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Wilmington Theft Brings Security Talks

Wilmington Dorm was the scene of a robbery that took place last Friday night around 12:00 p.m. The school has decided to take action by calling a meeting of the Student Life Committee. It is the intent of this committee to discuss changes in the security policy. The meeting is open to everyone and all are encouraged to come. It will be held at 7:30 tonight in the Student Union Lounge.

The victimized girl had discovered the robbery upon returning to her room, which she had left unlocked. The door was open and her stereo was gone along with her roommates cassette player. The speakers for both pieces of equipment had been thrown on the bed and on the floor. Her room had not been ransacked, although the bed had been rumpled as if someone had searched it. Later on she discovered that her purse had been opened and \$20.00 taken from her wallet. Her typewriter was also missing, but this was not discovered until the next day. Only two people were present in her suite at the time of the robbery

and they said they had not heard anything.

A friend of this girl had tried to call security, and was told that a mobile unit could not be reached. Dean McNair was also called and he told the girls that there was nothing he could do. He suggested that they contact the Residence Directors and then come by his office Monday morning and file a report. The President of the Dorm was notified and she was finally able to contact security and get someone to come. Security Officer James Jackson came around 1:00 a.m. and took a description of the stereo.

The girls feel that the issue here is not only that of a robbery, but also of security. They are concerned about the fact that the dorms are so easily accessible to anyone. The very fact that someone could walk out carrying three big heavy pieces of equipment is amazing. There may have been more than one person involved, but there is no proof of this.

Something clearly needs to be done about the security policy. Come to the meeting tonight and discuss this issue with the Student Life Committee.

The extended library hours are:
Monday thru Thursday, 8:30 until 11:30,
Friday, 8:30 until 5:00,
Saturday, 9:30 until 4:00,
Sunday 3:00 until 11:30

Stafford Coming

Beginning in January, St. Andrews will have the first in a series of distinguished poets when William Stafford Pulitzer prize winning and widely acclaimed poet from the Northwest comes to our campus. Stafford is the author of several books, the best known of which is "Traveling through the Dark." He is consultant for poetry for the Library of Congress, and teaches Creative Writing at

Louis and Clark College in Oregon.

In April a poet of equal acclaim, Robert Creeley will be at St. Andrews for a reading. Creeley is the author of several books of poetry. Perhaps his best is "For Love and Other Poems." He has also written approval called "The Island." He was awarded a Guggenheim Fellowship in the 60's. He is presently teaching Creative Writing at the University of Buffalo.



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	1973	1974
Publications	\$10,225	\$10,700
Dorms (\$100 each, plus off-campus)	1800	900
College Union Board	10,500	10,900
Cabinet	1,000	1,300
Peace Corps	2,600	2,400
Christian Association	500	750
Senior Chap Book Series	400	440
Poetry Readings	0	400
Farrago	1,500	1,200
Summer School	550	200
Men's Intramural Sports	226	150
Women's Recreation Assoc.	200	150
Black Student Union	500	400
Typewriter	0	150
Zero Population Growth	175	0

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Chaikens Leave

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Chaiken are leaving the St. Andrews community and moving to the Charlotte area. Mr. Chaiken better known as Bob to those who have worked with him has held the position of Director of the College Union. His job has been for the providing of student oriented activities, and working with student organizations. The position he vacates will, according to him, not be refilled. He seems to think his job can be better handled by students themselves. Mr. Chaiken has also coached tennis for St. Andrews during his time here at the college, and it remains in doubt as to who will fill this staff position.

Mrs. Barbara Chaiken has been the Director of Finlan been the Director of Financial aid since Miss Mary McNeil left the job two years ago. It is not known who will replace Mrs. Chaiken, but they should find an ordered office whoever takes over.

Mr. Chaiken will coach tennis at an apartment complex in Charlotte and Mrs. Chaiken will run a Pro-shop at the same complex. They will be leaving after this Friday.

Bob Chaiken has been at St. Andrews for eight years as a student and administrator, and expressed some regret about leaving our campus. "I would much rather work with college students than neurotic housewives." Chaiken remarked.

Despite the housewives, his new job is very lucrative and should be very enjoyable to Chaiken, who loves tennis and plays and teaches it well.

He hopes to return to college administration and/or coaching at some later time.

There will be a faculty recital Sunday, September, 30 at 8 p.m., with Suzie Wright, Soprano, and Herbert Horn, piano, performing at Vardell Gallery. These are fine musicians, and their performance should be well worth attending.

New Pastor

One of the most important members of a campus community is the college pastor. Our pastor, George M. Conn, Jr. is new to St. Andrews, but he is already very interested and involved with the students and he has many ideas for this year.

Rev. Conn is a native of Bristol, Tennessee-Virginia. He graduated from King College in 1959 with a B.A. degree and went on to receive his B.D. from Union Seminary in 1962. He served as pastor of Shenandoah Presbyterian Church in Johnson City, Tennessee from 1962 to 1965. From there he went on to serve as the Presbyterian Campus minister at the East Tennessee State University from 1965 to 1973. He has been our pastor since last July.

One of his main interests on our campus is the Peace Corps Program. This is a volunteer organization that enables interested students to give of themselves to several programs in Laurinburg. These programs include: Hospital Work, Student Tutoring, Boy and Girl Scouting, The Breakfast Program, and Volunteer Probation Officers. The volunteers are required to work only a few hours a week and their efforts are much needed and greatly appreciated.

Rev. Conn is presently leading the worship service which is held every Wednesday evening from 6:30 to 7:00. The service itself is "contemporary in language and form." The worship is "participatory" in that all who come are encouraged to share and not be merely a "spectator". He attempts to deal with issues which are both "personal and community oriented." He hopes to make the worship service "more attractive and useable" by incorporating dance, drama, and music into it in the future. He also plans occasionally to hold the service in Farrago. He mentioned that he has been in contact with all the church pastors in the area and intends to invite them to the campus at different times during the

New Budget Released

Rod Brown, Treasurer of the Student Association, released to the Lance this week the proposed budget for the fiscal year of 1974.

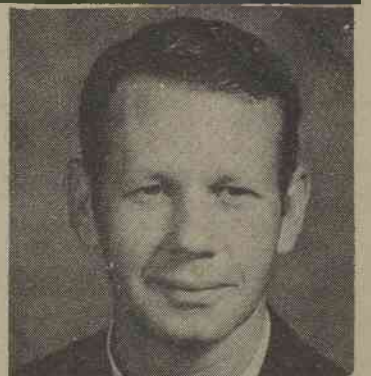
Several points come to mind with the new budget. It should be noticed that money for the dorms has been cut in half to \$900. Brown explained this cut by saying that "irresponsible" spending by the dorms last year proved that not as much money should be entrusted to their judgement this year. Funds for dorm activities such as parties, are to be gotten from the College Union Board, whose budget has been increased this year for this very purpose.

Direct funding for poetry readings is a bright addition to this year's budget. The \$400 allotted for this should help the planned Black Mountain Poetry Festival, which is in the planning stages, to be presented here at St. Andrews later this year.

The \$150 for a typewriter is a saving of approximately \$300 from what was originally proposed. Rod Brown pushed hard for the purchase of a \$450 IBM typewriter instead of the standard model. "There are typewriters and there are IBM's," cited Brown, pointing out the superior quality of the more expensive of the two. However, the IBM requires a \$40 per year up-keep investment. In ten years, the total cost of an IBM typewriter would about equal the cost of five standard typewriters.

The figures in the new budget were determined by balancing past allotments against allocation requests. Rod Brown and a Senate subcommittee both had input into the final distribution of funds, with the only serious conflict occurring over the typewriter.

The budget was approved by the Senate last Thursday, Sept. 20.



year. By doing this he hopes to interest students of all denominations in the service.

When asked about his opinion of the attitude of the students toward religion, he replied that they were "no more indifferent than where I came from." He sincerely hopes that there will be a greater participation on the part of the students. He has a lot of good ideas and shows great interest in the students. This adds up to a rewarding year for all those who want to share in his plans.