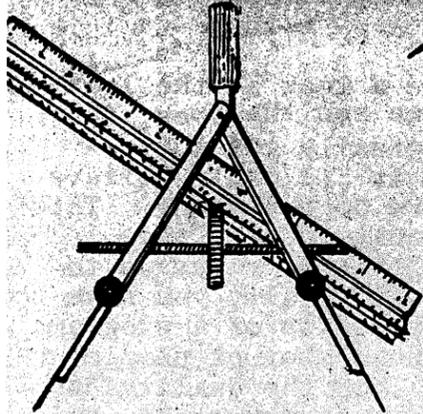


Southern Technical Institute

Marietta, Georgia



The Sting



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Roger Hackler Operating The 'Board' At WGHR

WGHR-FM, 102.5

For a long time now students at STI have been hearing about and lately seeing work towards our yet unborn FM station. I talked with Lee Blaylock, General Manager of WGHR to find out the status of the station now. Lee is a CET major and has been General Manager of WGHR for one and a half years.

STING: Lee, for starters how about introducing the general situation down at WGHR for us.

BLAYLOCK: I guess the best way to do that is to read a little P.R. thing I've done - I'll quote from it: "WGHR is the boldest and perhaps most potentially rewarding venture Southern Tech has embarked upon in the last four years. To bravely enter the dragon-infested world of mass communications resplendent with mega-watt Atlanta goliaths such as WSB-FM, WQXI, V-103, WKLS, WRAS, and WREK with only 16 watts of effective radiated power is an excursion worthy of only the best of men. The challenge of constructing and operating a college radio station broadcasting on a commercial frequency to many is formidable and not for the timid. 'You guys are going to get

squashed,' some said. 'It's going to fail,' they said. 'Poppycock!' And I think we've proven it! I mean with just the little bit we've got, we've done more than many stations have done in 10 years. Now I don't claim credit for all of that ---

STING: Give me an example of that.

BLAYLOCK: Okay. When we started, seven years ago, we broadcasted out of a suitcase. And changed the frequency every day so the FCC wouldn't catch us. The day when I took over, the radio station consisted of one room, the size of a broom closet. NOW come down and look at it!

STING: I take it when this was done, the administration wasn't aware of it.

BLAYLOCK: Right. Now we're an official organization on campus. It was a big step.

STING: Lee, you deserve a lot of credit for getting the station to this point. Are there others you would like to thank?

BLAYLOCK: It wasn't just me. There are a lot of people that are due credit. Even though

these students are not here any more, I'd like to thank Steve Westbrook, Joey Watkins, J.D. Wise and Bob Woods. I'd especially like to thank Dean Smith and Sue Konrad (who gave us the room in the S.C.) Also, I'd like to thank the Radio Communications Board - they are a group made up of faculty, advisors, alumni and others.

STING: Well Lee, lets jump right into it. What are your station frequencies?

BLAYLOCK: WGHR-AM is 1280KHz
WGHR-FM will be 102.5 MHz

STING: What kind of music can we expect to hear?

BLAYLOCK: Primarily Rock. Special programming on weekends and late nights such as Jazz and Country-Western. Weekends will also include religious, up-tempo gospel.

STING: Now, student input. How does a student let you know his opinions/suggestions on your programming?

BLAYLOCK: Write your note addressed to the Program Director, WGHR. Then turn it in to someone at the station or drop it off at the campus P.O. Right now, we're trying to get up a student survey. We'll use this to give us an idea of what the students would like to hear.

STING: Southern Tech is different than most colleges in that we have students in a variety of age categories. Basically, you're going to center around Rock with C-Wand Jazz considered specialty music until you get a "feel" for what the students want.

BLAYLOCK: Exactly. The student survey should give us a good start. The station is for the students.

STING: What will be the station broadcast times?

BLAYLOCK: We will be on the air from 6 A.M. to midnight on week days. We still don't have a definite weekend schedule in mind. This will depend on student response and our ability to have someone here on a weekend. Our biggest problem will be getting people to run the station during mid-day hours, as we'll have scheduling problems with classes.

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Editors' Corner

SGA BUDGET PREVIEW

It is that time of year again when all the student activity groups submit their proposed budgets to the SGA for next year's allocations from our activity fees. It is important that we, as students, take more of an interest in this process because this is one time where we actually do have a say in where our money goes. The Finance Committee and SGA hearings on the budget don't start until next quarter (early), but everyone on campus should be aware of how their \$18.00 Activity Fee is spent. To this end, I would like to review this year's budget and offer guidelines in deciding next year's budget.

By far, the largest percentage of the Student Activities Budget goes to maintaining and operating the Student Center. No complaints here as Sue Konrad and the building managers have done a commendable job operating the Student Center. Personally, I would like to see the food service area stay open later than 6:00, and maybe a few more electronic games, but those things will probably come with an increase in enrollment, eventually.

The campus activity board receives the next largest percentage of our fee, and the results are satisfactory. Before the board was formed, there was little organization between students and the administration in coordinating student entertainment. Since student reps have been sitting on the board, working closely with Sue Konrad, the campus events have been increased and the quality has improved. However, I would like to see more music events being offered and more of a variety, rather than mimes and comic teams, which draw poor attendance, at best. The C.A.B. should also be completely divorced from the Goat Day events and any I.F.C. activities, as these are attended by special interest groups and should be funded by the same.

Altogether, their budget allocation is satisfactory, but I would support an increase if we could get some quality rock and roll groups to perform on campus (maybe the Cars, Police, Etc.)

The Intramural program deserves more money. Ron Wofford has done an excellent job in increasing student participation in the intramural programs. I would like to see a weight room, exercise room finally built for the students use. Also more equipment for softball, soccer and football programs would be very constructive. We will see the intramural program grow even more in the next few quarters and the value of this program can be seen in the student's interest. This is one area where campus apathy is not prevalent, and we should increase its budget accordingly.

The radio station and Student Government allocations should remain the same. WGHR has finally gotten over the hump with their setup for broadcasting FM. The new production, news and on-air facilities are just fine and I expect the personnel to match the quality of the new equipment. Since the expenses of turning over to FM have already been met, I hope that their budget allocation can be reduced. The only problem with the Student Government is the lack of student participation - which has nothing to do with the current officers. I don't see how money can solve that problem, but if it might help public relations, then an increase would be justified. However, I expect their allocation to remain the same.

Now we get to our yearbook, THE LOG. I would like to make a controversial statement, and maybe we can get some feedback on it. I don't think that we need a yearbook, period.

If you take a look at the last one, you can see that very few students actually got their picture in it. (I can't believe we only have 50 freshmen). This can't possibly justify the \$10,500.00 that it costs us to print it. After all, you have to look at the merits of a program based on the number of people it serves. Now the quality has improved, due to the staff, but how can you get much worse than last year's LOG, which had at least a dozen pictures repeated often throughout the yearbook. The costs of printing a color, hardbound, glossy text yearbook are way out of line everywhere. Since most people are apathetic about it; not caring enough to even get their picture taken, it is about time that we took a hard look at the need for such an expensive extravagance.

By the way, the Log is asking for a \$1,000.00 increase in their budget.

At the Sting, we are also asking for an increase of about \$500.00 to increase the use of features, cartoons (Doonesbury) and photos in the newspaper. I am prejudiced, of course, but I feel that the quality and service of the newspaper to the students has improved 100%. In terms of dialogue, better communication, and in the dissemination of information to the students, the Sting provides a valuable service to Southern Tech, and an effort should be made to maintain and even improve this service. What is your opinion? some people have expressed their's in the Student Poll, this issue.

Our Band deserves a break too! For whatever reason, these guys are good and they should be promoted. Maybe double or even triple their budget! However, I am a music freak and my opinion is again prejudiced, but I certainly want to hear more of them in concerts, at night events or even at lunchtime. My congratulations go to C. F. Adams, none the less.

Finally, in making any budget, a dialogue is important so that the SGA can determine exactly what the students want. This is your money, people, so why not let your opinion be known to John Cochran, or any SGA officer. They need to know what you think, so that the decisions can be made in your best interests. Any budget must be decided on the basis of its service to the people who pay for it, and the merits of that service. Please let the SGA know what you think those merits are for each of the services that we pay for with the Activity Fee.

E. R. Auerhan

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Editors' Corner

STUDENT ACTIVITIES BUDGET SUMMARY: 1980-81

ACTIVITY	1980-81 Activity Fee Allocation	% of total SGA Budget	Amount Of \$18.00 Quarterly Fee
Student Center	\$54,118.00	46.3%	\$8.33
Campus Activity Board	17,090.00	14.6%	2.63
WGHR-Radio	8,482.00	7.2%	1.30
Sting-Newspaper	6,607.00	5.6%	1.02
Log-Yearbook	10,548.00	9%	1.62
Student Government	8,140.00	7%	1.25
Intramurals	11,000.00	9.4%	1.69
Band	1,015.00	.9%	.16
TOTALS	\$117,000.00	100%	\$18.00

REAGAN'S BUDGET

Our national budget should be determined within the same guidelines as our SGA budget. Exactly what are the merits of the various services and programs that are threatened with cutbacks? How many people do these programs serve, and are they cost effective? Can the funding for some of these services be taken up by the private sector?

Congress must look hard at the programs in question; and stick to a set of rules, in determining cuts that will eliminate special interests, patronization and politics. The Federal Government should collect taxes and then distribute them equitably to only the most needy. The government should provide food, shelter, health care and quality education for those people who cannot provide for themselves.

Cutbacks in the food stamp program are necessary because of the fraud and waste now in the program. Food stamps should be restricted to the chronic unemployed, not striking workers or part time workers. Only the people who cannot feed themselves should be considered--that means poor children essentially. It has been proven that a poor diet hinders a child's mental and physical growth, so it is important that poor children in particular are well-nourished. The school lunch program, which gives most of these children their only hot meal of the day, should not be discontinued.

By shelter, I mean a secure home with HEAT! Federal housing projects are mostly a joke, I know, but it is important that no one has to choose between heating oil and food. Deregulation of the oil industry is hurting poor people (on fixed incomes who cannot afford to hear their

homes in winter. A major problem are the homes themselves. They are old, run-down, in need of repairs, poorly insulated and lack modern heating equipment. With the rise in heating oil prices many older and infirm people are faced with exactly the problem of buying food or buying heating oil. It is an absurd situation, and the government should take responsibility for it.

Health care is another mess, but it is absolutely necessary for the poor who are aged, infirmed or handicapped. From what I've read, I feel confident that this is one area that Reagan won't cut much out of and I hope Congress will also keep current funds available for Medicare and Medicaid. One point I'd like to make is that this budget could be trimmed easily if all the fraud and corruption was eliminated.

Education is the one area that scares me the most because people regard public education funds, loans and grants to be an extravagance, not a necessity. The fact is, that in economically depressed areas, the public education system has simply failed. Poor people are hurt twice as hard when it comes to education. Not only is the education bad enough to allow semi-illiterates to graduate high school, but down the line, this lack of education prevents poor people from working at a rewarding job. A job that would pay enough to enable a poor family to move out of the inner city and into a neighborhood where their children can go to a competent school. But, when a man is too poor to move, or educate himself, his children are subjected to an inferior education and suffer for it all their lives. Is it any wonder why we are now in our fourth and fifth generation of welfare recipients? The endless cycle of poverty can only be

broken by an applied effort to educate those people so that they can become self-sufficient and constructive members of the community. The system now only maintains the status quo. If there are any reductions in public education assistance, it would only condemn more poor people to a life of hardship and poverty. The idea is to educate these people so that they will not always be a drain on the economy of our nation.

E. R. Auerhan

FINANCIAL AID RECIPIENTS MAY STILL BE ABLE TO CLEAN UP!

Many American college students are becoming concerned with ever diminishing Federal funds for students. These students fear that programs such as the Basic Educational Opportunity Grant program and the National Direct Student Loan program will be axed, making the goal of a college education a much more difficult one to reach.

A good number of Southern Tech students receive financial aid. Many of these students could not attend school without the monies they receive. However, there is a possible program that could guarantee funds for many needy, willing to work Southern Tech students. This program would involve turning the Physical Plant department into work-study.

Think of the changes that would occur by replacing the present PPD staff with students. The innumerable coffee and cigarette breaks would cease as clock watchers were replaced by more ambitious, success-oriented personnel. The work study student could use the job as a means of earning that much desired degree, rather than simply regarding it as a meal ticket, and they do all the cleaning and maintenance tasks much faster and more efficiently.

One permanent PPD staff member would be all that would be required to insure proper maintenance of buildings and grounds. The PPD director would be aware of what tasks had to be performed, and could match the jobs to students who are between classes or through with classes for the day. As with other work study programs, the students would work off their financial obligations. Students who choose to simply lean on a broom or shovel would cease to be a part of the program.

This is not a suggestion of indentured servitude, but rather an effective means of reaching two goals at once - keeping the buildings and grounds maintained while providing an opportunity for a college education for those who lack the necessary funds.

Stephen Cantrell

The Parallax View

QUESTION: WHAT IS YOUR OPINION OF THE U.S. INVOLVEMENT IN EL SALVADOR AND DO YOU THINK IT WILL LEAD TO ANOTHER SITUATION SUCH AS VIETNAM?

I think that we should help, but if we do help, we should not fool around with bombing villages. The generals wanted the war to last so it did, this time we should go ahead and win. We had better do something or we will be alone in our form of government.

Gary Elliott

I think we should stay out of El Salvador, and deal with whoever is in power. I think we should also try our best to keep the Soviet Union out by using world opinion.

Paul Hitt

As long as the involvement applies only to arms and advisors, we should be involved to protect the interest of the U.S. and other nations. The U.S. should not try to dictate to any other nations how to run their country or influence the politics of the country. If we are asked to help I think we should. No I don't believe it will lead to another Vietnam simply because of the experience of Vietnam. I don't think Reagan will allow it to progress to that point.

Randy Lazenby

I don't think that Vietnam will be repeated - the Americans won't let it. I do think that something should be done - I can't say exactly what. It seems that any decision made by the President will meet a lot of opposition.

Bruce Boone

I feel that if El Salvador needs support we should help but not to such an extent to fight their war. I do not feel that the people of this country will allow involvement like Vietnam.

Joel Nash

I think the U.S. should stay clear of military involvement. However, as for another Vietnam, I don't see that happening again.

Chuck Wall

Since I am a Marine, I feel the President is handling the situation all right. As for another Vietnam, I feel that it is definitely not going to be the same. If and when we go to war, we are going in all the way and most definitely, we are going to WIN.

Randolph B. Scott

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Get involved, send arms and weapons, more military advisors, KEEP TROOPS OUT. Keep left wing influence out of the west. To Hell with Cuba and the Soviets.

Ron Hodgson III

After experience with Vietnam, I don't believe the American people will allow us to be that involved in El Salvador.

Larry R. Noles

I do not believe Reagan is willing to involve U.S. troops in El Salvador. Reagan has made it clear that he wants to strengthen our relationship with Canada and Central America. El Salvador is being supplied by equipment and military advisors not soldiers. I do not believe America is ready for involvement in another countries affairs unless the events surrounding that country could threaten the people of the U.S.

David Lucker

No, I think the U.S. has learned from Vietnam not to get involved to the point of sending our men to kill and be killed in this type of conflict for little or no gain.

Cameron Kimgrey

I don't believe that the U.S. should interfere with El Salvador and I don't believe that this will result in another Vietnam situation.

Trent Chambers

It's okay as long as we're not supporting a government that's not really there. El Salvador has to be willing to support itself.

Don Lott

I'm not really well informed about the situation in El Salvador but I don't think it will turn into another Vietnam because people in America and the government learned the lesson in Vietnam and will not let it happen again.

A. Cremens

I sincerely wish we would stay out of El Salvador (however, I don't know just exactly what Russia is doing there) and I'm afraid it could lead to another Vietnam situation if we don't.

Gini Keeling

I don't think the U.S. should get too involved as long as Russia doesn't go to far, we'll be alright.

Sidney Day

QUESTION: What new ideas or improvements would you like to see in the STING?

Have articles that are more concerned with things happening at Southern Tech than things happening outside Southern Tech.

Larry Lee

More news concerning improvements to the school itself.

William Scherble

More information pertinent to faculty activity. Candidly, schools garner their reputations from this criterion.

Kenneth B. Young

More school activities concerning the school published. Less non-school activities. Wider variety ie - different frats...

Gwen Bette

Local press pertaining to local schools and the community. More news on the school and its issues.

Mark P. Kedzirkski

More involvement in campus organizations - sorority or fraternities.

Caroline Melton

Crossword puzzles, cartoons, More articles on subjects other than sports and dorms.

Lynn Jackson

Articles on instructors and technical events.

Raymond Redmond

More coverage of Fraternity events, coverage of Student Government meetings.

George Sanders

Cartoons, Articles on what the Student Government is doing.

Vanessa Prince

A chat in every issue from the Student Government Officers.

Sandy Ransom

More Greek news and less news from the "import" students about how they hate America.

David Nail

A section with current Rock Scene news and concert reviews.

Vince Braun

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Backtalk

OPEN LETTER TO JAWAD POORAK

Dear Mr. Poorak:

I feel that I must answer your open letter to Allen Bearder. In that letter you state "in closing Dear Allen, I would like to say I feel no hatred for you or any other American and wish them no harm. It is capitalism I detest." Poor Jawad, you are living in a capitalistic country. I realize how frustrating this must be. So I have decided to help you. For a nominal fee I can have you in a communist country just 90 miles south of Key West, Florida. No capitalism, great weather, and you could become a communist worker. Just think of how satisfying your life could be!

All this can be yours if the price is right and the contacts are made. I could have you there before the end of Spring Quarter. No dear Jawad, in your case I would personally see that your arrangements are made free of charge and as soon as possible.

Mitchell A. Statham

ANOTHER OPEN LETTER TO MR. POORAK

Dear Mr. Poorak:

One can understand your hatred for the SHAH - but the statement "It is capitalism I Detest" is a bit hard to comprehend, especially when one realizes that it is capitalism that has given you what you now possess.

Take a good, long look at yourself and your countrymen who reside in America. Doubtless, few of you are wealthy, but it's fair to say that most of you are doing fairly well in this country. You have the opportunity to clothe yourself in the most chic disco wardrobe, or three-piece suits (sans tie, perhaps) or jeans and university tee shirts. The cigarettes you smoke are any of forty brands. The cars you drive can be anything from a rusted Ford to a new Trans Am or Camaro, and the gasoline for your car costs perhaps one-third what it does in Iran. Or you could return home to the land of the late Xerxes-but you'd most likely lose both your identity as a John Travolta clone and your status as a clothes horse. There'd be little time for cars and blondes, what with all the mob scenes in Iran. But the cigarettes I'm sure you wouldn't miss-there should be plenty of Camels in your home country.

Top this one, Mr. Poorak - can you get a quality education in

your country at a cost of \$1,500. per year? Don't forget that this figure represents twenty percent of the actual cost of a college education. The rest of the cost is picked up by loathsome, greedy capitalists (also known as Georgia taxpayers.)

Of course, you could return to Iran to attend one of its fine universities. But if the schools are so wonderful, tell me why 50,000 Iranians are in this country for the purpose of studying? Perhaps they are avoiding the return to the blessed homeland, which is near ruins from warring with neighboring Iraq.

Those detestable capitalists called Americans are sending advisors to El Salvador. Perhaps soon they'll send young men to die in Central American jungles.

Many would oppose this move and choose to resist a possible draft. But they'd most likely get a fairer shake from resisting military service here than Iranians would in their own country -- and if Americans were still in Iran, even if for only business purposes, your country wouldn't be fighting neighbors with a similar religion.

Indeed, your present position is a good one. You have been given a great deal of freedom, comfort, and security in this country. Stop giving America flak, Mr. Poorak.

Stephen Cantrell

PRE-REGISTRATION NIGHTMARE

Dear Editor:

I have an absurd, horrifying, and funny tale to tell you about my two days of pre-registration last week. I'm a Junior, and scheduled to register at 2:00 P.M. on Monday, so I went to the CET room set up for pre-registration, soon after my 1:00 class. After transcribing the information and a final O.K. by my advisor, I stood in line for about 15 min. until it was my turn at the terminal. The instructor at the terminal punched in my identifying numbers, but then (surprise!) he announced that I didn't pass my Regents Test and the computer wanted me to take Eng. 051. Well, I took and passed the Regents Test almost two years ago and have never had any problems registering, so you can understand my anger and frustration. The terminal operator told me to leave because they couldn't do anything down there and I would have to go to the Registrar's Office. So I went to the Administration building and waited half an hour (the line

there was long) to see the Registrar. At last, I explained the problem, but he said that I had to be mistaken because the computer was the epitome of man's conquest over technology, or something like that, but he checked it out anyway. Sure enough, somebody goofed, and I really did pass my regents test (no kidding!) So, I was told to take my form to one of the terminals set up in the lobby there. As the lady was recording my classes, she informed me that one of my classes was closed out, so she gave me the rest on my green schedule and I went back to hunt down the teacher of the one closed out course, but he had left for the day.

Next day, I found the teacher and he signed the add form so I could schedule the class. But the same damn thing happened at the CET terminal and I had to wait in line at the Admin. Bldg. to finish my pre-registration. All in all, it was a lot of aggravation, inconvenience and two missed classes Tuesday morning; all because some absent minded programmer didn't know what he was doing. Did you ever notice that when a computer makes a mistake, you always end up feeling like it was your fault?

Just bitchin'!

Kasimir N. Tukuserine

ATLANTA'S CHILDREN

Dear Editor:

I think the STING has greatly improved. On the last issue, the story on "Missing Children..." was interesting and very well written. However, I wish to take issue with several points made; first, not only are black children, but all of Atlanta's children are frightened by these incidents. Who knows where the killer will stop. The media has taken this issue and given someone with a sick mind motivation to continue the killings. All for the sake of sensationalism. Also, concern and interest does not equal involvement is true, but I live in Marietta and am not affected directly. Yes, these are children and I should be compassionate. The article made me want to do something, but it made no mention of how or who to contact. Aside from that, it was good. Thanks to you and your staff. Keep up the good work and keep writing conscientious articles.

Mike Wade

Linda Alexander

What's happening - On Campus

WHAT'S HAPPENING IN MARCH

- March 13, 1981 - Cobb Community Players presents "Oklahoma" 8 p.m. Admission for STI students: \$1, Cobb Civic Center
- March 14, 1981 - Cobb Community Players presents "Oklahoma" 8 p.m. Cobb Civic Center, Admission for STI students: \$1
- March 15, 1981 - Cobb County Science Fair, 1-3 p.m., Student Center Ballroom
- March 17, 1981 - Baseball vs. St. Norbert College, Home, 1:30 p.m. Finals Begin
St. Patrick's Day
- March 18, 1981 - STI and Danvers presents "An Evening with Mark Twain", starring Roger Durrett, Student Center, 8 p.m., Pick up your free ticket at the Student Center office prior to the performance. Public admission: \$1
- March 18, 1981 - Baseball vs. Tennessee Tech, 1:30 p.m., Home
- March 20, 1981 - End of Winter Quarter
- March 21, 1981 - Baseball vs. Ga. Southwestern, 1 p.m., Home
- March 24, 1981 - Baseball vs. Armstrong State, 1 p.m., Away
- March 25, 1981 - Baseball vs. Urbana College, Away in Savannah, GA
- March 28, 1981 - Baseball vs. Georgia College, Away, 1 p.m.
- March 30, 1981 - Registration for Spring Quarter
- March 31, 1981 - Classes Begin
Baseball vs. Siena Heights College, Home, 1 p.m.
Softball Intramurals Sign-up Meeting, 12 noon, Student Center, Conference Room B

Upcoming Events

- April 1 - Full Circle Band Mini-Concert
- April 8 - Dress for Success for Men
- April 12 - Inauguration of President Cheshier

G.D.I.

All the independents on campus would like to congratulate the ~~basketball team for their District 25~~ title and wish them success in the Kansas City Tournament. As you know, we had more members of our organization in attendance at the championship game than any other. We continue to be at the forefront of student participation on campus and we're proud of it - none of us drink Dr. Pepper or use dental floss.

Our next meeting will not be held on Tues. March 17, and it will not be held in the Student Center. We will not elect officers for next quarter, nor will we reveal the identity of our advisor, except to say that he does a fine job on the janitorial staff. GO HORNETS!

TET CAMPUS JOB

Spring Quarter - \$3.35 hr to \$3.80 hr. Based on experience Will work for the Textile Dept. establishing a textile manufacturing laboratory and a textile quality/testing laboratory. Will be responsible for the installation, start-up and miscellaneous work necessary on all processing and lab equipment in order to make these labs operational. Flexible work schedule. Call John Linn or Walt Thomas 424-7272 or 424-7273 (Rm. 610 or 612)

March 12, 1981

NEW BUDGET REQUESTS FOR STUDENT ACTIVITY FUNDS

Any student organization wishing to submit a new budget request to the Student Government Association must do so by Friday, April 3, 1981. Work sheets for the budget requests are available at the Dean of Students Office. When completed, one copy of the request should be submitted to the Dean of Students and the other to the Secretary/Treasurer of the SGA. Organizations requesting funds must be of general service to all students and no allocations will be made for the purpose of supporting the social activity program of any special interest organization. Questions concerning new budget requests should be directed to Dean Charles E. Smith, Dean of Students, 424-7228.

JOB OPPORTUNITY - VET

The Veterans Office is interviewing candidates for a job as a work study student in the VA office. Those interested must have above a 2.5 Cum. average and must have junior standing. Variations may be altered depending on the situation. The job will commence on March 19, 1981. Student must work a minimum of 150 hours per quarter. May work as many as 250 hours. Hours and schedule flexible. Come to the veterans office any day after 11:00 A.M. and until 8:00 P.M.

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Electronix Whacko missed the point in last week's STINGER that each resistor has to have an INTEGRAL value. Nice try!

If you were to write down all the whole numbers from 1 up to and including 999,999,999 then what would be the sum of the digits of all the numbers that you had written down? (Hint: If you can't get the right answer without a calculator then your not solving the problem the easy way!)

Solutions as usual may be left in my box at the Mathematics Department or 256b.

FOREIGN STUDENTS INVITED TO APPLY FOR ANNUAL SUMMER CROSSROADS.

International students are invited to apply for Summer Crossroads 1981, a week-long program to be held in Colorado Springs, Colorado, June 7-12 and in Los Angeles, California, June 6-13. The programs are being sponsored by community residents, the Colorado College, the International Student Center at UCLA and the Institute of International Education. A limited number of partial travel grants are available from the International Communication Agency. Information and applications have been mailed to the foreign student adviser on your campus.

Summer crossroads offers an opportunity to meet with Americans as well as other international students to compare educational experiences in a variety of colleges and universities and talk over other aspects of life in the United States. Discussions will also focus on the problems of culture shock and re-entry into one's home culture. Participants live with a local family and meet with community leaders in the arts, government, business and public media.

To be eligible for Crossroads students must be at the graduate level and planning to return home no later than May 1982.

This is the 25th year of the Summer Crossroads Programs which attract students from all over the world. We hope your campus will be represented.

Clubs and Organizations

ASME

The American Society of Mechanical Engineers Club has recently elected two new officers for the 1981 to 1982 year. Micheal Mayo is the new secretary. Carl Brucker is the new treasurer. All students interested in getting some valuable experience in this professional organization please contact Paul Neuendorf at 427-0919. The advisors are James Stephens and Orren Williams.

SIGMA NU

As we promised you last article, the Sigma Nu Casino Party was a smashing success. Now we know how it feels to be rich for one night.

Congratulations are in order for our newly inducted little Sisters, Linda Glover, Debbie Reed, Robin Reese, and Beth Walsh. We are looking forward to working with all of you.

A brief reminder about the white star social coming up Easter Weekend, Saturday April 18. All you available women watch out for wild-eyed date-starved Sigma Nu's.

Everyone have a good week of Finals (study hard) and enjoy your spring break. See you all next quarter.

In closing we would like to say a heartfelt goodbye and good luck to this quarter's crop of Sigma Nu graduating seniors. The list reads like a Who's Who of STI, for all these men are well known and loved. Bill Aycock, Ken Brooks, Mike Butler, Mark Gober, Jeff Parker, Randy Pribble, and Johnny Simons. We know you will succeed whatever your pursuits.

Bruce Wauer

Warren St. Clair

AIIE

Members of the Southern Tech Chapter of the American Institute of Industrial Engineers invite all Southern Tech students and faculty to a PRODUCTIVITY POTPOURRI to be held March 26-27, 1981, at the Georgia Tech Space Science and Technology Building.

The conference, jointly sponsored by the Atlanta Chapter of AIIE and the student chapters, will feature a number of presentations concerning the "productivity problem" that is facing this country. Keynoting the program will be Dr. David Belden, P.E., the Executive Director of the American Institute of Industrial Engineers. Other speakers and their topics include, Thomal G. Goodrum, Assistant Vice President of the First National Bank of Atlanta speaking on "Work Measurement Systems," Oliver Chastain of OSHA, discussing productivity benefits of "Environmental, Health, and Safety Regulations," Gerald Watson, IE Manager for Star Paper Tube describing "A Pragmatic Approach to Productivity Improvement," Professor Don Ratliff of Georgia Tech will discuss, "Interactive Design of Facilities and Distribution Systems," Nelson Rogers of Georgia Tech will talk about "Man, Machines, and Money," James M. Apple, Jr., Vice President of Systecon, will present, "Designing for Materials Handling Productivity," and Don Swann, Manager of Management Advisory Services for Deloitte, Haskins, and Sell will give a "Productivity Overview."

The student registration fee, which includes morning coffee and donuts, as well as a reception on March 26th, is only \$15. For further registration information contact Frank Pucciano of the Georgia Power Company at 362-5554 or see Professor Aft in the Industrial Engineering Technology department.

C. S. I.

An important film for all designers and fire safety personnel. "THE EFFECT OF DOORS ON LIFE SAFETY IN SPRINKLERED ROOM-TO-CORRIDOR ENVIRONMENTS"

presented by Tom Sargent of James L. Cox and Assoc. Inc.

Handouts will include test specifications - discussion will include recent fire safety codes.

March 11 - Wednesday - 12 Noon
ROOM 119

for further info: Marty
Waterfill - Box 9396

SIGMA PHI EPSILON

Many thanks go to the Gamma Phi Betas for the great time we had at our social on March 2. Contrary to her belief, Alecia Fortenberry can roller skate and we have witnesses too.

Our retreat held on the 7th was a great success. We set many goals and many of our plans for the future were set. Our thanks to Alumni Gregg Frank for the use of his house and for his tremendous help.

Happy Birthday to David Woods who's birthday was on Tuesday, March 10. Hope it was a blast for you!!

Good luck to everybody on finals (some of us need it too). Have a great time on your break guys, and be careful.

See everybody next quarter.

STI CHESS CLUB TOURNAMENT DECIDED

The Chess Club is pleased to congratulate Jeff Godwin, winner of Southern Tech's first annual championship for students. This was played over Valentine's weekend. Panjak Patel won the second place trophy after a tie breaking game with Jeff. Steven Johnson won third place. All of the players in the match played five games each, one against a player with a similar score. For example a player who had won his first three games would be matched against someone who had also won three games. Many of the games took two hours or longer making the match go on longer than planned. Some of the games had to be finished during the following week to allow people to play without holding up the match. Most of the games were very carefully played, highly contested battles and I believe many people were surprised to find how seriously trophies made their friends perform.

Thanks go out to all of the people who took the time to play in this two-day event. I appreciate some of the feedback I've heard and would like to thank Bill Prouty for his assistance in running the tournament.

Mike Dean

PROCRASTINATORS CLUB

The Student Chapter of the Procrastinators' Club will meet Tuesday January 28, in the old cafeteria in the Classroom Bldg., to discuss the pros and cons of our campus separating from Georgia Tech., and becoming an independent college. Also, procrastinators Club Custom slide rules are on sale now at the bookstore. Pick yours up now, while they last. We are also interested in forming a Student Democratic Club to help get President Carter reelected. If anyone is interested in joining leave us your name and phone number in our mailbox and we'll get in touch with you before Halley's Comet comes back. Our prayers go out for the 52 hostages held in Iran. Have faith - it won't be much longer.

Many Thanks -- Mr. Edward Robinson of the Physical Plant would like to thank everyone on campus for being so generous to him and his family with clothes and household items to help him replace all that he lost when his home was destroyed by fire.

Sports

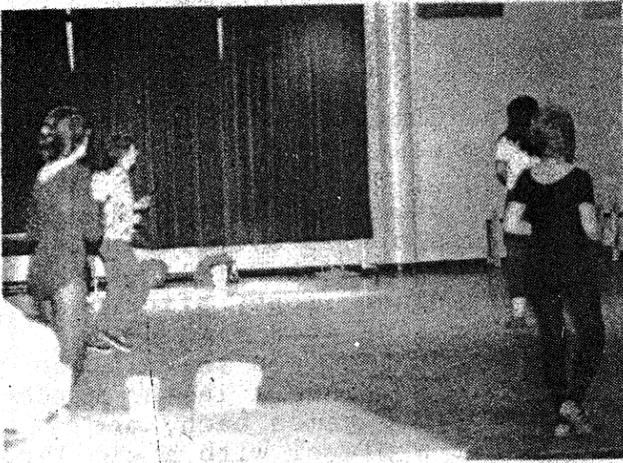


Photo by D.K.

AEROBIC DANCE CLASS

Southern Tech finally has something for the ladies to do to keep their shapes. Aerobic dance was introduced at the beginning of the Winter Quarter by the Intramural Department. The original sign-up listed about 25 students and 15 non-students. The classes were offered Mon. thru Wednesday, for eight weeks at a minimal fee of \$10.00 for non-students and no charge for students. At first the classes were anywhere from 20 to 35 per night. As the eight weeks began to pass the class slowly began to weaken in numbers.

Aerobic dance is based on the physical fitness concept of aerobics which places primary emphasis on strengthening the heart and lungs. It combines both exercise and dance steps set to specific routines and music. One starts out slowly and gradually builds up to vigorous pace which is maintained for at least 15 minutes. Following is the cooldown period which reduces the intensity of the activity. Aerobic dance is not only fun but also has many benefits which include firming and toning the muscles, improved circulation, more energy and a more conditioned healthier body.

In order to provide this activity again next quarter Ron Wofford, Director of Intramurals and Roie Shields, Dance instructor, put their heads together to make the class more appropriate. The Spring Quarter Aerobic Dance class will begin on April 1, Wednesday at 5:30 P.M. The class will be offered on Monday and Wednesday for six weeks. On the date of April 13th and 15th there will be no class. The final date will be on May 20th. The fee will still be proof of I.D. for students and \$10.00 for non-students. The classes will be held in either the ballroom or Rooms 119-120 from 5:30 P.M. to 6:30 P.M.
Ron Wofford - 424-7349 or 7350

March 12, 1981

NAIA TOURNAMENT

Front liners Ricky Hudson, Billy Romell and Baxter Thomas combined for 58 points today to give 11th-seeded Southern Tech of Georgia an 82-73 win over Franklin Pierce (New Hampshire) in the opening round of the NAIA basketball tournament.

Bromell scored 20 points and Hudson and Thomas gave 19 each as Southern Tech upped its record to 27-4 and advanced into tomorrow's second round against sixth-seeded Bethany Nazarene (Oklahoma)

Midway through the first half Greg Trotman scored eight points to keep Franklin Pierce close at 20-19. But Hudson sank a basket and two free throws to spark a 10-0 Southern Tech run that boosted the Runnin Hornets to a 30-19 lead.

Southern Tech took a 39-31 intermission lead and then outscored the Ravens 10-2 during the opening five minutes of the second half to blow the game open at 49-33 and end Franklin Pierce's 17-game winning streak.

BETHANY NAZARENE 88 SOUTHERN TECH 58

George Torres and Todd Thurman combined for 47 points to carry sixth-seeded Bethany Nazarene (Oklahoma) to an 88-58 victory over Southern Tech in the second round of the N.A.I.A. Basketball tournament.

Torres scored 24 and Thurman 23 as Nazarene extended its winning streak to seven games to advance into the quarterfinal round of the 44th annual tourney.

Torres hit 12 of 13 free throw and Milton Green chipped in 16 points to help the Redskins raise their record to 33-6.

Thurman and Green each scored four points as Bethany Nazarene ran off eight straight to start the game. But Southern Tech center Billy Bromell tallied five points to pull Southern Tech back within four, 16-12, midway through the half.

Nazarene then reeled off 12 straight points--including four each by Torres and Milton Allen--to blow the game open at 28-12.

Thurman scored 11 points and Green 10 in the second half as Nazarene continued to build leads of as many as 32 points in disposing of the 11th-seeded Runnin Hornets. That snapped Southern Tech's four-game winning streak and sent the Hornets home with a 28-5 record.

Bromell scored 15 and Ricky Hudson 12 for Southern Tech.

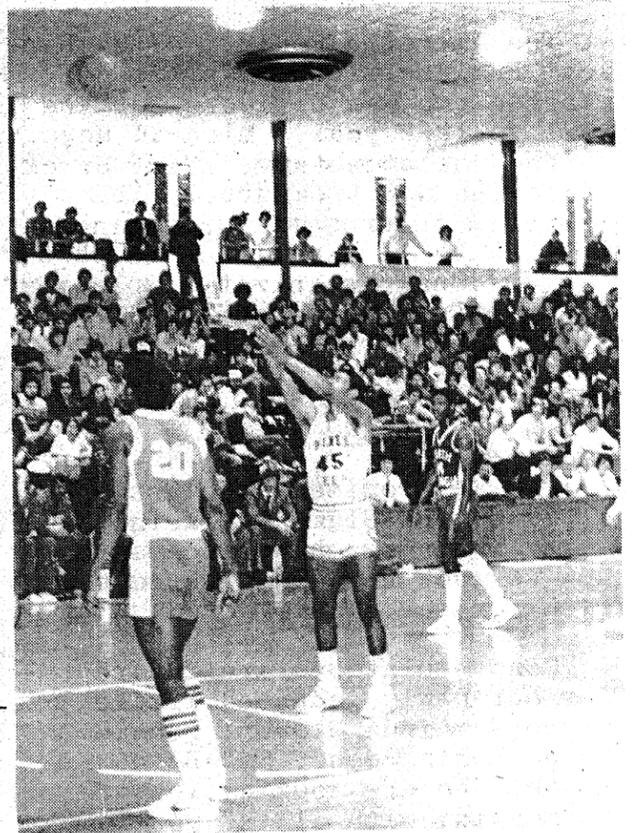


Photo by D.K.

Ricky Hudson At The Foul Line
Against N. Georgia

SOCCER

In the past few weeks I have had several students come to me and inquire about the growing sport of Soccer. They have asked about the possibilities of Varsity Soccer all the way down to sand lot soccer. I thought about all the possibilities and decided that in order to get the ball rolling we needed to organize the interest and go from there.

Now is the time for "anyone" who is interested in Soccer in any shape, form or fashion to gather at the Student Center in Room 120 on Tuesday March 17th. At this time we will consider any and all suggestions and strive to have soccer at Southern Tech. If you are not able to make the meeting send a response by someone else - or for more information contact Ron Wofford at 424-7349 or 7350. (Gymnasium numbers)

Ron Wofford
Intramural Director

WATER SKI TEAM

Water Skiers - interested in joining the Southern Tech Water Ski Team? Come to the meeting Monday Night at 7:30 P.M. in the Student Center (upstairs) March 16, 1981 OR contact Tarp George after 7:30 P.M. at 973-1535 or Steve Farmer after 7:30 P.M. 926-7761

Sports



Photo by K. Thornton

Danny Mann Slides Safely Home Against Warren Wilson

Southern Tech vs. Covenant College

Saturday, March 7, the Southern Tech baseball team hosted the 'Scots' from Covenant College located in Chattanooga, Tennessee. Roy Wilson, a junior, was the starting pitcher in the first game of the double-header for Southern Tech. Wilson allowed three runs to the Scots and was relieved in the 4th inning with Southern Tech on top 4-3. Johnny Couch was the relieving pitcher for Wilson. Couch allowed no runs and was relieved in the 6th inning by Johnny Barrett. Barrett gave up only two more runs while the Southern Tech Hornets rattled up three more runs for a final score of 7-5.

The second game against the Scots was a pitching dual at first but in the third inning the Hornet began to turn it into a slug-fest. Southern Tech sophomore, Mike Smoker, was the starting pitcher. Smoker struck out six Scots in the first three innings. Smoker was indeed smoking! The batting began in the bottom of the third inning

as Hank Chavous hit an infield single and then stole second base. Hal Holloway then reached base on balls (walked). A double steal was then called, but only Chavous advanced. Mickey Dunn then singled Chavous in and advanced Holloway to third. Dunn then stole second base, but it really wasn't necessary as Brian Good hit a triple to left field bringing in both Holloway and Dunn. Danny Mann then tripled behind Good, bringing him in for another run. Tony Key then singled in Mann and stole second base. But the rally ended as the Scots finally got the third out. Covenant tried as hard as possible to win but was only able to score one run throughout the entire game. Pitcher Mike Smoker was relieved in the top of the 4th inning by Brian Brumby. Covenant College finally conceded the game as Southern Tech led 12-1 in the top of the 6th inning.

Come support your baseball team!

Roy A. Wilson

"WRITERS" NOTE"

As I am a pitcher on the Southern Tech baseball team, I hope to be able to provide perhaps the best baseball coverage possible as your new Sports Writer for the Sting.

Roy A. Wilson

Southern Tech Baseball Opens

With spring right around the corner, Southern Tech baseball has opened their '81 season with complete success. Although the team began their conditioning and scrimmaging in mid-January, opening day wasn't until Feb. 28, as Heidelberg College from Ohio came to play Southern Tech (only to be beaten) on their way to Florida.

The first game against Heidelberg, which began at 1 p.m. found Southern Tech trailing 3-p through the third inning; but, the Runnin Hornets started pounding their way to a comfortable victory of 12-5. Left-handed veteran Brian Brumby led the team toward the victory allowing only three hits at the end of five innings. Brumby was relieved in the top of the 6th by freshman pitcher Johnny Couch, who finished the game.

The second game of the double-header found Southern Tech trailing again for the first couple of innings by only two runs as Johnny Barrett, a freshman, pitched the first five successful innings. Left-handed Black Murary relieved Barrett for the 6th and 7th innings. Southern Tech pulled it out again with another reasonably comfortable score of 8-2, Southern Tech.

1981 BASEBALL SCHEDULE (PARTIAL)

March 15, 1981	Sunday	St. Norbert College (2)	Home	1:30 P.M.
March 18, 1981	Wednesday	Tennessee Tech (2)	Home	1:30 P.M.
March 21, 1981	Saturday *	Georgia Southwestern (2)	Away	1:00 P.M.
March 24, 1981	Tuesday	Armstrong State (2)	Away	1:00 P.M.
March 25, 1981	Wednesday	Urbana College at Savannah		12:00 Noon
March 28, 1981	Saturday *	Georgia College (2)	Away	1:00 P.M.
March 31, 1981	Tuesday	Siena Heights College (2)	Home	1:00 P.M.
April 1, 1981	Wednesday	Siena Heights College	Home	2:00 P.M.
April 4, 1981	Saturday	Mercer University-Macon	Away	1:30 P.M.

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(FROM P.1)

By the way, you can get credits by working for the station and going through our training program.

STING: Training program? That sounds interesting. Let's come back to that in a moment, though. I'd like to ask how you came up with the 6 A.M. to midnight week day broadcast time, that sounds pretty aggressive for a new station.

BLAYLOCK: The problem isn't getting people for the morning or evening shifts - just mid-day. As the stations' primary responsibility is to the students we felt we could offer this schedule, so we did.

STING: What will be the basic cost of running the station - besides the initial cost of equipment?

BLAYLOCK: Well, the school will take care of our power bill, but we will have operating expenses such as the teletype/news service, staff salaries, equipment repair, etc. That will come directly out of our budget.

STING: Your budget - from student activity fees?

BLAYLOCK: Yes.

STING: Would you elaborate on the staff salaries?

BLAYLOCK: The General Manager is paid \$300 per quarter. The Chief Engineer and the Station Manager both receive \$250.00 per quarter. All other positions are unpaid positions.

STING: The other positions, what are they?

BLAYLOCK: They are news reporters, announcers, people to write up the wire news and advertising people. We also need someone now who can read legal documents. Any student can do these jobs without having to be electronics oriented, with the exception of the Chief Engineer.

I'd like to announce some WGHR staff people at this time. The new program director is Scott Smith, Kevin Moody is the new Music Director, Barry Bynum is the Production Chief, Roger Hackler is the new Chief Engineer, Manuel Rodriguez is the Station Manager, and Lee Blaylock, General Manager, is getting ready to retire and needs a replacement by May. Students need to get their applications in for this position as soon as possible. Very important, that last announcement.

STING: What is your planned 'on the air' date?

BLAYLOCK: I'd like to give you an exact date, but right now it looks like 2-4 weeks into Spring Quarter.

STING: Why so long? I thought everything was just about ready.

BLAYLOCK: All the equipment is in and ready except the

antenna/tower. It's going up on top of the administration building. We also want to develop our music-opinion survey as well as fill needed positions.

STING: Give us a rundown on your operation now and ways you expect to expand with the new station.

BLAYLOCK: We're still operating WGHR-AM and with the new FM station we will be broadcasting on both frequencies simultaneously. The FM station will give us a broadcast radius of 5 miles as opposed to the very limited range now on WGHR-AM. We broadcast all the STI home basketball games and the concerts we have here in the S.C. With our increased power, we expect to increase community interest in STI activities. Also this will give an avenue for students to get discounts at local nightclubs. Especially when we're appearing there doing a broadcast.

STING: Going to a nightclub to do a broadcast?

That sounds like a good idea!
BLAYLOCK: Yeah! It's unique to us. I mean, Hell, we got more broadcasting brains here, like I said, than other stations have shown in 10 years.

It's just you've got to tap it. You've got to put it to use.

You've got to take the dream and run for it. You know, pretend the dream is already here and act on it.

STING: Lets get back to student involvement. Explain the training program you mentioned.

BLAYLOCK: There are two. One receives credit, Communications English taught by Boyd Hinton. It teaches you how to do news and be a reporter. The other is one we do at the station -- FCC Rules and Regs, Board operations - we train you.

STING: Is there a good chance for a student with imagination to get on the air?

BLAYLOCK: That's what we want, man, imagination! Got to have imagination, creativity, and a lot of people!

STING: I think the campus is full of creative people who might want to check this out.

BLAYLOCK: Well, tell them to get down here!

STING: Any editorial views to be expressed on the air?

BLAYLOCK: Yes, We will do it sometime during a broadcast day.

STING: Lee, thanks for your comments on the station. I think I can speak in behalf of the students to thank you for all you've done. Is there any other item you would like to mention?

BLAYLOCK: Just that the General Manager position is open, among others, and that we'd like to talk to any student on any idea.

NOTE: Students who are interested in any position, drop by the new WGHR station located in the S.C. behind the Music Room.

Article by JEFF GODWIN



THE SOUTHERN TECH JAZZ ENSEMBLE

....is looking for musicians interested in performing with the group during their Spring Quarter 1981 performing season. If you have had previous experience playing:

Trumpet
Trombone
Saxophone
Drums
Piano
or Guitar (Bass or Electric)....

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Rehearsals are held each Tuesday and Thursday night at 7:30 PM in the Student Center. Interested musicians should drop by the next rehearsal or contact the director, Mr. C.F. Adams, during the day at 447-8111 or at night at 396-7151.

What's happening

COBB COUNTY SCIENCE FAIR MARCH 14-15

The annual Cobb County Science and Engineering Fair will be held on the STI campus Saturday and Sunday, March 14-15. Approximately 110 projects are expected to be entered in the fair. Students participating will be from grades 6-12. The first and second place winners in grades 8-12 will be allowed to compete in the State Science Fair. There will also be a Science Forum Saturday afternoon during which students will present papers on various topics that do not lend themselves to a physical project.

Judging will be held Saturday morning. The judges are from various colleges and universities in the area and from state and federal agencies. The exhibits may be viewed by the public from 1-4 p.m. Sunday in the Crawford Building at STI.

SOUTHERN BAPTIST CONVENTION

BAILEY SMITH, CONTROVERSIAL PRESIDENT OF THE 15 MILLION MEMBER SOUTHERN BAPTIST CONVENTION WILL LEAD AN OUTREACH CRUSADE AT THE EASTSIDE BAPTIST CHURCH OF MARIETTA, March 15-20.

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CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Want to try out a career as a foreign correspondent for a news bureau? A physical therapist in a hospital? A solar physicist? A backcountry ranger in a national forest? A lawyer? An industrial engineer? You'll find these positions among the over 15,000 short-term job opportunities listed in a new annual directory--1981 Internships, edited by Kirk Polking (Writer's Digest Books, \$7.95/paper, \$11.95 for cloth).

These career-oriented positions are located throughout the United States and include jobs in technical, professional and service occupations. Each listing is up-to-date and packed with information that will help in the selection of the right internship including: duties of the position; training offered; qualifications; availability of college credit; length and season of the internship; pay and fringe benefits; housing availability; and application contacts, procedures, and deadlines. The listings tell which positions can lead to permanent employment with the same company.

1981 Internships is available at most bookstores, or send \$7.95 for paperback, \$11.95 for cloth, plus \$1.25 for postage and handling to: Writer's Digest Books, 9933 Alliance Road, Cincinnati, Ohio 45242.

GALLERIA CONSTRUCTION UNDERWAY

The newest of several Galleria office parks in the South is under construction on U.S. 41 across from Cumberland Mall. When completed, this 15.7 million dollar complex will include five office buildings, a shopping mall and parking deck; and a large Hotel.

One of the office buildings is now under construction. When completed, it will be 18 stories high and covered with marble and glass. Billed as one of the fancier office buildings in the area, it is just now rising above the surface of the ground. More than one million dollars has already been spent.

The contractor building this structure is Batson-Cook, an established company since 1896. Bradford construction is in charge of the earth work.

Several Gallerias exist in the southeast and in Texas. This will be the first one in Georgia. They are noted for high quality in both design and operation.

Allen Bearden

1981 STUDENT TRAVEL CATALOG

The Council on International Educational Exchange (CIEE), the largest student travel organization in the United States, announces the publication of the 1981 STUDENT TRAVEL CATALOG. Now in its 8th year, the CATALOG remains one of the most comprehensive free student guides available, with information on travel abroad, work exchanges and study programs. While some services offered are available only to students, many are open to all.

The CATALOG includes up-to-the-minute information on Eurail and Britrail passes, low-cost tours of Europe, Israel, Egypt and Greece, car plans, budget accommodations, trip insurance, transatlantic and transpacific air fares and the extensive network of student and youth flights linking cities in Europe, Asia, Africa and Australia. These special student and youth fares, available in the U.S. only through CIEE or its appointed agents, provide air travel around the world at prices well below the regular air fares. Application forms are included in the CATALOG for all services listed.

The 1981 STUDENT TRAVEL CATALOG may be obtained from CIEE, Dept. STC 81, 205 East 42nd Street, New York, NY 10017 (212) 661-1414 or 312 Sutter Street, San Francisco, CA 94108 (415) 421-3473 enclosing 50¢

COBB CIVIC CENTER

MARCH SCHEDULE

Hudgins Hall

14,15	Jehovah's Witnesses Circuit Meeting	9:55 a.m.
14	Gospel Singing	8:00 p.m.
16	Kaleidoscope 1981	6:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m.
17-19		9:00 a.m.-9:00 p.m.
20	Georgia Championship Wrestling	8:00 p.m.
26	Senior Citizens Council Meeting	10:00 a.m.
28	Rite of Spring-	
29	Arts and Crafts Festival	10:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m.

Theater

12,13,14	Cobb Community Players-"Oklahoma"	8:00 p.m.
16	World Travel Series-"Royal London"	7:30 p.m.
20	Sandy Springs-Dunwoody Civic Ballet	8:00 p.m. 3:00 p.m. & 8:00 p.m.
23-27	SPP- Sweet Rose Revue	
28	Georgia Ballet Ensemble-Performance	8:00 p.m.
29		3:00 p.m.
30,31	SPP- Atlanta Children's Theater	

SPRINGTIME FLEA MARKETS

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Danvers International Restaurant and Southern Technical Institute present "An Evening with Mark Twain" starring Roger Durrett, March 18, 1981 at 8 p.m. at the Cobb Civic Center. Free tickets for Southern Tech students are available at the Southern Tech student center office. General Admission is \$2 and tickets may be obtained prior to the performance at Danvers on Cobb Parkway and the STI student center.

Spring flea markets are great. No kidding. Even if you don't want to buy anything, you can just wander around and look. This is an indirect danger, though. Most likely you'll see something you don't really need, but, well, "How much is it?" Obviously, the answer will always be a price, but where will the price start? If you're talking to a real flea market veteran, you'll get a firm dis-interested response. If you see the guy's a vet, then give him a firm, dis-interested (but cool) reply.

If the seller gives you a timid reply, most times it pays to act timid also. ACT THE SAME WAY THE SELLER DOES! You want the best price, don't you? Of course, you're going to have variations on this theme, but if you're timid to a strong seller or strong to a timid seller, you won't make as good a deal.

NEVER ACCEPT THE FIRST PRICE. Immediately, anyway. Why? The seller doesn't expect you to! That's why he gave you a price higher than what he really wants. Sometimes though this is the only price he'll sell for, and then it's up to you whether you want the item. But it can't hurt to try.

ALWAYS BE NICE. It's more fun. Basically, that's all you need to know. The rest you just need to learn first-hand. Here's a basic bargaining sketch where X represents the price.

YOU: "How much?" (point with a smile).

SELLER: "X" (looks away/around sullenly)

YOU: "How about (X-Y)?" (X-Y is your price, Y is the difference)

SELLER: "I've got that much in it!" (stalling tactic while seller computes $X-Y/2$, splitting the difference) "I need at least $X-Y/2$." (looks friendlier)

YOU: "Okay, it's a deal." (judgment time for you--you may want to bargain some more)

Where to go? Now to try out your new skills. There are two flea markets on Bankhead Hwy.--one at Thornton Road and the other farther up towards Lithonia. Two more are on Hwy. 41 past Kennesaw, towards Lake Allatoona. If you're ready for the big time, head to the Lakewood Fairgrounds or to the twin drive-in at Hwy. 85 and Shallowford (only open on Sunday). Well, hope you do well. Good luck!

Jeff Godwin

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