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The sunlight in this picture will soon be commonplace around B.C. Hopefully, Spring's return will be imminent after our big break. (Photo by Steve Rabey)

Festival Features Mr. Paul Jeffrey

by Nancy Ennis

On February 29, the Brevard College Music Department hosted a Stage Band Festival featuring Mr. Paul Jeffrey, famous tenor saxophone player who has toured with B.B. King, Count Basie and recorded with Dizzy Gillespie and Thelonious Monk.

Also featured were the Western Carolina Stage Band, seven area high school bands (Brevard, Asheville, West Henderson, Tuscola, Mt. Heritage, Sylva-Webster, and T.C. Roberson) and our own Brevard College Stage Band.

Mr. Jeffrey was here to work with each band and help them perfect their style, intonation, musicianship and overall performance.

Mr. Jeffrey, a leading recording artist, received his B.S. degree from Ithaca College in N.Y. and has studied privately with Sonny Rollins. He appeared at the Newport Jazz Festival with his own Octet.

While here, he introduced his own composition to the B.C. Stage Band - "Salsa Ein De Burgermeister De Franchoise" - and personally conducted them through it at the Festival.

Afterwards, he said he liked the B.C. Stage Band specifically because of their "great interest in jazz", and their "very attentive band members". He commented that the "trombone section was their strongest point" and that tenor saxophone player Kevin Baisley and drummer Eastman Curtis were especially good.

Mr. Jeffrey will be lecturing next month at Howard University. His appearance was courtesy of Yamaha International Corporation of Buena Park, California.

The festival was the first of its kind in Western N.C. and was well received by the audience. The bands revived some old great music from the '30's, '40's, and '50's and some contemporary jazz charts from the '60's and '70's.

The W.C.U. Stage Band, under the direction of Mr. Mario Gaetano, also played in the cafeteria at dinner on Friday.

A member of the band, trombonist Steve Rabey, commented, "Paul Jeffrey was, by far, the best saxophonist that I have ever heard. His style and overall playing ability just overwhelmed me."

Christian Encounter Week

Set For March 30

by Tex Vincent

Scientific and Technological Age."

Among Dr. Schweitzer's credentials are three doctorate degrees and the title of Distinguished Professor of Chemistry at The University of Tennessee.

Along with Dr. Schweitzer, Kappa Chi will present several Christian activities to add to the emphasis of this week.

Beginning March 30, George K. Schweitzer, known lecturer, will be at Brevard College for our annual Christian Encounter Week. This series of lectures is part of the Staley Distinguished Christian Scholar Lecture Program.

Dr. Schweitzer will conduct four lectures under the general heading of: "Religious Faith in a

Scott Singletary, a sophomore at Brevard College will attend the Annual National Student Symposium in Washington, D.C. April 11-13. Seven hundred students and faculty members are invited to represent 400 selected colleges and universities at the convention which will be held at the Hyatt Regency Hotel.

Students are selected on the basis of academic performance, character and leadership. This year Phi Theta Kappa will sponsor Scott paying for his trip expenses.

While at the symposium Scott will listen to several distinguished speakers and

by Judy Early

Singletary Goes to D.C.

participate in question and answer periods dealing with the theme, "The Presidency and Priorities for the 1980's." The keynote address will be given by Thomas F. Eagleton, United States Senator D-MO.

Also discussions will be held with members from the White House staff and editorial boards. Luncheon sessions will focus on the American foreign policy. Another major address will be delivered on national strategy and defense policy by the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, General David C. Jones.

Other sessions will emphasize economic policy issues with the Honorable Philip M. Klutznick,

United States Secretary of Commerce delivering the main address. A panel of editors will discuss the presidency of the 1980's including the editor of the Atlanta Constitution. One who will represent the campaign for presidency is John B. Anderson, a Republican candidate for the Presidency of the United States.

As an option Scott may engage in a tour of the Capitol and other sites near Capitol Hill including the Kennedy Center, the Lincoln Memorial and a VIP tour of the White House. As an extra President Jimmy Carter is invited to address the conference. After this excursion Scott will be informed on the up-coming election.

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