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Good Evening!



The Scholarly Look

Don't you wish you could look like your classmates who look like they know what's going on? You can. You don't have to be a scholar to look scholarly. Pick up a few pointers from "Academic Fakes" on page 3 today.

Top News of the Day

On the national scene: President Carter has proposed the direct election of U.S. presidents — the abolition of the electoral college system ... the Labor Dept. has hired a \$50 an hour firm to help settle its labor disputes; the labor dept. is the chief mediator in the nations' labor disputes ... arms talks with the Soviet Union will continue despite the "open and healthy human rights debate" press secretary Jody Powell said yesterday ... on the international scene: India's prime minister Indira Gandhi resigned yesterday after she suffered a crushing defeat in the elections ... Vietnam will return the remains of another U.S. flyer missing since 1972 — the total returned now is 13 ... French counterintelligence police have arrested 5 men accused of selling NATO secrets to hostile countries ... Zaire's president Mobutu insisted yesterday that the guerilla troops in Zaire are indeed Cuban; Castro denied the charge two days ago ... Japanese prime minister Takeo Fukuda after talks with President Carter has promised a more active role for Japan in world trade economics.

Tickets to Concert

Free tickets are available for performances of the Houston Ballet on March 25 and 26 at 8 p.m. in the Reynolds Coliseum in Raleigh. Tickets may be claimed on a first come-first served basis from Dr. Schneider in Hines Hall, room 216. The tickets are made available through the Concert and Lecture Committee's membership in the Friends of the College Series.

Senior Class Meeting

The senior class will meet tonight at 6 p.m. in Hines Hall, room 211. The special committees will report. All seniors are urged to attend.

Sunday Worship in Chapel

There will be a Sunday worship service on campus this Sunday at 11 p.m. in the Howard Chapel. The Fellowship of Christian Athletes will be conducting the service. All students are welcome to attend.

Hitchcock Festival

The Alfred Hitchcock Film Festival will continue next week with the movie "Notorious" made in 1946. Showtime is 7:30 p.m.



You may have seen him on your way to breakfast or an early morning class. His name is John Lee McLaughlin. He is a practicing minister as well as ACC groundskeeper. Not bad for a man in his eighties. (Photo by Pete Chamness - The Collegiate)

College Enrollments Down But Privates Schools Up 2%

ATLANTA — Total collegiate enrollment in the South declined slightly last fall over the record high levels of fall 1975, even though enrollment of women and first-time college students increased markedly.

Analyzing preliminary data from the National Center for Education Statistics (NCES), researchers with the Southern Regional Education Board (SREB) identify these trends:

—Enrollment in the South's public colleges and universities dropped one per cent between fall 1975 and fall 1976, but the region's private institutions gained two per cent more students;

—This spelled an overall decline of 0.6 per cent in the South's collegiate enrollment, since public institutions account for the lion's share of regional enrollment — about 85 per cent;

—Enrollment of women in the South increased dramatically by 4.5 per cent between fall 1975 and

fall 1976, while male enrollment dropped by 4.8 per cent; women now account for over 47 per cent of all Southern collegiate enrollment, compared to 40 per cent in 1966;

—Due to the largest-ever high school graduating class, first-time college enrollment in fall 1976 grew substantially, with increases of seven per cent in Southern public institutions and more than 15 per cent in the South's private sector;

—The greatest enrollment decline came in the South's public two-year colleges, which were down nearly three per cent from 1975 with 24,000 fewer students enrolled.

Much the same pattern was reflected nationally, according to the NCES data, which show 11,106,000 students enrolled nationwide in fall 1976, a decline of 79,000 from fall 1975. In the 14 SREB states, total enrollment was 2,828,000 in fall 1976, which is 18,000 less than in fall 1975.

Several SGA Officers Elected Others Face Runoffs Today

Elections were held for thirty SGA offices this past Monday and Tuesday. Twenty-six people were elected to posts; others face runoffs today and tomorrow. Following are the results. An asterisk denotes the winner.

President	6 Annette Ellis	Treasurer	394 Mary Ellen Beasley
	170 Barabara Stone		
	167 Jones Fuquay		Class Results
	102 Ray Silverthorne		
Vice-President	350 Miles Stanley	Sophomore	
	172 Lois Smiley	President	61 Bob Vartanian
Secretary	239 Rose West		50 Kathy Whitehurst
	159 Barry Rader	Vice President	91 Fred Pearce
	254 Melba Etheridge		Secretary
Student Coordinator	353 Leigh Hunter		55 Debbie Barnes
	163 Connie Lail	Senator	44 Kathy Beilstein
Head Cheerleader	135 Donna Daniel		53 Carl Frazier
	115 Melodie Brewster	Day Students	49 Don Berry
Collegiate Editor	132 Andrew Corrington	President	21 Eric Sellars
	256 Dale Adams & Keith		Vice-President
Bracknell			5 Danny Richards
Pine Knot	382 Terry Jarman	Secretary	1 Phil Darnell
	172 Eddie Martin		2 Jay Rollins
Campur Christian Association	240 Ruth Jordan	Treasurer	2 Lyn Braycher
President	342 Elizabeth Chauklin		2 Jack Lassiter
	375 Eleanor Harmon		2 Richard Cline
		Senator	20 Michael Newsome
		Junior	
		President	
			117 Nancy Gott See SGA Page 3

News in Brief

Webb New Department Chairman

Dr. David M. Webb has been named as chairman of the Atlantic Christian College Department of Education, according to an announcement by Milton L. Adams, acting president of the college. He was also recommended for promotion to the rank of associate professor.

Dr. Webb will succeed Dr. Kenneth D. St. John, whose retirement as chairman of the department of education will become effective at the conclusion of the current school year.

A native of Wilson County, Dr. Webb earned the B.A. degree from Atlantic Christian College, the M.Ed. degree from The College of William and Mary, and the Ed.D. degree from Duke University.

He joined the faculty of Atlantic Christian in 1972 as assistant professor of education. Prior to coming to Atlantic Christian and joining its teaching faculty, he served as coordinator of continuing Education for the Department of Medical Education, Edgemcombe General Hospital; was a staff development teacher in the Rocky Mount City School System; served as director of instruction, K-12, in Wilson County Schools; and was principal for the Stantonsburg Elementary School (Grades 1-8).

Circle K Attends Convention

The Atlantic Christian College Circle K Club attended the 76th Annual Convention of the Carolinas District of Circle K International held in Raleigh March 18-20.

The highlight of the Convention was the presentation of the Herbert W. Hennig Award to the A.C.C. Circle K Club. This award is presented to the Circle K Club which has shown outstanding achievement in a single service project.

With a theme of "Help Us To Help Others", the A.C.C. Circle K Club has set up a service project with a local mental health center. This project coordinates the volunteer efforts of two Circle K members to visit the psychiatric ward of the local mental health center on Sunday mornings and join the patients in worship services and recreational activities.

Vocal Ensemble Concert Tomorrow

The Atlantic Christian College Vocal Ensemble, under the direction of James Powers, will present its Spring Concert on Friday, April 1, at 8:00 p.m. in Howard Chapel on the campus. This concert will consist of sacred and secular music, from the sixteenth century to present day musical theatre. Janet Bottoms and Jan Pittman serve as accompanists for the Ensemble.

Highlights will include Henry Purcell's "Rejoice in the Lord alway," Randall Thompson's "The Last Words of David," and Pablo Casals' "Salve Montserratina." Also included will be the 20th Century composer Ralph Hunter's "Quotation from Pericles," a collection of folk songs, sea shanties, and spirituals, and "Send in the Clowns" from the hit Broadway musical A Little Night Music.

The Friday night concert is also free