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Briefs

■ Dr. Malvin Artley, retired Professor of Music, is recuperating from Gullain-Barre syndrome which has left him paralyzed. He is in the rehabilitation unit at Moses Cone Hospital. His address is Moses Cone Hospital, Room 4029, 1200 N. Elm Street, Greensboro, N.C. 27401.

■ Dr. William W. Sloan died at Memorial Hospital in Burlington, Sunday, Mar. 3, after several years of failing health. Sloan was a retired Professor of Bible and Religious Education. He joined the Elon faculty in 1947. Sloan dormitory is named in memory of Dr. Sloan and his wife. Memorial gifts may be made to the Bessie P. and W.W. Sloan Scholarship Fund at Elon. A memorial service will be held at a later date.

THE PAST

Five years ago: Former President Gerald Ford visited Elon. He spoke on the changes needed in the political campaign spending, and the arms race.

INSIDE

■ Hulen Brown has been chosen to participate in the American Sociological Association's MOST Program. See Story, Page 3.

■ Non-traditional student, Mary Isenhour-Long, displays her artistic talent in the Fine Arts Center Office. See Story, Page 7.

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Kati Mafko/ The Pendulum

A new homeless shelter will replace the old one located on Church Street sometime in June.

Construction of new homeless shelter is underway

Heather Whitehouse
The Pendulum

The construction of a new homeless shelter is underway. This shelter will replace the old one.

The old shelter started off as the administrative building for the Burlington schools, then turned into the Police Department and for the last four years has been the homeless shelter.

The Allied Churches of Alamance County (ACAC), are sponsoring the building of the new shelter which will cost approximately \$400,000.

Seventy percent of the funds are coming from the business community in Burlington and Alamance County and the other 30 percent is coming from the ACAC.

Minister of the Front Street Methodist Church and community chairman, Dr. Jack Hunter, said



The shelter will house the homeless and provide a day care for the elderly.

there has been tremendous support from the community.

"The community has been very supportive," Hunter said. "The city council and mayor have been very cooperative to work with."

Hunter said they are hoping to

get into the 12,000 square foot building sometime around June.

According to Elon College Chaplain Richard McBride, the new facility will be used for four main purposes.

First it will be the shelter for

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Habitat begins project

Jennifer Cowman
The Pendulum

Elon's chapter of Habitat for Humanity is building a new home and they need your help.

Elon celebrated the construction of this new home in a "groundbreaking" ceremony Sunday in Whitley Auditorium.

Richard McBride, chaplain of Elon, presided over the ceremony. The ceremony was conducted to celebrate the construction of the new home.

McBride said Habitat For Humanity is a non-profit organization based on Christian beliefs and a belief in helping others. He is excited about the project and said that when people actually see the family the house is being built for, that makes the job more worthwhile. It makes it real, McBride said.

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ODK inducts largest group in its history

Kirstin Stump
The Pendulum

Ellen Gagnon, assistant to the Dean of Admissions and Financial Planning and coordinator and treasurer of Omicron Delta Kappa (ODK), was reading off her list of 1990-91 ODK initiates: "Denise Adams. Denise is the president of the Peace Group, the Treasurer of the Art History Society, and a two year member of the Liberal Arts Forum. Denise published a poem entitled "Firefly Valley" and is involved in EnAct and Amnesty International.

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