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Alumni having productive year

BY BONNIE JERDAN

"It's been really a good year for Winthrop Alumni," said Dr. Connie S. Lee, assistant vice-president for development.

Winthrop Alumni Association has recently been active in a crusade for more money for Winthrop from the State Legislature. The fruits of their labor are beginning to ripen.

The Alumni Executive Board and Planning Council decided to write the Legislature last month when it was discovered that Winthrop was receiving $322 less per full-time student than five state colleges, not including USC, Clemson, and the Medical University. When multiplied by 3,700 full-time Winthrop students, the discrepancy amounts to $1,208,788.

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Letters were also sent to all Legislators, urging them to speak to their colleagues on the Ways and Means Committee about the matter. Seven hundred selected alumni members were informed of the differences in allocations through letters and phone calls and were asked to help out their alma mater by writing the Ways and Means Committee themselves.

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MacFeat hearings
February 27-28

According to a previously released story, the Committee to review the MacFeat-Withers hearings will be on campus February 27 and 28.

The committee will accept written statements and hearing testimony from any interested person or group wishing to speak for or against the closing of the MacFeat Nursery or Wilber Kindergarten.

According to procedure rules, hearing headquarters will be in Joynes Center for Continuing Education. The committee will schedule appointments for individual appearances. Groups are urged to select one individual as spokesperson. All interviews will be recorded and made a part of the official record.

Those wishing to speak in person must fill out a special request form filed in the Joynes Center Office by 9 a.m. Monday, February 26. Any written statements must be received in the same office no later than 5:00 p.m. February 28.

Mrs. Jim McElveen, Committee Chairman, said that the findings of this committee will be reported at the next Board of Trustees meeting. A decision is expected to be made at that time.

Previously stated rules of procedure for personal appearances will be made available at this time.
The way we were

By RON HOUGH

This week I must take the time to express, to the dear editor of this paper, Sula Smith. Last week, she championed the seemingly lost cause of environmental concern. "A good thing to do so many of us are becoming more concerned about this in our approach to our earth."

"Excluding such natural concerns as such as the Sierra Club, most of the country seems to have forgotten the ecology-minded days of the early '70s and the late '60s. Many of us have seemingly relegated the sometimes heart-breaking task of maintaining a beautiful earth to the Environmental Protection Agency. Heaven knows, the EPA can't do much of anything without having numerous meetings and fighting through the bureaucratic red tape. By the time something is done, it's almost too late.

I can remember Earth Day. There was quite a stir at that time. But then I guess that everyone had assumed their duty. The furor over the state of the earth just died out as a cause. I don't know maybe they all thought it was the cool thing to do. After all, ecological concern was in those days. However, such short-lived concern accomplished nothing, or at least it looks that way. As Sula mentioned, trash is everywhere!

Hiking the Appalachian Trail, one can find empty cans and bottles...swimming at the beach, one sees the amber waves of rugged mountains. Crud! From the trash in the Alumni House parking lot to the heaps of rusted cans on Highway 161, crud!

York County had one heckuva time finding a suitable site for a landfill, the third one finally being recognized.

The Hudson River is now giant garbage disposal. At one time, the Catawba River was supposedly unsafe to swim in.

And if you saw "Rocky," you will agree that Philadelphia is an overrated trash can.

I feel that the salons as a whole just doesn't care. The few that do are once again the minority, and minorities have ahorribly hard time being heard. But all we pulled in just a little bit will do-the minority could have a voice. So, kudos to you, Sula.

Let's hope the rest of us give a damn...See ya'.

The Guru of Jam Mountain

By BRUCE McDANIEL

It had been a long, hard climb, but I finally scaled the last snow clift and reached the summit of Jam Mountain. The wind blew fiercely and the black suit I had on seemed to carry my battered body into the cavern of the man I had come so far to become.

Near unconsciousness from exhaustion, I stumbled down the high rocky trail and fell into a large, circular room which was carpeted with Hypnopomona bulbs. The odor was intoxicating, but as I turned a corner, there was the Guru. I stood as straight as I could, brushed some snow off my shoulders, and tried to be polite before this existed personality, saying: "Guru...I hope you can help me...confused one.

I have three questions for you," I said, as I pulled out the sheet of paper I had written the questions down on.

"The first one is: 'How do I go about becoming rich and famous in a short time?'

"Well," said the Guru, as he sucked his gray-bearded chin reflectively, "this is not that difficult. Just look around you...now. You are about to become rich and famous is a gimmick...a good con, good promotion by the mass media, fashionability in the music form like Punk Backs."

It's obvious that dedication, hard work, and sincerity will get you nowhere-fast. What you want is to become rich and famous is a gimmick...a good con, good promotion by the mass media, fashionability in the music form like Punk Backs.

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The Guru of Jam Mountain

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"Now it is all clear to me," I said, as I gazed respectfully at this fountain of enlightenment. "But Guru, my second question is even more difficult."

"And what might that be, my simple-minded young man?"

"Great Guru," I continued, "until I reach the top, tell me, how can I endure associating with the common peasants of this world, the Low-Lifters, the Nobs, the Nerds, the Weirdos, the Frewkies, the Flightless and losers who annoy me constantly with their presence on this planet?"

The Guru shook his head in seeming dismay as he looked at me and said: "Foolish one, if dent-type person," said the Guru, "Death... death is Mother Nature's way of letting you seek to get to the top, Guru." "Death... I said, as I timidly clasped my hands together and gazed into his shaggy countenance, "how can I face the fact that I will not be young and beautiful forever? What can I do to stay cool after I get old? And how can I keep breathing for 967 years like Methuselah?"

As I concluded my questions the Guru smiled, took another sip of High-Octane, and patted me on the back.

"You really do have a lot to learn, oh bewildered student-type person," said the Guru. "And what might that be, my third question, and it is surely the most difficult of them all..."

The Guru yawned, burped, painted his toenails; as I was near the exit I turned to thank him one last time when he looked at me and said:

"And kid... be sure not to pass on these words to the general public. If anyone else wants to know the answers to these questions, give them my card and send them to me. And don't forget to tell thin to bring the required offerings..."

As he said this he began to gnaw on the raw steak I had brought him, washing it down with High-Octane. I bowed to him once more and said: "Sure thing." Then I headed back out into the blizzard.

"With all the industry in Taiwan being imported to the United States, it will hurt the American economic system." Jim Murry-freshman

"I think that it was necessary for diplomatic reasons. People don't understand that we still carry on trade relations with Taiwan and that we haven't broken all relations with them." Beth Stinson-junior

"I don't think they should have kept relations with both of them because of all our foreign politics. The U.S. blew it again." Dean Bush-junior

"It's a shame that America is no longer strong enough to stand by herself and that we must go into alliance with another world power such as China." Sandy White-junior

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Meet the candidates

By PENNY THERRELL

This February 14th promises to be a sweatheart of a day. You probably won’t see any cupids flying around, but you will see the faces of many nervous candidates waiting for the results of what may prove to be this year’s most exciting election. The Valentine’s Day election will give the student body a chance to choose a new president for the Dinkins Student Union, a new president for SGA, a new attorney general and a vice-president. This year’s list of sweatheart candidates include John Hayes and Katy Krai in the race for SGA president. On the flip side, Jannie Williamson and Dan Urscheler are running for SGA vice-president. Julie Gilbert is running for SGA attorney general. The Dinkins Student Union is competing for president. Ronnie LaFitte and Claude Sloan are running for SGA vice-president, while Katy Kral and Tim Burke are the candidates for vice-president.

Dan Urscheler is a senior in the School of Business Ad. He is this year’s SGA president, was vice-president of last year’s student union. For two years, Dan served as a senator, and has been on the Dinkins Program Board for two years. Dan feels that he and the SGA members have made some vital contributions to the Winthrop student community in the past year. They have created Charter guidelines for making the checking process more efficient, created policies for the Student Allocations Commission, rewritten the election’s bulletin to make it easier to understand and in cooperation with THE JOHNSONIAN, set-up Action Line in order to get feedback from the students. Dan feels that if elected he will continue to maintain the high quality of representation that the student government stands for.

Jannie Williamson, who is also a candidate for SGA vice-president, was not available for interviewing.

Claude Sloan was born in Chester County and moved to Rock Hill at the age of 10. He has been very active in student affairs and attending Winthrop. He has worked in Classes Night for two years, was president of Alpha Kappa Psi, and served a publicity committee vice-chairperson, chairman of the homecoming committee, is presently on the orientation staff, counsel and TAT-LEER staff. He is also a member of Alpha Theta and Alpha Lambda Beta. Claude feels that there are many aspects of programming which need to be improved. He is committed to the equal distribution of the program board budget, the exposure of the program board to the students and the relations between the separate committees. The most important thing, according to Sloan, is that the program board work together for the benefit of all the students. Claude is confident that his three years of experience with programming, his close contact with the wide variety of students and his desire to make sure the Program Board makes him a qualified candidate for the position of Dinkins Student Union president.

Rondee Laffitte, candidate for Dinkins Student Union president, was born and grew up in Rock Hill. She attended The Citadel his freshman year before transferring to Winthrop. While at Winthrop, Rondee has been involved in Sigma Phi Epsilon, has been an active member of the Admission’s Advisory Board and the Student Orientation Staff. For the last year he has been a Student Activities Committee member. Rondee’s main concern is providing better service for the students. He feels that the Dinkins Program Board belongs to and should serve all of the students. He wants to know what the students want and feels that the committees should be more accessible to them. This includes putting up suggestion boxes and improving committee-student relations. Rondee feels that he is qualified for this position because of his experience with the program board in the past year and his attendance at the state and national NECAA convention. It is confident that if elected he can make the Dinkins Student Union a real student union.

Sally Grice, candidate for Student Union Vice-President lives in Greenwood, S.C. While at Winthrop, Sally has been the secretary-treasurer for the Dinkins Program Board. She feels that the Program Board needs more publicity and promotion, more unity, and more committee cooperation. She would like to generate more enthusiasm from the student body by getting them involved in the Program Board activities. Sally feels the most important measure needed in re-organizing the Student Union is a better form of organization.

Because of her close work with the Program Board last year, Sally feels that she is more qualified for the position of Student Union Vice-President.

John Hayes is a junior from Anderson, S.C. He is a Special Education major and is involved in many activities. John has worked at A&T since his freshman year. He is a member of the Political Science Club, Model UN and member of the student life committee. He is also a Winthrop College member of Oakland Baptist Church. “I have a lot of plans,” says John, “I would like to see tighter security management and better enforcement of school policy concerning vandalism. The damage done by the vandalism is costing the students in their tuition. We’re paying the price for it.” One of John’s main concerns is to have more efficient communication of student government activities to the students. A suggestion that will win everyone’s approval is John’s plan “to have open laundry for everyone. Pay a fee with tuition and do away with the ticket machines.”

Voting Tips

* Every vote counts
* Including your vote
* Your right to vote
* Exercise your right to vote

Julie Gilbert, running for SGA Attorney General, was not available for interviewing.

Tim Burke, a native of Rock Hill, has been active on the Program Board for the last several years. He is presently the chairperson for the Tournament and Games Committee. He also serves as president for the Winthrop Jaycees. Tim feels that the Program Board has made great progress in the last year and would like to be a part of the effort to continue this progress. If elected, Burke supports more student involvement, better communications between the Program Board and the student body and more unity between the Program Board committees. Tim said that he would openly receive ideas from any student.
Mohler named Dean of Home Ec

A home economics professor with a background in fashion merchandising has been named dean of home economics at Winthrop College.

June Foster Mohler, 53, associate professor of business and retailing in New York University’s Department of Home Economics, was approved for the deanship by the Winthrop Board of Trustees Thursday, Feb. 1. She succeeds Ruth Troth in the position, who died May 28, 1978.

Mohler named Dean of Home Ec

She holds a bachelor’s degree from the University of Maryland (1948); master’s from NYU (1968) and doctorate from the University of North Carolina at Greensboro (1970).

The home economics program at Winthrop graduated from department to school status in 1966. Currently, the school has 33 faculty members serving 460 students enrolled in undergraduate and graduate degree programs in four departments: family and child development, food and nutrition, home economics education and textiles.

By Margaret Carroll

During the January 31 Senate meeting a number of new decisions were made, the most important of which was the approval of new charter applications.

The first bill concerned the way that all organizations on campus are chartering new members. The new bill will replace the tabled bill brought to the floor for first reading. Senator Williamson quickly pointed out the major changes in the new bill. The biggest change was from a 60-day waiting period to 30 days. During that time organizations function on a trial basis with the same rights as other organizations. Senate will review the charters and has the right to revoke them if necessary. The bill passed first reading.

Senator then moved to approve a resolution to give the Political Science Club $816 to help finance a trip to Washington, D.C. and New York City in March.

The senators next approved the first readings of two other resolutions-$500 for the Environmental Club to help fund performances of African dances.

Barbara Hedges, a representative from the Student Allocation Committee, was on hand to answer questions dealing with the financing of organizations.

Kathy Harris was sworn in as a new senator.

The Canterbury House will hold their annual “Pancake Supper” on Shrove Tuesday, February 27, at 5:30 until 4:30 at 177 Park Avenue. Proceeds go toward a mission project.

Tickets are $1.50 and are presently on sale. (Also available at the door).

For more information, call the Canterbury House at 327-5886, or contact Jeff Atkinson at The Episcopal Church of Our Savior at 327-5326.

News briefs

Sullivan Awards

The Mary Mildred Sullivan Award is given to a female member and the Algemon Sydney Award to a male member of the graduating class. The awards are made to students who have given great service to Winthrop College; they constitute real distinctions, to be conferred only upon those who conspicuously deserve them. If in any year no male or no female member of the graduating class has displayed such distinction in service to the college, the respective award will not be made.

The 1979 recipients of the Sullivan Awards will be selected by a committee made up of the vice-chairman of the faculty, the dean of students, the student government association representative from the faculty, the student affairs and two students. Students eligible are those who graduated in December, 1978, or who will graduate in May, 1979. Nominations may be made by a faculty member of the faculty, staff or by students and must be accompanied by a list of accomplishments, a substantive statement of the candidate’s qualifications for the award. Nominations should be sent to Vice President Mary Littlejohn, 126 Bankert, and must be received by the committee.

Teaching position

In addition to the regular schedule for February interviews, the Placement Office has an appointment for interviews with the Wake County Public Schools of Raleigh, North Carolina.

This interview for prospective teachers of levels kindergarten to grade 12, will be held on Monday, Feb. 20 from 9 a.m. until 4 p.m. in the interview offices of Bankert.

All students who are interested should stop by the Placement Office to insure that their placement papers are in order.

Let the snow fall

When and if it snows or ices, the Physical Plant is ready. Bill Culp, plant director, said that Winthrop is well supplied with salt and sand, and that at the first sign of bad weather conditions, his staff prepares to keep hazards to a minimum.

Culp said that all vehicles are fueled because of a power failure. Next, steps and sidewalks are salted and sanded to decrease the danger of falling. A third step is to keep the roads passable. Finally, the staff waits, hoping that the conditions will change.

According to Culp, keeping Winthrop safe and comfortable is one of his main concerns.

Security is watching

Winthrop College Security has begun use of the radar units recently installed in each of the patrol cars. According to Chief Robert Williams, strict enforcement of the 20 mph speed limit is “in the interest of safety.” Enforcement will begin immediately.

Williams said that the college has had the units for three years, but they have never been used. The increased number of students and cars made necessary the use of the devices for safety reasons. The units, which are in most police and highway patrol cars, will help detect and stop speeders before they become a safety problem, Williams said.

The fines for speeding are outlined in the traffic rules pamphlet issued with each parking sticker. Williams said that students and faculty should watch their speed because of the problems and dangers speeding creates.

All-U-Can-Eat

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study in spain

Each year for five weeks of the summer, a program is offered to students in the U.S. and Canada to travel and study in Spain. Last summer, 98 students from 26 states, departed from Kennedy Airport in New York and flew to Madrid. The group was then bussed to the campus of Ciudad Universidad. Each class met for five days a week and courses ranged from Elementary Spanish to Literature and Culture.

Students toured La Mancha for two days, visiting all the interesting places related to Cervantes and Don Quixote. Some students had the opportunity to take advantage of the optional side trip to Paris, London and Rome arranged by the program, or trips independent of the program itinerary. Once or twice a week a group was scheduled to visit such historical places as Valle de los Caidos, El Escorial, Segovia, Avila, Toledo, Museo del Prado, Palacia Real, etc.

Students found that it had also been more than enough time to do, see, and learn whatever they chose.

As part of the program, a trip was taken to Southern Spain, visiting famous cities such as Cordoba, Sevilla, Granada, Malaga, and three days were spent in the beautiful Torremolinos Beach.

Plans are already in progress for the 15th Summer School Program in Spain 1979. Students may earn nine quarter college credits.

All persons interested should write to Dr. Doreste, Augustana College, Rock Island, IL 61201 as soon as possible. SPACE IS VERY LIMITED.

Job opportunities in Europe this summer

Work this summer in the forests of Germany, on construction in Austria, on farms in Ireland, England, France, Italy, and Holland are open by the consent of the governments of these countries to American university students coming to Europe next summer.

For 20 years students crossed the Atlantic through American-European Student-Service to take part in the actual life of the people of these countries. The success of this project has caused a great deal of enthusiastic interest and support both in America and Europe. Every year, the program has been expanded to include many more students and jobs. Already, many students have made application for next summer jobs.

American-European Student-Service (on a non-profitable basis) is offering these jobs to students for Germany, Scandinavia, England, Austria, Switzerland, France, Italy and Spain. The jobs consist of forestry work, child care work (females only), farm work, hotel work (limited number available), construction work, and some other more qualified jobs requiring more specialized training.

The purpose of this program is to afford the student an opportunity to get into real living contact with the people and customs of Europe. In this way, a concrete effort can be made to learn something of the culture of Europe. In return for his or her work, the student will receive his or her room and board, plus a wage. However, students should keep in mind that they will be working on the European economy, and wages will naturally be scaled accordingly.

The working conditions (hours, safety, regulations, legal protection, work permits) will be strictly controlled by the labor ministries of the countries involved.

In most cases, the employers have requested especially for American students. Hence, they are particularly interested in the student and want to make the work as interesting as possible. They are all informed of the intent of the program, and will help the student all they can in deriving the most from his trip to Europe.

Please write for further information and application forms to: American-European Student-Service, Box 70, FL 9495, Mauren, Liechtenstein (Europe).

Foreign students participate

Foreign students will be involved in several community activities during February, according to Tom Shealy, Foreign Student Adviser. The Sandlapper Lions Club will feature a program on Saudi Arabia by Khalid Al-Wake, February 15. A program on African nations at St. John's Episcopal Church in Charleston will be presented February 18. Adam Argiroiu and John Vafenas will present a program on Greece at the Friendship Fellowship Banquet at Oakland Avenue Presbyterian Church in Rock Hill. A program on International Culture will be presented at the Oakland Baptist Church February 20. Finally, on February 22, Chris Vianas from Greece will meet with Cub Scouts at Grace Lutheran Church in Rock Hill.

Studycade '79

Winthrop College history professor Birdsell Vaulit will lead another traveling seminar in Europe this spring. Called "Studycade '79," the trip is open to persons high school age and older.

Beginning May 27, the 28-day trip will include tours of London, Paris, Brussels, Amsterdam, Cologne, Frankfurt and Munich, as well as Stonehenge, Mont St. Michel, the Chartres cathedral, Versailles, a Rhine cruise, Germany's romantic road and the Bavarian Alps.

The tour cost of $1,345 includes transatlantic airfare and all travel, hotels, admission fees and most meals. College students may register for three or six credits in European history. The tour is also open to non-student travelers. Registration deadline is March 1.

A brochure and more information may be obtained from Vaulit, History Department, Winthrop College, Rock Hill, S.C. 29733 or call (803) 323-2173.

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IT'S ANNUAL VALENTINE'S PARTY
Champagne at Midnight FREE DRAFT Starting At 9:00

$1 Admission 110 S. CHERRY ROAD Rock Hill Come Early
Brian Huskey: he's welcomed every year

BY NANCY MITTER

Brian Huskey, a familiar face at ATS, entertained a rather 'nasty happy' group of students Wednesday, Feb. 1. The crowd was rowdy, loud and happy to the extent of table top dancing. Thursday night, Brian entertained a more mellow group. Beer drinkers and popcorn munchers tuned one ear on table conversation and the other on Brian's assortment of country and rock songs. Dressed in white overalls, red tennis shoes and a black cowboy hat, Brian thought nothing of stepping from behind his custom-made Gibson and mingling with students. Handshaking, back slapping and ear-wide smiles lined his path through the crowd. Nursing a sore throat with what he called, "nasty tasting tea" Brian sang songs which prompted audience participation; however, at times the participation lasted longer than the number. Brian used the famous cliche, "You people are nuts!"

"Participation" music is the type of music that goes over well at ATS. Students and staff members go to ATS to exchange experiences with friends they seldom see during the course of a busy day. ATS provides a convenient location and enjoyable entertainment to accompany such conversation. A musician like Brian gets the audience's attention because he can communicate with both those who come for a good time and those who come to avoid conversation.

The audiences of ATS do not attend performances to sit in total silence. If that was what students wanted, the library would become a place of abundant research papers on the effects of Schlitz, Michelob or Cello Lambrusco.

I also attended Erin Isaac's performance first semester and was shocked at the treatment from both Erin and the crowd. I, like Sidney Breeze, was appalled at such behavior. Now, I see the cause for Erin's resistance to the audience and the audience's resistance toward music which required complete silence to appreciate. Though Wednesday's crowd was more rowdy than Thursday's, I congratulate you, Winthrop—for once your behavior was tolerable. So long...

Maryland ballet performs

Sweeping movements of classical and contemporary ballet will create visual fantasies as the Maryland Ballet performs at 8 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 15, in Byrnes Auditorium on the Winthrop campus.

Seventeen members of the ballet troupe will perform five selections, including a world premiere performance of "Fantasy," under the artistic direction of Petrus Bosman.

The Maryland Ballet will substitute for the Atlanta Ballet which cancelled a Sept. 19 performance. Because of the rescheduling of performances, Fine Arts Series tickets marked "To Be Announced" will be used for the Maryland Ballet performance.

Individual tickets to the Feb. 15 performance are $7 (orchestra and first balcony) and $5 (second and third balcony). Full-time Winthrop students may pick up free tickets; part-time Winthrop students and York County students may buy tickets for $2 at Dinkins Student Center.

Tickets will be available at Joyines Center for Continuing Education on the Winthrop campus from 3-4:30 p.m. Feb. 9-10 and 12-14. Tickets will also be sold at the Byrnes Auditorium Box Office the day of the performance.

To order tickets by mail, write to the Fine Arts Association, P.O. Box 2692, Rock Hill, S.C. 29730.
Eagles are back on track

BY DAVID JACKSON

Heading into the final stages of the season, the Winthrop men's basketball team appears to have regained some of the momentum they lost during their slump of a couple of weeks ago.

The week of Jan. 31-Feb. 5 saw the Eagles rack up three victories over three of the weaker teams in District Six: Coker (72-53), Limestone (75-67), and Wofford (94-76). The Eagles played well in all three games except for a disappointing second-half against Limestone in which they allowed the Saints to score 61 points.

The three games were among the least exciting of the year: they simply consisted of Winthrop beating an inferior opponent, however, they did contain some outstanding individual performances.

Gerald McAfee presented one such performance. At North Mecklenburg High School in Charlotte, N.C., McAfee was a 6'8" center. Many colleges recruited Gerald, hoping to convert him to a guard. Among the recruiters were such notables as Wake Forest, Maryland, and Arizona. Gerald wanted to go to a local school, so he chose Winthrop.

The conversion from center to guard was a tough one for McAfee. His biggest problem was half-handling, particularly passing and defense. An even bigger problem for him was lack of game experience. The player recruited by two ACC schools sat on the bench for the first 15 games of the season as the more experienced Rick Riese, Bennie Bennett and Dave Hampton played in front of him.

Last week McAfee got his chance. Following the loss to Voorhees, Coach Nleld Gordon decided to shake up his starting lineup. Bennie Bennett had been playing poorly due to sickness. Gordon decided to start McAfee in his place. Gerald responded with a game high 19 points. Two nights later against Limestone he hit five of 7 shots and two free throws for 12 points.

And there is a bonus: According to Gordon, "Gerald is one of the finest rebounding guards I have seen." McAfee bore this out last week by average six rebounds for the three games. Thanks to last week's performances, Eagle fans are going to see a lot more of Charlotte's Gerald McAfee.

Another Winthrop bench player who had his day in the sun last week was Jim Gibson. A 6'6" forward who played with Riese at Mansfield, Ohio's Washington High School, Gibson had even less playing time than McAfee up until last week. This was particularly frustrating for someone whom Gordon insists is destined for stardom. But last week, Jim was given his chance and started in all three victories. He responded by averaging six points and six rebounds per game.

Winthrop assistant coach Skip Golyay said, "Jim Gibson is the only player who gets after it every day in practice." Gibson is credited by both coaches for making the plays at critical junctures (both Creamers, Raxter, and Schmidt) play better because he pressures them so.

While it is tough to be thrust into the starting lineup and expected to produce, it is equally tough to be a benched starter and try to regain your position. Such was the situation faced by Bennett last week. To add to the troubles of a shooting slump (he had gone 14 of 39 from the field in the three games prior to Coker), Bennie came down with a high fever on the day of the Coker game. Thus, he had to sit out and watch as teammate McAfee took his starting job.

But Monday night against Wofford, Bennett regained control of his game. He missed his first two shots, but from then on played brilliantly as he scored a personal high of 25 points. Bennie's performance against Wofford represented the finest comeback of any Eagle this year.

Gordon continually tells his players that it doesn't matter who starts and that everyone will get a chance to prove himself. But there's a certain pride about being a starter which cannot be overlooked. Eleven different players have started at some time or another. Dennis Creamer is the only Eagle who has started every game. But the constant battle among the players for starting positions is actually a positive aspect. Players who seek starting jobs play harder and push those who do start to play as well. This has improved the playing quality of the team as a whole and the team unity has not been damaged.

Intramural scoreboard

BASKETBALL REPORT
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**Women lose two in a row**

BY JAN WISE

The Winthrop women's basketball team fell to the Lady Panthers, 84-68, February 1, at Clemson and absorbed their second loss in a row, February 5, at Claflin College, 76-72, in overtime.

Claflin, ranked number one in the state Dunkel ratings, had a definite advantage over the Eagles; with a taller line-up at the forward and center positions, and an extremely quick point guard. Before the game, Eagle coach Linda Warren was concerned with her team’s play in Clemson's Littlejohn Coliseum. "Winthrop has not played well in the past at Littlejohn," she said.

Clemson jumped to an early lead over the Eagles, who led the game only one time; 3-8 with 14:42 left in the first half. From that point, the Tigers clearly outplayed the mistake-prone Eagles. The Winthrop defense did not adjust to the Tigers' attack until late in the first half. In the opening round of a double otter, Clafin traded two baskets with 13 seconds remaining and forced the game into an over-time.

In overtime, Winthrop and Clairene traded two baskets a piece before the Pantherettes went ahead to control the lead for the rest of the game. Claflin held on to win 78-72.

Winthrop players scored in double figures: Fields led with 16, Fields and Bland added 14 each, and Jan Rampey and Joby Williams contributed 12 each. Fields led the Eagles in rebounding with 17. Winthrop shot an overall 40 percent from the floor and 67 percent at the free throw line.

**More women in sports leads to**

"the first women’s athletic supporter"

NEW YORK, NY (CPS) -- Even as the Association for Intercollegiate Athletics for Women (AIAW) figure out what kind of future there is for women’s intercollegiate sports, a band of bra manufacturers banded together to begin marketing an item that signifies a new era in athletic support. 

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"... and now for a word from The Boss." Women's coach Linda Warren gives instructions to her team during a time-out of the Claflin game. Winthrop lost 78-72. (Photo by A.F. Smith.)
Trustees hold first meeting in '79

BY SULA SMITH

Winthrop College Board of Trustees met Thursday, February 1 in the Trustees' Conference Room to hear committee reports and to discuss the progress of various projects presented by members.

The meeting opened with the approval of the minutes from the November 2 meeting and was followed by the President's Report. Dr. Charles Vail, President, said that the enrollment had again increased from last year's figures and that the school was soon to be back into full service. Bankoff Hall is to be fully returned to a dormitory by next year. Vail said he was relieved and gratified that the school was filling to its capacity.

Vail was also pleased with the Faculty Exchange Project. He said that he was increasingly persuaded that the program, launched last summer, is beneficial. Faculty members from Western Kentucky University and Shippensburg State College were recently visited Winthrop on January 29, 30 and 31.

After this report, Board Chairperson Robert Royall, Jr., announced an announcement concerning the MacFeat Review Committee. He said that the fact Cyril R. Busbee, chairman of the committee, had declined to participate in the interview process confirmed the appointment. Busbee appointed Mrs. E. Darrell Jervis to replace him.

Mrs. Am McElvain, now appointed committee chairman, said the only decision made as of that date was that they would be finished by the first of March. A place on campus is to be arranged to hear individual and group speakers. (See accompanying story.)

Committee reports followed this announcement. First was the Committee on College Relations headed by McElvain, who made the recommendation that Dr. June Foster Mohler be appointed Dean of the School of Home Economics. This recommendation was approved unanimously, and Mohler was introduced to the Board.

The Work Force Reduction Policy was presented by Dr. Birdsell Visell, who had been particularly made on the guided tour. This policy was set for creating the college's work force in case financial trouble calls for the release of employees.

The policy states that cuts will be made without regard to race, religion, age, sex, national origin, or handicap. It applies to all, but is divided into two categories: nonclassified and non-teaching positions, and classified and teaching.

Also being discussed by the committee was the Grievance Policy Modification. The purpose of this committee is to provide an orderly process whereby any permanent employee feels that he is being treated unfairly may seek a fair and prompt review of his/her grievances. Patricia Jervey reported that slight changes had been made. The policy was approved.

The Committee for Plans and Development, headed by Mrs. Legare Hamilton, reported that Winthrop is to conduct a self-study every ten years, the next to begin next fall. Three aspects of the college—where it's come, where it is, and where it ought to be—will be examined.

Vail said that he would like to see one trustee member on each of the eleven committees soon to be selected. He said that it was the responsibility of each trustee to examine their function for the college.

McElvain made a move that the Board of Trustees get actively involved in the self-study program. The motion was approved by all.

A progress report was made by Dr. J.H. Pedgett, Dean of the School of Business, of the Small Business Development Center. He said the Center was approved over a year ago and

Old business was then discussed. Report of the Ways and Means Subcommittee was given by Vail in which he commented on enrollment and approximations. "We felt that our students weren't getting their fair share," he said. After many trips to Columbia to ask for a fair share, Vail reported that, "all the feedback from various sources indicates we've won our point with the committee. They were quite responsive." He said that he was not sure of what the exact funding will be.

Drennan next gave a report of the preliminary meeting with Geiger, McElvain and Kennedy, architects designing the new field house-multipurpose gymnasium. Drennan said emphasis was put on the multi-purpose area for college and community use. They specified an area 124 x 30 feet and 4,300 square feet usable area. Vail also commented that a tunnel would be unthinkable for Winthrop College Board of Trustees increased enrollment from about 5,000 to 7,000 in the past ten years.

The second and third items were a discussion of the study for the pedestrian crossing on Oakland Avenue. A detailed plan was performed which offers three alternatives in complying with Re. 504 regulation. Two plans, one to lower Oakland and the other to build a pedestrian tunnel under the street, were ruled out because it would be necessary to run a special water system beneath the highway. Vail also commented on the fact that a tunnel would increase muggings possibilities too great to be considered.

A third plan called for a pedestrian bridge which would be built over the street. This would require 18 foot elevations or a ramp, 300 to 400 feet long and would require 24 additional parking spaces. This would be unthinkable for the appearance of the college and impression.

Trustee Chairman Burns suggested closing the street or converting it to a circuit. He pointed out that there are 47 tunnels in the state of South Carolina. Vail agreed that building a tunnel would be too costly.

The Board decided to accept a plan that would give students more traffic and classrooms. Vail said that there was no need to ask for a fair share as they were sure of what funding will be.

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Students also may call the Officer Programs Office in Raleigh at 919-772-2647 collect.

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Dinkins Program Board

How much is ATS entertainment worth to you?

BY BONNIE JERDAN

Dinkins Policy Board is considering the pros and cons of charging admission to Across The Street, according to Ronnie Laffitte, chairman of Dinkins activities committee.

A proposal to charge students fifty to seventy-five cents admission fee to the Rathskellar is currently before the Policy Board, Laffitte said.

However, Winthrop students have a voice in the matter. Laffitte encourages students to respond to the proposal by writing down their opinions and placing them in one of two suggestion boxes located downstairs Dinkins. One box will be by the door at the bottom of the stairs. The other will be on the counter inside the snack bar.

Three options are open to consideration, Laffitte said. They are: 1) free admission to ATS, 2) admission to be charged every night, and 3) admission to be charged three or four nights a month, only on weekends and depending on the expense of the entertainment presented. The first option is the current policy. The third option is receiving the most consideration of the Policy Board. If admission is charged, a rubber stamp will be employed to permit students to come and go.

Rising costs of entertainment and a limited budget have combined to force the Dinkins Policy Board to contemplate this section. Laffitte said. He said that the money would go into providing more entertainment at ATS.

"Student response will be heavily considered," Laffitte said. "The students will decide. We need to know what they think of the proposal. The only way we'll know is if they write it down."

Sign up now for Bahamas Cruise

The deadline for signing up for the May 6-12 cruise to the Bahamas is Friday, Feb. 16, according to Dwight Watt, chairman of Dinkins travel committee.

The cost of the cruise is $350, which includes bus ride to Miami and food and berth on board the cruise ship SS Emerald Sea. A non-refundable deposit of $110 is required when signing up. Balance is due March 23.

The trip is open to Winthrop students and faculty. Those interested may sign up in Student Center Director's Office. For answers to questions, contact Student Center Director's Office or Dinkins Program Board.

"This is the same trip as we took two years ago, which was sold out," Watt said.

If Sugar isn't good enough, try Beech

Dinkins travel committee is offering a variation to snowskaters Friday, Feb. 16, according to Dwight Watt, committee chairman.

Winthrop's first trip to Beech Mountain, North Carolina, requested "by popular demand," Watt said, has been arranged.

A Trailways bus will leave Dinkins at 12:00 noon, transporting students to Beech for five hours of skiing. "Three lifts will be open all the way to the top," Watt said.

Cost of the trip is $39.95. A non-refundable deposit of $11 is required upon signing up at Dinkins Information desk.

So far, the ski trips to Sugar Mountain have been very successful, Watt said. "Twenty-five have already gone skiing this year in two trips," he said. "Our last trip will be to Sugar on the 23rd."

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Four short courses will be offered this week, according to Betsy Kirkland, Dinkins publicity committee chairman.

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In addition, the second meeting of Disco Dancing, instructed by Beverly's School of Dance, is Thursday, Feb. 15, at 8:00-9:00 in Dinkins Auditorium.

Joynes presents film poems

Independent American, Film Makers, Southern Circuit presents Scott Bartlett's five film poems considered "classics of the medium," according to Betsy Kirkland, publicity committee chairman. The film, starring Gene Wilder, Mamie Kahn and Marty Feldman, will show at Tillman at 9:00, Thursday, Feb. 15.

Joynes entertainment

ATS and movie

Dinkins Films Committee move this week is "The Adventures of Sherlock Holmes' Smarter Brother," according to Betsy Kirkland, publicity committee chairman.

The film, starring Gene Wilder, Mamie Kahn and Marty Feldman, will show at Tillman at 9:00, Thursday, Feb. 15. Also on Thursday, Dan Lewis, a country/bluegrass guitarist from Asheville, N.C., will perform at ATS. Kirkland said.

Paramount tries to cool "Fever's" temperature

Paramount Pictures gathered up every one of the 1,980 prints of the film by distribution. After a little studio music, "Fever" will reappear in March and April with a GPG rating where once there was an R.

Paramount told VARIETY that a large share of the market was cut out by the film's under-17-out-edited rating. So the studio is cutting seven minutes of the original's verbal obscenity and graphic sexual encounters, and embellishing it with some "over" shooting and dubbing. Then Paramount is spending roughly $3 million to re-introduce the PG "Fever," and figures the "fanfare appeal" of the Bee Gee's disco soundtrack and John Travolta will bring the teenagers on a run.

The film company had considered making a PG version as early as last February. But, says senior domestic sales vice-president Frank Manucco, "we realized the film was performing too strongly to risk cutting the momentum of the R version by bringing in a PG." Thus far, "Fever" has brought back $734,463,000 to Paramount in film rentals.

So now, Paramount has to worry about is the possibility of an R "Fever" being shipped out by mistake. VARIETY reports that until all prints are screwed, Paramount is laying out substantial coin" to ensure the safety, thus diminishing the possibility of seeing a bootleg "Fever" showing.
Best tilt of the day!

Good times are great times for the easy taste of Budweiser