



Dr. Thorpe Observes Seniors



Senior Seminar Panel

Seminar Prepares Students For Tests

By SHIRLEY D. CHERRY

The Senior Seminar was established at ECSU in September of last year to prepare students to take the National Teachers Examination.

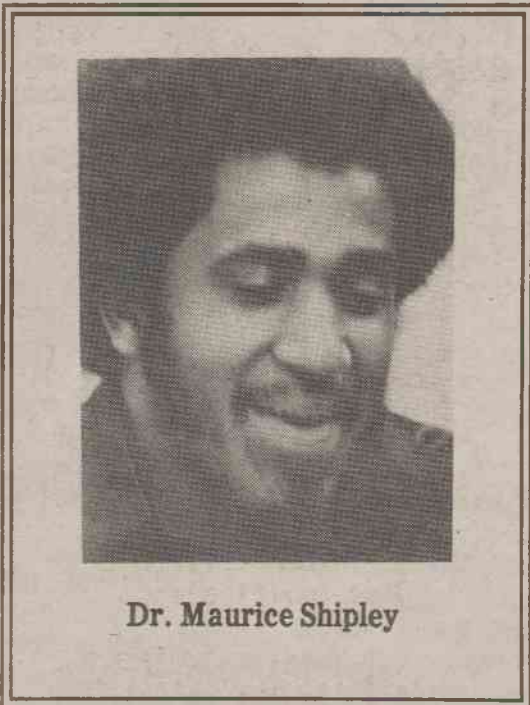
Dr. Harry J. Ghee, of the ECSU Department of Education said he would like to see students develop a more professional attitude in various teaching areas. Ghee said he feels students should become more professional and concerned earlier. The seminar, he said affords

that environment so students can develop the necessary skills for passing standardized tests.

Ghee said, initially the senior seminar was designed as last minute effort to help to prepare for the National Teacher's Examination. But now we want to open it up to other level of students. He said that the advantage of taking the seminar is that students become aware of skilled and activities related to teaching standardized test. Specialist from each area of discipline visit the senior

seminar and gives students pointers on special things to look for in their area. Two standardized tests have been given to students for practice in taking these type of tests. ECSU Education Department has compiled institutional information significant to courses and content consideration for teacher education.

The disadvantage of not taking the test is lack of awareness of basic skills necessary for taking standardized test and the mechanics of test.



Dr. Maurice Shipley

New Drama Professor

By SUSAN FITZGERALD

Dr. William Maurice Shipley is a new member of the Modern Languages Department at ECSU this year.

Dr. Shipley graduated from the University of Illinois in 1973, where he had transferred from Aurora College (an Advent Christian College in a suburb of Chicago), in 1967. It had taken him only six years to

earn his B.A., M.A., and his Phd.

Dr. Shipley says his goal at ECSU is the same as the one he had as an English professor at Temple University. That is to work to his fullest potential, thereby enriching ESCU and its students.

"Purlie Victorious," which Dr. Shipley is directing, is scheduled to begin its performance before the Christmas break.



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