Fall Colors Beautiful

By ROD SMITH

On October 21 and 22, one of the last performances of THIS YEAR'S FALL COLORS in the N. C. mountains was witnessed by this reporter. It was discovered that the only way to really exper-ience rapport with nature in its formal fall gown is to go camp-

ing and empirically "feel" the forest around you. Another help-ful method is to go with a group of friends with whom you have a strong informal relationship that is highly permissive of spontaneity. The late afternoon view of Brown Mountain from Wiseman's View,

just a few miles from Linville, was gloriously sprinkled with reds and golds from "Mother Nature's" finest selection. The night time portion of the performance was equally impressive. The lighting effects were perhaps the most commendable portion of the

"show." The mysterious "Brown Mountain Lights" added true life to the scene by their frequent walk-ons. The moon slowly crept over the trees and was immediately recognizable as the principle protagonist, despite the presence of many recognized stars, falling

and otherwise.

The closing scene, the arrival of The closing scene, the arrival of the all-conquering ball of fire that is the sun, was a fitting climax for such a stellar performance. It is difficult to describe the view while the mountains were framed in crimson topped with golden-lined eastern clouds and the west-ern half of the scher citil contain ern half of the sky still contain-ed a white moon and many brilliant heavenly bodies on a background of deep blue. If the performance was in any

way imperfect, the flaw has escap-ed the attention of this writer.

NCNB Official Speaks **To Business Club Today**

Mr. Bob Kirby of North Caro-lina National Bank will speak today at 11:30 in room C-122 on career opportunities in finance. This will cover positions in bank-ing, brokerage, and credit fields. Mr. Kirby is a member of the

Higher Education Committee of the Charlotte Chamber of Commerce. Last Spring he served as Chairman of the Sub-Committee for the College - Business Forum. As a

banking executive, he is active in many civic and community affairs. A graduate of Chapel Hill Col-lege (UNC-CH), Bob is a native of Charlotte. He is a 9-year man with NCNB, presently with the Trust Department.

This series of lectures is aimed at showing the Liberal Arts graduates what careers are open in the business community. However,

the latest word available is that Math majors make good bankers. This is the second in the series arranged by Miss. English. It is her hope that Seniors will

get some concrete ideas for employment and that lower class-men will begin to think of the direction their careers might tra-

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Students Get Good Response

Dear Editor:

In response to Mr. S. H. Wodarski's letter of Oct. 25, I feel that is necessary to reply to several statements made in the letter by Mr. Wodarski. First, I don't believe that is

I that missed the point of the record, "I Dig Rock and Roll Music," by Peter, Paul and Mary, but it is Mr. Wodarski that missed the point of the column item. The statements concerning the song and and -cheek manner. No serious criticism would ever end with, "Sniff.". the group were written in a tongue-

Secondly, Mr. Wodarski says that the record is, ". . . an obvious satire of rock and roll music.". While this may be indeed true, the singing style of the group and the musical background of the rethe singing style of the group and the musical background of the re-cord can only be classified as rock and roll music by anyone's standards, more than a "hint." A necessity for any record is to have a gimmick -- some sound that grabs the listener's attention and keeps it for the duration of

and keeps it for the duration of the record. In the case of Peter, Paul and Mary's record, the gimmick is hearing a straight folk group, purists, sing in the rock and roll style of today.

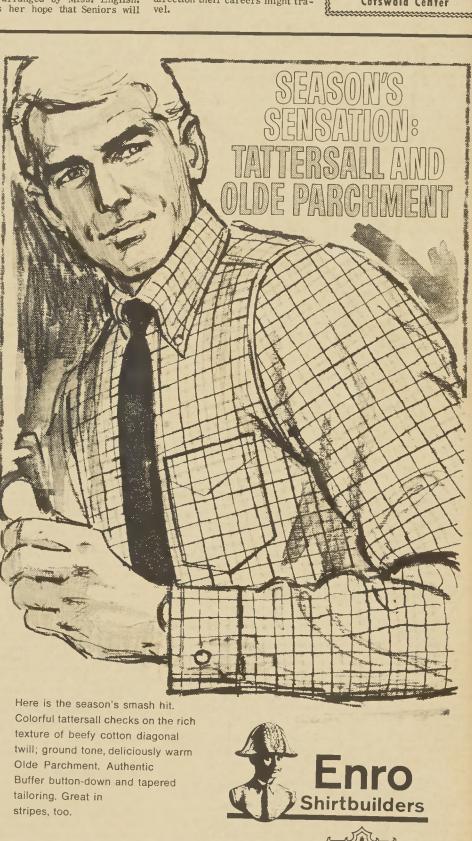
Last, although I myself am a fam of Peter, Paul and Mary, I must question the statement that I must question the statement that they are ever-popular. It has been quite a long time since the group had a hit single. For a group that has enjoyed the popularity that Peter, Paul and Mary have enjoyed, it is hard to go very long and not have hit records. "I Dig Rock and Roll Music" is not the only release the group has made since their last hit. Other singles have been released by the singers but have never made it to the turntables of many radio stations turntables of many radio stations catering to such music.

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