison, 16; and Cynthia, 13.

Assistant athletic director Horace Turbeville will coach the Winthrop baseball team which will begin intercollegiate play in 1980. (Photo by Joel Nichols)
Sports Shorts

Eagle spirit is on the go.

An Eagle Spirit competition will be held at the remaining home basketball games among campus organizations according to athletic director Niel Gordon.

Gordon said, "The contest will be judged by the Winthrop cheerleaders. Judging will be based on hanging spirit banners and signs at home games and sitting as a group during the games."

First prize is $50.00, second is $25.00, third is $15.00, and fourth is $10.00. The winners will be announced during halftime of the final home game (a doubleheader on Saturday, Feb. 24, vs. women vs. Columbus College, men vs. Erskine).

Gordon said, "For further information contact head cheerleader Nancy Lindsay, ext. 3283, or the athletic department, ext. 2159."

Soccer players named All-District

Two Winthrop soccer players were named to the All-District Six soccer team according to coach Jim Casada.

Kelly Griffin and Tim Peay were named to the team for the second year in a row. Winthrop was one of only three colleges to have more than one player honored; district champion Erskine placed four players, and College of Charleston two.

Left wing Peay, a sophomore from Chester, finished the 1978 soccer season with 17 goals and 5 assists. "Tim is probably one of the flashiest players in the district," said Casada. "He has exceptional speed and a knack for scoring against strong teams."

Defensive midfielder Griffin, a junior from Gray Court, had 16 goals and 10 assists. "Frankie has all-around skills," Casada said.

Griffin and Peay are both signed to grants-in-aid, and will return next year along with a majority of this year's players. Casada said that with a solid recruiting year Winthrop will be a solid district contender in 1979. Two transfers have already joined the Eagles: Reynold Dames, from USC, and Luis Gonzales from Florida International.

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