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CAMPUS CAMPAIGN KICKS OFF

Using the slogan "13 on the 13th", the St. Andrews Annual Fund sets out to achieve a fourth consecutive, record-setting year when the Campus Campaign begins Friday, September 29.

More than 30 volunteers, under the leadership of Campaign Chairman Julian Smith, will get things going with a breakfast Friday morning. Later in the day, meetings will be conducted with administrative and maintenance personnel. Campaign leaders met with faculty members earlier in

the month.

Campaign volunteers will be contacting all of the College's 150 employees on a one-to-one basis during the next two weeks. The campaign is set to end on Friday, October 13, and has a goal of \$13,000; therefore, the slogan, "13 on the 13th."

The Campus Campaign is the first campaign conducted among the nine divisions of the Annual Fund. More than \$12,100 was received last year towards the Annual Fund total of \$608,949.

SLC Approves Charters; Looks At Agenda

At its first meeting on Wednesday afternoon, the Student Life Committee covered routine organizational matters in addition to approving organization charters and the 1978-79 Student Association budget.

Organizations which submitted charters for this

academic year and had their approved were: Foreign Student Association, St. Andrews Historical Society, WSAP, BSU, Rifle and Pistol Club, St. Andrews Riding Club, St. Andrews Dumb and Bungle Corps, Farrago, THE LANCE, Art Squad, Water

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Folk Art On Display In Vardell

The dynamic and powerful folk art of tribes in the Belgian Congo (now Zaire) is on display at the Vardell Gallery of St. Andrews Presbyterian College during September.

Prof. David McLean, a missionary resident in the Congo for 17 years, has brought parts of his extensive collection to the campus.

"We are so pleased to be Andrews. The carving is superb, and the tapestries and other materials are so distinctive and so beautifully done with native materials."

The works are principally from the Bakubu, Baluba, Batshioka, Basala and Mpasu tribes, says McLean, who served the Presbyterian Church in the Congo from 1944 to 1962, and has revisited the area twice since that time.

"Most of the art from the Congo of that era was magico-religious in its connotations," says McLean. "There was very little 'art for art's sake'."

The Vardell Gallery is open Monday through Friday from 9:30 to 5, and Sundays from 1 to 5.

Lank Named V-P In Charge Of Business Affairs

To Join Staff
October 1

Richard A. Lank, an experienced college business official, will join the staff at St. Andrews Presbyterian College October 1 as vice president in charge of business affairs, announced President A.P. Perkinson Jr.

"We are fortunate to find a man of Mr. Lank's experience available to fill this important administrative position," says President Perkinson. "His background in other schools should be invaluable to St. Andrews in the coming years."

Lank is a graduate of Bucknell University, and has served at Lycoming College in Williamsport, PA., as assistant to the president and director of development; at McMurry College, Abilene, TX, as business manager and controller, and since 1970 at Moravian College and Theological Seminary, Bethlehem, PA, as vice president for administration.

After college and World War II service, he was in the retail appliance sales and service business in



RICHARD A. LANK

Harrisburg, PA.

From 1961 to 1968 Lank served as treasurer and director of stewardship for the Central Pennsylvania Conference of the United Methodist church, with headquarters at Harrisburg.

He has done graduate work at the University of Michigan and American University, and in 1972 received an Andrew W. Mellon grant to attend the Chief Business Officers Institute conducted by the American Council on Education.

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Senate Unanimously Endorses Nestle Boycott

The Interdormitory Senate, in its meeting of the 21st, contemplated several issues that will soon have their impact on the campus.

The Senate ratified the list of committee appointments presented by Student Association President Jeff Walker and his Cabinet.

The Senate unanimously voted to approve a resolution to support the Nestle Boycott being conducted by the College Christian Council.

Another unanimous resolution the Senate voted on was to open investigation on the subject of suite phones, also asking the Student Life Committee to consider the subject.

The Constitutional amendment which the Senate voted support on earlier in the year will be decided by the student body on Oct. 2, alongside other issues.

Monday Night Series Featured Critic

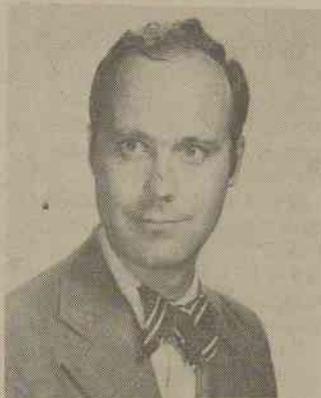
Using the four novels of Joan Didion as his base, Dr. John Casteen Monday evening discussed the author's exposition of women against their physical environment.

"Her first three novels all

show women in isolation," said Casteen, "except for physical comforts. In the duality of California life, Didion says that the sterile landscape of the San Bernardino Valley particularly affects women."

While Didion does not actively indict men, she shows that they resemble women in their inadequacy to cope with the world around them.

"While Didion uses traditional methods in telling her stories, she writes out of a profound sympathy for women," Casteen added.



"good journalist" in the completeness of her descriptions, and praised her for "bridging a gap in our Western tradition by proving the bond between the physical and the spiritual."

"In Didion's writing, and particularly her latest, 'The Book of Common Prayer,' she creates a woman who

The novelist offers no excuses for her essentially tragic women, but places them in physical and emotional environments in which they are unable to control people or events around them, and eventually meet an unwanted but inevitable fate.

He termed Didion as a reaches the stature of a tragic hero," commented Casteen, who in his other "life" is dean of admissions at the University of Virginia.

Dr. Casteen spoke at St. Andrews Presbyterian College as a part of its Monday Happenings in the Arts program, a weekly event for students and outsiders interested in the various creative arts.

Educated at the University of Virginia, Casteen is an Anglo-Saxonist by training

and interest, studying English culture as it develops out of British and Roman cultures.

His current interest in the contemporary writing of women grew out of his teaching experience in California before returning to his present post in Virginia.

Student

Government

Self-Nominations

Open Today

FRIDAY - Wilmington Beatles Party 50 cents

SATURDAY - Cross Country: Home; Christopher Newport College, 11 A.M. Soccer: Home; Virginia Wesleyan College, 2 P.M. (First Conference Game); Tennis: North Carolina/South Carolina Borderline Classic Tennis Tournament; Home (Tennis Courts In Use For Week-End); Farrago Niblock & St. Andrews Sisters 8:30 50 cents.

SUNDAY OCT 1 - NC/SC Borderline Classic Tennis Tourney (home); Wilmington Women's Program: TBA; "Bedazzled" Avinger 7 p.m.; Open Bicycle 1:30 meet at Belk.

MONDAY OCT. 2 - Volleyball: At Shaw University-Meredith College at 6 p.m.; Soccer: At Francis Marion; Mass: Meditation Room, 5 p.m.; Monday Happenings in the Arts presents: Actors and Summer Theatre, 6:30 p.m. Vardell

TUESDAY OCT. 3 - Movie: "Harlan County", 7:30 p.m. Mecklenburg Lounge; Academy Award for best documentary in 1977.

WEDNESDAY OCT. 4 - Volleyball: at Atlantic Christian college, Elizabeth City State University 6 p.m.; CCC: worship service, 6:15 p.m. Chapel Isle.

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