



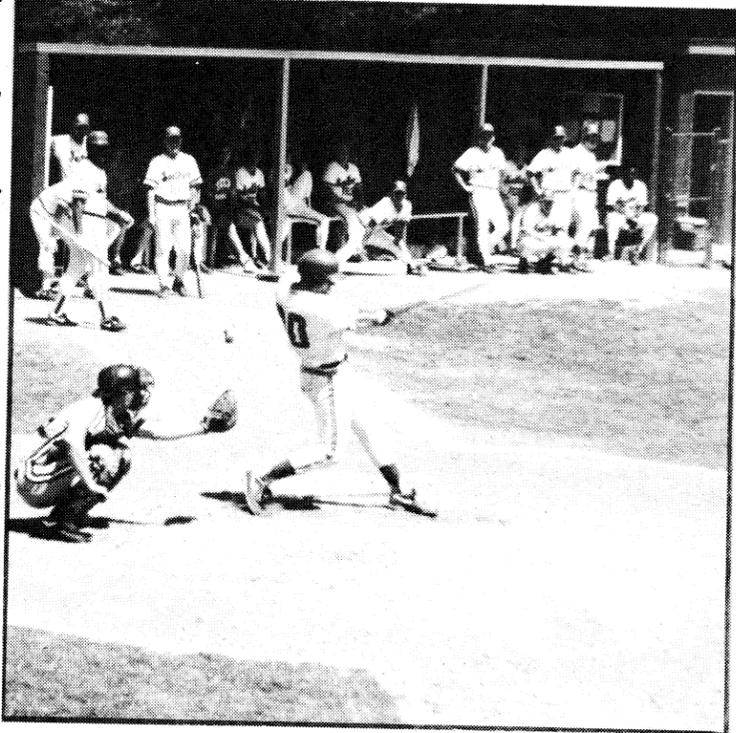
# The Sting

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## Hornets Stun Opponents With 12 Straight Wins



By Dale R. Donovan  
Sports Staff

With all the excitement over the opening of the Major League Baseball season, many people forgot about Southern Tech's baseball team. The team is playing very good ball, and needs our support. Tech's team is among the leaders in their division and is looking very good in the middle of the season.

Early this spring, the team did not play well. They started out with 3 wins and 7 losses in their district. The team was not hitting the ball, and fell to sixth place in District 25 play.

Then the thrashing began. Tech's team started a 12 game winning streak. That's right: 12 wins and 0 losses. This improved their standing from sixth place to second place in the district.

Although their streak got snapped, the Hornets are still playing very good ball. They are on a 15 and

1 tear in their district. They improved their record to 18 wins and 8 losses in District 25 play and have an overall record of 26 wins and 10 defeats.

In an interview with Head Coach Charlie Lumsden, he said the success of the team is due to the players themselves.

Coach Lumsden said, "We are getting a lot of key hits lately, to go along with outstanding pitching and good defense. We were not hitting the ball well in the early part of the season, but Assistant Coach Eric Alexander continued working hard with our hitters and it really paid dividends." Lumsden also said that all the hitters are contributing right now during the winning streak.

Leading the team in hitting are: Arnie Correll with a .413 batting average, 4 doubles, 4 triples and 3 home runs; Bob Little with a .383 batting average, 6 doubles, 2 triples, and 1 home run; and Keith Davis with a .383 batting average, 7 doubles and 3 home runs.

Of course, when these guys get on base, someone has got to bring them home. Leading the team in Runs Batted In (RBI's) is William Vining and Jeremy Driver both with 20. Keith Davis is second, with 18, Mike Creech with 16, and Arnie Correll and Bob Little each with 15.

With all the good hitting going on, the defense has also taken to a form on its own. The team is playing very good defense. Keith Davis is doing a very good job on the Hot Corner (3rd Base). Very few errors are being made on defense, and the players are playing with a lot of confidence.

Perhaps most important is the pitching. There is an old saying in baseball, "Good Pitching Tames Good Hitting." This is definitely true when it comes to the Hornets.

The pitching staff is loaded with talent. Pitchers Jeff Battles, Eric Love, and Tommy Wilson are hold-

Baseball continued on 15

## Sigma Alpha Omega Sorority Dissolved April 17

By Marc Pruitt  
Jah, Rasta Far I

1991, exactly one year after the formation.

Their elected officers were Angi Carrol, President, Kendra Robbins, Vice President, Jenny Carver, secretary, Linda Stanley, Treasurer, and Tara Whitehead, Historian.

While active, the SAO's had successful socials, drafted a constitution, and chose the Egleston Hospital for Children and Scottish Rite Children's hospital as their philanthropies. This year, the SAO's had a fairly successful Rush with four new pledges in the Fall. Unfortunately, members started being

lost due to the large demand on their time that the sorority caused. Two sisters graduated and others moved and/or transferred to other colleges. Finally, the sorority was left with only six members.

The work involved in running a sorority proved to be too much for the few remaining SAOs. In a letter to the other campus sororities, SAO Jennifer Bige stated "Sigma Alpha Omega has been struggling with low membership due to the high number of group drop-out for the past two quarters and general disorganization in the past quarter. Based on these factors we have decided with some regrets to dissolve our group on our foundation day, April 17. Personally I felt having another sorority on campus was great, but there is not enough participation at the present time by the females of Southern Tech to support another group."

Most of the ex-SAOs were absorbed into Alpha Delta Pi while some joined Gamma Phi Beta or chose to leave the Greek System. Some of the members of the other campus sororities have expressed that they were disappointed by the SAO's dissolving. ADPi Amy Pratt stated "It was good to have the competition and their presence



This is Angi Carol. She gave up being President of the Sigma Alpha Omegas to start a world wide tour as a blues singer. Now she's got her Mojo working. - Photo courtesy of the Log.

helped the voting process." She went on to explain that now that there are only two remaining sororities, it is now possible to have a tie when the Panhellenic Association votes.

Lack of participation in the Greek System is not isolated to Southern Tech. Currently, only six

percent of the national student body is involved in the Greek system. When asked about the current lack of interest in the Greek system, Program Advisor Kelly Hewitt stated, "It may be due to the effects of the current recession or because interest in the Greek system tends to go in cycles."

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# Canned Food Stack-Up Successful Despite Wind



During the infamous Can Stack-up of 1991, the members of the Baptist Student Union attempted to build their own Tower of Babel. Hey, check out the dude with the stick. - Photo by Bill Finnicks

By Bill Finnicks  
*Edetour*

Circle K International proved that sometimes less can be more at the Food Stack Up in the mall area last Friday. The team of Tony Perez and Lesley Turner from CKI built a replica of downtown's twin Bell towers

with canned food which reached 53 inches to take first place in the Baptist Student Union and SGA sponsored event.

The combined efforts of CKI, BSU and TKE netted nearly 600 cans of food for Love Incorporated. Love Inc. provides food for hungry people in Cobb County. Dave Jones,

President of BSU, "thought it went real well," in meeting the goal of getting food for hungry people in Cobb County and providing an opportunity for healthy competition and cooperation among campus organizations.

The ADPi's used the cans of food they had raised in the group's personal benefit program for Lyndon Pitman who is an employee of the college recovering from cancer treatment.

Wade Leonard, BSU Campus Minister Intern, started the competition at 12:20 pm. The four teams then had twenty minutes to stack their cans as high as possible. After the twenty minutes the group with the highest free-standing stack won. The only limitations on the cans were that they be of food that needy families might use.

The TKEs built a monster stack of beans resembling the Empire State Building that at the 19 minute mark had reached over 16 feet. Led by a desire to help, and win, brothers Brad Brannon, Keith Taylor, Jason Richardson, Bob Buhl, Gary Frantz, Chris Klardie, Chris Kittrell, Rick Payne and Russ Bagwell had their stack of \$200 worth of cans looking good right to the final seconds. Unfortunately their design did not match the originals ability to sway

12 feet with the wind, falling to just 48 inches for a hard earned second place finish.

The ADPi's made several attempts at the Eiffel Tower reaching nearly eight feet on several attempts falling to just 35-1/2 inches after the final whistle. Cheryl Cain, Kara Warren, Amy Pratt, Shanna Fernandez, Melanie Trammell and Jennifer Bige were hampered by a definite lack of height, having to rely on the kindness of others to work the top sections that tumbled to a gust of wind at the end of the competition.

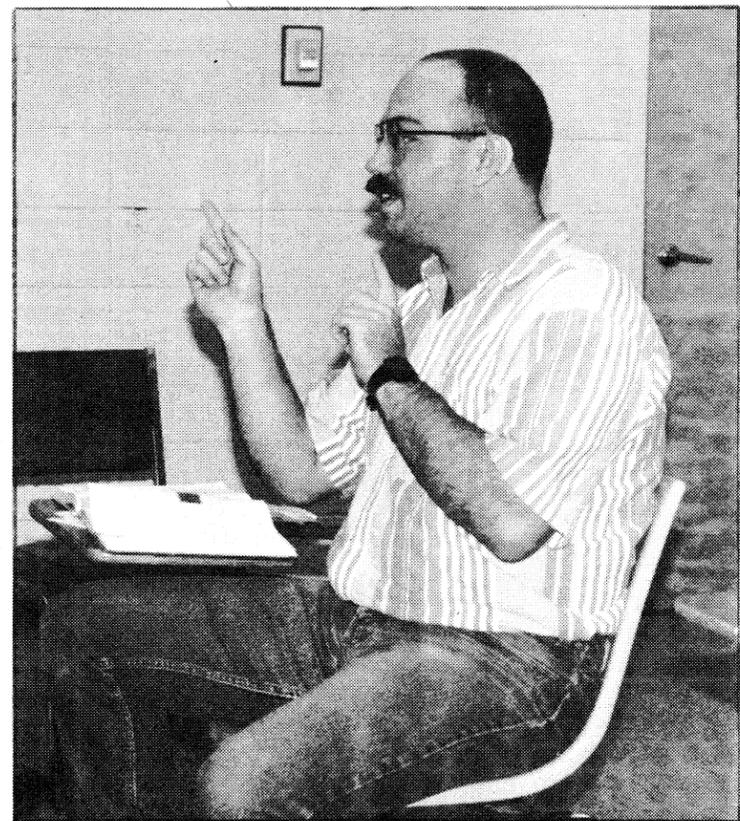
BSU's home team had all the high tech innovation of a group that planned well, bringing a ladder and large sheet of plastic to buffer the strong winds in the rebuilding of

the Peachtree Plaza canned condo. Russell Skelton, Scott Dubose, David Thornton, Dave Jones, Scooter Brown, Marvin Mayo, Elaine Phillips, Delaine Phillips and Stan Wynn battled the TKEs can for can up into the 16 foot reaches before falling to a disappointing fourteen inches as the wind finally made its way past the plastic.

The event proved to be a great means of doing something good for the community while having fun where everyone, especially the needy came out a winner.

Ministry Team Leader Elaine Phillips wished to, "thank CKI, TKE, ADPi, and the members of BSU who participated in the stack-a-thon. We appreciate the time, effort and donations."

## Sign Language Class Aids Hearing Impaired



This is Henry Carter. He teaches sign language and can dance the Watusi. - Photo by Bill Finnicks

By Jan Lanese Donkar  
Staff "Working Girl"

Southern Tech has embarked on a new means of communication all because of a new and brilliant person, Henry Carter. Carter was a civil engineer working with the government. Then he decided to come back to school to attain a CET bachelors degree. He is hearing impaired.

Apart from his studies, Carter helps teach a sign language class with his interpreter, Susan Holly. Students were wanting to learn sign language and be able to communicate with Carter. Charlotte Janis, coordinator of Services for Physically Disabled students, put together a program for any student to come and learn sign language from Carter

and Holly.

Holly is a certified Interpreter from Dekalb College and she gets paid as a regular teacher. Dorothy Savoy, assistant to Janis, says that Carter is so interesting and so smart to communicate with that he is a relief for the day.

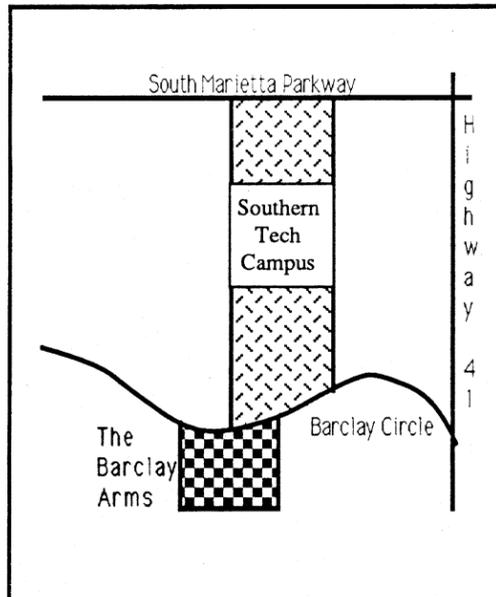
CAB is helping sponsor the class thanks to Kelly Hewitt, the Programs Advisor. There have been about 38 students attending and anyone is welcome. The bookstore has ordered books for the class, American Sign Language. The class meets on Mondays and Wednesdays at 12:05 to 12:50. It will be held for 8 weeks, April 8 to May 29. Everyone is urged to come and attend the class. Carter is a wonderful person to meet with a great personality.

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# Circle K International Serves Campus and Community

By Tony Perez  
Vice-President

What is Circle K? As surprising as it may seem, the Circle K Club of Southern Tech has nothing to do with convenience stores.

Circle K, also known as C.K.I., is an organization founded for the purpose of providing service, gaining leadership experience, and promoting fellowship. It is sponsored by Kiwanis International, a professional organization for professional and business leaders, and Circle K chapters exist worldwide with clubs in Mexico, Bermuda, and even Alaska.

Kiwanis International sponsors two other organizations with the same goals: The Key Clubs, which are formed in high schools, and the Builders Clubs, which exists in Junior High Schools. These different organizations make up the K-Family.

Circle K originally started in 1933 when a group of Kiwanians in Pullman, Washington, purchased a house which was to be rented out to young men in need of assistance to attend college. This house, known as the "Circle K House," was similar to a fraternity house and later became a Greek organization. The idea worked so well that in 1947, the president of Kiwanis International changed it from

a fraternity to a service club and was chartered at Carthage College in Carthage, Illinois.

Today there are 30 Circle K districts. Each district may be comprised of a state, province, or a region. The district is the next level up from the local club and acts as management for the local club. The organization is structured like a tree from the international level down to the club level.

Conventions and conferences throughout the year bring these organizational levels together for great social and fellowship experiences.

The club here at Southern Tech is a highly organized club sponsored by Marietta Kiwanis and advised by Dr. Tom Hughes, Director of Alumni and Annual Funds.

The executive board members of the club are the President, Vice-President, secretary, and the treasurer. Under these officers there are committee chairmen which are in charge of particular club functions. There are, for example, committees set up to organize membership, fund raising, public relations, socials, and projects.

Circle K does a variety of different tasks such as taking handicapped children to Six Flags, working at Special Olympics, and renovating homeless shelters. The club

also gets involved in projects with other organizations like the Children's Miracle Network, nursing homes, the YWCA, and the Battered Women Shelters.

The club's activities are not limited to service projects. The members become involved with many social, fun, and educational events as well. Southern Tech CKI joins with clubs of other schools like Kennesaw State, Emory, and UGA so there is a great opportunity for meeting many new people.

Often the local Circle K clubs get together for pizza, movies, or to go to Underground Atlanta or Stone Mountain. Not a week goes by when the club doesn't have something going on. Perhaps the most successful of these socials was the volleyball tournament which was held here at Southern Tech. The tournament involved many K-Family members from all around Atlanta.

Southern Tech CKI is well supported by the Marietta Kiwanis Club who also funded the present location of this campus. In early 1987, CKI was chartered under a different Kiwanis Club but shortly died out. In 1989, CKI regained its strength under Marietta Kiwanis.

Since then, promotional advertising around campus and in the

community has caused the club to grow. At the beginning of Fall Quarter 1990, CKI had only 6 members, now it has increased to 25 members. Now Southern Tech CKI is well known in Marietta and the District.

At the last District convention, which was held in March in Athens, Georgia, the club won several awards. They competed with larger schools like UGA and Georgia Tech, and were awarded the Single Service Project Award for the work at the homeless shelter, the Most Improved Club Award, the Governor's Award, Kiwanis Sponsorship Award, and second place in Outstanding K-Family Relations.

Philip Bartley and Tony Perez were awarded the Distinguished Member Award, Sid Feagin won the Most Outstanding Secretary Award, Scott Dickey won second place in the Outstanding President's Award, and Tom Hughes and Jeff Davis were awarded the Outstanding Advisor Award.

A few members from the club were also elected to the District Board. This is the top level management for CKI in Georgia. They were: Ken Norris for Lt. Governor and Scott Dickey as the Kronicle (District Newsletter) Editor.

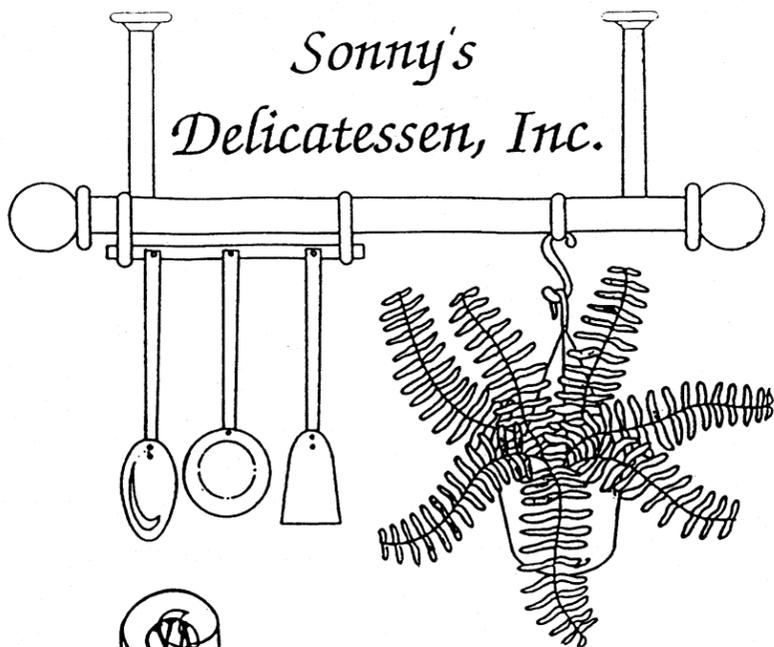
The club gives its members a chance to acquire leadership experience, ideas to manage time more effectively, and how to be more successful in life. Many workshops and seminars are held throughout the year to boost each member's ability to function in the real world and at Southern Tech.

Another advantage of Southern Tech CKI is the opportunity to network for job potential. Each Thursday, Marietta Kiwanis, their sponsoring Kiwanis Club, invites them to their meeting/luncheon. There they can meet the President of Lockheed, several bank presidents, Superior Court Judges, or perhaps even U.S. Representative Buddy Darden.

If you would like to be a part of Southern Tech CKI, please come to the meetings every Tuesday, 7:30 pm, Student Center, Room 120.

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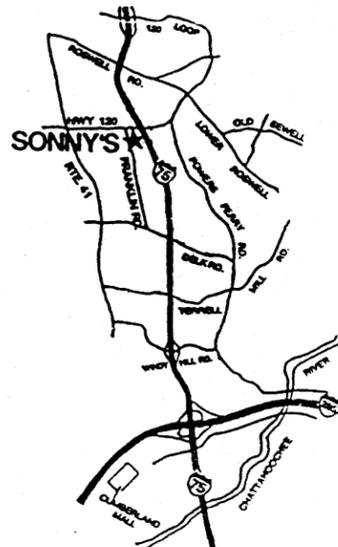
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## Colleges Need to Refigure the Way Math is Taught

College Press Service

Colleges should make radical changes in the way they teach math, make better use of computers and even develop new teaching methods, the National Research Council urged April 9.

College students' interest in majoring in math is at an all-time low in the United States, few students take advanced courses and fewer than 10 percent of those students are minorities, said the council's Committee on the Mathematical Sciences in the Year 2000 in calling for reform.

It found other reasons for reform. Only one in five doctoral degrees in math, for example, is awarded to women. Senior math professors, the report added, are retiring faster than they can be replaced.

"In the United States, we have achieved pre-eminent status in mathematics research," said committee Chairman William Kirwan, president of the University of Maryland at College Park. "We must develop mathematics education to a comparable level."

The report, titled "Moving Beyond Myths," said undergraduate

mathematics is the second largest discipline taught at colleges and universities. Each year three and one half million students enroll in math courses.

But about two-thirds of all college math enrollments are in high school-grade courses below the level of calculus.

While 3.6 million ninth graders took math courses in 1972, the report said, the number dropped to 294,000 by the time the same students reached college. Only 11,000 majored in math, 2,700 earned masters and 400 received doctoral degrees by 1986.

"Some changes in teaching practices could be helpful," allowed Ron Freiwald, a math professor at Washington University in St. Louis, but he thinks changes need to be made at the elementary and secondary levels. "We can't undo a dozen years of damage that easily."

The report made several recommendations:

- Math teachers should abandon lectures for more effective teaching methods.

- Math departments should develop long-term plans to recruit women and minorities and to assign senior faculty members to teach in-

troductory courses to beginning math students.

- Colleges should provide money for experimentation in teaching methods, computers in the classroom and educational innovation.

In recent years, numerous studies showing that American students lag behind their international counterparts in math have come out. In January 1989, the council released a similar report, calling for less rote learning and a stronger emphasis on problem solving, fundamental concepts and more use of calculators and computers.

## Chivas Regal Effect May Be Fading, Say Colleges

College Press Service

The "Chivas Regal effect" among independent colleges may be fading, a number of private campus officers now say.

The price of private schools, where tuition this school year averaged \$9,393, may finally be driving students away.

Students "are asking some very serious questions" about tuition prices and the quality of the education they're getting, says Humphrey Tonkin, president of Hartford College in Connecticut.

Tonkin's school experimented by offering half-price tuition to local students - a group of people who traditionally did not apply to Hartford - and found "a significant difference in the number of students who attend," Tonkin said.

"We're up at a level where people are taking a good hard look (at tuition costs) and asking 'can I swing this?'" added David W. Breneman, a visiting fellow at the Brookings Institute in Washington, D.C. As proof, Breneman and others point to how price-cutting and special financing packages - includ-

ing things like special student aid and 10-year tuition repayment plans - have helped schools attract more students.

The number of private schools offering financial aid has "grown dramatically," reported Frank Balz, executive director of the National Institution of Independent Colleges and Universities.

Balz estimates that nearly a quarter of the nation's private colleges now offer to guarantee they will help students they accept scrape together tuition.

Such programs have become

important marketing tools for the schools.

Since it promised financial aid to any student who needed it, Lehigh University in Pennsylvania got nine percent more applications for fall, 1991 than it got for its fall, 1990 term.

"We have reason to believe that the increase in applications is the result of this policy," said Bill Stanford, Lehigh's director of financial aid.

"We had gotten to the point where (the university's) insufficient funds (for financial aid) began to affect enrollment," Stanford admitted.

The school "went on a missionary project" to collect \$1.2 million from alumni and donors to use to grant and loan money to students, Stanford said.

Others are catching on. In February, Emory University said it would start a program next fall in which students could lock onto a tuition rate for four years, and then take 10 years to pay it at a relatively low 9.8 percent interest rate.

A substantial number of private colleges, moreover, announced only moderate tuition hikes for next year.

Dartmouth, Bowdoin, Bucknell, St. Joseph's and Mills colleges as well as Princeton, Syracuse and Clarkson universities, among other private campuses, have promised to keep their price hikes for next fall consistent with the inflation rate.

Until now, annual increases of 7-to-10 percent were common at private campuses.

"We'll be seeing schools who say we won't be raising tuition at all," predicts Arthur Hauptman, a consultant to the American Council on Education in Washington, D.C.

Hauptman thinks private colleges will avoid raising prices because they can't afford the aid they need to give students to pay them.

"The rate of increase (in tu-

ition) in the eighties simply couldn't be sustained" if the schools hoped to compete with public campuses in attracting students, Breneman agreed.

Breneman, as president of Kalamazoo College in 1989, caused a considerable stir with a series of articles and speeches claiming some independent colleges felt compelled to charge high prices in order to achieve a "Chivas Regal effect."

The effect, named after the famously expensive Scotch whiskey, meant that people would not feel they were getting a quality education unless they were paying premium prices for it.

Conversely, Breneman said, if a private college kept its prices low, prospective students might perceive its academic offerings as low-quality, and not bother to apply.

Now the pendulum has swung, he says.

He notes the recession has forced some families to examine college costs more carefully.

Schools themselves, however, have changed their feelings about setting tuition rates since 1989, when the U.S. Department of Justice announced it was investigating 23 of the country's most selective colleges for allegedly conspiring to fix tuition rates and financial aid awards.

The investigation, which continues today, "had a kind of chilling effect" on the private schools, Breneman said.

The 23 announced in March that they had canceled the annual meeting they used to exchange financial information about students who had applied to them.

But the private schools, Hauptman said, probably won't be actually lowering tuition to attract more students. Despite what happened at Hartford, Hauptman maintained lower tuition would not drive enrollment up "for the same reason enrollments didn't go down" when tuition was rising rapidly.

### FOOD FOR THOUGHT

COUNSELING CENTER  
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The Counseling Center will be offering a series of presentations entitled "Food for Thought" on Wednesday, 12:00 - 1:00 pm in conference Room A of the Student Center. No advance registration is needed. Students, faculty, staff, and friends of the college are invited.

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| <b>May 1</b><br>12:00 - 1:00  | <b>Stress Management</b><br>Relaxation is a skill which can be learned. Learn a step by step method for relaxation. And, discuss FIVE ways to assess and manage stress in your daily life.  |
| <b>May 8</b><br>12:00 - 1:00  | <b>Dealing with the Blues</b><br>Depression is a commonly experienced mood. We all experience some degree of depression at some time. Identify and cope with your experience of the blues.  |
| <b>May 15</b><br>12:00 - 1:00 | <b>Enhancing Personal Efficiency</b><br>Do you spend time searching for things you've misplaced? Does the clutter in your home, desk, or car get out of hand? Do you forget to send cards on birthdays? Do your personal finances seem a hopeless tangle? Do you sometimes feel "scattered" or disorganized? This presentation will provide you with well-designed ideas for you to try — methods for both the broad, philosophical and the practical, "nitty gritty" aspects of lifestyle management. It'll be fun. (THIS SESSION WILL BE IN THE BURRUSS ROOM IN THE ACADEMIC BUILDING.) |

# •• From the Wire ••

## Heterosexual Society' Loses Recognition

AMES, Iowa - Iowa State University student clubs coordinator Carol Cordell at least temporarily withdrew official ISU recognition of the Heterosexual Society, an anti-gay campus group, because it required members to attest to their heterosexuality.

The heterosexual pledge, Cordell said, violated ISU's anti-discrimination policy. Group members probably will amend their constitution to meet the policy, society Chairman Deanne Backes told the Iowa State Daily. She added the group will also change its name to Allied Students Against Perversion.

## Student Borrowers Aren't Affected By Loan Payments

BOSTON, Mass. - Repaying college loans doesn't seem to affect the lifestyles or "major life choices" of students after they graduate, a study by two student loan agencies claims.

"These loans did not cause economic hardship," claimed Lawrence O'Toole, president of Nellie Mae, a company that "sells" student loans to banks and that cosponsored the survey of 1,440 borrowers with the Massachusetts Higher Education Assistance Corporation.

## Bush Proposes New School Reforms

WASHINGTON, D.C. - Calling for all students to take national competency tests, for basing federal aid to schools on how well students do on the tests and for a slate of other changes, President George Bush issued a report calling for broad school reforms April 13.

The package of reforms, largely assembled by new U.S. Department of Education Sec. Lamar Alexander, does include a recommendation for slightly more federal spending on education. It also would allow parents to choose the schools their children attend, and encourage adults to return to college for additional training.

## ROTC Cadet Attacks Gay Student Protester Of ROTC Policies

LINCOLN, Neb. - A day after the University of Nebraska-Lincoln Faculty Senate asked the school to stop giving academic credit for Reserve Officer Training Corps (ROTC) classes because ROTC won't admit gays, campus police arrested a 19-year-old ROTC cadet for attacking an anti-ROTC demonstrator. The cadet, whose name was not released, allegedly jumped from a crowd of people watching the April 11 demonstration against ROTC's ban on homosexuals, and kicked and punched UNL senior Scott Shanks.

A week earlier, the ROTC unit at Washington University in St. Louis announced it had suspended a student who, it discovered after two years of classes and training, is a homosexual.

## CUNY Warns It May Have To Cancel Semester

NEW YORK, N.Y. - City University of New York administrators, using a mixture of threats and compromise proposals to try to halt a two week-long student tuition protest that has shut down six of their campuses, said they may have to cancel the rest of the semester if the demonstration does not end soon.

In all, students have taken over buildings on 12 of the CUNY system's 21 campuses, affecting some 200,000 collegians.

"We hope there will be a return to appropriate methods of protest in time to prevent the loss of the spring semester," said CUNY Chancellor W. Ann Reynolds.

But Borough of Manhattan Community College students rejected a compromise that would have let them protest Gov. Mario Cuomo's tuition hike and financial aid cut in certain campus areas that would not disrupt classes.

Reynolds and other CUNY officials argue they, too, oppose the hikes and cuts, but have no power to reverse them because they involve state, not campus, funds.

State officials, in turn, argue they had to make the cuts because of massive state budget deficit.

"We don't buy it," Hunter College student Robert Nisonoss told the CUNY Voice, the systemwide student newspaper.

## A&M Faculty Says No To Stormin' Norman

COLLEGE STATION, Texas - Texas A&M University's Faculty Senate, mindful of rumors that Gen. Norman Schwarzkopf may be offered the job of chancellor of the A&M system, issued a statement April 18 saying Schwarzkopf shouldn't get the offer.

"I have nothing against Gen. Schwarzkopf; in fact, I admire him," Faculty Senate Chairman Bill Stout explained. "But he simply doesn't meet the Faculty Senate's No. 1 criterion for the person who should ultimately fill the post: high academic credentials."

## Rutgers Student Sues Over Haircut

NEW YORK, N.Y. - Rutgers University student Nancy Newcombe filed suit in a state court against a man who cut her hair too short.

Newcombe charged Oscar Blandi, who works at a beauty salon at the Hotel Pierre but who cut Newcombe's hair for free in his apartment as a favor to his wife, with assault and battery and sought \$75,000 in damages.

In court papers, Newcombe claims Blandi cut her waist-length hair short against her wishes, leaving her "screaming and hysterical" and in need of medical and "psychological counseling."

Blandi said he had cut Newcombe's hair as a favor to his wife, who was Newcombe's friend, and that he had cut it according to Newcombe's wishes.

## Women's Group Targets Frats At Santa Barbara

SANTA BARBARA, Calif. - A group of 14, black-clad and hooded women marched through the University of California at Santa Barbara's greek row, claiming fraternity members "have raped our flesh and spirits, because they glorify violence against women and treat us as sexual objects."

While several fraternity members said they supported the demonstrators' cause, they said they felt unfairly condemned. "No way do we perpetuate rape or the exploitation of women, Sigma Alpha Epsilon member Dan Rosenbaum told the Daily Nexus, the campus newspaper. "We respect women. This is an insult to us."

Meanwhile, Millersville University in Pennsylvania disbanded the Theta Pi fraternity, which on April 1 had been charged with sexually harassing women who had joined its little sisters program.

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  - May 26 - Noon - Student Center Ballroom C
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## SGA Elections

Petitions for office due by May 17  
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## Mortal Thoughts a Movie to be Avoided

By Jennifer Bige  
Staff Entertainment

*Mortal Thoughts* is a Columbia Pictures release starring: Demi Moore as Cynthia Kellogg, Glenne Headly as Joyce Urbanski and Bruce Willis as James Urbanski. It was produced by Taylor Hackford and Stuart Benjamin, co-produced by Demi Moore, and directed by William Reilly and Claude Kerven.

Joyce Urbanski and Cynthia Kellogg are best friends. So much so that Cynthia was the matron-of-honor at Joyce's wedding. They work together at Joyce's Clip 'N' Dye Beauty Salon, go out to dinner together and just generally help one another out all the time. They were best friends up until the day Joyce's husband James winds up dead. Then it becomes a friendship of necessity, stress, lies and deceit.

In the opening of the story the lead character Cynthia played by Demi Moore was voluntarily being questioned in a police station. She had come forward to testify and clear herself in the murder investigation of James Urbanski. The movie was shot in flashbacks and some present time scenes. Each time a question is asked by Detective John Woods (Harvey Keitel), Cynthia flashes back to the period where the answer comes from.

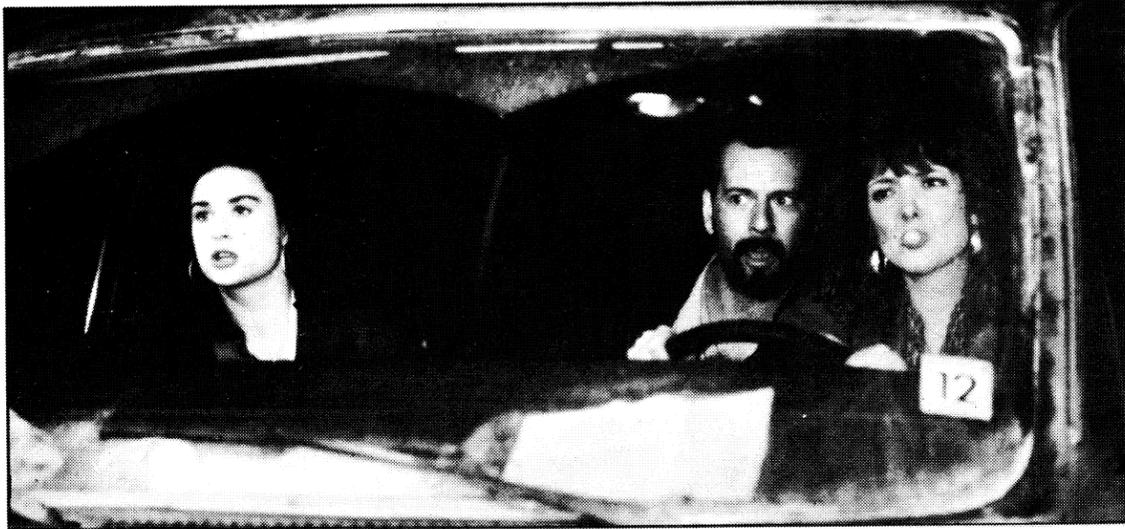
The initial feeling given off at the onset of the movie was one of humor. The question which deceives the viewer into thinking the movie is more light hearted than it is actually, was the first one posed. Detective Wood asks when Cynthia

first noticed a disturbance in Joyce and Jame's marriage. She replies "the wedding."

Various other questions draw a picture that Joyce was physically and mentally abused by her husband James. One scene took place in the salon. It was obvious by the dialogue that Joyce was pregnant and that James wanted her to have an abortion. The end result of their confrontation was James' 'man-handling' her which put a huge bruise on her arm. Since Cynthia was giving information freely the story drags the questioning out into more detail about Cynthia and Joyce's friendship.

James was murdered. The truth about his death was being covered up. Cynthia gave a conflicting story from the one that Joyce gave. Joyce told the police James had gone out and did not return. The body was found and he had been robbed. This rules out the foul play theory for a short time. Next, as a coverup it was claimed that the Salon's van was stolen. These covers were lame, but believable for an instant. Then there was too much of a web of lies and lastly there were two stories being told.

Story one was that James tried to choke Joyce and she stabbed him in self defense. But after the stabbing she drove around with his bleeding body in her van and Cynthia couldn't convince her to go to a hospital. Are you buying this?, Meneither. So interrogation begins: Where did you go?, How did you dispose of the body?, What did you do with his valuables?...etcetera. By the time Cynthia has answered these questions she looks as guilty



In the movie *Mortal Thoughts*, Bruce Willis turns to Glenne Headly and says "Yo babe! My cigarettes are in the back. Howzabout slammin, on the brakes and sending them rocketing into the front of the van." Meanwhile, Demi Moore says "Whoa dude! Everything's so plaid. No phone inside."

as the next guy.

The plot thickens as Cynthia begins to avoid Joyce and then bang, one day around Christmas Cynthia's husband winds up dead too. Now the questioning revolves around this. Finally, Cynthia has talked all she can for one night and heads home to tend to her family.

The detective thanks her for coming, asks to see her out and as she leaves they show Joyce coming into the room. Cynthia gets to her car, gets in the car, starts it up and then she breaks down emotionally. She sits in the car for what seems like hours. Then she flashes back to the night James expired. Next, a whole new story appears about how and why James was stabbed. Cynthia gets out of the car, goes back into the station and sits down. End of story. Does she talk? Do we the reviewers car? NO!! When the movie was rolling along full of sus-

pense and action everything was great, but then the ending. A huge disappointment. HUGE !!

Bruce Willis does a great job playing a high, drug using, drunk, abusive, filthy-mouthed, money stealing, perverted character. It seemed so far fetched from any of the other movies he has been in. Demi Moore does her part well. I do think some of the scenes where the detec-

tive was being forceful for information were a bit over-played, but other than that good acting once again.

All and all the acting seemed very believable. It seemed like two women could end up in this situation. But again the disappointment in the end leaves me no alternative but to tell you to wait for it to come out on video and then don't rent it. Sorry.

## Papasan's Good and Close! Yum! Urrp!

By Gareth Williams & Bill  
Mr. Extreme

Ann's Oriental Restaurant is located at 981b Clay Street in the Clay Plaza, yes, that's right, right across the street from SCT. The restaurant opens at noon and serves Korean and American food until the chef tires out, or closing time, whichever comes first. The food is served at the bar, and beer and wine are served as long as the State Of Georgia allows.

Aside from serving the closest cold beer to SCT, the chef, oft referred to as Papasan, can whip up some of the best meals to ever see the dark side of a wok. After a few appetizers served in red, white and blue cans with pop-tops, we decided to ask for the menus.

The oysters were a great way to start a meal, but could easily satisfy on their own. Oyster prices vary with market prices, but are running \$4.99 a dozen this week. Served on ice with all the necessary goodies, these big juicy suckers are a real taste treat.

I opted for the San-Juk, a new taste experience for me, big chunks of marinated, charbroiled steak tossed into a wok with scallions,

green peppers, onions and carrots, served on skewers over rice. This was one of those meals that I will drag people from other cities to share.

The meat was just right, and the marinade is very different from others I have tried and was one of the best. At a little over five bucks, this is one meal definitely worth trying.

Bill, being the wild and crazy international eater that he is, ordered the massive cheeseburger. Bill states that he would be proud to have been the cow that produced such a succulent bellyfull 'o' burger.

Served with fries and all the fixings, the burger appears in front of you sooner than you would expect. Speaking of food arriving, there is no better cure for a bad day than a big smile, and you get that before you are half way through the door. Dana and Jan bring food, drink, and a good laugh your way, and what more could you want.

Despite the pool tables, dartboard, and multiple beer signs, this is real, sophisticated Korean cuisine. And hey, beer and pool never hurt anyone when done in moderation. Moderation we advise to you, but we walk there.

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# Oscar Could be Stallones Big Comeback



In the Movie *Oscar*, Sylvester Stallone thinks to himself, "Hm. I could go home, I could go shopping, I don't know, maybe I'll get something to eat. Yo, Adrienne." Proving that even though he's rich, he doesn't have the sense to come in out of the rain.

By James Tharpe  
Features Writer

*Oscar*, a comedy starring Sylvester Stallone and Don Ameche. Directed by John Landis. Produced by Leslie Belzburg.

When notorious bootlegger Angelo "Snaps" Provalone (Sylvester Stallone) is summoned to his dying father's bedside, he's prepared for the worst. But Papa Eduardo has more up his sleeve than an affectionate *arrvederchi* to his errant boy. In the presence of Aunt Rosa (Yvonne DeCarlo) and the family priest, Father Clemente (Don Ameche), the ailing patriarch steals one last gasp of life and begs his son to give up his shameful life and become an honest man and restore the family name to honor. In a moment of remorse Snaps reluctantly agrees to obey his papa's plea.

But the turnabout from hood to banker is more difficult — and bewildering — than Snaps ever imag-

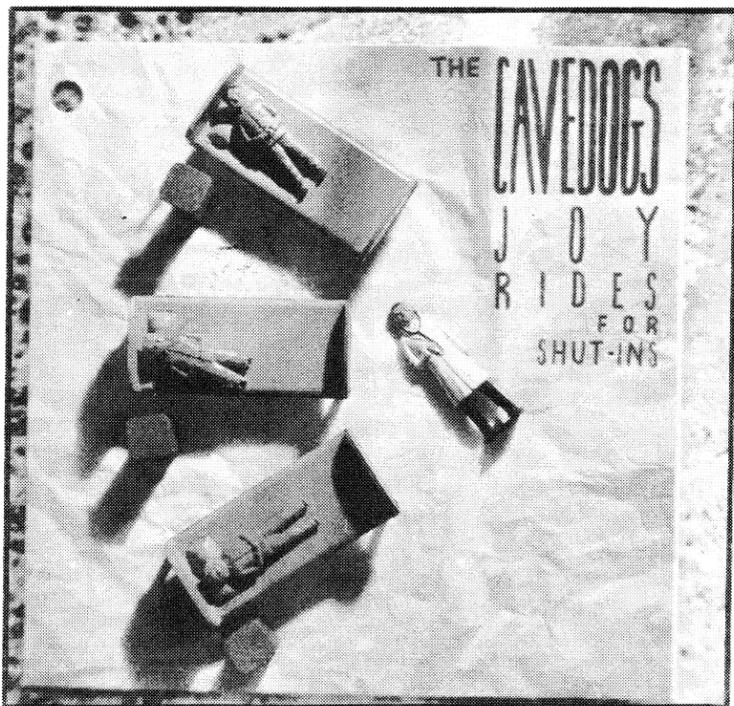
ined. Surrounded by a madhouse of peculiar characters and relatives, including misfit mobsters, immigrant tailors (Martin Ferrero and Harry Shearer), an articulate academician Dr. Poole (Tim Curry), an embezzling accountant (Vincent Spano), spoiled daughter Lisa (Marisa Tomei), and a ball-breaking spouse Sofia (Ornella Muti), it's no wonder that Snaps' new image is too fantastic for either the cops or his new easily-bribed banker friends to believe. And in a day full of surprises the biggest of all is Snaps' realization that nothing is more crooked than the straight and narrow.

The actual plot to this farce is so complicated it would take up more space than is available. It would also ruin the movie. It is very fast-paced, and there is never a dull moment. When I walked out of the theater, I had the feeling the movie had elements of *The Godfather*, *Fawltly Towers*, and a small amount of *My Fair Lady*. I picked the *The*

*Godfather*, because of the gangster influence. I picked *Fawltly Towers* because of the fast pace and the hilarious misunderstandings that occur. I picked *My Fair Lady* because of Dr. Poole, the loquacious linguist (Tim Curry), who pinpoints Anthony's (Vincent Spano) hometown solely by his New Jersey accent. When Snaps meets with Dr. Poole, you almost expect Dr. Poole to say "The rain in Spain stays mainly on the plain." This movie is very well done and historically accurate. The writers intended *Oscar* to be a tribute to the gangster comedies of the '30s and '40s.

Did I like it? Yes, I did. The whole movie is hilarious. Even the opening credits are funny: a claymation Italian singing Rossini's "The Barber Of Seville." If that is not funny, I don't know what is. I thought this movie was worth seeing again, and I would recommend it to a friend. By the way, *Oscar* is the Provalone's former chauffeur.

# Cavedogs and King Missile Darned Good



Normally we don't write picture captions for record reviews. The reason behind this is that album covers have the band name and album name on them, not to mention they're pretty dull. But we (OK, mostly me) left a space here and now it has to be filled. -Photo by Jack Silver

By Westly Hetrick  
Frustration Editor

I was walking down the street the other day, minding my own business, when suddenly nothing happened. I was so overwhelmed by the transcendent value of the nothingness, that I ran home and wrote this down.

Now however, it seems kind of trivial.

The Cavedogs are a band. Now that I've gotten that out of the way, I'll mention the fact that they're from Ohio, although Mark Rivers went to Woodward Academy and then Georgia State. Perhaps you've

heard him on Album 88 saying "Hey, I used to go here."

But anyway, the Cavedogs are one of the new slew of progressive rock/pop bands with emphasis on basic crunchy guitar riffs and intelligent lyrics, such as Buffalo Tom, Dreams so Real, Jesus Jones, etc. They consist of: the aforementioned Mr. Rivers on drums, vocals, and an occasional keyboard, Todd Spahr on guitar, vocals, and sleighbells, and Brian Stevens on bass, vocals, harmonica and coffee. I don't know what that means either.

Their tunes tend to lean towards hummable little songs that stick in your head, until you get to

the chorus. Take the single "Tayter Country" which I keep singing like this. "Hum hum de de da da /with a machine gun/with a machine gun/ de de da da/ de de de da ...etc. By the way, a tayter is a trend follower in Cavedogese, so I imagine the song is a final solution to the trendie problem.

Technically, this is not a new album. It was released in late 1989 by Enigma records. However, Enigma was far too busy collapsing to promote the album in the way it deserved. So when Enigma's doors finally closed, the Cavedogs signed with Capitol Records, a very large company that can promote them. So needless to say, you can actually hear songs off the new disc on local radio and MTV now.

Another groovy album (Get it! GROOVE-y album! I slay me!) is the latest by King Missile *The Way to Salvation*. The emperors of absurdist rock strike again on this album. The big hit off the last album was "Jesus Was Way Cool" and this album continues the trend with songs like "To Walk With Pigs" and "The Boy Who Ate Lasagna and Could Jump Over a Church" which is about, well, the title kind of tells it all.

Musically, the band is practically impossible to typecast. They leap from soft-n-cheesy organs to chainsaw chomping guitar riffs. Some might call their works poetry readings set to music, some call it art rock, others comedy rock. John S. Hall, King Missile's leader and

songwriter prefers to call their work "spoken word performances" because nobody knows what that means.

Which is kind of the whole King Missile concept. Sometimes you might start to take them seriously, then before they can sound too self righteous, they'll get goofy on you. A good example of this is "Indians" where the band describes the evils of mankind, both petty and momentous. The refrain to the song is a very deadpan "That's the way we are, we're pigs." They then go on to talk about killing cockroaches.

All in all, these are two highly entertaining bands, running the gamut from suprisingly serious to suprisingly goofy. But well worth a listen.

## GSPE

The Georgia Society of Professional Engineers is selling study books for the Engineer in Training Test (EIT) for \$27.00. Books may be purchased from Professor Lee or Professor Horton in the mechanical building (k).

## Scholarships

The greater Atlanta Section of ASQC announces its 1991-92 scholarship program. Information and applications are available in the IE Technology office.

## CAREER DAY '91

The office of placement and career services has scheduled THURSDAY, MAY 2, 1991, for the annual CAREER DAY event. The program will be held in the Student Center Ballrooms - 9:30 am to 3:00 pm.

To date, twenty-eight companies have accepted the invitation to attend and we expect others to respond affirmatively within the next two weeks.

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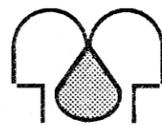
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# calvin and Hobbes

by BILL WATTERSON



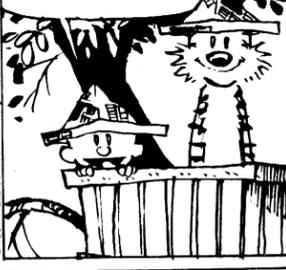
ATTENTION! ALL RISE! THIS MEETING OF G.R.O.S.S. IS NOW CALLED TO ORDER BY THE GREAT GRANDIOSE DICTATOR-FOR-LIFE, THE RULER SUPREME, THE FEARLESS, THE BRAVE, THE HELD-HIGH-IN-ESTEEM, CALVIN THE BOLD! YES, STAND UP AND HAIL HIS HUMBLENESS NOW! MAY HIS WISDOM PREVAIL!



THREE CHEERS FOR FIRST TIGER AND EL PRESIDENTE, HOBBS, THE DELIGHT OF ALL COGNOSCENTI! HE'S SAVVY! HE HAS A PRODIGIOUS IQ, AND LOTS OF PANACHE, AS ALL TIGERS DO. IN HIS FANCY CHAPEAU, HE'S A LEADER WITH TASTE! MAY HIS ORDERS BE HEEDED AND HIS VIEWS BE EMBRACED!



YOU CAN TELL THIS IS A GREAT CLUB BY THE WAY WE START OUR MEETINGS!



HOBBS, IT'S SUSIE! SHE'S RIGHT UNDER US! IT'S THE CHANCE OF A LIFETIME! REAL SMOOTH, PASS THE BAG OF ROTTEN APPLES WE'VE BEEN SAVING! QUICK! QUICK!



WHAT ABOUT OUR WAR? I THOUGHT I WAS OUT OF THE CLUB!



THIS MEETING OF THE GET RID OF SLIMY GIRLS CLUB IS NOW IN SESSION! FIRST TIGER HOBBS WILL PRESENT OUR FINANCIAL REPORT.



WAIT, WE DIDN'T SING THE G.R.O.S.S. ANTHEM.



WE SING THAT AT THE END OF THE MEETING.



I WANT TO SING IT NOW.



WE CAN'T. WE HAVE TO FOLLOW PROPER PROTOCOL! SEE? IT SAYS ON THE AGENDA THAT WE SING THE ANTHEM LAST!



CHHOHH GROHOSS! BEST CLUB IN THE COSMOS..



STOP THAT, YOU MARCHIST!

YAA! YAA! GET RID OF SLIMY GIRLS! HAHA!



OOH, IS SHE MAD AT YOU?



YOU GET TWO DEMERITS FOR SINGING THE CLUB ANTHEM BEFORE IT WAS ON THE AGENDA!



WELL YOU GET FIVE DEMERITS FOR NOT TAKING OFF YOUR HAT DURING ITS HALLOWED REFRAIN!

YOU CAN'T GIVE ME DEMERITS! I OUTRANK YOU.



HA! YOU'RE JUST A FIGUREHEAD! YOUR DUTIES ARE CEREMONIAL! I HAVE ALL THE REAL RESPONSIBILITIES.

WHAT?! I'M DICTATOR-FOR-LIFE! I HAVE TEN TIMES THE IMPORTANCE OF A LOWLY FIRST TIGER! A HUNDRED TIMES! A MILLION TIMES!



IF YOU'RE SO IMPORTANT, HOW COME YOU SING THE SOPRANO PART OF OUR ANTHEM?



THAT'S JUST TILL MY VOICE CHANGES!

BY GOLLY, I WON'T STAND FOR THIS INSUBORDINATION! YOU ARE HEREBY DEMOTED TO CLUB MASCOT!



OH YEAH?! WELL YOU CAN BE CLUB CHONDER HEAD, BECAUSE I QUIT!

I'M FORMING MY OWN CLUB, AND IT'S GOING TO BE A LOT BETTER THAN THIS ONE!



HA! YOUR SORRY CLUB WON'T HAVE A COOL ACRONYM FOR A NAME, I'LL BET!

IT WILL TOO! MY CLUB IS CALLED "C.A.D."



C.A.D.? WHAT'S THAT SUPPOSED TO STAND FOR?

"CALVIN'S A DOPE!"



THAT'S NOT A NAME FOR A CLUB!

IF YOUR CLUB'S CALLED "CALVIN'S A DOPE," THEN I'M CHANGING THE NAME OF THIS CLUB TO "HOBBS IS A MANGY FLEA-RIDDEN FURBALL!"



AN INSULT! I DECLARE ETERNAL WAR ON YOUR CLUB!



GO AHEAD! FROM NOW ON WE'RE BITTER ENEMIES!

WAIT TILL YOU SEE MY CUNNING STRATEGIES! I'LL HAVE MAPS AND SECRET CODES!



I'LL HAVE STRATEGIES! I'LL HAVE MAPS! I'LL HAVE CODES! THEY'LL ALL BE BETTER THAN YOURS!

I'M GOING TO WRITE MYSELF A MESSAGE IN CODE RIGHT NOW! IT SAYS, "CALVIN SMELLS LIKE A BABOON!"



HA! I BROKE YOUR CODE ALREADY! AND I DO NOT!

WHEN YOU SEE HOW COOL MY CLUB IS, YOU'LL BEG TO BE IN IT, BUT I WON'T LET YOU!



WHO NEEDS YOUR STINKY CLUB? I'VE GOT MY OWN CLUB!

MY CLUB DEDICATES ITSELF TO THE DESTRUCTION OF YOUR CLUB!



GOOD! IT'S A BATTLE TO THE FINISH! THIS IS TOTAL WAR!

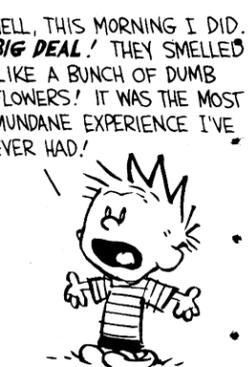
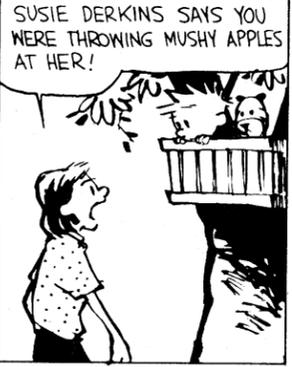
OH YEAH? WE'LL SEE ABOUT THAT! WHAT? ONLY IN YOUR DREAMS, FUZZ FACE!



HEY CALVIN! WHO ARE YOU YELLING AT UP THERE?



YIKES! SHH! IT'S SUSIE!



OOOEEE

EEBOOEE BOOEEBOO

THEY SAY THE SECRET OF SUCCESS IS BEING AT THE RIGHT PLACE AT THE RIGHT TIME.

BUT SINCE YOU NEVER KNOW WHEN THE RIGHT TIME IS GOING TO BE, I FIGURE THE TRICK IS TO FIND THE RIGHT PLACE, AND JUST HANG AROUND!

# calvin and Hobbes

by **BILL WATKINSON**



MAYBE I WANT A PROMOTION FIRST.

IT'S YOURS! NAME IT! JUST GIVE ME THE MUSHY APPLES!

MUSHY APPLES? WHO ARE YOU TALKING TO?

SUSIE, DON'T MOVE, OK? STAY EXACTLY WHERE YOU ARE.

DID YOU WATCH THE MOVIE ON TV LAST NIGHT?

NOPE.

DID YOU WATCH THE GAME THEN?

NOPE.

DID YOU WATCH ANY TV LAST NIGHT?

NOPE.

THEN WHAT DID YOU WATCH?

THINK SHE'S JNNING OFF TO TELL ON US.

WHO CARES! IT WAS WORTH IT! WHAT A PERFECT PLAN!

TALK ABOUT SOMETHING WE'LL LOOK BACK ON WITH PRIDE IN OUR DECLINING YEARS!

INSURANCE?? WHAT A DUMB IDEA!

WHY WOULD ANYONE BUY INSURANCE FROM YOU???

THWIPING!

INSURANCE 50!

YOU CAN TELL THIS IS A GREAT CLUB BECAUSE WE ALWAYS GET IN TROUBLE FOR FOLLOWING OUR CHARTER!

OH, MARY, YOU LOOK RAVISHING IN THAT SKIMPY NEGLIGEE!

MMM...DARLING, DON'T YOU WISH WE WERE MARRIED?

BUT WE ARE! ...OR DID YOU MEAN TO EACH OTHER?

I'VE GOT TO HAVE YOU! LET'S MURDER OUR SPOUSES!

MURDER??--YOU SICK ANIMAL! I LOVE IT WHEN YOU TALK THAT WAY! COME HERE!

DOES GOT TIME FOR THIS SENSE! I'M A BUSY GUY! GOT THINGS TO DO.' THE 7 THING I NEED IS TO STAND AROUND WITH MY NOSE IN SOME SILLY PLANT!

I'M GLAD YOU SOMEHOW FOUND THE TIME FOR THIS EDIFYING CONVERSATION.

YEAH WELL, I'M GOING TO HAVE TO WRAP IT UP. MY TV SHOW IS ABOUT TO START.

KISS KISS

KISS KISS

KISS KISS

SOMETIMES I THINK I LEARN MORE WHEN I STAY HOME FROM SCHOOL.

AHHHOoooo.

THAT'S MY SIREN SO YOU KNOW I'M COMING!

KIDS DON'T NEED SIRENS.

MOM, CAN I SET FIRE TO MY BED MATTRESS?

NO, CALVIN.

CAN I RIDE MY TRICYCLE ON THE ROOF?

NO, CALVIN.

THEN CAN I HAVE A COOKIE?

NO, CALVIN.

SHE'S ON TO ME.

BEING WITH YOU, IT'S JUST ONE EPIPHANY AFTER ANOTHER.

AND IF THE RIGHT PLACE IS IN FRONT OF THE DRUG STORE, WE COULD READ COMIC BOOKS WHILE WE WAIT!

NO, MOM! DON'T PUT ME TO BED!

I INSTRUCTED HOBBS TO MESSILY DEVOUR ANYONE WHO BRINGS ME IN BEFORE 9 P.M.!

YOUR STUFFED TIGER IS IN THE WASHING MACHINE.

FINE TIME TO TAKE A BATH!

LISTEN, JUST BECAUSE YOU NEVER TAKE ONE...

# Dilbert™ by Scott Adams

## Ask the Psychologist

In this column, Dr. Michael Slavit, Director of Counseling, will answer questions about issues of emotional, behavioral, or social interest. This column is **not** intended as a substitute for seeking help from a qualified professional. (SCT students, faculty, and staff are eligible for service at the Counseling Center). And, Dr. Slavit's comments do not necessarily reflect the views of *The Sting*. Send your questions to Dr. Slavit c/o *The Sting*.

**Q:** I'm pursuing an engineering technology degree, but I don't feel totally good about it. It's not a matter of ability; I get good grades. My problem is I'm torn between social responsibility and self-interest. Self-interest says "Go for it. You'll make good money, and it's not your job to help society." But social responsibility says "Most engineering technology jobs are in industry. And, industry's profit motive sometimes leads to irresponsible use of technology. The answer to society's problems lies in pure science, education, and ethics." Should I stay in engineering technology, or should I transfer and go into education, sociology, or a pure science? Signed, Jay.

**A:** I can understand your dilemma, Jay. But I'm **not** going to prescribe a course of action for you, for two reasons: 1. I won't live with the consequences of your choice. You will; and 2. Psychologists are most useful when we help you work your issues through to a conclusion, **not** dictate the conclusion. What I **will** do, rather than try to give you a single, balanced response, is give you TWO HYPOTHETICAL responses, one from "Dr. Utilitarian" and one from "Dr. Ideal." I hope that reading the two divergent points of view will help you sort this out. (Dr. Utilitarian and Dr. Ideal are fictional characters, and do not necessarily represent the author's own point of view).

### Dr. Utilitarian's Response

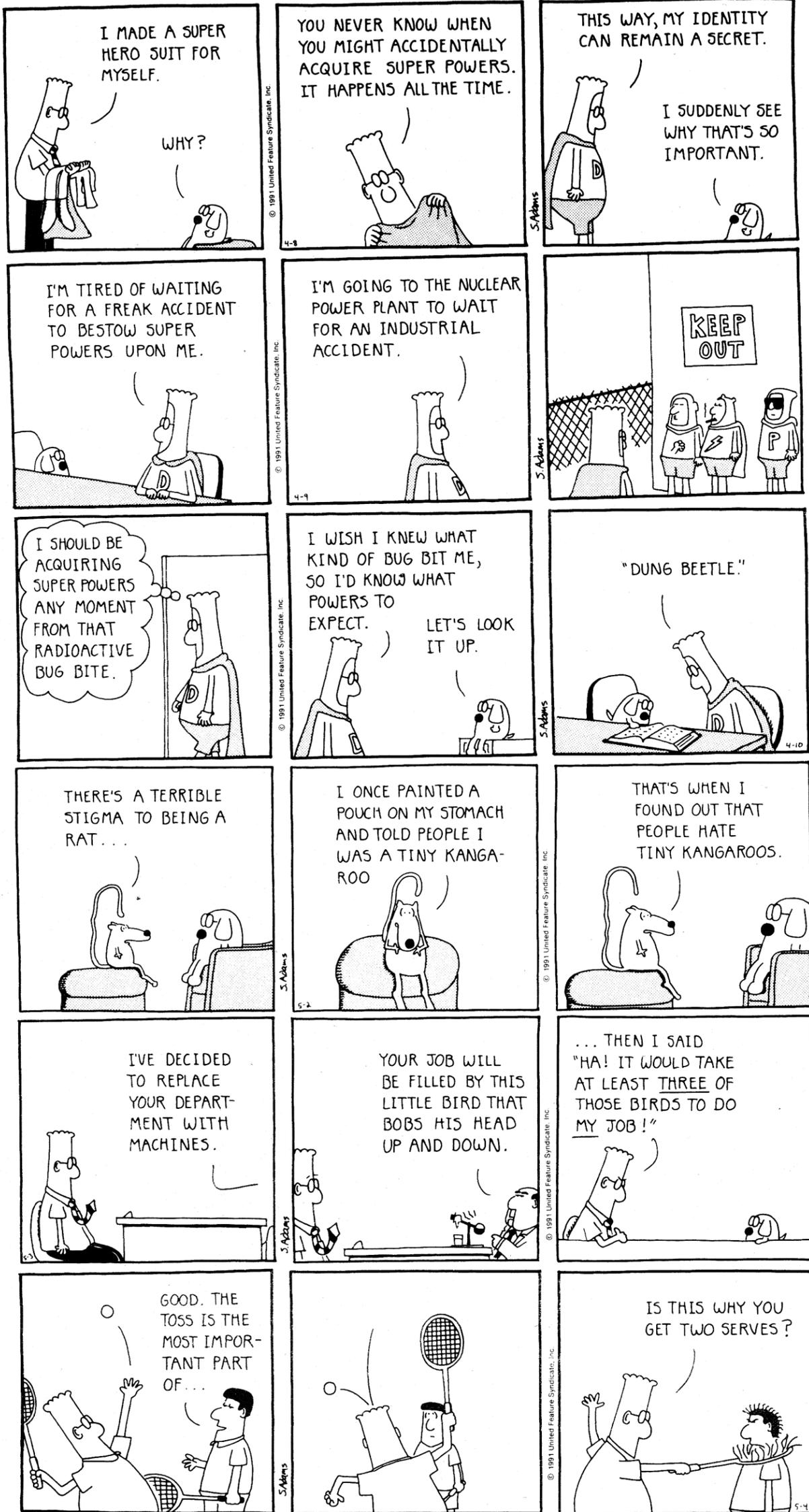
Jay, taking care of your own interests is defensible. Yes, it does seem that society's problem-solving is often hampered by emphasis on a profit-motive and on purely technological solutions. But that's not your doing. The practical, utilitarian approach to your college education is to get a degree which will 1. qualify you for a job as soon as possible after getting your bachelors degree; and 2. get you into a field where salaries are high. Of course you could transfer to another college and study education, sociology, or a pure science, as possible after getting your bachelors degree; and 2. get you into a field where salaries are high. Of course you could transfer to another college and study education, sociology, or a pure science. And maybe a degree in one of those fields would better prepare you to help society. But first, you are much more likely to need a masters or even a Ph.D., to be employable in those fields. And secondly, you will have to be a **standout** in those fields to make as much money as an **average performer** can make in industry with an engineering technology degree. Furthermore, society is probably developing along a relentless track that you can't influence. It's practical to see society as static, and to just climb to a place of advantage for yourself. Jay, since industry offers more of those places of advantage, the utilitarian thing to do is to stay in engineering technology.

### Dr. Ideal's Response

Jay, our civilization is **not** static. It is continually developing like an organism. And, like an organism, its health depends upon the health and functioning of its constituent parts. For you and all your contemporaries to see civilization as a ladder, and to put your efforts into climbing as high as you can for yourselves, would be like fifty people trying to clamber aboard a twenty-person lifeboat. Our civilization can't afford for everyone to be self-serving.

You're right that as a civilization we often overemphasize the profit motive and technological solutions. For the well-being of society, we need more emphasis on social responsibility, and on human solutions. For instance, we hear talk of building cars with computerized navigation to reduce accidents. A human resource alternative would be to teach people how to manage stress, to relax and to drive their cars without impatience and aggression. The human solution would be less expensive, less polluting, and would ennoble humanity. Making us unnecessarily dependent on machines degrades rather than ennobles us.

Jay, you don't necessarily have to get out of engineering technology because you feel that industry doesn't always help civilization. You could go into another field, or you could go into industry with the idea of advancing to the level of policy-making, and exert an influence there. But, you did indicate that social responsibility is a strong value for you. One way or the other, you'll need to come to terms with that. In the final analysis, if your life isn't consistent with your values, no money will make up for it.



# Math Stinger

By Dr. Joel C. Fowler  
Assistant Professor of Mathematics

The correct answer to the sequence puzzle given in last issue is  $n_0=4, n_1=2, n_2=1, n_3=0, n_4=1, n_5=0, n_6=0, n_7=0$ . Al Yankovic submitted the first correct answer to this puzzle. A greater response was received to the fly between the cars puzzle. It was to find the total distance travelled by a fly that flies back and forth between two cars that are initially 250 miles apart. As the cars begin travelling toward each other (one going 40 mph, the other 30 mph) the fly (going 100 mph) takes off from one car and flies toward the other. When it reaches the other it turns around, goes back and then repeats the process. Eventually it is crushed between the two cars. This is a good example of a puzzle that is very complex from one point of view while being very simple when viewed from another. The way NOT to work the puzzle is to attempt to add up all of the distances the fly travels, bumper to bumper. Leo Kent from ECET and Ken Hill and Stan Corbin from Computer and Network Support all submitted the following simple solution. First notice that the time it takes the cars to meet is  $250/70$  hours since together the two cars are using up the distance between them at a rate of  $30+40$  mph. Since the fly is travelling 100 mph it must cover  $(100)(250/70) = 2500/7$  miles (distance=rate x time). The puzzle for this issue concerns probability. You are given 100 marbles, 50 black and 50 white, to be distributed into two urns in any way you wish. Once they are distributed an urn will be chosen at random and a marble drawn from it at random. How should you distribute the marbles in the urns if you wish to make the probability of picking a white marble as large as possible? A second related problem is to determine how the white balls should be distributed if the black marble distribution is fixed with the first urn containing 20 black marbles and the second containing 30? A knowledge of basic calculus may be of help in solving this second problem. All answers should be sent to Joel Fowler in the Mathematics Department. Correct answers and the names of the first to find them will be announced in the next issue of *The Sting*.

## CAB MOVIE REVIEWS

**ARACHNAPHOBIA APRIL 29-MAY 3:** A mutant strain of killer spiders invades a California town. Jeff Daniels is the terrified Doctor who discovers the deadly eight legged army, and John Goodman provides welcome comic relief.

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GIGANTIC CIRCLES CONTINUE TO APPEAR IN BRITISH WHEAT FIELDS.

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THE MESSAGE HAS BEEN DECIPHERED AS "SURRENDER OR THE WHEAT DIES."

WHAT DO YOU THINK OF THOSE STRANGE CIRCLES FOUND IN BRITISH WHEAT FIELDS?

OBVIOUSLY, MESSAGES FROM HIGHLY INTELLIGENT ALIENS.

IF THEY'RE SO SMART, WHY DO THEY HAVE TO SEND MESSAGES BY STOMPING ON WHEAT?

MAYBE THEY UNDERESTIMATED OUR INTELLIGENCE.

OR NOT.

I'M STANDING AT THE WICKFORD WHEAT FIELDS OUTSIDE OF LONDON, THE SITE OF MYSTERIOUS GIANT CIRCLES, POSSIBLY CAUSED BY ALIENS.

HOW DO YOU FIND THESE CIRCLES OF CRUSHED WHEAT?

MY TEAM OF EXPERTS STARTS AT ONE POINT AND SEARCHES OUTWARD UNTIL ...

GOOD LORD! ANOTHER CIRCLE HAS FORMED AROUND US!!

THEY HAVE DISCOVERED OUR WHEAT FIELD LANDING STRIPS... WE MUST SCARE THEM AWAY.

FIRE!

ZZAP!

... AND DON'T GO SNOOPING AROUND STONEHENGE, EITHER.

I WAS ATTACKED BY A UFO. THEY WARNED ME NOT TO TALK ABOUT THE CIRCLES THEY LEAVE IN WHEAT FIELDS.

ZZAP!

THEN THEY SAID "OR ELSE."

PAPER OR PLASTIC BAG?

PAPER THAT CAN BE RECYCLED ... OR AN EVIL, SELFISH, SHORT-SIGHTED, PLANET-DESTROYING, STUPID PLASTIC BAG?!!

PLASTIC.

GOOD. THAT'S ALL WE HAVE.

# EDITORIALS

## Multi-Culturalist Fakes Exist

By Dinesh D'Souza  
McGrievance

In recent years, U.S. universities have witnessed a strong outburst of animus against the norms and standards of Western culture, culminating in Stanford's decision to replace its "core curriculum" with multi-cultural offerings. Amidst chants of "Hey hey, ho ho. Western culture's got to go." Stanford activists expelled Homer, Shakespeare, and Freud from the required curriculum, replacing them with the lesser-known productions of minorities, feminists and natives of Third World countries.

Universities are now declaring, in the words of activist and Stanford Afro-American Studies professor Clayborne Carson, that "The age of the white male is over. We are increasingly confronted with a multi-cultural environment, and it's not enough just to let minorities in the door. The society is going to have to change. Stanford has begun to recognize that, and everybody else is watching closely."

To see how this works in practice, consider *I, Rigoberta Menchu*, the oral autobiography of a Guatemalan peasant woman, which is representative of the new sort of textbook that is now required reading at Stanford. Rigoberta first claims that she "speaks for all the Indians of the American continent," and her translator, the feminist writer Elizabeth Burgos-Debray, immediately observes that "the voice of Rigoberta allows the defeated to speak." As the reader prepares for a thrilling drama of oppression, he may be permitted a nagging question: Where did feminist Burgos-Debray meet the representative peasant Rigoberta? "At a conference in Paris," we learn in the introduction. Rigoberta, it turns out, is a social activist who uses phrases such as "bourgeois youths" - not the usual vocabulary of an Indian peasant.

The book does have a lavish sprinkling of Latin and Indian phrases, italicized for impressive effect. For example, "At times, we managed to scrape a living in the *Altiplano* and didn't go down to the *fincas*." Through this sort of esoterica, Rigoberta establishes her credentials for the new seekers of "cultural diversity." But a chapter called "Rigoberta Renounces Marriage and Motherhood" reinforces doubts about her claim to represent the Guatemalan people, let alone the Third World. Can rejection of marriage be the norm for Indian Women of Latin America, and if so, how has the community managed to survive? At this point the reader begins to wonder if these are Rigoberta's thoughts at all, or whether they have been foisted on by her translator, the feminist Burgos-Debray.

If it is Rigoberta whom we hear, she is remarkably sophisticated in the lingo of Western oppression theory. She maintains that she is a simultaneous victim of

quadruple persecution. She is a "person of color," and thus a victim of racism. She is a woman, and thus a victim of sexism. She lives in Central America, which is a victim of North American colonialism. If this were not bad enough, she is an Indian, victimized by Latin culture on the continent. Her greatness seems to derive entirely from her victim status. She is the modern Saint Sebastian, pierced by the arrows of North American, white male cruelty. Now it is her turn to be canonized - quite literally, for her to enter the Stanford canon of required books. What is going on here? Non-western countries have certainly produced great books, great art, and great ideas. But the modern activists are not interested in a serious study of the Bhagavad Gita, of Confucius, of the Koran. Sun Tzu is too militaristic, Rabindranath Tagore is too spiritual, Jorge Luis Borge is too conservative. Besides, what do these Third World leaders say about colonialism, about women's rights, about racism, about homophobia?

Here is the structural dilemma: Many of the new activists for diversity, whose passions from the civil rights, feminist and gay rights movements, are looking to other cultures to find alternatives to what they see as white male colonialist norms; specifically, they look for affirmation of their values and identity. They soon discover, however, that the traditions of racial equality, women's rights and tolerance of sexual variety are most highly developed in the West. Most other cultures have tribalistic and xenophobic views on race; repudiate feminism through such practices as female abortion, dowry and purdah; and segregate, fine or imprison homosexuals as criminals.

Consequently, Western activists and intellectuals have taken a very selective approach to the Third World, ransacking its history and culture to find eccentric and unrepresentative figures, such as Rigoberta Menchu, who are nothing more than a projection and a confirmation of modern liberal prejudices.

Students who undergo the new ideological indoctrination in multi-cultural awareness do not emerge with a better of deeper understanding of other cultures. They only emerge (and this is the political objective of the activists who lobbied for such courses) angrier and more bitter toward their own culture. In other words, multi-cultural studies at Stanford and elsewhere is turning into little more than a "grievance industry," which produces and markets ethnic and gender-based resentment. This is identified (the Guatemalan guerilla struggle), packaged (Rigoberta Menchu) and then disseminated for Western academic consumption (Burgos-Debray).

As a native of India who is now a U.S. resident, I hope that cultural exchange and understanding will someday be conducted with greater honesty, sincerity and mutual respect.

## I HATE EVERYONE!

By Andrew Newton  
Staff Epistemologist

Wow! I always wanted to be an Epistemologist. Now I am one.

I was walking downtown at night about three months ago by myself. I considered this to be a stupid move and many times considered getting the heck home. I guess I could have called a cab. And perhaps the busses were still running too. Maybe I should have stopped in some place and phoned to have someone come pick me up. But perhaps the best thing would have been to drive my own car home.

But the subject of my editorial is not about the various means of transportation at ones disposal in order to leave downtown at night. Because before I

could leave the area, I was jumped by a renegade group of Moonies. And these weren't those fake Moonies; not the kind that go around pretending to believe in Rev. Moon. These guys were the real McCoy (except I think Bones was actually Southern Baptist).

Dragging me to a back alley, they repeatedly hit me and kicked me while trying to convert my thoughts. They asked me if I knew their true meaning and wanted to know if I would join.

"Yeah," I said. "I'll even move to Utah and get married twice if you quit kicking me."

"Those are the freakin' Mormons," shouted their leader as he landed his steel-toed boot in the pit of my stomach. "We're Moonies, and we love you."

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## CONSENSUS EDITORIAL

### Not To Be Confused With Andy's World

We, the layout staff of *The Sting*, have arrived at a consensus. That is to say, consensus, as defined by Funk and Wagnals, which is collective opinion, general agreement, not unbelievable weirdness, potentially offensive, as defined by Andy.

Not that we had any real problems with Andy's editorials, they were just not really a consensus. Andy would write things, we would all look at them, comment on how weird and potentially offensive they were, and then print it.

In the future, we will attempt to come up with an actual opinion, formed from an *actual* consensus. This may actually entail work, but we're not afraid of that, at least not much.

By the way, this is only a semi-consensus editorial, since Andy thought it was a bad idea.

## TBS2

Dear *Sting* Editor:

Hello. Remember me? I was the co-writer of the editorial entitled "SCT Men Are Clueless" in the December 4th issue of *The Sting*. I'm back! With more Tech Bitch Syndrome tid-bits...

You guys NEVER learn! I was nice the first time, but now I am pissed off and plan on cutting to the bone of this matter!!!

As a woman, here are some suggestions on how to woo and win a lady's affections: 1> Let her know you are interested in her 2> Always treat her with respect 3> Always smile and say hello when you see her 4> Listen to what she says- she could be dropping clues in your lap 5> Give her flowers (roses are usually preferred, but not necessary) 6> Give her a romantic card 7> Write a poem for her 8> Dedicate a song to her on her favorite radio station 9> Serenade

her- only if you know how to sing and are in a not so public place (i.e.: not at the bottom of the dorms, but maybe in the parking lot) 10> Call her 11> Offer your help or expertise if she has a problem and you can help solve it 12> Cook her a surprise dinner (when she thought you were inviting her over to study).

Word of advice... do NOT use these tactics if your prime objective is to get laid!!!!

These are some things I do NOT recommend... 1> Do not tell a woman what to do, say, or wear 2> Do not talk about ex-girlfriends 3> Do not scream (or let anyone else) "Hey babe, your man is in here!" when she passes through the first floor of Howell dorm 4> Do not stare at or comment about another woman in your interest's presence 5> Never assume anything...always ask her what you don't know to be factual.

And by the way, the "macho" bullshit must go! Today's women want a sincere, honest, and sensitive man. I do hope these suggestions will be of some help to you men.

In closing, I would like to tell you how to gracefully tell someone that the "interest" is not mutual. Be up front and honest as soon as possible! Just talk to her and explain how you feel. A true lady will appreciate your honesty- even if it hurts at first. But, **NEVER** get a friend to break the bad news to her. Be a man, not a gofer!!!

If this information has helped you in any way, which I am sure it has, I couldn't be more pleased. I wish each of you the best of luck and success in your future endeavors! If you take my advice, it will surely change your life- for the better.

Honestly Yours,  
Jessica Day

## Jesus in my Beer

Dear *Sting*:

As a recent transplant to Georgia, I have discovered very few things to complain about. It is a beautiful state, and most of the people I have met have been far nicer than those on the West Coast. My big complaint is with the blue laws. I was under the impression that somewhere in the constitution it states that there should be a separation of church and state.

I walked into a convenience store soon after I arrived and tried to buy a 6-pack. When the clerk informed me that it was Sunday, I replied that I was quite aware of the fact, but what did that have to do with my purchase. He informed me of the law, and all I want to know is why is there such a law. If no alcohol was sold on Tuesdays or Fridays, maybe I could just chalk it up to a quirky legislature. But Sunday?? I see some sort of connection there. It seems like the churches could possibly have something to do with this. To me, this seems very wrong, and outdated, if it ever was constitutional. Wow, next thing you know they just might have laws limiting what 2 consenting adults can do in the privacy of their own bedroom. In my opinion, preachers can stand on the corner and holler their beliefs all they want, church is good for some folks, but don't take my tax money to pay police to enforce church policies that many don't believe in or care about.

Gareth Williams

## Thank You

To the Southern Tech Community:  
At the end of May, after thirty-five years in the University System of Georgia (twenty-five of them at Southern Tech), I will retire from the System and from Southern Tech.

Before I leave, however, I want to thank the students, faculty, and staff, both present and past, for a challenging and rewarding twenty-five years. There have been good times, average times, and yes, some bad times, but the good far outweighs the rest, with just enough problems to keep us all humble.

Southern Tech has changed dramatically during these years; from a two-year division of Georgia Tech to an independent college offering graduate degrees; from nine buildings to sixteen; from an enrollment of 1,100 to more than 4,000; from a locally known technical institute to an up-and-coming college of engineering technology. These have been exciting years and I am happy to have been part of them.

I am sure that the next twenty-five years will be equally exciting and challenging. I wish the college and its community all the best.

Sincerely,  
John W. Patillo  
Director,

Southern Tech Library

## Hate continued from 13

This abuse carried on for hours. But the subject of my editorial is not about the Moonies, because just when I thought I was cattle meat, I was saved by Yellow-Jaundice Man. First Yellow-Jaundice Man leapt upon the leader, tore his skull open, and pulled out his brain. Then as the others tried to retaliate, he leaped from one Moonie to another inflicting catastrophic damage. His method of attack was simple. He first grabbed his opponent, reached into the foe's chest to pull out the heart and show it to the foe before death occurred. But the Moonies kept dying too fast, and Yellow-Jaundice Man didn't get it right until the last Moonie was, for the most part, dead.

Having been freed from my captors, I then choose to walk the streets that night with Yellow-Jaundice man to hear his story.

Yellow-Jaundice Man started as the hero of a comic book in the 1930's, but his popularity faded as many action groups organized against his comic book. But Yellow-Jaundice Man was merely misunderstood as he presented new progressive super-hero ideas such as eating the bad guys instead of just putting them in jail. Although widely accepted in this day and time, Yellow-Jaundice Man's concepts were banned, and in 1938 Yellow-Jaundice Man Comics delivered its last issue to the stands.

Yellow-Jaundice Man now walks the streets as an unemployed hero helping the innocent whenever feasible, and hoping someday that someone will come along and give him enough pocket change to send him back

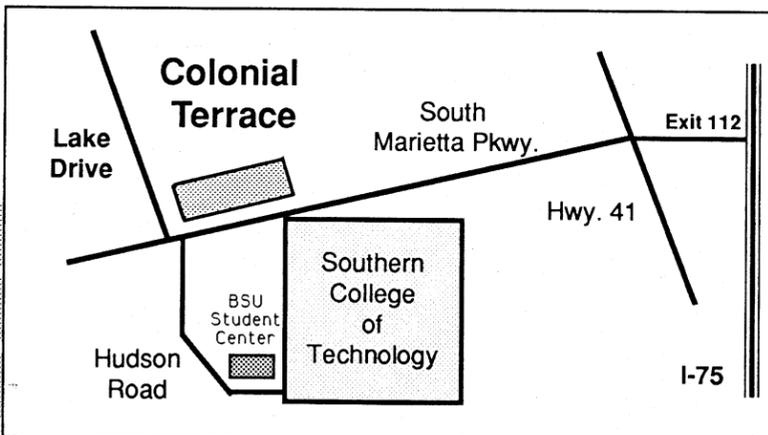
to his home planet of Phhhhhhhhh. Back on Phhhhhhhhh, Yellow-Jaundice Man is not known as Yellow-Jaundice Man. He was named Yellow-Jaundice Man when he came to Earth because he has Y e l l o w - J a u n d i c e . O n Phhhhhhhhh no one has names. They just throw small sticks and

stones at each other to get someone's attention.

If you would like to help Yellow-Jaundice Man go back to Phhhhhhhhh, then send money (not food, clothing, or medical supplies, just money) to Send Yellow-Jaundice Man Home, 1604 Avenue of the Americans, Suite 0, New York, NY 20000.



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## ADPi

By: Tricia Mahany  
Historian/Reporter

Ok, I'm back and I promise this article will be longer than my last. It's a little too cool to be meeting my study group by the pool today, so we decided to meet tonight at the new, uh, library, yeah, that just opened in Buckhead!

Anyway, I want to CONGRATULATE our newest sisters: Christy Conkwright, Kim Cornwell, Wendy Harper, Jessica Pittman, and Amy Pratt. Welcome goes out to three of our new Alphas: Angie Carroll, Christine McAdams, and Melanie Trammel. And we can't wait to pledge in our other two: Jennifer Bige and Kendra Robbins. Always remember that our motto, "We live for each other," holds true through good times and in bad times.

I hope that all of you will find as much love and sisterhood in ADPi as I have.

We also have a good time when we get together! This was a proven fact this past Saturday night at our annual Black Diamond Ball, held at the Northwest Hilton. Gathered together, Alphas, Deltas, and Pies & their "dashing and awesome looking" dates, we went until the wee hours of the morning having a blast. Thanks go out to the sisters who were in charge of the giving out of the awards.

Thanks also go out to the girls that were in charge of planning Parents Day - it was a great success! Oh, by the way, my Dad left the St. Patrick's Day blackmail list at my house - if anyone is interested.

Upcoming, we have a bake sale, in the Student Center, from April 30 - May 3, 1991. Take care, study hard, and for all those over 21 - tryout the new library in Buckhead!!!

## ΓΦΒ

By Jan Lanese Donkar  
Staff Gu Fu Bu

The Gamma Phi Beta's made a HIT in Destin, Florida. The Sand Destin Inn, Hotel and Beach Resort was our place of residence. The walls shook and the bell hop boys dropped at the sight of us. Jennifer, Chris, Jan, Scarlett, Jeanna, Angie, Bess, Heather, Denise, Kitty, Pam, and Charlotte were a sight to be seen. The occasion was ALC (Area Leadership Conference) where each sister attended classes about her office and more. We learned about personalities using shapes like a triangle, circle, Z, and square. What interesting lies they told!! Jan and

Jeanna sang a song to remember, I'm Proud To Be A Gamma Phi. Congratulations on being asked to go to Tampa, Fl. to sing to the Tampa Bay alumni at their Founders Day Celebration. There was too much fun to be had. Scarlett flashed, Jan slept, Denise talked, Chris flirted, Jennifer survived, Kitty squiggied, Pam lennied, Jeanna sang, Bess hippy chicked, Charlotte burned, Heather lived, and Angie died. We were tired Sunday morning, but we brought back more information for the sorority to build on. We look forward to a fantastic rush and a good year in school. This ALC weekend was a positive thing for us, and we cannot wait to share everything. Our sisterhood is a true friendship and our love for each other is infinite. Gamma Phi's are on the ball!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

## BSU

REVIVAL IN THE LAND! May 6 & 7 we're hosting a campus-wide worship complete with a choir, service, & social event each night. Anyone interested in singing in the choir should meet at the Southern Tech BSU Center at 6:45 to prepare. Here's a look at the schedule:

M	-6:30	Cookout
	-6:45	Choir rehearsal
	-7:30	Worship service
T	-6:45	Choir rehearsal
	-7:30	Worship service
	AFTER	Ice cream social

1500 MILE MARATHON!  
That's right! Every college campus in Georgia with a BSU can expect to

see marathon participants passing through their area in a campaign to raise support for summer missions. Every penny collected as part of this campaign will go directly to support summer missionaries this year. Our school's participants will walk, run, or bike from WEST GEORGIA COLLEGE to SOUTHERN TECH to KENNESAW STATE COLLEGE where another BSU takes on the trek. Contact Lenny Payne at 428-0986 to sign-up & get a t-shirt before our part of the trek on May 22 & 23.

You don't have to "run" the marathon to collect pledges, wear the t-shirt, or even win the grand prize for collecting the most pledges. HOWEVER, if you're in the marathon & collect no pledges, you've defeated the purpose! Now, go get those pledges!!



By Ralph 'Kebler' Kern  
EK# 124

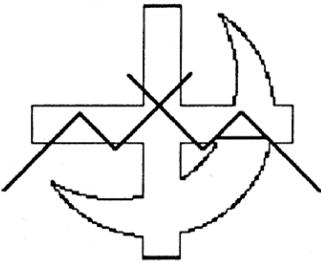
Well here I am typing another article. I wonder what I should write about? I guess the fraternity would be a start. Well here it goes. I hope you like it.

## Σ Ν

By Ralph Babb  
#275

Congratulations to "Keece" Sharp, rush chairman, and all the guys who helped him for putting on an excellent Spring Rush. I would like to welcome the four new candidates to Sigma Nu.

The quarter has been a busy one and it is getting busier. Mitch has been hard at work to



By Brian McConnell  
BD Extraordinaire

Yep, it's that time again! We're back for another fun filled article to rejoice over. Several items of interest have come up so let's roll down the list.

First off, a big congratulations go out to our newest brothers: Alan Rountree, Doug McCarthy, Kevin Leftwich, and John McDaniel. That was an excellent job fellas. Keep up the good work and make us proud!

Coming up on May 3rd, the Lambda Chi's are gearing up for the Socially Unacceptable Social with the Gamma Phi's. That's sure to be an interesting event.

We also have the Dixie Wheelchair Races coming up the weekend of May 3, 4, and 5. Anybody who missed it last year might consider showing up this time. The participants are really exceptional athletes and they're a lot of fun to watch and cheer on.

Well, that'll about do it for my time. Until then, always remember ΔΠ.

The next social events are as follows. This weekend is our Big Bro/Little Bro retreat for the chapter. Remember this is goal setting also. This is mandatory for brothers. May 10-11 is PKF/SN island weekend. Greek Week is May 13-18. April 27 was the great ADP formal. It was an event not to be missed.

The camping trip on April 19-21 was great. The rain missed Helen and there was no wind also. I would like to thank the ADP's for showing up Saturday to make it a success. The hammocks were hung with care in hopes that someone would

soon be there. We all went in the woods like animals to hunt not for food, but for wood. Kathy Wade and Wendy L. (better known as lumber jack) were showering in the river and Connie B. was trying to find a good tree. Kara found a nice tent and Amy rolled down a hill. We all had a blast.

Here is the thought of the Archon. This time Archon Turner's thought is "I wonder who will get the whoredog award next and I think my fly is open".

Well that is it and I'm out of here. Till next time remember "Nothing shall ever tear us asunder".

make the White Star Formal, May 4 the best one ever.

Gravely and "Bon Jovi" Johnson has filled the social calendar. By the time you have had read this we will have had the "Shotgun Wedding" with the girls of Kappa Delta from West Georgia College. We are looking forward to our Island Party with Pi Kappa Phi.

In sports our softball team is hoping to match the success of the bowling team with a championship. It is also time for us to once again defend the Greek Week Championship.

It is time for a NU WAVE to take over Southern Tech!!!!!!

## Sigma Pi

By R. Bennett II  
Crash!

Congratulations to our hockey team for capturing the title. WOW! Sigma Pi Fraternity is number one in Volleyball, Basketball, and now Hockey.

Our formal, Orchid Ball, is coming up in May. We are all looking forward to getting together with the alumni for the annual softball game. Then, the part we can not wait for is the big dinner and the big party at the Hilton.



THE TIME IS NOW.

"That is good which serves...  
...Man is the important item,  
This earth is the place,  
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Elbert Hubbard  
(1856-1915)

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Love, and Tommy Wilson are holding their own.

Jeff Battles has pitched 70.3 innings with a record of 7 wins and 4 losses. Perhaps more incredible is Battles' Earned Run Average: 2.00. This is one of the lowest ERA's in the league.

Eric Love is also doing very well. Love has pitched 64.3 innings with a 6-4 record. His ERA is also among the lowest in the league at

2.07.

Last but definitely not least is Tommy Wilson. Wilson has pitched 35.3 innings with a 3 wins and 0 losses record. His ERA is also very impressive at 1.00.

This, without a shadow of a doubt, is a very talented, highly capable pitching staff. Assistant Coach Eric Alexander believes that the importance of good pitching cannot be over-emphasized. With a pitching

staff like Tech's, who can blame him.

There is no doubt that Southern Tech's baseball team is loaded with talent. The team is one of the best in District 25 in the NAIA Conference. If their success is to continue, the students, faculty, and staff need to get behind them and give them their support. After all, when they win, the whole school wins. The District playoffs start May 6.



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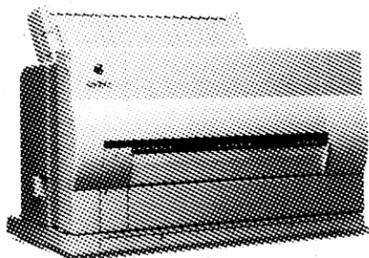
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