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The Chanticleer

Eminent scholars

Cole, Stone launch program

By GREG SPOON

Presidents Emeriti Houston Cole and Ernest Stone have been named cochairmen of the eminent scholars program which was launched Sept. 16 during a press conference held at Houston Cole Library.

"The eminent scholars program is of great significance for the university," President Theron Montgomery said. "It will enable us to employ outstanding and eminent scholars and boost academics at this institution.

The university will receive \$400,000 in matching funds from the Alabama Trust Fund for Eminent Scholars if the university raises \$600,000. Interest from the fund will create endowments for selected distinguished educators to occupy chairs within the faculty. The university has set a goal of raising \$60,000 from within the university from employee payroll deduction donations from those who wish to contribute.

Other groups from whom donations will be solicited include alumni, vendors, trustees, honorary degree holders, corporations and friends of the university. Funds cannot be derived from state appropriations, student fees, federal funds or research grants.

The eminent scholars program comes at a time when a demand to raise the quality of education is permeating th nation, Cole said in his address. "The eminent scholars program will put this institution on the map as the best from an academic standpoint of any in the area," he said.

The institution exists for the students, Stone said. In reference to the eminent scholars program, the academic goals are achievable, but yet ambitious, he said.

Cole further added that "the program conceived by one of our Calhoun County legislators and implemented by the state lawmakers, offers a lifetime opportunity to JSU for enlarging and strengthening its academic program.

A development council, headed by Jack Hopper, has been established to spearhead the drive. The members of the council are Bobby Kennamer, trustee; Pete Brooks, alumni director; Jerry Cole, athletic director; Ben Kirkland, comptroller; James Reaves, vice president for academic affairs; Al Searway, Title III coordinator; Bascom Woodward, vice president for university services; Larry Smith, financial aid director; Dodie Coleman, development officer; and John Stewart, recently retired International House director.

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Dress attire is recommended because the student may wish to purchase pictures to use for application and gifts.

Faculty and staff members who missed the photographer on August 26, may have their portraits made also during these days.

Maintenance department and cleaning staff personnel are scheduled respectively at at 7:36 a.m. on Tuesday, Sept. 24, and Wednesday, Sept. 25.

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Southerners show their stuff

day night's crowd with their halftime show

The Marching Southerners thrill Satur- while the Gamecocks tied with the Bulldogs 24-24. See page 20 for full story.

Enrollment reaches

By VICKY WALLACE Chanticleer Senior Editor

"Jacksonville . . . 100 and growing." For those who have the tag, shirt, or bumper sticker with these words on it can say the words do not lie because Jacksonville for the first time in six years has grown to 7,000 students.

Preliminary figures issued Sentember 12 showed JSU gaining 256 students over last fall, according to Jerry Smith, director of admissions and records.

Even though the student enrollment at JSU has increased, the tuition has stayed the same.

In the 1979-80 school year, the

tuition and fees were then \$300 before it was raised \$50 for the 1981-82, and raised to the present \$400 fee in 1984.

Ben Kirkland, University comptroller, said student tuition fees are "a part of revenue for the University." He added that the tuition each student pays pays for 21 percent of the student attending school, 67 percent from state appropriation and the other 12 percent comes from donations and contributions.

When compared to other schools in the tuition race, JSU is the winner when it comes to being the least expensive.

Alabama A and M's tuition for the 1984-85 year was \$880 and if their tuition report for this year is the same, they would be the third least expensive school.

How is Jacksonville able to operate with the least amount of money with its 7,000 student enrollment? Kirkland says he credits this to less state support personnel which means less people to do the work and more automation or computer software being sold in tremendous amounts to other

"It all boils down to better service for the students at a less price,' Kirkland concluded.

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Newsbriefs

BENNETT PREDICTS 11.7 PERCENT STUDENT AID DEFAULT RATE IN 1985

Education Secretary William Bennett wants Congress to approve measures to curb the "alarming" one percent increase over the \$1.00 billion in default in 1984.

Bennett's plan would require state agencies to report defaulters to consumer credit bureaus, and would require agencies to distribute loans in installments.

Other changes would require Guarantee Student Loan checks be made out to both the student and the college, and make lenders and state agencies more responsible for loan collection.

TEXAS A AND M GREEKS DECLARE OPEN SEASON ON PIGS

Sigma Pi Epsilon members claim they didn't know the stray pig in their yard belonged to neighbor Albert Warren, so they killed it and ate it.

Warren spied the dead pig hanging from a tree in the frat house yard, and complained to A and M officials who said the off-campus incident was not under university control.

Meanwhile, frat members, who paid Warren \$50 for the pig, say they want to improve relations with Warren and with their other rural neighbors who complain about loud, disorderly parties at the Sigma Phi

"We didn't kill the pig for fun," explains fraternity spokesman James Saxon. "We wanted to eat it. I know this was not right, and we apologized for doing it."



U. OKLAHOMA FIRM ON SOUTH AFRICAN INVESTMENTS

OU Foundation officials say they'll keep investments in politically controversial firms despite racial unrest in South Africa, and widespread campus protest at home.

"We don't invest in companies to make a political statement, but for business reasons," says Foundation Director Ron Burton.

GALLUP POLL RECORDS AMERICAN EDUCATION ATTITUDES

The poll found 91 percent of 1,528 Americans this year considered higher education "very important" or "fairly important."

Only seven percent said a college education was "not too important." Two percent had no comment.

'WHAT WE GOT HERE IS FAILURE TO COMMUNICATE'

State Representative Barbara Pringle introduced a bill in the Ohio legislature requiring state college and university professors to be comprehensible in English to their students when her daughter complained foreign-born teachers at Ohio State and Kent State were hard to understand.

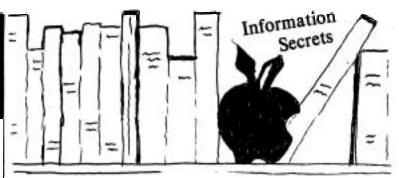
CHURCH BANS U. OF TEXAS SORORITIES

University United Methodist Church Pastor Bob Breihan says sororities, which refused this year to sign UT's non - discriminatory pledge, can't hold convocation services at the church.

A BLAST FROM THE PAST

Students at Duke University say their most vivid memories involve injuries or accidents, says Duke researcher David Rubin.

Sports was the second-biggest memory maker, followed by members of the opposite sex. Animals, deaths, vacations and the first week of college were also big nostalgia trips. But less than half of the students surveyed remembered the day President Reagan was shot, and only one in eight recalled their thirteenth birthdays.



News bank added to library resources

By AUDRA ALEXANDER

The word is out that the Houston Cole Library has acquired a new top notch reference source, News Bank. It is a current awareness reference service providing access to the contents of newspapers from over 100 cities around the country.

Articles of broad interest are selected from the newspapers and reproduced on microfiche each month. A monthly printed index to the microfiche is published and cumulated quarterly and annually.

News Bank organizes the articles on microfiche into 14 broad categories. Among them are Consumer Affairs, Education, Employment, International Affairs and Defense, and Law and Legal Systems.

Review of the Arts is included in the News Bank service with coverage of Liturature, Performing Arts, Fine Arts and Architecture, and Film and Television. Reviews of books, interviews with authors, and articles on publishing are just a few areas covered in Literature. The Performing Arts covers articles on music, theater, dance, recordings, and circus. Fine Arts accesses articles on painting, sculptures, antiques, crafts, museums, artists, and architecture. Articles on movies, broadcast and cable television, and film festivals are selected for the Film and Television

Also available is Names in the News, which provides current information of biographical interest as reported in over 100 newspapers. Articles on newsworthy people are indexed by name and by the appropriate vocational or avocational

Schedule

Members of Greek social sororities and fraternities will be pitured individually by name and class standing in separate sections of the class instead of in the group pitures used in the past.

The company will mail proofs for consideration for purchase to each participant with no pressure to buy. However, neither university officials nor yearbook staff members are responsible for the transactions between students, faculty, staff or photographic service.

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category. Articles on famous fictional characters, puppets, and animals can also be found.

Articles from all of the News Bank categories are regularly assigned additional subject headings to permit retrieval from more than one point of view. If an article is appropriate to more than one News Bank category, as well as being indexed from a different point of view for each of the categories in which it appears.

The multi-level indexing system permits the searcher to scan the range of material that is available on broad subjects. It simultaneously gives precise information on the emphasis of each article so that the searcher can determine quickly which ones are likely to be of enough interest to warrant reading in their entirety. The geographic emphasis or location for most stories in given in the index entry, most often at the lowest level, following the subject information. The location level of the index makes possible both geographically targeted searchers, and nationwide and regional comparative studies.

In Alabama, the Birmingham Post -News, the Montgomery Advertiser, and the Mobile Register are included in the News Bank. Names in the News and the News Bank Index are located on the 2nd floor, and Review of the Arts is on the 6th floor.

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Help available for students

By RITA HARCROW Chanticleer Staff Writer

CII

JSU students who are having difficulty in science, or English courses may utilize the Center for Individualized Instruction to brush up on basic skills. The center combines modern computer exercises with the old-fashioned method of one-to-one tutoring.

Tutorial assistant Carolyn Kinney has been working at CII for one year. She says that the center has been helpful to many students, espegially those who faithfully attend their appointments. "However," Kinney says, "even

"However," Kinney says, "even though a student shows improvement after coming to CII, he may still be unable to pass the course in which he is having trouble."

She adds that this usually happens when the student doesn't realize his deficiency until late in the semester, or when little effort is made to improve the needed skills.

The students whoo come to CII for help claim that the experience is usually a pleasant one. Peggy Lee, a student of the English tutorial program, says that CII has helped her a great deal. "I like my advisor a lot," she says, "We get along great. Because she cares so much about helping me, I'm really improving." Peggy, like many others who attend CII, enjoys the computer exercises because they are fun and entertaining. However, Peggy admits that in her case computers are not as effective as the advisor.

Although Peggy is repeating an English course, she says she has a better understanding and high hopes for the semester.

The Center for Individualized Instruction is located at 329 Bibb Graves Hall, with the English tutorial program at 203 Bibb Graves. Dr. Claudia McDade is the program director. Students who are having difficulty in any scholastic area may seek help at CII.

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University loses

Student wins \$5 million case

In what some higher education attorneys call a "very troubling case for colleges and universities," a judge has ruled the University of Denver must pay \$5 million to a former student who injured himself jumping on a trampoline at a campus fraternity house.

Among other things, experts fear the ruling fuels an emerging trend for courts to hold colleges more and more accountable for students' behavior.

The trend, which in recent years has cost colleges money in legal fees and damage awards to students who have had misfortunes on campuses, is convincing many schools to increase drinking ages, impose tougher dorm regulations and give themselves more lattitude in suspending students.

At DU, student Oscar Whitlock, now confined to a wheelchair, became paralyzed after falling off a trampoline at his university-owned fraternity house four years ago.

Whitlock sued DU, charging the university, as owner and landlord of the property, was responsible for its safe upkeep.

A Denver District Court jury agreed with Whitlock, and in 1982 awarded the quadriplegic student \$5.2 million in damages.

On August 8, 1985, after several appeals, the Colorado Court of Appeals restored the jury's \$5.2 million award to Whitlock

"It was really just a question of whether the university, with the many controls it already placed on the house, such as limiting the size of fraternity signs, the number of people in the building, and so on, was also responsible for seeing that a dangerous piece of equipment, which officials knew about, was removed from the property," explains J. Kent Miller, one of Whitlock's attorneys.

"We proved that DU officials knew about (the trampoline), and we even had some of them testify that they were fully aware of the dangers of trampolines and the potential for serious injuries," Miller says. "And we

argued that as owner and controller of the property, the school was negligent when it failed to correct what was known to be a potentially dangerous situation.

All of which scares college liability experts.

The appellate court ruling "is a very troubling case for colleges and universities," notes attorney George Dikeou, a college liability expert for the National Association of College and University Attorneys.

Indeed, over the last several years courts have placed more responsibility on colleges and universities for insuring the safety and welfare of students.

Just last summer, for instance, a state court held the State University of New York at Stony Brook partly responsible for the rape of a student in one of its dorms because officials failed to lock and secure the entryway.

Another student successfully got payment from the University of Alabama for a rape in an off-campus house owned by the school, and the survivors of a gruesome kidnapping and murder case at North Carolina Wesleyan are suing the school for not properly lighting a parking lot.

About 72 percent of the schools belonging to the Christian College Coalition say they've been sued by students over events ranging from being cut by a broken window to football injuries to, in one case, getting too fat on dorm food.

A host of other schools have been held liable for accidents involving student drinking and misbehavior.

The DU ruling, some experts say, makes colleges even more vulnerable.

"Universities own property all over the place," lawyer Dikeou notes. "Now are they going to be responsible for inspecting and policing everything that goes on any property they own?

'That's exactly what could happen,' says Liz Williams, DU's vice chancellor of financial affairs. 'Judgements of this sort are not just hurting all colleges and universities.

Williams says DU plans to appeal the decision to the State Supreme Court "soon."

EMS offers free CPR courses

By Vicky Wallace Chanticleer Senior Editor

Seventy-five members of the Alpha Xi Delta sorority completed a four-hour Cardio-plumonary Resucitation, or CPR, course given by eight volunteer Jacksonville emergency medical technicians at the College of Nursing recently.

Jennie Wilson, an honorary member of the sorority and a volunteer paramedic with the Jacksonville E.M.S., organized the Alpha Xi Delta course which was reportedly the first sorority and largest group to take the course on campus, she said.

Ms. Wilson said there is no charge for Heart saver course, nor the second course called Basic Cardiac Lifesupport.

The 4-6 hour Heartsaver course deal solely with the one-rescurer CPR, while the 6-8 hour BCL goes more depth with the one-recuer CPR, two-recuer CPR and infant CPR.

She said most people register for the one-rescuer CPR (Heartsaver), which helps the paramedics in emergencies. "I'm hoping the whole city of Jacksonville will take the course because they can be giving CPR while we, the paramedics, are arriving to do some more lifesaving," she added.

All 75 members of Alpha Xi Delta, who are now all certified after passing the certification test,

learned how CPR combines mouthto-mouth breathing with compressions on the chest, in the proper sequence and rhythm to keep oxygen-rich blood flowing through the body of someone whose heart or lungs have stopped working.

In addition, they learned that CPR is vital in any situation in which heartbeat or breathing stop. These situations include heart attacks, drowinings, smoke inhalation, electrocution, certain poisonings and allergic reactions.

Ms. Wilson stressed that local ambulance services are made up of crews with advanced training and equipment, but their success in saving emergency patients depends in large part on how well bystanders help the victim before the ambulance arrives.

The American Medical Association Estimates 300,000 lives per year could be saved in the U.S. if 20 percent of the adult population knew CPR and if paramedics were available in most locales within 10 minutes.

Ms. Wilson said she and her fellow EMTs hoped to run numerous CPR courses on campus this year and she encouraged those interested in arranging to take the CPR courses can call her at 435-2230.

"I'm hoping this will interest everyone, especially all of the sororities and fraternities, on campus enough to get involved," Ms. Wilson concluded.

serves the part-time students

By Vicky Wallace Chanticleer Senior Editor

Over 300 students in junior or senior standing attend Jacksonville and get their degrees but never set foot on campus. These students are a part of the C.U.U.P. or Cooperative University Upper-Division Program.

The CUUP is a joint academic program of Jacksonville State University and the University of Alabama in Tuscaloosa which got its start on the campus of Gadsden State Junior College in 1972, said Dr. William Carr, Dean of Graduate Studies.

This program is designed to appeal to the working student by providing classes which start from midafternoon to late afternoon, Carr said. These students can continue to work and earn credits toward a bachelor's degree at the same time.

The maximum hours a student can take in the program is 15 hours.

Advantages to CUUP can be many to the part-time student:

1. Students save campus living expenses and the expense of driving those long distances each day.

2. The CUUP is run on a quarterly schedule which means a student can complete a degree quicker than those on a semester system. The quarter system also enables students to select courses in their program of study which offered by either university.

Carr said the CUUP "is designed to serve those in the

Gadsden area and those north of Gadsden." He added that JSU is the sole owner of a separate CUUP which is stationed at Fort McClellan with Dr. Maxine Rose as the coordinator.

"For classes that both institutions offer, we crosslist them where a JSU student can register under a Jacksonville course number or vise versa," Carr said.

In order to be eligible for the program, students should be interested in obtaining a bachelor's degree in Gadsden from either Jacksonville or Gadsden, have completed the first two years of college study, have a wish to earn additional college credit before transferring to another institution or to a main campus , have maintained a "C" average in their previous college coursework and those who seek a teacher certification.

Carr said that there is a change occurring in the Gadsden CUUP. "The University of Alabama will phase out its part of the CUUP program at the end of May 1986 and JSU will continue to serve the people in the community as we have in the past. Enrollment of UA is declining so much that it is no longer feasible for them to continue. We anticipate our enrollment will increase when UA phases out its program, because some of their students will want to transfer to our program," Carr

For those interested in obtaining additional information or academic advisement concerning CUUP should contact: Dawn Van Keuren, the CUUP coordinator and student adviser of JSU, or write or call: George Wallace Drive, Gadsden, Alabama 35999, 546-

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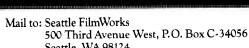
The English Competency Examination will be given on Tuesday, October 1 at 2:30-4:00 with a make-up exam on Wednesday, October 2 at 6:00-7:30 Stone Center.

Students who are eligible to take the exam should preregister for it by signing a list in Stone Center 215 (the English Office). At that time they will be assigned a room in which to take the exam.

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Announcements

Phi Beta Lambda, National Business Fraternity, held it s first meeting on Tuesday, September 10. Members wishing to run for office were to meet Wednesday the 11th and elections were held Tuesday the 17th. events for the upcoming year were discussed and questionairres handed out.

Are you a re-entry student? Are you over the age of 25? Was your education interrupted by children, a job, military service, or some other reason? If so, then you are a re-entry student. More than 20 percent of the students on this campus are returning to school after a break in their education.

Re-entry students meet twice a month for lunch at the Hopper cafeteria between 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. No formal meeting is planned; students and interested faculty just gather and eat together (Dutch treat) at whatever time they are free between those hours.

The first meeting was held Wednesday, September 18. The next meeting will be Thursday, September 26. The meetings alternate days of the week to accommodate to different schedules.

The Re-entry Student Association was created several years ago to provide an opportunity for older students to meet others like themselves. These students also share information, resources and ideas. In short, they provide a support group for each other.

All Re-entry students are invited to come to the cafeteria Thursday, September 26, for the next gathering any time between 11:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. Look for the big Re-entry students sign on one of the tables. For further information, see the faculty advisor, Dr. Mary Martha

Thomas, in the history department, 305 Stone Center.

A student chapter of the Society for Advancement of Management, an International Management Organization, is being introduced to the campus this fall. The primary purpose of this organization is to help students make a smoother transition from campus life to a career after

A unique characteristic of this organization is that it is open to all majors. Let's face it, everyone is involved in management, whether you are managing your time, money, yourself, or others.

The JSU chapter of College Republicans meets Thursday, September 19, at 4:00 p.m. in room 232 Martin Hall. Last year's members and interested persons are encouraged to attend. This semester's activities include films and guest speakers.

College Republicans is the largest and oldest campus political group in the country with 1500 chapters nationwide. The group functions as the official link to the GOP on college campuses.

The Student Dietetics and Food Service Association held its first meeting September 5 at Mason Hall. New officers elected for the coming year are: president-Sharon Cooley, vice president- Debra Doster, secretary- Jan Saunders, treasurer- Kelly Gaddy, and public relations- Janice DeCambra.

The Association made plans to sell Current stationary and notecards to sponsor a trip to the state dietetics annual meeting and for nutritional education material.

Any dietetic or food service majors or interested persons are welcomed to attend future meetings.

For more information please contact Dr. Sowell or Mrs. Goodwin of the Home Economics department.

Looking for friends? Looking for fun? The Baptist Campus Ministry has what you are looking for. You don't have to be Baptist- the group is interdenominational.

The main event at the BCM is the informal worship service held on Tuesday nights at 7 p.m. It's called CELEBRATION and each week a different speaker and musical group come for a time of fellowship and creative worship.

Another big event at the BCM is the Bible studies held on Thursdays at 6 p.m. These studies are directed by Bruce Gentry. The study lasts for about an hour and it is a good time to meet new people.

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For those who are musically inclined, the BCM choir meets Monday nights at 7 p.m. in the choir room. Revised Edition is an auditioned ensemble sponsored by the BCM.

Other activities include ACTS, a creative drama group which meets on Thursdays at 7:15 p.m., a noon-time meal on Wednesdays served from 11:15 to 12:15 and "Fifth Quarter" fellowship after home football games

The BCM is located on a hill between Brewer and Martin Halls.

Reminder . . . Reminder

REMEMBER to have your student ID validated for the fall semester in Room 107 Bibb Graves Hall. This will enable you to attend all athletic events free, check-out library books, use the coliseum and other campus activities. Any ID card not validated for the current semester will be taken up at the gate of the athletic event.



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AIDS questions addressed

(Editor's Note: The Sept. 17 edition of the STAR news magazine presented 10 of the most asked questions about AIDS and the most authoritative answers from the U.S. Public Health Service and the American Red Cross. These facts were verified by Kent Keys, an emergency room doctor of Jacksonville Hospital.)

By Christina Kirk

The mysterious disease AIDS, first reported in the United States just four years ago, is now the nations third biggest health fear.

Ranking behind cancer and heart disease in a recent national poll, AIDS was rated a major health threat that is expected to become even more widespread.

Public knowledge of AIDS has increased rapidly with the publicity surrounding the recent discovery that film legend Rock Hudson is one of its victims. But many misconceptions about the disease still persist, giving rise to unwanted fears.

1. What is AIDS?

Aquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome (AIDS) is a serious condition characterized by a defect in the body's natural immunity against diseases.

2. What are some of the diseases affecting AIDS patients?

People who have AIDS are vulnerable to serious illnesses which would not be a threat to anyone whose immune system is functioning normally. These illnesses are referred to as "opportunistic" infections or diseases.

About 85 percent of AIDS patients studied have had one or both of two rare diseases - pneumocystics carinii pneumonia (PCP), a parasitic infection of the lungs, and a type of cancer known as Kaposi's sarcoma (KS).

3. What causes AIDS?

Investigators have discovered the virus that causes AIDS. Different groups of investigators have given different names to the virus, but they all appear to be the same virus.

The virus is called human T-lymphotropic virus type III (HTLV-III); lymphadenopathy associated virus (LAV); or AIDS-related virus (ARV).

Infection with this virus does not always lead to AIDS. Most infected people remain in good health; others may develop illnesses varying in severity from mild to extremely serious.

4. Who gets AIDS?

Since the mid-1981, the Public Health Service has received reports of more than 12,000 cases in the United States. About 50 percent of these cases have resulted in death.

Ninety-four percent of the AIDS cases have occurred in the following groups of people:

- Sexually active homosexual and bisexual men with multiple partners (73 percent).

- Present or past abusers of intavenous drugs (17 percent). - People who have had tranfusions with blood or blood

products (2 percent). - People with hemophilia or other blood coagulation

disorders (1 percent). - Heterosexual contacts of someone with AIDS or at risk for AIDS (1 percent).

- Some six percent of patients do not fall into any of these groups, but researchers believe that transmission occurred in similar ways.

Infants and children who have developed AIDS may

have been exposed to HTVL-III before or during birth, or shortly thereafter, or may have a history of transfusions

5. How is AIDS spread?

AIDS is spread by sexual contact, needle sharing or, less commonly, through blood or its components. The risk of getting AIDS is increased by having multiple sexual partners, either homosexual or heterosexual, and sharing nedles among those using illicit drugs.

6. What are some of the myths about AIDS?

Casual contact with AIDS patients or people who might be at risk for the illness does NOT place others at risk of getting the illness. No cases have been found where AIDS has been transmitted by casual household contact with AIDS patients or people at higher risk for

Although the AIDS virus has been found in saliva and tears, there are no cases which exposure to either has shown to result in transmission.

7. How safe is the blood supply?

Before the institution of recent safeguards, the risk of aquiring AIDS from a blood transfusions was about one in several hundred thounsand. Now the risk is much lower because of a new blood test which detects antibodies (substances produced in the blood to fight diease organisms) to the virus.

Presence of HTVL-III antibodies means that a person has been infected with the AIDS virus; it does not tell whether the person is still infected. The antibody test is used to screen donated blood and plasma.

The diease CANNOT be aquired by donating blood. All equipment used to draw blood is sterile and nonreusable, including needles. The site on the skin from which blood is drawn is thoroughly cleansed by staff, who draw blood only from healthy volunteer donors.

8. How is AIDS diagnosed?

Most people infected with the IADS virus have no symptoms and feel well. Some develop symptoms which may include tiredness, fever, loss of appetite and weight, diarrhea, night sweats and swollen glands (lymph nodes) - usually in the neck, armpits or groin. Anyone with such symptoms which continue for more than two weeks should see a doctor.

The presence of opprotunistic diseases, plus a positive test for antibodies to HTVL-III, can also make possible a diagnosis of AIDS.

9. How is AIDS treated?

Currently there are no anti-viral drugs available that have proven to cure AIDS, although the search for such a drug is being pursued vigorously. Some drugs have been found that inhibit the AIDS virus, but these do not lead to clinical improvement.

Though no treatment has yet been successful in restoring the immune system of an AIDS patient, doctors have had some success in using drugs, radiation and surgery to treat the various illnesses of AIDS patients.

10. Can AIDS be prevented?

(See AIDS, Page 1)

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Record matter of pride

JSU Army Reserve Officer Training Corps cadets brought home the two highest awards presented at the annual six week ROTC Advanced Camp held at Fort Riley, Kansas. This marks the first time in JSU history that such an achievement has been reached. The two awards received were "Highest School Average on the Army Physical Readiness Test" and "Highest School Average of Recipients Receiving the RECONDO Badge."

The Army Physical Readiness Test consists of three events: push-ups, sit-ups, and a two mile run. Each event is worth a possible 100 points. The JSU cadet class of nineteen males and three females scored an average of 284 points. JSU's female cadets all scored a perfect 300 on

Seventeen cadets received the RECONDO badge. They achieved a 77 percent rating in several training activities such as land navigation, weapons qualification, mountaineering, water training, and the physical readiness test. Once again the three females excelled as they all received the badge.

One of the main reasons the Jax State cadets performed so well at camp is because of the intense Minimester training they received. During this period the cadets undergo a pre-camp session in which they are tested under conditions similar to those of Advanced Camp. Special emphasis is placed on physical training and the application of leadership skills learned during the junior year.

The cadets were exposed to a variety of field leadership exercises at Camp. They received orientation on the branches of the Army and witnessed demonstrations featuring the newest Army weapons including the Bradley Fighting Vehicle, the Abrams M-1 Tank, the Cobra Attack Helicopter , and the Air Force's A-10 Attack Aircraft. Cadets were challenged by the leader ship reaction course which involved the application of leadership abilities and physical stamina. Particularly challenging was the water training consisting of a slide for life, a 40 foot rope drop, and a river crossing.

The Advanced Camp attendees lived up to the Jax State tradition of excellence and have provided a difficult standard for this year's Junior

Polansky conducts abuse workshop

abuse and neglect is invited to hear Parents Anonymous at 236-4242. Dr. Norman A. Polansky, author and leading authority in the field, during a workshop at Jacksonville State University's College of Nursing auditorium on Thursday, October 3, from 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Sponsored by Parents Anonymous of Calhoun County and others, the workshop will address the theme 'Damaged Parents - Damaged Children." The workshop is for social workers, professionals, and anyone interested in the topic. A \$30 fee will cover the cost of materials and lunch.

Area medical personnel will attend a similar workshop at Regional Medical Center on Wednesday, October 2, from 8 a.m. - noon.

Advance registration is required

Anyone concerned about child for both sessions. To register, call

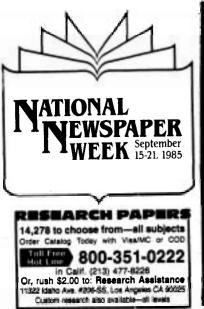
Dr. Polansky is regents' professor of social work emeritus at the University of Georgia. Educated at Harvard, Case Western Reserve, and Michigan State, he has been on the faculties of Wayne State University, Case Western Reserve, Smith College for Social Work, and the University of Pennsylvania.

His career has alternated among teaching, research, and the practice of casework, psychotherapy, and psycho drama. Since 1965 he has been conducting studies of the causes of child neglect and has authored and co-authored numerous papers and books. His book titles include ROOTS OF FUTILITY. His most recent research interest has been on coping with loneliness.

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Student loans, debts addressed

graduates are having smaller families and postponing major purchases such as cars and homes because they are leaving school with large financial aid debts, according to preliminary results of a new nationwide survey of aid recipients.

The findings confirm fears of many college aid experts that a continuing reliance on loans over grants for the last decade and skyrocketing tuition rates have forced students to borrow more than they can reasonably repay after graduating.

The student debt issue, moreover, promises to play an increasingly important role in how financial aid is structured, as well as the amount of money any one student can borrow.

"We are seeing instances where students' lifestyles are being affected by the large amounts of money they have to pay back when they graduate college," reports

the National Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators (NASFAA), which sponsored the survey of 3,000 Guaranteed Student Loan (GSL) borrowers from colleges around the country.

Among other things, the students with bigger debts tend to delay raising families, buying homes, and purchasing cars because they can't afford the added financial commitments, the survey shows.

The survey, which Martin calls the most extensive study of financial aid debtors ever undertaken, also shows that younger, more recent graduates are having the most difficulty repaying their loans because they had to borrow more to meet soaring costs.

Single women, too, have more trouble repaying their loans because a year, compared to \$23,000 for men -- after graduating, the study shows.

In the early 1970's, nearly two-thirds of all student aid money was awarded in direct, non-repayable grants to students.

Today, nearly two-thirds of all aid money is loaned.

Besides increasing grant money, the government should also stop increasing loan limits, Mitchem adds, "because it would only allow more students to borrow more than they are capable of repaying."

"There's a lot of concern over student debt, but there is also a lot of concern over the fact that loan limits aren't keeping pace with college cost," explains ACE policy analyst Scott Miller.

"A lot of people want the limits publed," he says. "We're doubled," recommending what we think is a reasonable increase in limits, but they get lower salaries - only \$17,400 not one that is big enough to add significantly to the debt burden problem."



CALL: 238-1414

Crime stoppers needs your help this week in solving a recent burglary which oc-cured in Oxford. Some time between the hours of 7 p.m. and midnight, Saturday, August 17, 1985, unknown persons broke into the residence of Mr. David Daniels, 3102 A Appleyalley Lane, Oxford, AL by prying open a rear window. After gaining entry into Mr. Daniel's residence, the burglars stole the following items:

2-Bingham PPS-50 .22 caliber rifles which look similar to Russian machine

1-Savage Model 340 .225 caliber rifle

1-Marlin Model 336 .30-30 caliber rifle

1-Browning Model A 5 .16 guage shotgun

1-Ithica Model featherweight .20 guage shotgun

1-Winchester Model 94 .30-

30 caliber rifle

1-Ruger model 1022 .22 caliber rifle

and 1-Barnett Panzer II crossbow

The total value of the stolen items was over \$1200.

If you have any information as to the identity of the persons who broke into Mr. Daniels' house, or any other crime, call Calhoun County Crime Stoppers at 238-1414. If you live outside or the Anniston dialing area, but within 40 miles, call Crime Stoppers at 1-238-1414 TOLL FREE. You do not have to give your name and if your information leads to te arrest and binding over to a Grand Jury of the persns involved, you'll be eligible fo a reward of up to \$1000 CASH. In addition to this reward, Mr. Daniels is offering an additional reward

of \$1000. Remember, Crime

Stopers wants your in-

formation, NOT your name.

AIDS:

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There is no vaccine for AIDS itself, although scientists are trying to develop one. However, there is good reason to beleive that individuals can reduce their risk of contracting AIDS by following these steps recommended oy the U.S. Public Health Service:

- Do NOT have sexual contact with people known to have AIDS or suspected of having it.

- Do NOT have sex with multiple partners, or with people who have had multiple partners.

PEOPLE with the risk of having AIDS shold NOT donate blood.

- PHYSICIANS should order blood transfusions for patients only when medically necessary.

- Health workers should use extreme care when disposing of hyperdermic needles.

- DO NOT abuse intravenous (IV) drugs. If you use IV drugs, then sharing needles or syringes shold not be done (boiling does not guarantee sterility).

- DO NOT have sex with people who abuse IV drugs. - DO NOT use inhalant nitites (poppers). Their role as a co-factor for Kaposi's sarcoma (KS) is being investigated.



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J.D.'s Ramblings

Avert disaster-Buy American goods

commists and politicians who sided with Fritz Mondale over the ral deficit issue last year before Reagan's reelection will be sure to their beads and cluck." I told you so," upon hearing the latest comic news. In an economic report just released that covered the od quarter of this year, the United States has passed Mexico and it is become the largest debtor nation in the world. Our foreign that the enset of US involvement in World War II. In this major problem didn't creep up on us one night it was there are Reagan's election in 1960. Unforbanately, in trying to pull our on out of its economic recession, the deficit (or money we owe) seed our worse than anyone could have predicted. Our nation's citie has gotten out of hand, or only have we borrowed heavily from other countries, the strength is dollar abroad has slowed our exports. For example, the exchange of the definit to foreign currency has encouraged American tourists of abroad, but it is prohibitively expensive for foreign visitors to a to the States. In the same vein, foreign-made goods, from electic equipment to textiles to sotomobiles, are generally cheaper for buy than comparable US-made items.

Inow the question comes down to "How can a trade deficit burt me if can buy so much!" Eastly. If American companies cannot sell products as cheap or cheaper than foreign competitors, lay-offs plant shat-downs are inevitable. The textile industry, once the matay of the small towns of the South, is quickly retreating from the snapt of fabric and clothes made in Hong Kong, Talwan, and other up labor markets. Let's suppose that import restrictions of textiles it imposed. The effect upon the Amiston-Jackscoville area could issist our. One of Amiston's biggest employers, Monsanto, maken chemicals used in polyester and in poly-cotton blend fabric, give how depressed the conomy of Calhoun County would be if one the plant the size of Monsanto closed. The Amiston Army Depot and MicClellan employ many people, to be sure, but neither institut is big enough to carry an ent

r solutions have been proposed, but only two of those could be tically applied. The House Ways and Means Committee, chaired mocrat Dan Rostenkowski has heard a proposal that would tack a reest surcharge on all imports, including the higgest importer of to the US— Japan. That same committee will soon vote on a billing turtile imports. It should reach the House floor some time

The Reagan administration claims that either of those proposals would be too costly to the consumer and limit the economic growth. His two policy, expected to debut next week, will probably include reprisals against unfair trading partners and aimost \$300 million in loans to agging US industries.

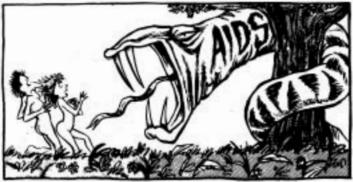
agging US industries.

To avert financial disaster, the fourth proposal must be implement a soon as possible: trim the federal budget. The potential for a seconsion lies somewhere shead if steps aren't taken to reduction to the seconsion lies somewhere shead if steps aren't taken to reduction of the secons of the secons of taken to reduct rowing deficit. The average American family saves only six pero a total income. If and when those foreign losms are due at when the set in the save and the second factories shut down because of foreign competition, think ow far that tiny savings account will take the average American are the saverage are savely. Maybe we can all do our part and "buy American", or the saverage area.











Stigma of AIDS cruel to victims

By VICKY WALLACE Chanticleer Senior Editor

The biggest news item on television, radio, newspapers, magazines and any other mass medium is the dreaded disease AIDS. Even though the disease was discovered by doctors only 4 years ago, it is rated the nation's third largest killer disease behind cancer and heart disease

Ever since the media announced to America that Rock Hudson had the disease a domino effect has occurred. Talk has circulated about those enlisting in the Army having to take the AIDS screening test.

USA Today reported in its Sept. 16 issue that Hollywood is so hysterical about AIDS that some stars are demanding that new cast members be screened and some are even shunning love scenes.

It is a cruel fact that 13-year-old Ryan White is involved in a universal AIDS controversy which was not his fault, but a cruel twist of

After receiving a routine blood transusion for his hemophilia, the blood was found to be contaminated with the AIDS virus. Now he has to attend seventh grade by telephone while the controversy of whether he should attend school continues to be a hot issue.

How much can he take? On top of hemophilia and contracting the dreaded AIDS disease, the 13-yearold has no playmates, cannot attend school like any other kid his age and is an outcast in his own town of Kokomo, Ind.

It is understandable that the parents of the other children are afraid for their children to be around Ryan, but this is just plain cruel. Doctors have stated that the only way AIDS can be contracted is through sexual contact, needle sharing and less commonly, blood transfusions.

Why are the adults making such a fuss if it is a known fact that AIDS cannot be contracted by casual contact with the AIDS victim or saliva or tears containing the AIDS

Children can be even more: cruel to one another than adults.

A story in the Star magazinenewspaper said Ryan's mother Jeanne stated that : Some of the kids his age have called him a 'faggot' and made fun of him, and Ryan knows he'll get some of that at

Who are we to judge? Should we not be trying to pull together to find a cure for this disease instead of isolating ourselves from those unfortunate enough to catch it? Do we isolate our children and ourselves from the millions of cancer patients? If we did, there would be no room left on the earth to run.

Parents involved in this controversy and those of us who feelit's not our problem might change our minds if this happened to us or a close relative.

As Ryan's mother put it, if they could just spend just two day in my shoes, they'd act differently." And, indeed, we all would.

Letters to the

Controversy surrounds South Africa's Botha

Dear Editor.

Apartheid is a very controversial issue right now. Here are my views on the subject.

Committed to a racist system of control, the Nazis contrived a "denationalization" program the likes of which the world thought it would never see again. Until now. Spawning its

denationalization campaign, the South African government stripped eight million blacks of their citizenship, slapping dissenters into confinement. Systematically deported to homelands and economic wastelands that offer little hope of independent survival, most blacks have lost faith in the prospect of peaceful change.

Touting its new constitution as a human rights advance, the apartheid regime has in fact continued the political disenfranchisement of blacks in a constitutional environment of racism. South African President Botha refuses to choose any peaceful means of change, and is already losing control of the people. Botha's actions have shown him to be naive, immoral, cruel, and completely lacking in his understanding of the demands of the black majority in South Africa.

Freedom loving nations have been led to believe that Botha would make a long awaited declaration or statement that apartheid, South Africa's system of legal racism, would come to an end. But as long as he is President, there is no hope for moderation.

The United States legitimates and rewards these inhuman practices in South Africa with aid, trade investments, and military hardware. In fact, they are openly collaborating with a system the international community scorns. Apartheid will fall. The question is when and how.

MICHAEL TAIWO

Harvest comes from trees, too

Dear Staff:

This is my third fall at JSU and every year it has been the same. As our beautiful trees begin to shed their leaves, the "leaf brigade" appears and robs all of us. It is a subtle theft, where the robbers are even ignorant of the crime.

Nature has provided that leaves participate in the recycling of life. By returning precious nutrients to the soil as they decompose, the leaves save money that is spent on fertilizer in the spring. The leaves also act to hold moisture around the trees and shrubs and prevent the soil from eroding.

This natural process is stolen away with the mindless swipe of a

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David Broder

Tax reform still hot issue in Congress

chance-even at this late date-for President Reagan to salvage



Broder

something substantial from a session o f Congress that has been more of a shambles than the triumph to which second-term landslide might normally have entitled him.

The "something" is no cheap, symbolic victory but a major step toward the overhaul of the Federal tax code-the goal which Reagan put at the top of his wish list back in January, when the election mandate was fresh and shiny.

Since then, the President has been forced to sound retreat on defense spending, to accept a budget that fell far short of dealing with the deficit problem and to see much of his social-issue agenda rejected.

This month, he is scrambling to find compromises that will spare his policy on South Africa and on foreign trade from being run over a

rebellious Republican Senate

The only thing that can rescue this year from going into the record books as the year the "Reagan Revolution" ran aground is a breakthrough on the big tax bill.

And given the widespread belief that Reagan has failed to ignite the voters' passion for what he likes to call "America's tax plan," a victory on this measure would seem like a real long shot.

But it's a long shot that can come through.

The chief reason for making that rash judgment is a bit of political perversity: This is one issue where the divided party control of Congress works to the President's advantage.

The best political operatives in the administration are convinced that they can get a serious, substantive tax bill through the House before Halloween.

They believe this because Chairman Dan Rostenkowski (D-Ill.) of the House Ways and Means Committee has set that as his timetable, and Rostenkowski is in a position to deliver. By force of personality, more than by intellectual dominance, the veteran Chicago Democrat has begun to build into his fractious committee a sense of the discipline he learned in the Daley machine.

Those who attended the committee's "retreat" last weekend in Virginia were impressed by the group spirit Rostenkowski has built and by the absence of doctrinaire or demagogic debate on the tax bill.

patiently, Slowly and Rostenkowski has managed to cultivate the notion among his colleagues that this is the opportunity for Ways and Means to demonstrate that the cynics are wrong. This is their chance to show that they are not so hog-tied by the campaign contributions they have received, not so subservient to the lobbyists that surround them, that they cannot legislate in the national

Rostenkowski's motives are complex but powerful, and he is ready to ride his committee hard in closed-door markup sessions and to make the compromises there that will prevent the bill from being picked apart on the House floor. The substantive issues are serious, but after the "retreat," they do not seem insoluble, as long as Rostenkowski can maintain the current camaraderie within his committee.

If the Democratic House passes a strong tax by a big bipartisan margin in October, as now neems possible, the political heat will shift to the Republican Senate.

No one in the administration is kidding himself about the Senate's wish to duck, defer or defeat the whole Reagan-inspired scheme. The Senate cares more about the deficit, trade, farm supports, foreign policy and a dozen other things than it does about tax reform. It has its own ideas on rewriting the tax code, which are far removed from Reagan's or Rostenkowski's and tend to favor some form of consumption or business transfer tax.

Left to its own devices, the Senate might well postpone tax reform right past the 1986 election or hold it hostage for Reagan's acceptance of a tax increase.

But if Rostenkowski delivers on schedule, Reagan will have an opportunity to capture the momentum

of his House victory and tell the Republican senate: I want you to deal with this tax issue in November as responsibly and promptly as the House has done in October.

Despite their claims that the calendar is running out on Senate action this year, it might be hard for Majority Leader Bob Dole (R-Kan.) and Senate Finance Committee chairman Bob Packwood (R-Ore.) to refuse such a request from a President about to leave these shores for a summit meeting with the leader of the Soviet Union. What the Senate puts in the bill is probably less important to the administration than its moving a measure to passage before adjournment.

The final tax terms will be written in the House-Senate conference committee in any case. But if both chambers have passed tax-reform in 1985, there is little risk it will die in conference in 1986.

Instead, the odds would be good for Reagan receiving a delayed Christmas present soon after Congress returned in January-and before it received his new budget and resumed its normal pattern of kicking Reagan around.

Letters to the editor

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rake each fall. It would be a simple matter, and no more time consuming to rake the leaves around the base of the trees and shrubs, particularly in areas so obviously suffering from soil degradation.

This procedure benefits us by using a natural method to improve our campus asthetically through the covering of bare hard-packed patches of soil and exposed roots and effectively through nutrient

I'm sure our administration would agree that a method of ground maintenance that could save money and be an example to out community that JSU practices basic conservation techniques is certainly worth a try.

I hope we can all see a more effective use of the leaf brigade this year.

Vicki Jenks Geography-Biology Major

SGA encourages Homecoming spirit

Dear Editor:

Homecoming is going to be very exciting this year, and it is important for students to get involved. For \$30.00 any organization can sponsor a contestant in the 1985 Homecoming Queen Pageant. Not only will clubs be promoting their organization, but also the homecoming spirit of the entire campus.

The SGA encourages clubs to show their school spirit by sponsoring one or more candidates in this year's contest

Entry forms will be available in the SGA office, 4th floor TMB, Thursday, Sept. 19.

Michael French, SGA President

Mimosa staff reminds of schedule

Dear Students, Faculty and Staff: Pictures for the portrait section of the 1986 Mimosa will be taken Sept. 23- Oct. 4 on the second floor of Theron Montgomery Building between Hardee's and the bookstore.

Please cooperate and have your photograph taken if you have not already done so. If you are a member of a social (Greek) fraternity or sorority, please make sure you fill out the proper colorcoded labels when your picture is taken; your photo will be in a separate section set aside especially for members of your fraternity or sorority.

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York is one rotten apple

By JAN DICKINSON Associate Editor

Thank goodness someone in Washington finally realized that the American taxpayers are tired of funding useless projects. It's bad enough that defense contractors had been selling \$600 toilet seats and \$100 hammers to the Pentagon, but the Sergeant York anti-aircraft weapon was the final straw.

The idea for the weapon was brilliant- a robot tank to patrol battlefields, firing with pinpoint accuracy at any enemy aircraft that happened to come within range. The possibilities for robot-controlled weapons, both defensive and offensive, are endless, and the Sergeant York could have helped to cut casualities.

Opponents of the project in Congress angrily pointed out that if the machine couldn't even hit the clumsy, slow-flying drones, how well could it be expected to perform against the sophisticated weaponry of today?

After a sour review of the project on CBS's 60 Minutes, even more voices joined in the clamor against "Sarge". After pressure from the White House and Congress, the Pentagon decided it was best to scrap the project. It's good to see that someone still cares about how our tax dollars are spent. But it's too bad the Tennessee hero's namesake turned out to be such a lemon.

Mission field highlights reviewed

by ROY WILLIAMS Chanticleer Senior Editor

Forty-two JSU students, members of the Baptist Campus Ministry, served as summer missionaries this past summer. The Student Missions Program offers college students the oportunity to perform a ministry and share experiences with people in the missions field throughout the U.S. and the world.

Each summer missionary served a period of nine to ten weeks, from June to mid-August. "The sponsoring organization or host mission provided each student with transportation to and around the place of service, a salary of about \$55 per a week, and room and board, explained Bob Ford, the JSU Baptist Campus Minister.

"I am extremely proud of our students," said Ford. "They all did a wonderful job, and have returned home with information inspirational to themselves, their families and friends."

Lisa Marsengill served in Harlem, New York this summer. Among her activities were working on a bread line and food pantry for the poor people of the neighborhood, conducting Vacation Bible Schools and Park Bible Schools, teaching a sewing and exercise class, and helping with a Senior Citizen Luncheon.

Though Lisa was serving in an entirely black neighborhood she did not consider her color difference to be a problem. matter 'No what color skin we have, we are MARSENGILL

all basically the same. Many of us place too much emphasis on skin color, but what really matters is the kind of people we are inside."

"It was different, going from being a majority down here to a minority in Harlem," she added. "I was not accepted by everyone at first, but as the weeks went by their view of me changed. I was just starting close relationships with the people at the end of my 10 weeks of service. That's the hardest part to leave behind."

Lisa recalled some of her most memorable experiences in Harlem. "I met a 93-year-old woman named Edna, who had a tremendous impact on me. She had serious leg problems; in fact, the doctors first thought they would have to amputate them. I visited her several times, and saw a lot of God through her. She was always so thankful and happy to see me. Whenever I needed praise or someone to talk to and help me make it through the day, she was there."

"Another time," she added, "I happened to walk past a drug deal going on in the street. When they saw me, the guys stopped because

they thought I was a cop."

While working in Harlem, Lisa learned to depend on God much more because of the dangerous conditions of the area. "The people I met helped me to grow spiritually. because when you are faced with some of the problems they had, you have to pray to God daily for survival. Mentally, I learned a lot about myself. My parents have supported me all my life. I looked at the people I met in Harlem, and realized how much we take for granted. There are many people in Harlem who want to do things like go to college, but cannot because of money problems. When you have so much, you often tend to forget what is really important in life."

Mike Oliver spent his summer in Israel, working at a youth camp. His activities included serving as sports director (in charge of arranging any type of sports activities or competitions that were held), working as a cabin counselor (lived with three different Arab children each week), leading a camp skills group in the woods, and conducting weekly Bible

"Many of the kids I worked with didn't know much English," said Oliver. "But there were local Arab interpreters who helped m e conduct the studies. Rible The other coun-



OLIVER

selors and I put a lot of work into this summer, but the rewards of our service far outweigh it.'

Among the experiences that most affected Oliver were the airplane flight back home. His plane stopped in Athens, Greece, where he remained for two days. "I must admit I was a little nervous, after hearing about the TWA hijacking. But I knew that the Lord would pull me through,"

Oliver has many fond memories of the Israeli people and their culture. "Every time we started a camp, a bunch of the kids would come in on a bus from Nazareth (about 40 miles away). I gave away several JSU Tshirts, and the kids were really touched by them. It was sad to see them go at the end of the week - we would all line up outside their bus and wave at them as they passed

I also got to spend one night in Jerusalem and two nights in Nazareth," he added, "so I was able to experience first-hand what life is like there."

When he first left, Oliver was a little unsure and worried about serving in a foreign country. "I wondered how I was going to communicate with the Israeli people. However, I found that God will give you the strength to communicate with others through His word, no matter the language. I also

learned the strength of prayer and how God is always available to us."

Randy Vice served in Arkansas. He worked at day camps during the week in a state park, conducted worship service at a church 12 miles away and helped with the youth groups there.

"Some of the youth at the church I served in were having a few problems. I could really relate to them their because problems were similar to ones I have experienced in



my life - depression, boy-girl problems, frustration. I someone they could talk to who knew what they were going through. I was able to assure them that with the Lord's help everything would be okav."

Vice recalled one person he met who really touched him. "There was this 16-year-old girl who stopped me before I left for home, saying, 'Please don't go. I was really confused before you came, and you helped me so much.' I explained to her that no matter what problem she had, she could always talk to God about it."

His experiences made him feel more confident, Vice said. "I learned I could make it on my own. away from my family and friends, with God's help. I also witnessed the enormous power of prayer. When I first started serving at the church, we had a very small attendance. I prayed to God for more people to come to our church, and soon afterwards the attendance jumped and the church remained full the rest of my time there. Nothing could have turned it around like that but

Dana Shaw worked in Monteray, Virginia, at the Natural Bridge Association. She was involved in two Vacation Bible Schools for older teenagers and conducted four Youth Bible Schools, in which she taught puppetry, led music, and supervised the kids. She also led the music and devotion at a lake service every Sunday in July.

"I stayed with several nice families while I was there," said Dana, "people who made my stay much more enjoyable There were times when I felt homesick, but I



SHAW

learned that I shouldn't have to depend on others except God. Leading the worship service and the music showed me that I have the ability to do things I never imagined."

Dana says that when you are in a

strange place all by yourself, you begin to realize that there are many things you cannot do without God's help. "I was ablE to grow closer to Him and became better prepared for the future. My experiences this summer enabled me to learn a lot about myself and the things in my life that I have been taking for granted."

Jenny Benson served at ten different churches in the Central Pennsylvania area. Her activities consisted of general missionary work like surveys from door-to-door looking for prospective church members, working with children in Backyard Bible Clubs and Vacation Bible Schools, and acting as a counselor at a youth camp.

"I met several interesting people while I was there," said "The Jenny. experiences Ι while had worshipping with them enabled me to become a better Christian I am closer to the



BENSON

Lord now than I have ever been in my life. I had never been away from home and my friends for such a long period of time, so it helped me with my independence. One of the key words we were taught this summer was how to be flexible - with God's help, we can adapt to any situation."

Keith Nix served in the lower eastern side of Manhatten, New York this summer. He and five other

missionaries ran a small ministry center in a poor neighborhood of mostly Puerto Rican residents. Their activities included Backvard Bible Clubs held twice daily, Wednesday night Bible studies wherein the neighborhood residents were fed hot meals, nursing home services, a women's crock class, field trips for the neighbor bood kids every Friday, and church services conducted every Sunday.

"We worked with mostly welfare - type people, abused children, and kids from broken homes.' said Nix. "We were in a very drug - centered area of New York City, Many



of the kids' parents were either drug addicts or alcoholics, they never really got much attention other than the time they spent with us. But we persuaded some of the parents to attend the Bible studies, also. We ministered to a group of people ranging in age from about five to the early seventies."
Nix decided to do missionary work

at almost the last minute this summer. He explained that it was something that he had to do and related some of his troubled early experiences at JSU. "In my first year or so here, I was going through a time in which I was definitely away from God. I've been a

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For seniors

CDCS posts interviews

By ROY WILLIAMS Chanticleer Senior Editor

Several companies and businesses will conduct job interviews this fall on the Jacksonville State University campus. Any seniors and graduate students interested need to stop by the Placement Office. Room 107, Bibb

"Students interested in the interviews need to pick up a Data Sheet in our office, fill it out, and turn it in with their written resume," said Gwen Westbrook of the Placement Office. "The sign-up sheet will be put out two weeks prior to the week that the company will be on campus.'

"They will be given out on a first come, first serve basis; so seniors need to register here at the Placement Office as soon as possible," she added.

The interview list for the fall semester consists of the following companies and dates: Tuesday, October 1st - Federal Bureau of Investigation, Birmingham, AL, (Accounting or 3 years full-time work experience. Must be 23 years old); Wednesday, Oct. 2nd - Federal Bureau of Investigation, (A.M. Schedule); Wednesday, Oct. 2 - XEROX CORPORATION, Birmingham, AL (Sales Representative); Tuesday, Oct. 8th - RESTAURANT SYSTEMS, Inc., Birmingham, AL (Manager Trainee); Tuesday, Oct. 8th -ROSES DEPARTMENT STORE, (Manager Trainee - any business major); Thursday, Oct. 10th - WALMART, Inc., (Management Trainees any business major); Thursday, Oct. 10th - GEORGIA MERIT SYSTEM, Atlanta, GA (any major); Wednesday, Oct. 16th - JCPENNEY COMPANY, Birmingham, AL (Management Trainee - Business Majors); Thursday, Oct. 17th - SPRING VALLEY FOODS, (Management Trainees - Any business major); Thursday, Oct. 17th - BLUEBELL INDUSTRIES, Oneonta, AL (Manufacturing management - Management, Marketing);

Angry??

Students share ways to cope

By ROY WILLIAMS

Chanticleer Senior Editor

Anger is an emotion that we have all experienced. It is an intense feeling that can very easily get out of control. Of all our emotions, it is perhaps the most dangerous to the individual and to others. Because of the daily pressures of college life, it is extremely important for JSU students to know about anger and how to counter it.

Anger is a constant threat to all of us, and can strike at any given time. Consider the following situation. You are worn out, discouraged, or unhappy. Things haven't been going right for you all day - you just failed an exam, or broke up with your girlfriend, or lost a textbook. This is soon followed by a series of events that trigger your emotions. Your boss won't let up. You get stuck in traffic on Pelham Road. You can't find a parking space. Any number of things can happen. You are now at the point of no return. Anger has taken over. The next step you take is very crucial.

"The key is being able to handle anger constructively," said Sandy Fortenberry, Counselor at Career Development and Counseling(Room 107, Bibb Graves). "People usually handle their anger in one of two ways. They dispel it destructively - kick the dog, throw things, threaten or yell at others, drive fast. Or they turn inward and show no outward display of their feelings - it usually turns into an 'I am responsible or guilty; I have no one to blame but myself' attitude. But there are techniques that can be taken to deal with anger."

"Learn to use constructive action to calm down," she added. For example, exercise or yelling in an empty room. If that doesn't work, try confrontive behavior talk to the person with whom you are angry and discuss matters calmly. Our office is always available to those students who need help in learning to control their anger."

The JSU campus and community in general is constantly full of angry people who have to be handled you -

the speeding drivers who risk their lives and others by running the traffic lights in order to beat the traffic; the drunk drivers who take their frustrations to the bottle; the bullies who take their anger out on those smaller than them.

Several students gave their view as to how they cope with their anger. Said Michael Decker, "I try to work it out by talking with the person who got me angry." Martijn Miedema of Holland said, "Just being alone and thinking it over helps me calm down. Then, I try to go talk reasonably to the person." Chris De Mel from Sri Lanka remarked, "I try to keep my anger to myself and bear it. After a while, I usually calm down."

David Walker said he usually goes off by himself to be alone when he is angry. Sang Yun Kim from Korea, said, "I go out walking to cool off when I am upset." Dickson Sadi of Malaysia stated, "I'll go off by myself to calm down. Then, I try to talk with that person. If things don't work out accordingly, I take whatever actions the particular person prefers to settle the matter."

If you are the kind of person who gets angry very easily, then start now in your attempts to control your behavior. Anger can cause you to do things that you would not normally do, such as cursing or even hitting your parents, girlfriend, or best friend. It can effect both your social life and your academics. No one likes to be around a person with such a bad attitude towards others that they make them feel uncomfortable. And if you let your anger boil ovr in your mind, you will find it very difficult to concentrate during exams.

Learn to recognize the signs of anger coming on, and work on correcting them. If you have had a bad day, discuss your problems with a friend, a teacher, or try to be alone until you calm down. There are countless organizations and books on campus that can help you overcome your problems. It is not healthy for you to let your anger rot away at your peace of mind.



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Christian for many years, but when I came here I let several things separate me from the Lord, I was just beginning to straighten out my life, and God seemed to tell me that I needed a change - a place where I would be away from anyone I knew and had to commit myself totally to

The experiences that he underwent this summer helped him to grow spiritually, physically, and emotionally in many ways, Nix said.

"My values have changed tremendously," he added. "From seeing how those people lived, material things that used to be so important in my life were no longer so. I learned how to be more helpful to people who are in need. I used to be self-oriented, but not any more. I never considered myself an emotional person; however, I got extremely close to those kids and plan to keep in contact with them. They appreciated our help so

Glenn Bright worked at the Webster Conference Center in Salina, Kansas. His duties consisted mainly of construction work at a new Baptist camp that was donated to the area by the Southern Baptist Convention. He and the other workers cleared nature trails around the camp, trimmed trees, built benches and chairs for the dorm rooms, and cleaned up the grounds. Besides this, Bright did some preaching in area churches, held youth fellowships Backyard Bible Clubs.

Coming from the South, which is the Bible Belt of the nation, Bright found the Midwest to be very different. "I'm used to seeing churches on every corner or so, but the area where I



BRIGHT

worked in Salina, which is about the size of Anniston, had only two Baptist churches. The people in that area were not accustomed to going to church as often as we do here, so I had to discipline myself to study the Bible on my own."

"I met several interesting people," Bright added, "and was able to prove to myself that I can survive on my own away from my friends and family. It was a big step in the sense of going over a thousand miles away from home for ten weeks. I learned how to take on things I didn't know I could handle and let God lead me through them. It was an eye-opening experience that enabled my faith in God to

Jason Thrower served in Maine and Wisconsin. He travelled from city to city, conducting Bible studies with various age groups. His ac-tivities included Vacation Bible Schools, Backyard Bible Clubs, Sunday Schools, preaching and giving testimony to the people. He spent much time with young kids from broken homes, sharing information and conversing with

them. Lord opened many doors for me to grow in," said Thrower. "It was a fantastic experience. At one place, I met several kids who were having family problems, I was



THROWER

there to talk and listen to their troubles, pray and counsel with them, and to be sort of a big brother

Thrower recalled one of his most nemorable experiences. "I met a guy named Randy, who never liked to take off his hat. He wore it swimming, eating, sleeping, even in church. All through the week, I tried to get him to take off his hat, but to no avail. Finally, I gave up and let him go wearing the hat. When the week came to an end, I said my goodbyes and left. But that night

Randy's hat with a note saying 'With love, from Randy'. That was very meaningful."

His missionary work enabled him to become a better person, Thrower said. It gave me so much hope when I realized I was spreading God's word, and that I was planting seeds of God's glory in the minds of the little kids. Every week, I was able to feel the dramatic impact they were having in my life. I am excited about what happened this summer, and am looking forward to sharing what I learned."

Becky Cooper served in the New England area during the summer. Her missionary work included Vacation Bible Schools, a tent revival, and survey work to inform people about their church services.

People often confused her and her fellow m is sio naries with The Jehovah's Witnesses and Mormons. Becky said. They looked at (Southern Baptists) as being sort of like



COOPER

a cult because it was so unknown up there. I learned how to deal with certain situations and how to approach people better. They were real judgmental of us at first; however, after becoming acquainted with us, they were very interested in what we had to offer."
"I worked on a team with two

guys, so not having another female to confide in enabled me to rely more on my faith," said Becky. "My daily walk with the Lord grew closer. I was able to see the need of spreading God's word not only in this area, but also throughout the entire United States."

Bruce Gentry participated in a church revival team, travelling to nine different churches between Southern Oregon and Seattle, Washington. The team was made up

when I opened my suitcase, I found of four members - Gentry and Amanda Nance from JSU, plus a boy and girl from Mobile College. Their activities included preaching sermons and leading the singing every week, holding fellowships and Bible studies with the youth of the various churches.

> Gentry recalled interesting experience had this summer. Ashland Oregon, another missionary and I were handing out flyers about church service. We met these two rough - looking guys who



were playing the guitar. They told us that they were drifters who went from town to town, and we began singing some old 60's songs with them. We had a nice conversation, and they said something that really impressed me: 'If you want to find out where God is, go out to the streets because where people are hurting or starving, God is there to help them.

Gentry and his revival team were often exhausted from their heavy schedule, he said. "Ironically, those were the times when we gave our best sermons or sang the best. So I learned that you can always depend on God to supply you with the strength to get things done. The four of us worked well together; we all had different interests, but a

common goal."

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Reflections on cultural adventure

by KELLY WILLIAMS

On June 10, 1985, seventeen Shakespearean lovers left the Colonies and flew back almost 400 years to the Elizabethan Age. Their time machine was British Caledonia, their time warp was England(circa 1600), and their time mission was to study the greatest dramatist and finest poet the workd has ever known.

After leaving Alabama on a hot (95 degrees) afternoon and arriving in London (54 degrees) with only minimal jet-lag, the mission visitors traveled by coach to Stratford-Upon-Avon, thje time frame location.

JSU teachers, students, and guests participating in the time study were: Cathy Pate, Barbara Wilson, Kim Starnes, Debbie Owen, Kelly Williams, Penny Keith, Caroline Cork, Randy Mulkey, Keith Lawler, Rick Anderson, Ben Von Herrmann, Sam Canup, Neal Canup, Linda Read, Dr. Martha Howell, Dr. Evelyn McMillan, and Dr. Steve Whitton.

Elizabethan England is reflected everywhere in Shakespeare's works. He said many things that are true for all time; but if we understand the world he moved in and the language he spoke, we are saved from mistaking the accidents of his time for the essentials of his thought. One can understand the poet better after viewing his surroundings and learning of the audiences he addressed.

Points of interest that can enlighten students of Shakespeare can be seen at every turn in Stratford-Upon-Avon.

Shakespeare's birthplace is a half-timbered house on Henley Street. Part of the building is furnished in the Elizabethan style and part is devoted to a museum of the Bard's exhibits. Although the exterior of the house has undergone careful restoration, its essential features remain unchanged.

Especially enjoyable was the tour of Mary Arden's home, Shakespeare's mother. The tour guide was most knowledgable and lectured for over an hour on how people lived during the Elizabethan Age. The Arden farmstead dovecote and barns are now used as a museum for ancient Warwickshire agricultural implements and bygones.

The most unique part of Anne Hathaway's cottage is the garden. The building, part of which dates from the 15th century, has a thatched roof and abounds in interesting architectural features. The cottage features original Hathaway fur-

niture and relics.

Only the foundations of New Place, the home where Shakespeare lived in retirement and died, remain. The Elizabethan Knott Garden occupies part of the site. The curious inter-knotted patterns are made from dwarf hedges of herbs and each flower bed is a different color.

Exceptionally beautiful is Parish Church, world famous as the church where Shakespeare was baptized and buried. In the Chancel may be seen the poet's monument and gravestone.

Hall's Croft was the home of Susanna Shakespeare, the poet's daughter, and her medical husband, Dr. John Hall. This fine, half-timbered Tudor town house is of unusual interest.

The Harvard House on High Street was the home of Katherine Rogers, mother of John Harvard, founder of Harvard University. It is the most ornate speciman of half-timbered construction on Stratford.

The saddest part of the visit to England was viewing the burned out ruins of St. Michaels's Cathedral. It reminds all that war robs us of our past by destroying attractions that help us remember beginnings.

Medievai St. Michael's was destroyed Nov. 14, 1940. A workman searching through the ruins wired together two partly-burned roof beams in the sign of the cross. This cross was used as a central theme when the new Coventry Cathedral was built. Out of the wreck of the past, a new cathedral was built as a future of light and hope.

The Royal Shakespeare Theatre, whose festival each year attracts Shakespeare lovers from all over the world, was built and endowed largely from world-wide donations, particularly from America. It was opened in 1932 and replaced an earlier theatre destroyed by fire. It is a striking example of modern brick architecture, occupying a commanding position on the banks of the Avon. It produces nightly plays for eight months each year. The Glover Memorial, a group of statues comprising Shakespeare, Hamlet, Lady MacBeth, Falstaff, and Prince Hal symbolize Philosophy, Tragedy, History, and Comedy. They stand in te Bancroft Gardens in front of the theatre,

The most exciting part of the study was the plays. All were performed by the by Royal Shakespeare Company. Two plays seen that were not by Shakespeare Company. Two plays seen that were not by Shakespeare were: THE DILLEN and THE PHILISTINES. THE DILLEN by Angela Hewins is the

memories of a common man of Stratford-Upon-Avon around the turn of the century. The book, on which the play is based, was written by The Dillen's granddaughter-in-law. Several members of the group got to meet and talk to this grand lady. THE PHILISTINES was written by Maxim Gorky and was set in Russia around 1900.

Plays by the Bard are as follows: AS YOU LIKE IT was set in a modern atmosphere. The costumes were taken from Vogue Magazine.

THE MERRY WIVES OF WIND-SOR was set in the 1950's. Costumes and music were very American.

The Tragedy, TROILUS AND CRESSIDA, was played in a different time period. The set was a saloon-bordello type.

THE TEMPEST was also set in a later time frame; but HAMLET was in the original time.

All the plays were excellent and magnificently performed. A role in the Royal Shakespeare Company is like taking center stage and the MET or center court at Wimbleton.

While Stratford and the surrounding rural areas give us la

view of the Poet's "everyday" people, London gives us a royal view of the upper classes of Shakespeare's time.

For the Bard, London was the heart of England. It was a city of 200,000 as opposed to the present six and one-half million. All theatres were in London. The many street meetings and conversations in his plays reflect the tendency of the London populace to spend its leisure time in the market places and out of doors.

Audiences of Shakespeare's day were both more primitive and more cultivated than they are today. They liked cruelty and bloodshed. A few of these "Leftovers" were met in the tubes of London. They are called "Punks" today.

In London, the visitors saw Big Ben, Westminster Abbey, St. Paul's Cathedral, Buckingham Palace, the Tower of London, Oxford University, and the Houses of Parliament. Shakespeare also saw these sights. Modern tourist attractions visited included Piccadilly Circus, Harrod's Department Store and several theatres. Shakespeare would definitely have enjoyed the modern theatres with their perfect accoustics.

A real glimpse of royalty could be seen in Blenheim Palace. It was built by John Churchill, the 1st Duke of Marlborough, with a grant of 240,000 pounds from Queen Ann. The majority of the palace was built between 1705-22. Prime Minister Winston Churchill was born here. Blenheim is te most splendid reelic of the Queen Ann Age.

Other events and activities participated in were: A violin and piano recital at the Shakespear Institute; an organ recital of J.S. Bach, commemorating the 300th anniversity of his birth, given by Timothy Hone at the Coventry Cathedral; and a re-dedication service of the restoration of an organ at St. Laruence's Parish Church in Ludlow.

After viewing Shakespeare's country and his plays, the mission visitors learned that every man, from the greatest genious to the most lowly beggar, reflects his beliefs in the living conditions of his time. A full understanding of Shakespeare depends on some knowledge of the conditions when he lived and worked. Seventeen JSU Shakespeare Lovers have now unlocked the door to that understanding. They can truly say, "Shakespeare transcends all time. Beam us home, Scottie."





Americans admire "Dr. Jazz" -- Willis Conover

An international cult hero, Voice of America's Willis Conover Jr. is the world's "Dr. Jazz. When he speaks, millions of the world's young people listen.

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Beamed eight times a week worldwide, the urbane jazz scholar's contemporary music program has made him perhaps the globe's most respected emissary of American good will.

Better known than presidents or prime ministers abroad, Conover is almost unknown at home. By law, the VOA program can only be picked up on short-wave in the U.S. But from Afghanistan to Zaire, Conover's listeners are legion — especially in the Soviet bloc.

A defense against cancer can be cooked up in your kitchen.

There is evidence that diet and cancer are related. Some foods may promote cancer, while others may protect you from it.

Foods related to lowering the risk of cancer of the larynx and esophagus all have high amounts of carotene, a form of Vitamin A which is in cantaloupes, peaches, broccoli, spinach, all dark green leafy vegetables, sweet potatoes, carrots, pumpkin, winter squash; and tomatoes, citrus fruits and brussels sprouts.

Foods that may help reduce the risk of gastrointestinal and respiratory tract cancer are cabbage, broccoli, brussels sprouts, kohlrabi, cauliflower.

Fruits, vegetables and wholegrain cereals such as oatmeal, bran and wheat
may help lower the
risk of colorectal
cancer.
Foods high in fats,
salt- or nitrite-cured
foods such as ham,

and fish and types of sausages smoked by traditional methods should be eaten in moderation

Be moderate in consumption of alcohol also

A good rule of thumb is cut down on fat and don't be fat. Weight reduction may lower cancer risk. Our 12-year study of nearly a million Americans uncovered high cancer risks particularly among people 40% or more overweight.

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Conover is the son of an army officer, and had bounced around a dozen different schools by age 14. He started his broadcasting career at 18 on a small-twon radio station, doing news, interview and discipockey shots.

After WWII army service, he began promoting jazz concerts around segregated Washington, D.C. Black and white jazz giants played and mingled with color-blind fans, creating an early milestone in "bandstand desegregation."

In 1954, Conover heard the VOA wanted to create a jazz program and he applied. The rest is broadcast history. When his theme — Duke Ellington's rendition of Billy Strayhorn's "Take the 'A' Train" — wafts out over the airwaves, shops around the world shut down, streets empty, and jazz buffs fall silent as they huddle around sometimes clandestine radios to listen.

Nowhere does Conover's star burn brighter than among the youth in te Soviet Union and its satellites,

'If it makes people

living under repressive

fans, creating an early milestone in regimes stand up a little

straighter, so be it.'

where his program is often secretly recorded. A veteran of east bloc jazz tours, Conover avoids trying to "sell the world" on America — or jazz.

"The music speaks for itself," he

says. "I am not trying to overthrow governments. I am just sending out something wonderfully creative and human."

But he sees jazz as a reflection of America's liberty – as a musical version of free speech. It naturally tends to mock authority. "If it makes people living under repressive regimes stand up a little straighter, so be it," he says.

It seems to. In 1959, landing in Poland for his first visit, Conover saw a huge crowd and figured some political bigwig was arriving too. As he stepped out, the crowd began to cheer.

At a concert in Moscow in 1982, one Muscovite reached up to kiss his hand and murmur: "If there is a God of jazz, it is you. Once an effusive Russian musician rushed up to him at a jazz festival in Eastern Europe and proclaimed "Villis. You are my father'."

"Willis is a kind of national treasure too many Americans don't know about or appreciate," says Reader's Digest editor Coleman Parker. "But around the world, there are 1,300 chapters of something called 'Friends of Music USA'. He's kind of a prophet without honor in his own country."

Last fall, after a trip to Poland, an American diplomat cabled Washington that Conover's reception was "incredible." Three decades later, Conover, now 64, is still winning friends for America with his "Music America" program and thoughtful music commentary.

He is probably the world's bestloved American – and certainly its most effective unofficial ambassador. As one writer put it: "Leaders die, governments fall, but every night you turn on the radio and there's Willis. Thank God."

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'Agnes of God' unfolds new mystery

Columbia Pictures' "Agnes of God," the story of the mysterious circumstances surrounding the discovery of a strangled newborn in a convent, opens soon in nearby theaters.

It is a complicated mystery dealing with human emotions, innocence and an unknown world of

On a cold winter night in the solitude of her room, a young nun gives birth. Moments later, the baby is found strangled. Agnes, the childlike novice, professes no memory of the birth or the impregnation, and so Dr. Martha Livingston, a court-appointed forensic psychiatrist, is dispatched to determine if Agnes is mentally fit to stand trial for murder.

Dr. Livingston, however, finds herself in direct opposition to the convent's Mother Superior, who not only insists upon Agnes' innocence, but suggests the possibility of a miracle.

As the many-layered mystery unfolds, both women find evidence to support what they believe to be the truth about Agnes, while the investigation only serves to escalate their emotionally charged struggle. Amidst the conflict between faith and reason lies the future of the young nun and the fate of her soul.

Directed by Norman Jewison for distribution by Columbia Pictures, "Agnes of God" stars Jane Fonda as Dr. Martha Livingston, Anne Bancroft as Mother Miriam Ruth and Meg Tilly as Sister Agnes in the only film in recent years to feature women in all the leading roles.

Screenwriter John Pielmeier adapted the controversial, Tony Award-winning Broadway play for the screen. Producer Patrick Palmer says, "John Pielmeier wrote the original stage play so we felt it was imperative for him to do the adaptation." He also feels that more and more adaptations are being done today as a grasp at material with heart. "It gives us the opportunity to take good original material from the theater and put it on the screen, where it can reach a much wider audience," says Palmer.

The play was translated into seven languages and was performed in 14 countries. It was written for three actresses performing on a bare stage with the exception of two chairs and one ashtray. "It is a very bare-essential kind of play," says Pielmeier.

The setting for the movie takes place in a convent in Quebec,



Meg Tilly (1) stars as the mystery nun

Film Series concludes

The Plaza Cinemas Special Film Series concludes its second series with The Return of the Soldier on September 21 and 22 at 4:00 and September 24 at 7:15. The British film stars Alan Bates as a shellshocked World War II veteran and Glenda Jackson, Julie Christie, and Ann-Margret as the women in his life. The film is based on the novel by Rebecca West.

The third series will begin in October, showing films rarely seen outside large cities. Subscribers to the series will get to see six films for \$20. Admission is also available on a per film basis, but the subscription is a savings over regular admission.

At 9:00 on September 24 all present and new subscribers are invited to be guests of the Plaza Cinemas at a complimentary wine and cheese party to be held after the film in the lobby of the theatre. The new series will be announced at that

Films will be chosen from among such current releases as The Shooting Party, Lily In Love, The Gods Must Be Crazy, Dance With A Stranger, and Le Chevre.

For further information and for subscriptions, call Plaza Cinemas (237-7488), Margaret Rilling (236-4560), or Steve Whitton (231-5781 ext.4412).



Anne Bancroft and Jane Fonda star in 'Agnes of God'

creating an interesting and un-allowed us to use two languages in familiar environment. "It also the film-some of the dialogue is in the film-some of the dialogue is in French," says the playwright.

Actress Jane Fonda was attracted to "Agnes of God" by the power of Pielmeier's story, "What it forces you to do is to begin to probe how you feel about miracles, faith, innocence -about the human need to believe in things that can't be explained. These are fundamental questions that have been debated for centuries. This film isn't going to answer them, but I think it's a good time to re-raise them in an artistic context," says Fonda. Anne Bancroft, likewise, was attracted to these larger questions. "After seeing 'Agnes of God,' I would like people who believe in God to think again and people who don't believe in God to think again, as

Longtime collaborators, Norman Jewish and Patrick Palmer, co-

produce and cinematographer, Sven Nykvist, is director of photography. Charles Milhaupt and Bonnie Palet-Woolf are associate producers.

Prior to shooting, each of the actresses had an opportunity to research her part. Jane Fonda met with forensic psychiatrists to observe several hypnotisms as well as to get a sense of their work - the kind of training they go through, what kind of profession it is, what they do on a day-to-day basis. Anne Bancroft spent time with the Mother Superior of a convent in Los Angeles, and both she and Meg Tilly attended vespers at a convent in

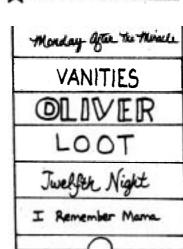
"Agnes of God" began shooting in Montreal on October 27, 1984. The extensive location work incorporated many Montreal land-marks including the Bibliotheque

renowned Nationale, the Cathedral Mary Queen of the World, the Montreal Archives at Mount Royal, the Ministere des Affairs Culturelles and the Hotel de Ville de Montreal.

> Commented Jane Fonda, "I think it's going to be a very beautiful film to look at because of Sven Nykvist's work. He's a genius."







Monday After The Miracle

'Miracle' opens season for drama department

The JSU Drama Department begins it's 13th season with William Gibson's Monday After the Miracle. The play follows the lives of Helen Keller and Anne Sullivan ten years after the point at which The Miracle Worker left off. The cast for this production consists of four graduating seniors and one newcomer to the Drama Department. Helen Keller will be played by Kim Correll, Anne Sullivan by Kimberly Peck, John Macy portrayed by Ross A. Perry, Eric Traynor as Pete, and Wade Robinson as Ed.

The show runs from October 24th to the 29th, with the 27th and 29th being morning shows at 9:00 a.m. The entire production will then be taken to Montgomery for statewide competition. JSU has successively tied for first place the last three years and hopes, with this production, to take full

Ritch Observations

Collectible clutter tells life story

low people can become so attached to material objects is peculiar, one of those people who never throws anything away. Little bits of ser even have special meaning to me.

By bedroom at home and my apartment here in town such custain as and boxes of private treasures. Within each box are smaller as with more goodies inside.

The average person might call my broken drum sticks, torn ticket stubs, dead roses and other such collectibles nothing but junk. Little do they know that each piece of so called junk stands for a particular memory and holds a special place in my heart. Some people collect stamps or coins; I collect memories in the shape of clutter.

I've tried to clear out drawers before, knowing good and well that half be stuff saved in them is completely worthless. My attempts prove to a waste of time as I usually leave most of my usuless treasures un-laturbed. This leaves a great many drawers, closets a se room unavailable for more important matters.



Martha Ritch

Entertainment Editor

g occur red to me why I have this strange habit of collecting the mundane. I have no use for old ticket stubs, concert programs, broken drum sticks and matchbooks. They are no longer of any benefit to me but they may serve as great fun for a rainy afternoon for my children and the jr children.

I appreciate the "junk" my relatives saved for me to dig into. My grandmother and I have spent many hours going through her old jewlery, acraphooks, and junk drawers. She could tell me more stories about each trinket than I could ever remember. The jewlery has become almost as dear to me as the stories. With today's fashion trends, I'm all set and in style with a combination of my mother's old jewlery, and mean a few price places. my grandmother's, and even a few prize pieces from my gr

It is worth it to have clutter now if I can share it with a child in years to come. The jumbled closets in my room today will someday be a playground for my children and grandchildren. I look at the mess in diagust, then suddenly feel a sense of joy when I know it will become my life story in a condensed version.



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Phi Mu Alpha sponsors high school marching band clinic

By HANK HUMPHREY **Chanticleer Staff Writer**

The Epsilon Nu Chapter of Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia sponsored the third annual Marching Band Clinic this past weekend. The clinic brought over 700 high school musicians to Jacksonville State University on Saturday. Twenty-four high school bands from Alabama and Georgia attended the clinic.

The brothers of Phi Mu Alpha instructed the musicians in marching techniques and taught the huge ensemble some famous Marching Southerner songs. The group marched basic marching style til noon and then split into sectionals and then massed together in the afternoon for a full band rehearsal. Needless to say having 600 group then came back together that evening and played Alpha in the United States.

'Stars Fell on Alabama," and "Salvation is Created." with the Marching Southerners. They then played the National Anthem and sat to watch the half-time performances of both the Alabama A&M and the Marching Southerners

The clinic started three years ago to help area bands with marching and playing techniques. No other clinic is offered of this type in the state and is always well supported by Marching Southerner Alumni who are band directors throughout Georgia and Alabama. Phi Mu Alpha provides the clinic free of charge to all participants and is one of the many events sponsored on campus by the professional music fraternity. The Epmusicians in one room is an eye opening experience. The silon Nu chapter is one of the top five chapters of Phi Mu



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Sororities and fraternities announce new pledges and rush results

By TZENA GIBBS Chanticleer Staff Writer

Formal sorority rush was held during the week of August 25-30. Friday morning, better known as squeal day, the rushees accepted their bids.

The following girls pledged Phi Mu: Kristi Ramsey Joanna Riley, Karen Hale, Hope Alewine, Holly Alewine, Kelly Piercy, Tracy Seymour, Leigh Turner, Angel Ballenger, Angela Holland, Jana Stephens, Cheryl Carlisle, Dawn Gentry, Michele Lovelady, Melanie Little, Paige Rhodes, Tina Riddle, Cathy Harrell, Jennifer Jordan, Beth Lee, Nichole Davenport, Paige Bentley, Michelle Deemer, Melissa Quarastorm, Angela Skelton and Chem Proctor. The new Phi Mu Pledge Class officers are Holly Alewine, president; Tina Butler, vice president; Chem Proctor, secretary; Melanie Little, treasurer; Jana Stephens, chaplain; and Kim Copeland, parliamentarian. This week is big sister-little sister week and the new Phi Mu's find out who their new big sisters are today.

These girls pledged Alpha Xi Delta, this fall: Claire Shephard, Jenny Smith, Sherry Green, Jeri Whitlow, Twilla Strictland, Kim Posser, Marie Wright, Shelia Ross, Karen Johnston, Bonnie Gray, Richie Short, Lorna Stewart, Jodi Rumpel, April Anderson, Heather Seckel, Cynthia Gray, Anne Hubbard, Gina Willis, April Killough, Joey Lockridge, Sherri Buttram, Jennifer Pitts, Annette Simons, Ginger Pilkington, Kristy Adcock, Amy Pope, Sherry Henderson, Janice Whitlow,

Fraternity held their formal rush September 11 and 12. On Friday night they each had an end of rush party.

Wednesday night, Kappa Alpha decorated their house for a patio party. They fired up the grill for a BBQ party on Thursday and ended the week on Friday night with their annual Champagne Ball.

Kappa Sigma went all out on Wednesday for their South Sea Island party. On Thursday, they had a carnival party complete with drunking booth, cotton candy and hot dogs. They dug a man-made pool in their yard for their Hawaiian Luau on Friday.

Pi Kappa Phi started off rush with a casino party Wednesday night. On Thursday, they served dinner for everyone and continued with the "gambling." They held an Open Party on Friday.

Sigma Nu had one continuous theme for their rush: "Sigma Nu: the fraternity that excells for those who excel." Their after rush party on Friday was Hawaiian

The brothers of Alpha Tau Omega held a formal party to get acquainted with rushees on Wednesday. Thursday was not quite as formal, being the "Dunk me at ATO"

party. On Friday night, they had a pre-game party.

The Delta Chi's dressed up for the occasion on Wednesday night and on Thursday they held an informal "getting to know the rushees" party. They had an open party for everyone on Friday night.

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A&M game 'like kissing your sister'

By BRYAN BONDS Chanticleer Staff Writer

If the saying "Tying a ball game is like kissing your sister" is true, the girl must kiss pretty good because the Gamecock football team went back for some more. For the second year in a row, the Gamecocks tied the Alabama A&M Bulldogs, this time 24-24.

"I don't think anyone is ever really happy with a tie," said Coach Bill Burgess after his first game as head coach. But he also pointed out that the team played against "a very classy football team...our kids have nothing to be ashamed of.

The Bulldogs, coached by Edmund Wyche, are bigger but that is not much consolation to the Gamecocks, especially after being ahead 14 points in the third quarter. Three fumbles gave the Bulldogs ample opportunity for a comeback. And a comeback they did to tie the game.

The Gamecocks did better than anyone expected after last year's 4-5-1 season. They looked disciplined and efficient, running the wishbone offense and playing the defense well.

Junior quarterback David Coffey executed the wishbone like a seasoned veteran, giving the ball up the middle to fullback Mickey Vickers (15 carries, 40 yards) or pitching to halfbacks Monte Coates (15 carries, 64 yards) and Shawn Massey (16 carries, one touchdown). Caffey also held his own with 15 carries, 49 yards and one touchdown. His passing game also looked good with six completed passes out of 15 attempts for 134 yards including a touchdown pass to wide receiver Derrick Thomas.

The talented and powerful A&M

offense led by quarterback James Baugh fond the Gamecock defense suprisingly strong. Baugh completed 10 of 31 passes for 174 yards. The Bulldogs gained 318 yards total offense.

When it was over, the difference between a victory over the Bulldogs and a tie came down to turnovers. Out of the Gamecocks' five, four kept Jacksonville from possible points or gave points to A&M.

"That all comes back to me. If there was one thing I could change, it would be to help our players protect the ball better," Burgess said. "We'll work at that and we'll get better. That is nothing we can't correct.

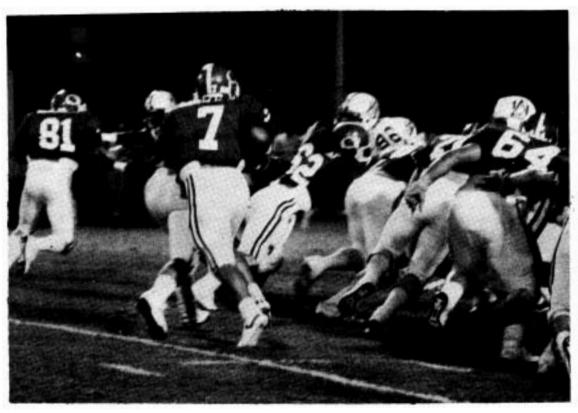
The game looked tough for Jacksonville after the opening kickoff. In 13 plays Baugh led the Bulldogs 79 yards until the Gamecocks slowed them down on the Jacksonville 16. A&M's libezim Ofendy put the Bulldogs ahead three to nothing with a 33 yard field goal in the first quarter. But Jax State dominated the rest of the first half.

The Gamecock defensive end Rusty Grimmett sacked Baugh later in the first quarter forcing a fumble which was recovered for the amecock by Judge Stringer.

The next play saw Coffey bullet the ball 20 yards to split end Derrick Thomas to give Jax State a 6-3 lead after freshman Ashley Kay missed the conversion.

Kay came back, however, to kick a 23 yard field goal with 7:42 left in

Jacksonville looked like they were in for a win after Coffey led the Gamecock offense in moving the ball 98 yards in 9 plays for another



Gamecocks "held their own" for three quarters, but gave up the ball three timest three times to help the Bulldogs to a tie.

touchdown and a 17-3 lead.

The second half saw the Gamecocks fumble away a victory. On the first offensive play of the half, Vickers fumbled and Chris Minnifield of Sylacauga ran the ball in. Jacksonville's lead slipped to 17-Minnifeld recovered another Vickers' fumble about five minutes

later and ran the ball 30 yards for a open on the Gamecock 43. Raysor 17-17 tie.

The Gamecocks held up well defensively and Massey ran seven yards to put Jax State back on top, 24-17.

A&M quickly counter attacked. Baugh was able to complete a pass to split end Dondo Raysor who was

avoided one Gamecock defender and ran the ball in for the 24-24 tie.

"We wanted to win very badly. Our kids worked too hard not to win," said Burgess. He is optimistic, however, about the rest of the season. "...we've got a great bunch of kids and we'll be back."

At season's outset

Burgess makes team analysis

Jacksonville State University head football coach Bill Burgess says there's nothing fancy about Middle Tennessee State University the Gamecocks' opponent Saturday night in Murfreesboro, Tenn.

'But when you are as good as they are," Burgess said, "you don't need to be fancy."

The Blue Raiders, last year's NCAA Division I-AA runner-up returns 50 lettermen and 17 starters off that team. So far this season, MTSU sports a 2-0 record, including an impressive 35-10 win over Georgia Southern last weekend.

"It's ridiculous to sit here and say Middle Tennessee is a good football team," Burgess said. "Everybody already knows that. They just line up, go against your weaknesses, and make you stop them. Evidently, not many teams have been able to do that successfully.'

MTSU is averaging 359 years per game offensively, with 290 coming from its "I" formation running attack. The Blue Raiders are scoring at a 36 points-per-game clip, while allowing their opponents only eight points per outing.

"Needless to say, we've got our work cut out for us,"; Burgess said. "But we wouldn't be going up there if we didn't feel like we had a chance to win. It's going to take a tremendous effort on the part of our entire football team this weekend."

"It's a game we could have won very, very easily, but at the same time, it's a game we could have lost just as easily. But I can't say enough about our players. They worked so hard for this game, put forth such a tremendous effort, that I was disappointed for them that they didn't win the game."

Jax State opened its season Saturday with a 24-24 tie against Alabama A&M University. The Gamecocks, who held a 17-3 lead at the halftime, turned the ball over

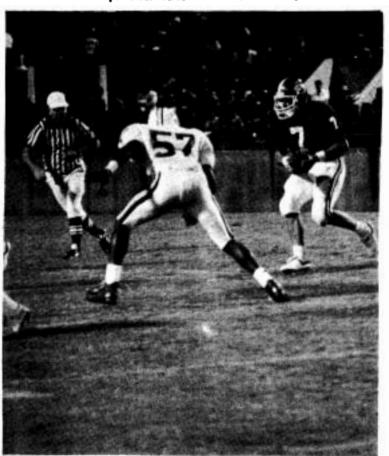
times early in the third quarter to let the Bulldogs gain a 17-

But JSU bounced back to take the lead at 24-17 before A&M hooked up on a 67-yard touchdown pass with three minutes remaining to deadlock the score,

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"You always want to win every time you go out there, but we can't linger in the past anymore. We've got to get ourselves ready for one of the best football teams in the

country this week."
"We're going to get better,"
Burgess said. "We've got a long ways to go, but I know that these players will work hard enough to get the job done."



QB Coffey passed for a total of 134 yards.

'Resa's Pieces

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By TERESA BARHAM

Chanticleer Senior Editor

Know how it feels when you go to that first football game and see everyone cheering for the team? Or when you hear the band play for the first time in almost a year? Pretty exciting, right?

Last Thursday night gave those at the pep rally a chance to experience that excitement beforehand. The press box side of Paul Snow Stadium was filled with cheering fans. Football players were eager and anticipative of that first game. The Southerners played as only they can. The air was electric.

It's amazing the effect that spectators can have on the athletes competing. Ask any football player who has played in an unfamiliar stadium where no one was present to sit on their side. Ask a basketball or tennis player or any athlete that same question. The answers will be basically be the same. The students who show up to support them at their games make all the difference in the world. They can even mean the difference in the team's winning or losing.

As a former gymnast, I can tell you from experience what spectators do for athletes. The worst meet I remember competing in was in Radford, Virginia. It was the beginning of spring break (you know-the time for all normal college students to head for the beach). Well, college athletes have obligations and ours was to compete against Radford that Saturday afternoon. It was snowing.

The atmosphere in the gym was zero. Huge gym, nice equipment, but no spectators. Not even for the other team. Noise would have been a blessing. Needless to say, our motivation was quite low and we were eager get the meet over with and hit the road. We lost to a team that we had beaten soundly just two weeks before. No no one can tell me that spectators don't make a difference. I know from experience that they

Why do those football players come back to school two weeks before school starts and go through two-a-days? Why does a gymnast work out all summer learning new tricks for the upcoming season? Or the basketball player practice during the off-season to develop his skills? Why go through all of this? Well, personal satisfaction plays a major part but if there is no one to share your accomplishments, much of the meaning of competition is lost.

There are plenty of athletes who need the students' support at their events. This fall, football and volleyball games will be going on. A little later, men's and women's basketball and gymnastics teams begin competition. Baseball and tennis in the spring wind up the school year. There are also some other sports that most students are unaware of. For example, there is a golf team and even a rifle team, both of which are Gulf South Conference Sports.

Ever thought about the Southerners? They support the football team, but most people don't realize that the band also competes with other bands in contests. And do quite well. The cheerleaders also need your attendance and participation at games. That's what they are there for to lead the crowd in cheering for the team.

Intramural athletes appreciate student support at their games, too. This may provide a good opportunity to participate for those who are interested.

Beginning on September 16, men's and women's flag football teams will be playing. Golf and tennis matches start at the end of this month. Other sports later in the fall include racquetball, soccer, volleyball, table tennis (singles), 3-man-basketball and badminton.

Even if you are not interested in participating in these events, attending intramurals is a good time to meet other people and see students in a setting different from the classroom.

For those interested in competition who aren't members of a group or club sponsoring a team, there are independent teams that compete in most of the sports. Individuals are also allowed to enter some of the sports that don't require teams, like golf.

This year, make a commitment to be aware of what is going on in team competitions and intramurals. Be there for the athletes. Don't underestimate your importance as a spectator, remember: the best games are the ones that have a lot more people in the crowd than on the field.

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Gulf South Scene-

By HANK HUMPHREY

Chanticleer Staff Writer

It was a tie and shutout kind of weekend in the Gulf South Conference and the almighty Trojans of Troy fell victim to Nichols State 40-22 ending that awesome streak. While they are not in the Gulf South Conference, Middle Tennessee State won over Georgia Southern, 35-10. The Gamecocks take on MTSU this Saturday in Murfreesboro. The game of the week was Alabama A and M and Jacksonville State. It seemed the most evenly matched game of the week and A&M has still not beaten JSU.

WEST GA. 62, MILES 0

It was another shut out weekend for the Bears of Miles College. First UNA beat then 40-0, then Livingston stepped in and socked them 28-0. The Bears just can't get into the end zone.

West Georgia is off to its best start since 1982 and just wallopped the Bears everywhere. The Braves and now 3-0 and had 455 yards total offense while holding Miles to 238 yards. Quarterback Cater Pierce completed 10 of 13 Brave passes for 127 and Miles College's Marcus Carson threw 10 of 22 for 170 yards.

West Georgia senior tailback Trevor Daniels scored four touchdowns and ran for 127 yards establishing a school rushing record. Daniels scored 3 touchdowns in the first half from 6, 1, and 8 yards out.

West Georgia set eight individual and team records in deminishing the Bears 62-0.

LIVINGSTON 24, MORRIS BROWN 0

Livingston is on a shutout binge after beating Miles 28- θ and now Morris Brown by 24 points.

The Tiger defense seemed to be the key to the victory. They limited the visitors to just 179 yards and that was divided into 96 yards rushing and 83 yards passing. the Tiger defense intercepted three passes, two by freshman cornerback Ken Watson and another by freshman linebacker Steve Hyche. The Tigers use the same type defense as the Gamecocks and should prove interesting later in the season.

Quarterback Otis Hughley was 16 for 35 passes and had 191 yards. Tony Truelove was into high gear from the back field and he contributed three touchdowns to the cause.

Livingston is right in the midst of the GSC with a 2-0 record.



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Profile of a coach

By MARK HOPPER Chanticleer Staff Writer

Coach Bill Burgess has been through the crash course of how to become a top college recruiter this spring and passed with flying colors.

Coach Burgess, after 14 years as head coach at Oxford High School, found himself in the middle of the college recruiting war, and he had no experience. "I realized I knew nothing about recruiting so I very wisely watched and tried to learn from coaches Garfinkle and Gibson," added Burgess. "I didn't want to come in and mess up everything they had already established as far as recruiting a young man."

Coach Burgess, hired to replace Joe Hollis, didn't have the luxury of learning the system in time. He was hired in the middle of February, the most important month of the year for recruiting. "The assistant coaches deserve a tremendous amount of credit; they worked on recruiting instead of looking for a job; consequently, we had a very good recruiting year," stated Burgess.

Spring training went very well for Burgess and the Gamecocks this spring. They managed to avoid serious injuries and held the J-Day game that hasn't been played in the



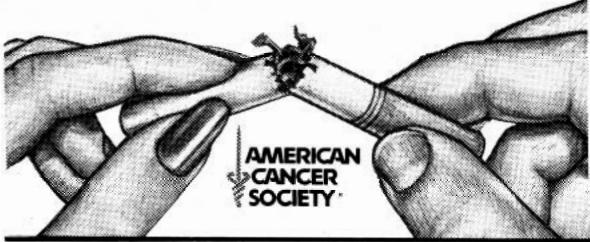
Bill Burgess

past 6 years due to injuries. Players were very excited about the game and their performance pleased the coaches. "We are very proud of the J-Day game and also our performance. We worked tremendously hard."

Jax State has five home games this season. As Burgess points out, fan support is always appreciated by the players an staff.

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Men's gymnastics team ranked No. 1 and ready

By TERESA BARHAM Chanticleer Senior Editor

Once again we have a nationally ranked men's gymnastics team in the preseason poll. This time the ranking is No. 1. After a third place finish at the 1985 National Championships the team is hoping to take it all this time. With Tom Cockley returning as head coach and new full-time assistant, Buddy Brownstein, their chances look good.

Though the NCAA dropped the Division II and III National Championships last year, the schools developed their own national meet. But NCAA still sanctions the meet and teams can qualify there for Division I Nationals. The men's team qualified last year but didn't go because the two meets were only a week apart. Cockley says the team plans to go this year and the time span between the two Championships is supposed to be longer.

'Our skill level is the same as the Division I teams. Our problem is depth, especially on pommel horse," says Cockley. The Division I schools have the money to recruit many specialist gymnasts (those who compete in only two or three of the six events). Smaller schools must look for a few good gymnasts who compete in all six events (allarounders). If an all-arounder is injured, other gymnasts must replace him in six events. Teams that are backed up by a good number of specialist gymnasts are in a much better position than a small team consisting of mostly allarounders.

The captain of the team this year is All-American senior, Dave Oak. Kenny Moore, another All-American senior, is also returning to compete in the all-around as well as John Zeringue.

Juniors Brian Walker and Le Hair, both National Champions, will be back. Walker placed fourth in the all-around at the 1985 National Championships and Hair is coming off a red-shirt year.

New recruits include all-arounder freshmen Jim Engress from Dallas, Texas and Jorn Casper from Germany. Casper is the German National High Bar Champion and will be eligigle for competition in January. John Brookes, a junior and specialist gymnast, is a transfer student from Towsun, Maryland. Freshman Greg Parrish is also a new specialist gymnast.

John Tittle is a returning senior who is recovering from knee surgery and George Jessup is back after a red shirt year.

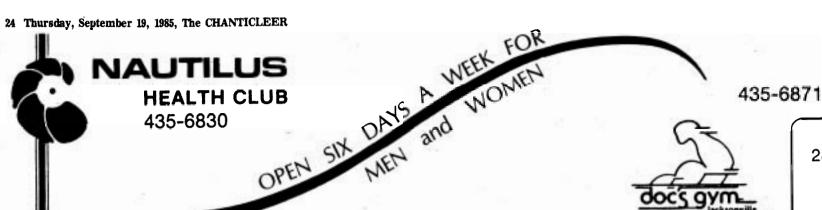
The men's first meet is November 16 at the Naval Academy in Annapolis, Maryland. The Metro Invitational, as the meet is called, is bringing together the ten best teams in the Eastern half of the U S and JSU is the only Division II school invited. The meet will be televisied and includes the top two Division I teams from the 1985 National Championships: Ohio State and Penn State.



Men's team

Team members (from left on bottom row) John Brookes, Le Hain, Greg Parrish, J. R. Zeringue, Dave Oak, Kenny Moore, Jim Engress, Brian Walker, Jorn Casper, George Jessup and John Title.







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