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## Homecoming Queen finalists announced



From left: Tracie Teem, Sheri Mooney, Lori Wright, Julie Waldrop, Kim Richey, Dana Terry, Nancy Nixon, Scarlett Mayhall, Teisha Venable and Kelly Bowers

By **MIKE DOUGLASS**  
Chanticleer Senior Editor

Out of a group of 24 applicants, ten young women have been selected as finalists in the 1987 Homecoming Pageant. The selection process, which began last Thursday, will culminate with the crowning of one of these ladies as the new Homecoming Queen. The following contestants were selected as finalists:

**Kelly Bowers** - Bowers is the daughter of James and Jolaine Bowers of Gadsden. She is a senior

with a double major in Computer Information Systems and English. Bowers has appeared on the Dean's list each semester she has attended JSU and maintains a 2.72 GPA. She is a member of Sigma Tau Delta, Omicron Delta Kappa, Phi Eta Sigma and the Computer Science Club. In 1987, she received the United States Achievement Academy All-American Award and the National Collegiate Computer Science Award. Bowers is being sponsored by Phi Eta Sigma.

**Scarlett Mayhall** - Mayhall, a 21-

year-old senior, is a Clothing major with a minor in Marketing. Mayhall also maintains a perfect 3.0 GPA in her major. Some of her accomplishments include: 1987 Miss Mimosa 1st runner up, 1986 Homecoming Court 1st runner up, 1986 Pi Kappa Phi Fraternity Rose Queen, Alpha Xi Delta Sister of the Year 1987, Pi Kappa Phi little sister president 1987. Mayhall's hobbies are waterskiing, snowskiing, sewing, photography and collecting teddy bears. She is being sponsored by Alpha Xi Delta Sorority and Pi

Kappa Phi Fraternity.

**Sheri Mooney** - Sheri is the daughter of Richard and Elizabeth Mooney of Pelham. Mooney is a freshman and a Phi Mu pledge. Other honors and activities include: Miss Alabama U.S. Teen, Miss U.S. Teen Nationals - 4th alt., Miss Alabama National Teenager - 1st alt., Miss Alabama All American Girl, Miss National All American Girl and USA's Most Talented Teen. Mooney is being sponsored by the Phi Mu pledge class.

**Nancy Nixon** - Nancy is being sponsored by Alpha Xi Delta Sorority, where she currently holds the position of membership chairman. Nixon is a member of the

Sociology club, social work club, and the Valley Jaycees. She also serves on the Board of Trustees of the State of Alabama for "Project Rescue". Her hobbies include collecting teddy bears and singing. She would someday like to work in the field of corrections and social work.

**Kim Richey** - Kim is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don Richey. She is a sophomore Communications major with a 3.0 GPA. Richey has served as Zeta Tau Alpha Pledge class president and Alumni Relations Chairman before her present appointment as Treasurer. She is presently involved with Campus Outreach and Sigma (See QUEEN, Page 3)

## Library announces schedule

By **HARRY D. NUTTALL**  
Special to the Chanticleer

With the beginning of a new academic year, it's time to go over a few library basics for the benefit of entering freshmen, and for those upperclassmen who need a memory refresher. The library's operating hours are as follows:

- 7:30 a.m. - 10:30 p.m. Monday thru Thursday
  - 7:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Friday
  - 10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. Saturday
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The subject specialist librarians rotate night duties, and those students doing night research assignments will find it helpful to work in the library on the night the relevant

subject specialist is on duty. By subject, the current night duty schedule is as follows:

- Monday: philosophy, psychology, religion; technology and military science
- Tuesday: business and social sciences; music, art and language
- Wednesday: genealogy and history; literature
- Thursday: education; medicine and science

We do ask that you keep candy wrappers and similar items in the snack area and do not bring them (See LIBRARY, Page 3)

## ODK seeks members

By **Mike Douglass**  
Chanticleer News Editor

Omicron Delta Kappa, the National Leadership Honor Society, will be holding a fall membership drive, with deadline for applications October 9, 1987.

In order to be eligible, the applicant must have at least a 2.0 GPA, and must be involved in campus activities. All applicants must be at least a junior in standing, and grad-

uate students are eligible.

Applicants who are accepted will be notified by mail prior to initiation.

To pick up an application form, contact the dean's office of any college on campus.

"Omicron Delta Kappa hopes to become very active on campus this year. Applicants are encouraged to submit project ideas for consideration," said Cyndi Owens, ODK secretary.



Proctor discusses work

Montevallo artist Kenneth Proctor, left, discusses his work with JSU art faculty Gary Gee, center and Marvin Hammond, far right. Proctor's exhibit will be on display in Hammon Hall Gallery through October 2.



Richardson receives scholarship

Dr. Clyde Cox, chairman of the English Department at Jacksonville State University, left, presents a writing scholarship to Stacey Richardson, a freshman from Villa Rica, Georgia. The scholarship is based upon her writing ability and will pay expenses for her first semester at JSU.

# According to studies, medical school costs are up

Chicago, Ill. (CPS)-- Fewer students are going on to med school, and the reasons may be that there are too many doctors already and that students are unwilling to take on an average of \$33,000 in debt to graduate, two med school groups said last week.

The groups-- the American Medical Association and the Association for Medical Colleges (AMC) -- reached those conclusions as part of a probe into why med school enrollments are dropping.

"It's extraordinarily difficult to

identify any one factor" in the decline in enrollments, said Robert Beran of the AMC.

Beran said the number of med school applicants is expected to drop this fall, continuing a five-year trend.

Students may believe there are too many doctors, in keeping with a 1980 report predicting a glut of physicians by the 1990's, said Beran.

But they may also be scared away by the likelihood they will owe more than \$33,000 by the time they graduate.

Most medical students borrow to finance their educations, and their average debt on graduating was \$33,499 in 1986, the AMC noted.

In 1980, students graduated med school with an average debt of \$15,421, the panel said.



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# Announcements

•Phi Beta Lambda will meet Tuesday, Oct. 13 at 2:30 p.m. in Room 250 John Croyle of the Big Oak Boy's Ranch will be guest speaker. Please attend, everyone is welcome.

•The English Competency Examination will be given on Monday, October 12, 1987, from 3:00 - 4:30 p.m. with a make-up exam on Tuesday, October 13, 1987, from 6:00 - 7:30 p.m. Students who are eligible to take the exam must pre-register for it by signing a list in Stone Center 215 (the English office) by Wednesday, October 7, 1987. At that time, they will be assigned a specific room in which to take the exam. This semester workshops will be held on Monday, September 28, 1987 (6:00 - 7:30 p.m.) and on Tuesday, September 29, 1987, (2:30 - 4:00 p.m.) in Merrill Hall Auditorium (room 101) to offer details concerning the examination. While attendance at one of these workshops will certainly not guarantee a "pass," it should familiarize a student with what to expect on the examination. NOTE: Attendance at the workshops is NOT a requirement to take the examination.

•The Alabama Women's Press Association and Alabama Media Women will meet for a weekend of speakers, information and "a meeting of the minds" at Montgomery's Sheraton Riverfront Station Sept. 25-27. At this first-ever joint meeting of the two associations, workshops will be featured including Computer Graphics and Design Art, How to Take Charge of Your Career, and Alabama the Beautiful... And Then Some. Keynote speaker for the Sept. 26 dinner will be Pat Seymour with University Relations at the University of Alabama. Her topic will be Getting and Staying Excited About Your Career. Meeting participants will be given the opportunity to exchange ideas in an informal session following the dinner. The meeting is open to all members of both organizations, and those interested in topics concerning the media. Pre-registration (\$30 for professionals, \$25 for students) which includes meals should be made payable to Alabama Media Women and mailed to Marian Hattenstine, P. O. Box 1482, Tuscaloosa, Ala 35487. For accommodations, call the Sheraton Riverfront Station at 1-834-4300. For more information, contact Marilyn Barrett, The South Alabamian, 1-246-4494 or Bonnie Chambers, Valley Times-News, 1-544-1101.

•Phi Beta Lambda will be involved in the "First Class Homecoming" Raffle again this year. The winner will receive dinner for two (2) at The Victoria and two red seats to the Homecoming game. Proceeds will go to John Croyle's Big Oak Ranch, donations will be \$1.00 per chance. Tickets will be available through Phi Beta Lambda members or by going by Mrs. P.J. Furrest's office. Her telephone number is 231-4505. The winner will be announced at the Homecoming Pep Rally.

•Sigma Delta Chi, the Society of Professional Journalists encourages everyone to watch a 30 minute Crime Stoppers special entitled Marijuana Eradication which will air on TV-40 Sunday, September 27th around 4:30 pm following the NFL Football Game. This entire program was produced by JSU members of Sigma Delta Chi. Sigma Delta Chi's next meeting will be Sept. 30 in Self Hall.

•Images and Sounds of China. Hear about Hong Kong and Peking, their people, and an American sociologist's reactions. There will be discussion, slides, popular and traditional Chinese music. The speaker is Dr. Adrain Aveni who recently returned from a trip to China. This event will be held on Sept. 30 at Brewer Hall, Room 329 at 2:30 pm. This event is sponsored by the Sociology Club. Everyone is welcome.

The ICC will meet Tuesday Sept. 29 at 6:00 pm on the third floor of Theron Montgomery building.

## Queen

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Delta Chi.

**Tracie Teem** - Tracie is the daughter of Claire Carroll and Frederick Teem of Marietta, Ga. She is 22-year-old Nursing major. She was a member of the Marching Southerners flag line and is currently a Ballerina. Teem has been a Phi Mu Alpha little sister and has held the offices of secretary and president. She enjoys dancing, traveling and writing. Upon graduation, Teem plans to obtain a Master's degree and specialize in Surgical Nursing. Teem is being sponsored by J.A.N.S. and the Nurses Christian Fellowship.

**Dana Terry** - Dana is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Scotty Terry of Decatur. She is a member of Phi Mu Sorority, Kappa Sigma little sisters, Who's Who Among American Universities and Colleges, Outstanding Women of America, Acapella Choir and the "Miss Alabama Revue Troupe". She is being sponsored by Phi Mu Sorority.

**Teisha Venable** - Venable, a sophomore Communications major from Cedartown, is the daughter of Ms. Carol Crowley. She is a member of Zeta Tau Alpha Sorority, Pi Kappa Phi little sisters and Sigma

Delta Chi. Her hobbies include singing, dancing, and acting. She is being sponsored by Zeta Tau Alpha Sorority.

**Julie Waldrop** - Waldrop, a 21-year-old marketing major from Gadsden, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Waldrop. She is a Delta Chi little sister and is serving as president of Phi Beta Lambda. Waldrop is being sponsored by Phi Beta Lambda.

**Lori Wright** - Lori is the daughter of Mr. Thomas F. Wright and Mrs. Gayle Day, both of Decatur. Wright is serving her second term as president of Phi Mu Sorority. She has also served as president and vice-president of the JSU Panhellenic Council, president and treasurer of the Pi Kappa Phi little sisters. Wright was also named Pi Kappa Phi Rose Queen of 1985. She is being sponsored by the Phi Mu Alumni Chapter.

## Library

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onto the subject floors. Crumbs, wrappers and soft drink cans all attract bugs, and to a bug a book is a four course meal.

# Some black and white students try to integrate groups

PHILADELPHIA, PA (CPS) - Haltingly and without much success, black and white student groups on a handful of campuses have experimented with integration in recent weeks.

At the University of Pennsylvania here, for example, a white student tried to join the Black Student League until finally being rebuffed last week.

At Alabama, several black greek groups moved to the previously all-white fraternity row, and a black sorority admitted a white pledge. Mississippi's Black Student Union, hoping to improve campus race relations, appointed two white students to its board.

But some whites and blacks on some of the campuses don't believe the experiments are worth doing, or ultimately workable.

"The trend across the country is that one person is accepted (in a

fraternity or sorority) for a short period of time, and then they leave or drop out," said University of Alabama President Joab Thomas upon hearing of a white student pledging a black sorority.

At Penn, freshman Sydney Thornbury applied for membership in the Black Student League (BSL) in early September.

BSL leaders initially told Thornbury, who said she wanted to join because she is "sincerely interested" in helping advance black student causes, that they didn't want her.

"Offering (Thornbury) a full membership would have changed our organization," explains BSL spokeswoman Traci Miller. "It wouldn't have been a black students' group any longer."

But after some public controversy, the BSL offered Thornbury an "associate member-

ship." BSL leaders then could not decide just what an "associate member" could or could not do, and Thornbury last week withdrew her application.

"She really only wanted to cause trouble in the ranks," Miller says. "She proved it by backing off when we offered her an associate membership."

Black student groups, of course, began to crop up on campuses in the late sixties, when mostly white colleges first began admitting minority students in large numbers.

The new arrivals complained they felt isolated, out-of-place and ignored at the colleges, which often had to be forced by court orders to admit them.

To promote their special concerns, protect their hard-won gains and, ultimately, to give themselves a social center of gravity, the black

(See GROUPS, Page 6)

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"A nation that is afraid to let its people judge truth and falsehood in an open market is a nation that is afraid of its people" ...John F. Kennedy

For the record

## In praise of individuality

In today's world there is far too much pressure being exerted on people to conform to the whims of society. Being with the "in crowd" to some has become an obsession. Freedom to be one's self has taken a backseat to popularity.



**Steven Robinson**

Editor-In-Chief

Individuality is a gift. It should be treated as such and used to its fullest advantage. No one should feel pressured into being or doing anything just because that's what everyone else is doing.

I believe society forces its members to conform in order to escape fear. It is basic human nature to fear anything strange, different or unknown. Thus society, in an attempt to buffer itself against fear, creates a barrier of prejudice or hatred. I'm not referring to prejudice or hatred among racial or ethnic groups. Instead, I refer to the biases that develop when someone dares stand out of the crowd and think for himself. Such a person is often ostracized or persecuted merely for questioning the norms set before him. This ought not be so.

I do not advocate withdrawal from society. Nor am I saying that you should develop a dislike or a distrust for it. All I am saying is that within the system there should be enough room left open to allow each and every one of us to be ourselves.

Don't take for granted everything you're told. Just because your friends, family, instructors or church tells you something is a certain way doesn't necessarily mean it is. Have enough confidence **IN YOURSELF TO THINK FOR YOURSELF**. Gather your own facts and draw your own conclusions in a reasonable and objective manner.

Individuals often get hung up on ideals or their certain perceptions of reality and attempt to pawn them off on others to the exclusion of all reason or argument. Such persons need to reevaluate themselves and change their thinking. It's okay to have certain beliefs or opinions on a subject, but it's not okay to try and jam those beliefs down someone else's throat. Everyone should be allowed to experience life for themselves, and, if necessary, learn things the hard way.

Be yourself. Wearing certain clothes or acting a certain way just because others do is redundant. Do what makes you happy. If wearing the same clothes as, or acting like everybody else makes you happy, then do it. If not, don't.

Find a group of people who share the same interests you do. They can best understand you and the circumstances surrounding your life. Accept friends for who they are and don't expect them to have to live up to your expectations. Let them have the chance to be themselves, and in the process you'll find the chance to find out who, and what, you really are.

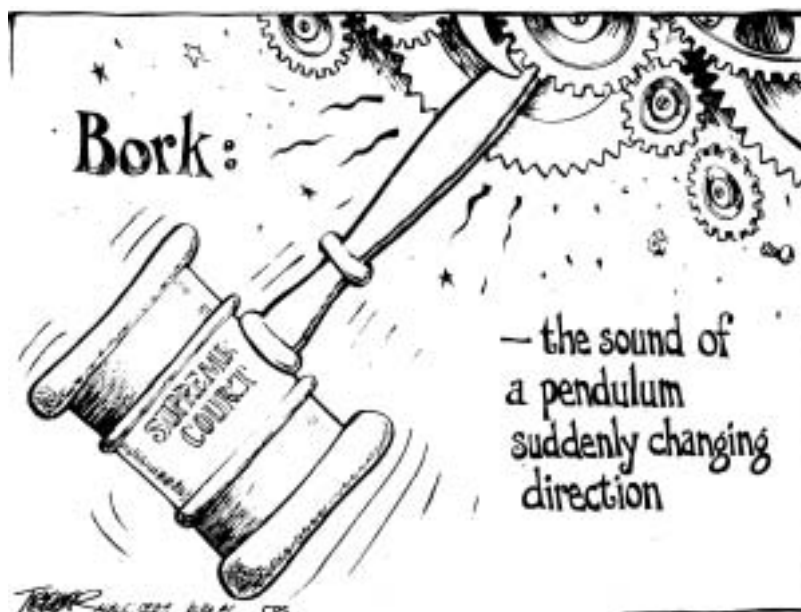


## Residence halls remain dorms

By GROVER KITCHENS  
Chanticleer Staff Writer

Recently Jacksonville State has fallen into the word trap of the American language. In the past maids have been called domestic engineers, garbage collectors called sanitation managers, and now the ultimate word turn has arrived. No longer will this university have dormitories. They will have residence halls and now instead of student housing one goes to the Office of Residence Life. Not too many years ago an administrator of this university said that no matter what, where, or how, a dorm is a dorm is a dorm. A dormitory cannot be changed and made homey and caring. The only way a room can be homey is if the resident makes it so, and as far as caring or friendly the people in the hall make this happen. Happiness is not tied to wallpaper

and old world building designs, it is how one takes his surroundings and adapts to them. Any psychology student or professional will emphatically state that one person can be happy in a plain unairconditioned dormitory where as one other student may never be happy in any type of dormitory. It takes a certain type of person to live in a dormitory. Some people are just not cut out for communal life. Those that live in a dorm must learn to live with others. In a way it is a great experience and a time of sharing experiences. If a car takes revenge on its owner, the resident can always find a ride to class or to town. Also, there is always someone to eat with in the cafeteria. So, really no matter if it is called a dorm, a resident hall, or a hole in the ground, it can become a positive point in maturing and growing socially. And maybe, just maybe it can become home.



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## \*\*\*Features\*\*\*

# Residence hall gets brand new look

By Barry Conner and  
Zenobia Pettway

Chanticleer Staff Writers

Resident life on campus is taking on a new attitude. With the renovation of Curtis and Dixon halls having been completed this summer, male and female students are reaping the results of nine months of hard work.

Both halls have a completely new look.

In the student's room, there are two individual concealed lights along the wall. The bed frames are solid wood and have two large storage drawers underneath. The mattresses appear larger, wider, and thicker than those used last year. There are two separate desks complete with an electrical outlet and padded chair. Mini-blinds have been placed in each window. Two large closets and a six-drawer dresser complete the room's furniture.

Asbestos has been completely removed and a drop ceiling has replaced the old one. The walls are accented with thick oak wood strips

that line the middle and ceiling. The wooden area is designed for the hanging of pictures, because University Housing has asked that nails not be placed in the new walls.

The students are especially pleased with the bathrooms. The walls there have been completely re-tiled and have a pleasant new color scheme. There are doors for each toilet and individual shower areas. Items such as mirrors, chairs, and shower curtains are missing from some of the rooms and are expected to arrive soon.

When talking to the new Director of Resident Life, Mr. Craig Schmitt, it was learned that the renovation project is to improve living conditions on campus. He believes that valuable lessons are learned from living in the dormitories.

However, not all JSU students are pleased with their new residences. "The only thing that I like is the door; it keeps the light from the hallway out. It's just not worth the \$400 I'm paying for it. There isn't

enough space, nor are there any cabinets for food. It's not what I expected," 21-year-old junior, Florence Barlow said.

Freshman Wanda Breckenridge commented on Curtiss Hall by saying, "It's okay because it's clean. The decorations are really nice, but my only gripe is that the rooms could have been larger."

Neta Ogletree, a former dorm director at Luttrell and now the new dorm director at Curtiss Hall, believes the renovations are definitely something to be proud of.

"We just have to get used to the new adjustments and responsibilities. When Homecoming comes, we want to offer everyone a special viewing of our residence, to show them how a real residence hall looks," Ogletree said.

With the completion of Curtiss and Dixon halls, Mr. Schmitt also added that two other halls were being chosen for renovation and that the work would hopefully start within the next year.



## Bulimia: Not a major problem on U.S. campuses

(CPS) -- Reports of the bulimia epidemic among college-age women are inaccurate, according to a new study.

A 1981 survey at one college reported bulimia affected as many as 19 percent of the women on campus, and at least one popular magazine suggested that half the women on campuses suffer from eating disorders, according to a report in the Journal of the American Medical Association.

However, recent research conducted at the University of Pennsylvania indicated that only about 1.3 percent of female students and 0.1 percent of male students actually fit the clinical diagnosis of bulimia, or binge-purge syndrome.

"What we found is that a very significant number of people who respond to these surveys are those who are interested in eating behaviors, and that that group tends to overemphasize," said David E.

Schotte, an assistant professor of psychology at the Chicago Medical School.

"For instance, many report that they fast frequently. On followup, we found this to mean for some that they skip breakfast occasionally."

"Others characterized an eating binge as eating a large bag of potato chips while studying, while bulimics tend to consume thousands and thousands of calories at one time,

often in secret, followed by self-induced vomiting," added Schotte, who co-authored the Journal report with Dr. Albert Stunkard of the University of Pennsylvania.

Stunkard said the most important factor the researchers used to differentiate between bulimia and bulimic behavior was whether the respondents purged their systems after eating -- especially if a laxative was used.

"That's where the great drop-off between our survey and others came."

College students, because of dating and status pressures, may be more susceptible to eating disorders, according to the report.

But, said Schotte, "an occasional abnormal eating pattern or an obsession about such patterns is not the same thing as a bulimia epidemic."

## JSU School of Nursing sees steady enrollment rate



School of Nursing

Photo by Bryan Whitehead

By Grover Kitchens  
Chanticleer Staff Writer

Many universities across the nation have noticed a severe drop in enrollment and as a result, many have had to close their nursing schools. Since many classes that regularly have a capacity of 100-150 people have dropped to 30-to-50 students, the school can no longer manage profitably.

However, JSU apparently has not encountered this problem. Despite the national trend, enrollment and recruitment at JSU has continued at a healthy pace mainly due to several programs instituted at JSU in the last few years.

At JSU, there is now a program for R.N.s to return to school and receive their B.S. Also currently being offered is a joint graduate program with UAB where students can receive their masters in nursing. According to JSU Dean of Nursing, Roberta Watts, "JSU offers an excellent job placement for our graduating seniors."

Due to the good reputation of JSU's School of Nursing, 62 hospitals have inquired about setting up booths for the school's annual nursing career day. The college regularly sends out evaluation forms of their employees who are JSU gradu-

ates. Stated Watts, "We receive great reviews of performance from our graduates."

Dean Watts believes the problems other universities are having with their enrollment is because, "there are so many fields open to women now and that those interested in nursing are going into other medical fields."

Fortunately, JSU is meeting the few problems they have with enrollment head-on. With the implementation of their new programs, JSU's School of Nursing hopes to maintain their level of excellency.

## New service lowers computer costs for JSU students

By MIKE DOUGLASS  
Chanticleer Senior Editor

A new computer program has been made available to JSU students and faculty. The program makes it possible for students and faculty to buy personal computers at discounts of up to 40 per cent.

The university has been working on this program which began in June, according to Jim Greene,

Director of Computer Services. The main problem was getting vendors to make concessions in their prices.

Greene attributes the availability of this type of program to the rising popularity of microcomputers.

"We knew that as more and more uses for computers became available, our students would be in-

terested in using this type of service," said Greene.

The program has gone virtually unnoticed until now because of the summer break, but there has still been a good response, according to Greene.

"We've had a pretty big response up to this point. A few years ago, the

only students interested in computers were computer majors. I think this has broadened now," said Greene.

"We offer this strictly as a service to students and faculty," Greene said.

Most manufacturers offer discounts, but very few have discounts

for faculty and students. For more information on the program contact Jim Lampru (x 4201) who is coordinator of the program.

"We offer this strictly as a service to students and faculty." -Greene

# Students think about more than sex

NEW YORK, N.Y. (CPS) --College and high school students don't think about sex as often as most people assume, researchers have found.

Researchers presenting papers at the annual meeting of the American Psychological Association Aug. 30, in fact, said students think about sex only about 1 percent of the time.

"This may be surprising," concluded Eric Klinger, a psychology professor at the University of Min-

nesota who outfitted 39 students with beepers and had them record what they were thinking when they got a signal from the devices.

Students spent about 20 percent of their time thinking about a "task at hand," 14 percent of their time "just looking at or listening to something," 6 percent of their time "anger" and another 1 percent, at last, thinking about sex.

The remainder of the students' thoughts concerned "other people."

Students themselves may be surprised by the finding, added Edward Donner, a University of Chicago scientist whose research also found students don't think about sex all that much

Yet thoughts about sex are more emotionally charged than others, so they seem more prominent when teens are asked to recall what they are thinking about, Donner explained.

## Groups

students often formed their own groups

"There's a profound rejection for (black students) in white schools," says Barnard College psychology Prof. Jacqueling Fleming, who wrote a book called "Blacks in College."

She says "students don't expect (the rejection), and it's very painful, so they retreat into black organizations."

But black student unions at Michigan State, Cal-Santa Barbara, Illinois State and Loyola-New Orleans, among others, struggled for members in the early eighties as black students began gravitating toward newly robust minority fraternities for social sustenance.

Minority fraternities and sororities, though, also have stayed to themselves.

At the University of Illinois-Urbana, for example, "only one or two (black) greek organizations choose even to belong to the Interfraternity Council or the Panhellenic," says

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Bruce Nesbitt, director of the Afro American Cultural Program

"They choose to have their own identity, but they do interact with non-black greeks on occasion. There is no one campus establishment blacks identify with. Most of their socializing outside of black-only groups is at house parties."

Alabama sociology Prof. Donal Muir, who has been surveying black-white race relations for 20 years, contends social integration on American campuses has proceeded a lot more slowly than classroom integration.

Indeed, many blacks on predominantly white campuses now complain more about vague, social feelings of "discomfort" than overt racism

At Penn, "black students aren't restricted," Miller reports, "but they don't always feel comfortable. Feeling welcome on campus has been a problem."

At Illinois, blacks are "very aware of racism, but most choose to

ignore it or adjust to it."

There are, in fact, plenty of reminders of racism on campus

Last spring, two Alabama white students burned a cross in front of a house on "sorority row" after a black sorority announced it was relocating there

At Texas, two whites wearing Ronald Reagan masks tried to push a former Black Student Alliance resident through an eighth-story residence hall window

And at The Citadel last week, five white students accused of dressing in white sheets, yelling obscenities at a black student and burning a paper cross on his floor were suspended for the remainder of the year.

Citadel officials set aside the suspension on the five's promise of good behavior, but the cadets were demoted and must serve "room confinements" for the rest of the year.

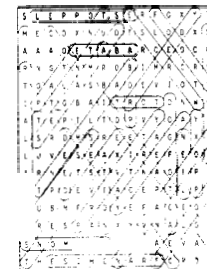
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# \*\*\*Campus Life/Entertainment\*\*\*

## Story-Telling play relates 'Ear Rings' history

Jacksonville State University's Center for Southern Studies teamed with Anniston's Partnerships, Incorporated, to bring "Ear Rings from Oral History" to the campus.

The show, featuring an ensemble cast of nine, had only a one-night run on Wednesday, September 16.

The short run deprived many students of the opportunity to see the show, and the audience was made up mainly of the area's regular theater-goers.

The show was a story-telling play, with two primary narrators relating the history of the Cantrell family through three generations. It was written by Lee Smith and adapted by ensemble member Don Baker.

As the play began, four musicians came onstage and sang a song typical of the music of mountain regions.

As they played, a grandmotherly woman entered and related the story of her family in a tale laced with humor, sadness, and a little down-home exaggeration.

Three generations of her family, beginning with her grandmother, had been plagued by problems relating to a bewitched set of golden

earrings.

As the earrings passed down through the females of the family, the wearer suffered through a series of misfortunes leading to her death.

The curse was only broken when the earrings were hurled off a cliff.

The show, which ran almost three hours, featured quick-changes, sudden shifts of mood, and a generous sprinkling of laughs.

The music, by Tommy Thompson and Jack Herrick, reflected the progression through the years, and one scene contained a lively square dance that had toes tapping and heads bobbing.

In keeping with the Southern mountain flavor, scenes of a hog killing, a torch-light revival, and a one-room school are peppered throughout the play.

The ensemble members, Frances Mansfield, Jim Watson, Cherie Sheppard, Nancy Lowery, Baker, Barry Mines, John Herrmann, Eric Hager, and Emily Green, worked well with one another. My personal favorites were Shepard's "Granny Younger" and Lowery's "Crazy Rose Hibbits" characters.

The only problems with the show resulted from the cast's lack of familiarity with the theater. There were a couple of missed cues, and occasionally the members failed to step fully into their pool of light, but overall the production was smooth and thoroughly enjoyable.

A note on the program about Lime Kiln Arts, the home of the ensemble, seemed particularly relevant to Southerners.

"Lime Kiln Arts was founded on the principle that art has the responsibility to put people at the center of collective memory, to provide them with a context, a sense of connectedness to each other and to all who have gone before. As the vehicle for expression, Lime Kiln Arts is building a body of work designed to illuminate the heritage and values to the Southern Mountain region."

Partnerships and the Center for Southern Studies can be extremely proud of this production. They have once again, as with last year's "Black Warrior" by Randy Hall, brought a special glimpse of history to the area. -CYNDI OWENS

## EAR RINGS FROM ORAL HISTORY

## Homecoming schedule updated for week

By CYNDI OWENS  
Chanticleer Senior Editor

As promised, this schedule has been updated to reflect last minute changes, and it is complete up to the deadline for this issue. Changes are denoted in *italics*. Keep watching this section for any changes or additions.

HOMECOMING 1987

•September 29: Election for

Homecoming Queen, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., fourth floor of Theron Montgomery Building.

•September 29: *Telluride and Tomboy in concert, 8 p.m. at the Armory.*

•October 1: Runoff Election for Homecoming Queen (if necessary), same as above.

•October 1: Pep rally, 7:30 p.m., (See SCHEDULE, Page 8)

## Polls open September 29 for Miss Homecoming vote

The Student Government Association wishes to remind everyone that voting for Miss Homecoming takes place on September 29, 1987. The voting booth, located on the fourth floor of Theron Montgomery Building, operates from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

SGA officers recommend that everyone brings their validated identification cards to the booth.

Judges at the Homecoming Pageant narrowed the field of contestants to the Top Ten, and the student body votes to determine Miss Homecoming. However, small turn-

outs at the polls in recent elections have left it up to a small percentage of those eligible to vote to select a winner.

The ten candidates for Miss Homecoming are: Kelly Bowers, Scarlett Mayhall, Sheri Mooney, Nancy Nixon, Kim Richey, Tracie Teem, Dana Terry, Teisha Venable, Julie Waldrop, and Lori Wright.

A runoff election, should it be needed, will take place on October 1. Polling sites and hours remain the same each day.

## Seagram's competition holds preliminaries at Brother's

By C. A. ABERNATHY  
Chanticleer Staff Writer

Seagram's national best band competition came to Jacksonville for several nights of preliminary rounds. Winners of these recent rounds include Usual Suspects, Silent Reign, and Desiree and Struttin'.

Usual Suspects played jazz-flavored rock, which was somewhat different for a Friday night at Brother's. The bands were judged on their original song (submitted to a local radio station for the contest), stage presence, and unity as a band.

Saturday night, both bands scored high enough to be in the semi-finals. Reliks, a Birmingham band, took the stage first. Their set, with songs by Bon Jovi and Led Zeppelin, also included "Champion Of Heart-

break" by 24 Karat--a local band and grand prize winner of another band contest several years ago. They performed several top originals including, "Part Of The Time," which was their entry in the competition.

Calhoun county's own Silent Reign (formerly Mystique) won Saturday. This band has been busy this summer--among other things they have a new keyboard player (Louis Watson) and have been recording at River City Studio. "Not Looking Back" is one of their strongest originals, and highlighted a various set of cover songs--including Poison, Aerosmith, Whitesnake, Kiss, and a locally played older original, "Stormy Weather."

Monday's round was held just down the road at Katz. The winners

were Desiree and Struttin'. Their all-original set was accented by keyboards, and layered around Desiree's powerful, sometimes smoky vocals. The small stage was cramped with the eight band members and stacks of sound equipment, yet this only added to the excitement of the show.

Winners will go on to the semi-finals and possibly compete in the national competition in California. All scores for each performance are added together and the band with the highest overall scores will move on to other local rounds. The grand prize winner will win instruments and a Crystals Records recording contract.

Details in later editions on the final results and more news on these and other area groups.

## Drama Department offers diverse schedule

Drama Department, JSU -- The drama department of Jacksonville State University recently announced the schedule for the upcoming 1987-1988 season.

Beginning October 15, Eugene O'Neill's "Beyond the Horizon," will run. The play, which won a Pulitzer Prize, vividly reveals the journey from youthful romance to mature realism. It is a beautiful, passionate work by America's premier playwright.

December 1-6 will bring "Silent Night, Lonely Night." Robert Anderson's bittersweet play about two unhappy people who meet at a New England inn on Christmas Eve, it is a warm and richly human story that unfolds as they come to help each other with humor and understanding.

The season's musical production, "Of Thee I Sing," will run February

11-17. The show is the first American musical comedy to win the Pulitzer Prize, and combines the talents of Georgia and Ira Gershwin and George Kaufman to provide a hysterically funny presidential race. Political and legal complications add to the merriment when the Supreme Court Justices dance and sing their way through important decisions to one of the most absurd and delightful climaxes that has been seen on Broadway.

For the spring, Neil Simon's "California Suite" will run March 29-April 3. Simon, considered to be America's greatest comedy playwright, provides a humorous confection in four parts as visitors from New York, Philadelphia, London, and Chicago have upsetting experiences in the hotel suites.

"Uncle Tom's Cabin," George Aiken's dramatization of Harriet

Beecher Stowe's novel, concerns the trials of a slave family seeking freedom during the American Civil War. This play was performed thousands of times and probably unified the Abolitionists' cause more than any other event in the 1860s.

The final play of the regular season will be "The Man Who Came to Dinner," July 5-10. One of America's best known comedies involves a household that is monopolized for six weeks by an irascible and outspoken dinner guest confined there due to an injury on the premises. The guest invites all his acquaintances including convicts, starlets, con artists, and the like to join him in his convalescence. A trail of endless comedy evolves.

Aside from the regular season, several student productions are (See DRAMA, Page 8)



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## Zeta Tau Alpha

The Zeta's had a successful rush, gaining 26 new pledges. An exciting schedule is planned for the fall semester, with a mixer on October 14 with Alpha Tau Omega, Hoedown October 16, and Champagne Ball December 4.

Congratulations to Kim Richey and Teisha Venable for becoming two of the 10 finalists in the Homecoming Pageant on September 17. Congratulations also to Diane Fuller lavaliered to Pat Tate, Meg Meeks lavaliered to Mike Gentry, and April Sauceman lavaliered to Greg Garner.

## Alpha Xi Delta

The sisters of Alpha Xi Delta would like to welcome everyone to J.S.U. and good luck during the fall semester.

The Alpha Xi's would like to thank their big brothers, alumni, and everyone else who helped make fall rush such a success. Twenty-

seven great girls pledged. They are: Johnna Anderson, Shari Bare, Jenny Brewer, Susan Brock Rachel brothers, Johnna Bryant, Becky Cardwell, Rhonda Guin, Donna Hardage, Donna Hawkins, Dyvonnia Hubbard, Dee Dee Jarrell, Melissa Johnson, Laura King, Judy Johnson, Darlea Lemons, Michelle Martel, Carol Moore, Gena Morgan, Judy Ogburn, Beth Ogletree, Barrie Ogletree, Gina Pierce, Lisa Prickett, Amy Tomlinson, Teresa Williams, and Julianna Woodward.

The Alpha Xi's send out congratulations to their new addition of officers. They are: Nancy Nixon, Membership Chairman; Gina Womack, Treasurer; Jacque Gant, Corresponding Secretary; and Kristy Adcock, Recording Secretary.

During the summer several sisters held candlelights. Jennifer Pitts announced her lavalier to Ron Rhue who is a KA. Kristy Adcock announced her engagement to KA, Gary LaFollette. Kelley Love's engagement to Craig Daniels. Other

sisters who announced their engagement were Kim Rosser and Kim Magee. Congratulations!

Congratulations to Becky Frost for her new job at Chanticleer as Features Editor.

## Pi Sigma Chi

The brothers of the Petitioning Schedule

football stadium. A spirit competition will be held, with cash prizes for the three top winners. Comedienne Denise Moses will perform during the pep rally, and then do a second set afterwards.

## Drama

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•October 2: Bonfire, 8 p.m., Intramural Field. Immediately following, there will be a fireworks display.

•October 3: Yard displays judged, 8 a.m.

at Jacksonville State University and we are expecting continued success. We would like to express our thanks to the Little Sigs for helping us prepare for rush.

The brothers are making plans for many activities this fall semester and are very excited about putting them into action.

•October 3: Parade, 10 a.m.  
•October 3: Kickoff, 2 p.m. JSU vs. Valdosta

•October 3: Dinner and dance, immediately following the game, at the Armory, for all students, alumni, and guests. Admission will be \$5 at the door.

Come on out and enjoy as many of these Homecoming festivities as possible.

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planned. The first two, "Mack and Mabel" and "A Soldier's Play," are already cast and ready to begin rehearsals.

"Mack and Mabel" is a musical version of the quintessential tale of a star who fell from grace: silent screen movie actress Mable Norman. The cast will include singers and dancers, with vocal direction and dance choreography by JSU Drama students Lee Pope and Mike Roberts.

Several highly dramatic roles will be cast for the Student Theater production of Charles Fullers' 1982 Pulitzer Prize-winning play, "A Soldier's Play." This tale of Southern racial tensions and violence on an Army base in 1944 will also be produced almost entirely by student efforts.

For information on these plays,

## Groups

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incidents here," claims Citadel spokesman Ben Legare. "This is a military college, and one is looked on for his ability to function as a cadet in a regimented environment. A cadet's attitude is "when I put on that uniform, I'm cadet-gray, not black or white."

But the persistence of such incidents at other campuses has convinced many black student leaders they need to keep whites out of their groups, whether they're social

fraternities or more political black student unions.

Psychologically, Barnard's Fleming says, students are saying "The rest of the campus rejects us and won't let us in, so why should we let them in?"

"And although there's considerable concern on many white campuses to ease such tensions, there's really not much happening. Worrying about it is a far cry from doing something about it."

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# Gamecocks face conference opener

By JEFFREY ROBINSON  
Chanticleer Senior Editor

After two impressive wins over Newberry College and Alabama A M, the Jacksonville State University Gamecocks now turn their attention to the ever important Gulf South Conference schedule. The Gamecocks travel to Carrollton, Georgia, this Saturday night to play the West Georgia College Braves, a team that is quickly becoming one of JSU's biggest rivals.

Jacksonville State, now 2-0 and ranked 14th in the Associated Press Division II Poll this week, has looked strong in their two wins. West Georgia, 0-1 on the season, lost its opening game on September 12 against Georgia Southwestern 7-6.

JSU Head Coach Bill Burgess stressed the importance that the West Georgia game has on the Gamecocks' season.

"The game is important because it's our next game, but it is doubly important because it's our first conference game. Conference play is so very important. The loss that (West Georgia) had their first time out didn't help us out at all. I think it will wake them up and get them

even more ready to play. Which, most of the time, West Georgia doesn't have to have much to get them ready to play JSU. They are very competitive against us. It's a big game for them, too, but it seems like every time we play it's like that. West Georgia always wants to play their best game when the play Jacksonville State, and that's fine. That's the way it should be."

The Braves return seven offensive and nine defensive starters from last year's team that sported a 4-7 record. Coach Burgess feels that tailback Stevie Young will be a big threat offensively for West Georgia.

"They are a one back offense, and you hate to play against that offense. They've got Young, who is one of the top running backs in the Gulf South Conference, at the running back position."

Burgess said that Young is always a threat, whether he is playing at running back or at wide out.

"When he is in the wide out, he catches the ball great. The difference is that when he catches the ball, he becomes a running back again. He's got great moves, great

speed, and does an excellent job with the ball. So, they give you a lot of problems recognition-wise offensively."

On the defensive side of the ball, Coach Burgess expects West Georgia to throw the Gamecocks some new looks.

"Defensively, they've been a balanced defense ever since we've played them. We feel like we'll probably get some overshifts out of them that we did not get last year. We understand that when they played the wishbone offense against Troy State last year after they played us, they moved the noseguard around and gave some eight front looks. I don't know whether we'll get that or not, but we are anticipating it from them."

Coach Burgess also expects a sound kicking game from West Georgia.

"They always have a sound kicking game. Coach Vohun and his staff do a great job coaching the kicking game, so they're not going to give you anything cheap in that area." We expect a real tough ballgame. We're gonna play at their place, and it will be our first night

game. I think the West Georgia team that opened the season (with a loss) is not the true West Georgia team. I think they got in a situation where they felt like they were going to win and it didn't work out."

Concerning Jacksonville State's injury status, Coach Burgess said, "Right now we're probably the best injury-wise that we've ever been. We got Jeff Hill back Monday. He's still playing with his hand heavily padded, but it looked like it had healed well. John Tucker is starting to work now. He's still a question mark on that leg."

Tucker suffered a badly broken bone in his leg when he was involved in an automobile accident last year.

"Terry Thomas looks as close to full speed as I've ever seen him. Rod Parker's knee is still real sore, but I know it's sound. So, unless something happens in the practice conditions, we're the best we've been injury-wise."

Jacksonville State and West Georgia have played nine games against each other, and the Gamecocks have won all nine of them. Last year, JSU defeated West Georgia 52-34 in Jacksonville. This game begins a stretch of eight Gulf South Conference games for JSU. Saturday night's game at Grisham Stadium in Carrollton will kick off at 6:00 P.M. CST.

## Gamecocks move into poll

By JEFFREY ROBINSON  
Chanticleer Senior Editor

The Jacksonville State University Gamecocks this week moved into the NCAA Division II Poll for the first time this season. Though unranked the first two weeks of the season, JSU vaulted into the poll at No. 14 after big victories over Newberry College and Alabama A and M University.

Jacksonville State Head Coach Bill Burgess commented "I think it's great because of the publicity our school gets out of it. I think it's great because our players are proud to be there."

While Burgess feels that it is good to be ranked, he also realizes that there is still a long season ahead for the Gamecocks. He knows that his team must go out and prove themselves on the field throughout the rest of the season.

Burgess said, "The thing that bothers us is polls are not really important after key games. Really, polls are not important until the end of the year."

Still, Burgess was enthusiastic about the Gamecock's being ranked in the poll.

Jacksonville State is not the only member of the Gulf South Conference ranked. Fellow conference member Valdosta State is tied for No. 11 with Ashland. Jax State will host Valdosta State for Homecoming on October 3. Troy State, the defending GSC champion, fell out of the poll this week after losing their season opener and tying Nicholls State 17-17 last week. Coach Burgess said he feels that even though Troy State fell out of the poll, they are still the team to beat in the Gulf South Conference.

Burgess hopes that the Gamecocks will be ranked even higher after they play the eight straight Gulf South Conference games they now face.

(AP) DIVISION II TOP 20 Mission, Kansas—The top 20 teams in the National Collegiate Athletic Association Division II men's football poll, with first-place votes, records through Sept. 12, total points and last week's ranking listed.

## And this week's winners are . . .

By JEFFREY ROBINSON  
Chanticleer Senior Editor

This week, I start my predictions of weekly college games. These are done on no scientific basis. In fact, they may just be "gut feelings." I figure that if Tommy Hicks of the Anniston Star can do it, so can I. I wonder if he would let me borrow his coin to flip? At any rate, I will try to predict important Gulf South Conference games, Southeastern Conference games, and other games of importance involving Top 20 teams. Here goes.

**JACKSONVILLE ST. AT WEST GEORGIA:** The Gamecocks have started the season impressively. After just two games, JSU has already leaped to 14th in the AP Division II Poll. Their success is due to a ferocious defense that totally shut down Newberry and handled lightning-quick Alabama A M, and an offense that has been able to put points on the board. West Georgia lost its season opener to Georgia Southwestern, 7-6, and then shoutout Clarke College 21-0 last week. If the Braves are to have any luck against Jax State, they had better find a way to generate some offense. If they don't, the JSU defense will wreak havoc on them. **JACKSONVILLE ST. 34 WEST GEORGIA 7.**

**ALABAMA AT VANDERBILT:** In their loss to Florida, Bill Curry's Crimson Tide came back down to earth this week after two big wins over Southern Mississippi and Penn State. But don't expect the Tide to stay down long. Vanderbilt is anything but your typical SEC opponent. The Commodores lost their season opener to Memphis State and fell short against Duke last weekend. Bama should rebound

from their first loss to the Gators by taking out its frustrations on hapless Vandy. Since Alabama will be extremely frustrated, the Commodores will be in for a long day on Saturday. **ALABAMA 37 VANDERBILT 10**

**AUBURN AT TENNESSEE:** Auburn has looked good in its first two games. The only problem is its opponents have turned out to be weaklings. Texas was strong in name and tradition only, and Kansas lost to Kent State last week. Obviously, the Tigers have not been tested. Yet. That will change this week. Tennessee has also looked good in its three wins. Considering that Auburn has no rushing offense, but has played some excellent defense, this game should be your "fought in the trenches" defensive battle. The Tigers will not find Neyland Stadium a nice place to visit. **TENNESSEE 20 AUBURN 16**

**OHIO STATE AT LSU:** This is a big game involving two Top 5 teams. This should be a hard-fought game between these two clubs. Ohio State will find that if there is any place you don't want to play a football game, it is Tiger Stadium in Baton Rouge. It is safe to say that the confines of this stadium will prove to be anything but friendly. **LSU 24 OHIO STATE 20**

**OTHER GAMES:** Florida 34, Mississippi State 3; Georgia 28, South Carolina 7; Kentucky 26, Rutgers 10; Mississippi 13, Tulane 10; Delta St. 18, SEMO ST. 17; Troy St. 27, Livingston 13; Mississippi College 20, West Texas St. 7; Valdosta St. 28, UT-Martin 7; UCLA 28, Arizona St. 15; Nebraska 21, Arizona St. 16; Miami (Fl) 30, Arkansas 21; Penn State 34, Boston College 3; Clemson 27, Georgia Tech 18; Virginia 21, Duke 19; Florida St.

20, Michigan St. 14; Maryland 24, North Carolina St. 13; Michigan 24, Long Beach St. 0; Notre Dame 27, Purdue 6; Oklahoma 64, Tulsa 0; Oklahoma St. 32, Southwestern Louisiana 7; Pittsburg 28, West Virginia 14; Texas A M 31, Southern Mississippi 10; Washington 31, Pacific U. 7.

### Chanticleer Top Twenty

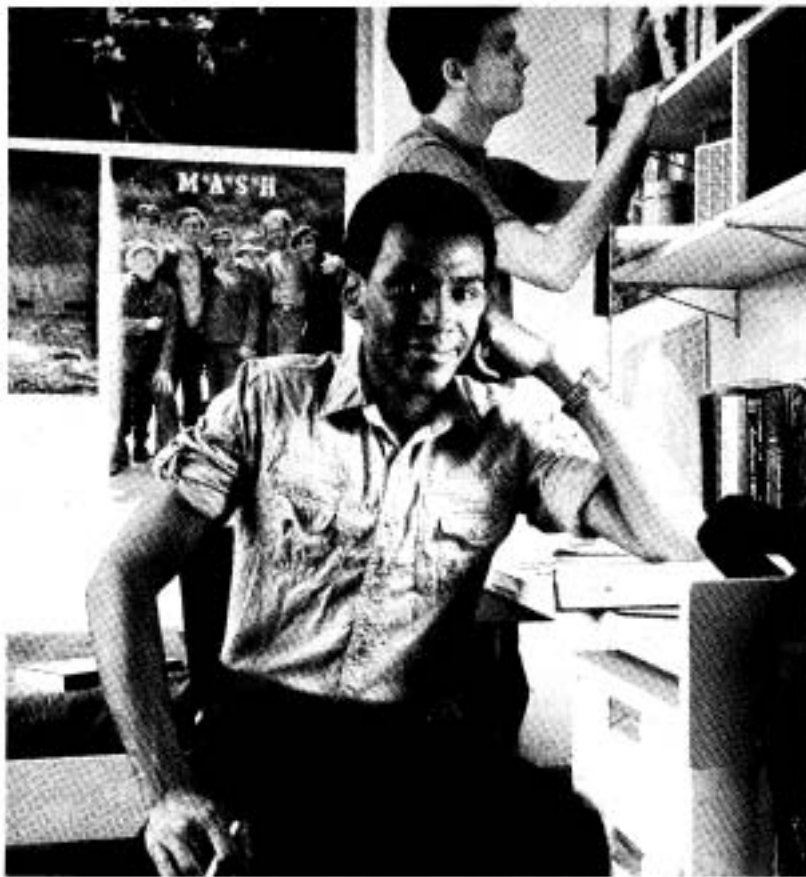
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| 2. Nebraska        | 2-0 |
| 3. Ohio State      | 2-0 |
| 4. Florida State   | 3-0 |
| 5. Auburn          | 2-0 |
| 6. Louisiana State | 3-0 |
| 7. Clemson         | 3-0 |
| 8. Miami           | 1-0 |
| 9. Arkansas        | 2-0 |
| 10. Notre Dame     | 2-0 |
| 11. Arizona State  | 2-0 |
| 12. UCLA           | 2-1 |
| 13. Tennessee      | 3-0 |
| 14. Washington     | 2-1 |
| 15. Alabama        | 2-1 |
| 16. Michigan       | 1-1 |
| 17. Texas A&M      | 2-1 |
| 18. Florida        | 2-1 |
| 19. Penn State     | 2-1 |
| 20. Georgia        | 2-1 |

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2. Texas A&I	2-0-0	76	3
3. Central Florida	1-0-0	72	5
4. West Chester, Pa	2-0-0	68	6
5. Northern Michigan	2-0-0	64	13
6. Portland State	2-0-0	60	7
7. Cal-Davis	0-0-0	56	4
8. Albany St.	1-0-0	52	8
9. South Dakota St.	1-0-0	48	11
10. North Dakota St.	0-1-0	44	1
11. Ashland	1-0-0	38	9
(tie) Valdosta St.	1-0-0	38	12
13. Millersville	1-0-0	31	19
14. JACKSONVILLE STATE	2-0-0	26	-
15. SE Missouri St.	1-1-0	24	14
16. Southern Utah St.	2-0-0	21	-
17. Grand Valley St.	1-1-0	13	-
18. Tuskegee Institute	2-0-0	9	-
19. East Stroudsburg	1-0-0	7	-
20. Nebraska-Omaha	2-0-0	6	-



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# Honesty vs. dishonesty

Honesty is the best policy is a statement I have had stressed to me. I am sure many people have heard this also, but it seems that some just never learn.

Recently, there has been a move among college and universities to stop putting such great emphasis on athletics. More and more we see coaches and athletic directors stressing that the main reason a "student athlete" is in school in the first place is to get an education. Playing a particular sport is something that these athletes do on the side while they are in school, not the sole reason they are attending college. Great emphasis is also being placed on running athletic programs with honesty and integrity. "Playing by the rules" is something that is being done—not just talked about.

What the coaches and athletic directors are trying to do is very commendable. While athletics are very important to the students of a university and the fans that back university teams, they are not something that can be abused. Abuse of the programs hurts the school, the fans, and the players.



**Jeffrey Robinson**  
Sports Editor

Like I said some people never learn. Judging from news that has been coming from the Plains lately, Auburn University head football coach Pat Dye is one who apparently has not learned. The recent scandals involving Auburn players Jeff Burger and Brent Fullwood have not left a good impression on Auburn's football program or coach Dye. Details of these happenings tend to make one wonder just what is going on down there.

It was revealed last year that Brent Fullwood, who played tailback for the Tigers, did not attend class for the last several weeks of the Fall 1986 quarter. Even though Fullwood was not attending class, he still played in several football games and the Florida Citrus Bowl.

Jeff Burger, Auburn's quarterback, has been a big mess this summer. Burger was found guilty of plagiarism by an academic honesty committee. To make matters worse this same decision was upheld by the committee twice, which made Burger ineligible to play during this season. On top of all this, revelations were made that Burger was arrested at an Auburn restaurant in July for public drunkenness and carrying a concealed weapon. When assistant coach Pat Sullivan bailed him out of jail, this violated NCAA rules and again made Burger ineligible.

After all that has happened, both Fullwood, now playing in the NFL, and Burger have seemingly gotten off "Scott-free." This is not right. These young men have gotten away with offenses for which they should have received some sort of punishment. Yet it seems as if coach Pat Dye really does not seem to care what his players do, just as long as they are there to play football for him on Fall Saturdays.

The Burger situation has been totally ridiculous. When an academic honesty committee finds you guilty of the SAME offense TWICE, something has to be wrong somewhere. Perhaps people do not realize how serious the law considers plagiarism. When you claim someone's work as your own, you are stealing from them.

Most of all, it is Dye's attitude and comments that really astound. Dye has refused to even punish Burger for what has happened. Dye has said that Burger was an "innocent" victim in the wrong place at the wrong time. If he is so innocent, why was out drunk with a gun.

Pat Dye is really the one in all of this that looks bad. He obviously must not have any control over his players or incidents like this could be prevented. If this is not the case, then the man is lacking scruples severely. He worked for Paul Bryant, a man who did not hesitate to suspend both Joe Namath and Kenny Stabler, and neither of them did anything as serious as Burger.

Of course, Pat Dye is not the only coach, and Burger and Fullwood are not the only players who have ever done something wrong. The recent scandal at the University of Florida caused the school to be placed on probation and cost head coach Charley Pell and several assistants their jobs. Football will not even be played this year at SMU because of their repeated rules violations. Basketball is not being played at Tulane for similar reasons. Oklahoma Head Coach Barry Switzer essentially kicked Brian Bosworth off the team for complications due to steroid use. Recently, several players including Alabama's Derek McKey and Ohio State's Chris Carter lost their eligibility because of dealings with sports agents. As one can see, the problems in college athletics are widespread.

One thing Coach Dye will eventually learn is this, if you cannot win them honestly, YOU DO NOT DESERVE TO WIN THEM AT ALL. In the long run, you will be the loser.

## INTRAMURAL SCHEDULE OF EVENTS 1987-88

SPORT	TEAM SPORTS			
	Entries Open	Entries Close	Meeting Date	Play Begins
Fall 1987				
Golf	Sep. 8	Sep. 17	Sep. 16	Sep. 21
Football	Sep. 8	Sep. 22	Sep. 23	Sep. 24
Corec Softball	Sep. 8	Sep. 24	Sep. 27	Sep. 28
Volleyball	Oct. 1	Oct. 20	Oct. 21	Oct. 22
Soccer	Oct. 1	Oct. 22	Oct. 25	Oct. 26
3 Man Basketball	Oct. 26	Nov. 23	Nov. 29	Nov. 30

NOTE: Meeting-Place and Time will be announced. A representative MUST attend this meeting. Rules will be discussed and schedules distributed.

### INDIVIDUAL & DUAL SPORTS

Fall 1987

Golf	Sep. 8	Sep. 17	Sep. 18	Sep. 21
Tennis, Sgls.	Sep. 9	Sep. 23	Sep. 25	Sep. 28
Tennis, Mixed Dbls.	Sep. 9	Sep. 23	Sep. 25	Sep. 28
Badminton, Sgls	Sep. 10	Sep. 30	Oct. 2	Oct. 5
Badminton, Mxd Dbls	Sep. 10	Sep. 30	Oct. 2	Oct. 5
Racquetball, Sgls	Oct. 2	Oct. 28	Oct. 30	Nov. 2
Racquetball, Mxd Dbls	Oct. 2	Oct. 28	Oct. 30	Nov. 2
Table Tennis, Dbls.	Nov. 2	Nov. 25	Nov. 30	Dec. 1
Billiards	Nov. 2	Nov. 25	Nov. 30	Dec. 1

### 1987-88 FRATERNITY SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

GOLF	Sep. 8	Sep. 17	Sep. 18	Sep. 21
FOOTBALL	Sep. 8	Sep. 22	Sep. 23	Sep. 24
BADMINTON	Sep. 8	Sep. 24	Sep. 25	Sep. 28
VOLLEYBALL	Oct. 1	Oct. 20	Oct. 21	Oct. 22
RACQUETBALL	Jan. 11	Jan. 14	Jan. 15	Jan. 18
BASKETBALL	Dec. 1	Jan. 21	Jan. 24	Jan. 25
SOFTBALL	Feb. 1	Mar. 3	Mar. 6	Mar. 7
TUG-O-WAR	Mar. 1	Mar. 31	Apr. 1	Apr. 4
TENNIS	Mar. 21	Apr. 7	Apr. 8	Apr. 11

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