

### Truman Scholarship Nominee Chosen

### The Book Store Expands

BY JULIANA E. PONTONE

Guilford has decided upon Richard Clarke Hendrix as this year's nominee for the Truman Scholarship. The Truman Scholarship is new to Guilford. This is the first year that Guilford is participating in the program. Named for President Truman, it is federally funded - up to \$5000, for the remaining two years at college plus two years of graduate work. It is open to all sophomores

with a 3.0 average or better, who are interested in a career in governmental service. There is only one scholarship per state. This is the first step for Richard who will be interviewed by a state wide committee, and review his application. Richard, 26, is an Urban Center student who read about the scholarship in the newsletter. He retains a 4.0 average and is an A.J. major. The scholarship would be beneficial

to him, since he works four days a week at Guilford Battlefield and two days a week at the Veteran's office. Richard, who is from the Urban Center, was attracted to Guilford for the adult education. The Urban Center has been of great assistance to Richard whose ultimate goal is Wake Forest Law School.

All freshmen interested in this should plan to apply next year.

The first of two-thousand extra-curricular books are now in the bookstore for your browsing and buying pleasure.

Three hundred forty-one titles (349 books) were selected by the committee members from the Prodigy Bookstore on Tate Street, which is now going out of business. All titles were taken from the lists compiled by faculty members.

For your convenience, the books have been separated into categories including: Philosophy, Psychology, Religion, Literature, Sociology, Education, Political Science,

and Poetry and Drama.

Some of the books can be used to supplement course literature, but quite a few are for your own leisure reading.

Browsing over the books, one can see *How to Live on Nothing, The Whole Earth Cookbook, Carbon 14* (by our own Ann Deagon), *Euell Gibbons Beachcomber's Handbook*, a few books on yoga, *Genetic Control and Psychology of Women, Vol. II*.

The remaining books will be ordered and on the shelves in the bookstore by the first of next semester.

### USO Seeks College Shows

College-sponsored entertainment groups of no more than eight performers are being sought by USO SHOWS to tour isolated military installations overseas. Expense-paid tours ranging in length from four to six weeks are scheduled to five areas: Alaska, the Orient, Europe, Mediterranean, and the Caribbean.

A live audition and completion of a formal application are required of groups desiring to be considered for the limited number of tours available each year.

A brochure entitled "Guidelines for Audition and Tour Application" has been published by the USO SHOWS Campus Music Committee (CMC). The guidelines provide

specific information regarding qualifications and restrictions, types of shows desired, production suggestions, details of touring and a step-by-step outline on how to apply. Music Departments or Student Production Departments may obtain a free copy of the CMC Guidelines by writing USO SHOWS, 1146 19th Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20036.

Theatre Departments interested in preparing a book musical or comedy for audition (maximum cast of 10 including manager) may also write to USO SHOWS for guidelines prepared by the American Theatre Association (ATA) Overseas Touring Committee.

Did you know Christmas was illegal in 1659?

### New Elements Discovered

BY DR. T. EULENSPIEGEL

In a recent study of the well known prevarication reaction two new chemical elements have been discovered. The first, with an undetermined nuclear mass, a charge of -1 and strangeness of 0, has been given the name of Fiction.

The second element, with a charge of +1 and a strangeness of +1, is called by the name of Truth, it being well known that truth is stranger than fiction. These two elements combine to form a compound known as truthitonium

which is fairly unstable and decays in a period of time known as the moment of truth. The compound is very hard to make as truth particles are illusive and hard to find.

Fiction particles, on the other hand, are abundant, particularly around fishermen and certain other people. If truthitonium is collected in a bottle it is found with the old adage - 'truth will win out - is observed and you will very shortly be left with a bottle without a particle of truth in it.

## Announcements

Graphic artists, poets, environmentalists: Biophile Club is now beginning to collect material for its 1978/1979 calendar. We need small black and white drawings and short written pieces. For more details, contact Charles Haworth or Bobbie Jones. Let us feature your art work and ideas in our calendar.

Epicure Mangement Services invite you to attend the annual Christmas Buffet Dinner at 5:30 p.m. Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday nights (December 12-15th) in the Walnut Dining Room, Founders Hall. RSVP - sign up sheet in cafeteria by Saturday, December 10. Dress to impress.

Summer Jobs: The Placement Office is beginning to receive announcements concerning summer jobs. Information about positions with the U.S. Department of Agriculture and Department of Interior (Bureau of Land Management and National Park Service) have been received. You must file application forms between December 1, 1977 and January 15, 1978.

Jan Poston, an elementary education major, will present a senior thesis on Wednesday morning, December 14, at 9:30 in Dana Lounge. The topic of the thesis will be "The Newberry Award Winners: Their Readability and Popularity." The public is cordially invited to attend.

TONIGHT IN STERNBERGER:  
*Relatively Funny*  
*One Act Plays* 8:00

*A Note to Naomi-*

*I'm not your*  
*Secret Santa*

M.J.C.

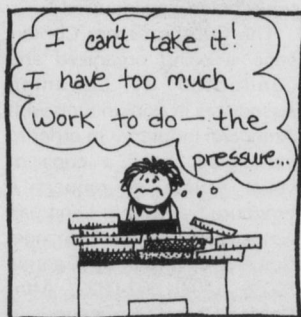
*HAVE A HAPPY BREAK !!*  
*SEE YOU IN*

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Merry Christmas  
to all  
and to all a  
Good Night

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by jody markoff

