Golf Club Charged with Racism

By Kyd Brenner

Charges of "overt racial discrimination" have been filed against nearby Longview Golf Club by several Guilford College Staff members. Complaints have been filed with the Guilford County Community Relations Department, The North Carolina Human Relations Commission, The United States Civil Rights Commission, and the Civil Rights Division of the U. S. Department of Justice.

The charges stem from an August 7 incident involving three staff members, Dick Woodward, Director of Counseling and Placement, Ron Cruickshank, Head Resident of 1968 Dorm, and Ken Schwab, Director of Housing. Also with the three at the time of the incident was Roger Borden, a professor at UNC—G.

The foursome had made reservations for tee-off time at the Longview course several days in advance. Upon arriving at the desk to pay their greens fees, the group was told by course owner continued on page 5

Road Plans May Change

At a meeting Tuesday night of the State Highway Commission in Raleigh, Guilford gained some ground in the effort to revise the proposal to widen Friendly Road. Grimsley Hobbs, David Parsons, Board of Trustee chairman Edwin Brown, and ex-chairman Robert Frazier presented the college's contention that the front of the Guilford campus should not be viewed as marginal land, but rahter as land of historical importance to the college and to the state.

As a result of this and previous meetings, the commission called for an altered proposal to be presented in public hearing in Greensboro on October 7. The new plan would take 18 feet of right of way from the college and 15 feet from the businesses along the south side of Friendly Road. The intention had been to use 30 feet of college land in widening the road to five lanes, but the State Roads Commissioner said that he would await the hearing before making a firm recommendation to the U.S. Secretary of Transportation. It is expected by commission engin-



New road proposal lessens menace to campus.

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eers that the revision will result in an added cost of \$265,000.

It was this consideration of cost of right of way land which had led the commission in its original plan of last spring. Robert Frazier, acting as attorney for the college, questioned the \$265,000 figure, and explained that in the college's mind the land in front of its campus is not "marginal" al-

though it has no buildings.

A spokesman for the Federal Bureau of Public Roads, said that his agency would have to review any change in plans before a final decision, but did not rule out the agency's participation in the altered plan.

The highway commission's first plan, before last springs' series of appeals, was to widen Friendly to seven lanes to accomodate anticipated traffic to the airport and near-by industries. The seven lane road was designed to be sufficient for a twenty year growth. The revised five lane highway is expected to be adequate for at least ten years.

The original seven-lane plan aroused so much opposition from the Guilford community, students, residents, and businesses, that the Highway Commission was forced to alter

their plans.

According to David Parsons, there is "no hope" that the college will not have to relinquish any land to the widening. Last spring, three alternates were suggested to the seven lane road, however, the design which would have left the Guilford campus intact, taking the necessary land from the Friendly Road merchants, was never under serious consideration, due primarily to the costs involved.

Board Tries Students

The Campus Judicial Board, a new organization formed from the old Honor Board and the various other judicial bodies on campus tried their first cases this week. The Campus Board is responsible for the trial of all cases not considered to be strictly dormitory offenses. It also serves as an appelate body in dormitory offenses, with the Student Affairs Committee serving as the next line of appeal.

Two charges of plagarism from last semester were heard in the first meeting of the board, held Wednesday, September 22. Both cases were resolved with verdicts of guilty.

The first case, involving a male senior charged with plagiarism on a geology term paper, was brought to the attention of the board after the end of last semester, after the student charged had graduated. The student pleaded guilty and was awarded a grade of "F" in the course.

A freshman girl, charged with cheating on the Man in the Twentieth Century term paper, was found guilty. The board decided that the offense was not serious enough to merit an "F" in the course, but did award her an "F" on the paper.

Violations of visitation rules were the concern of the second meeting of the Judicial Board, held Wednesday, September 29. Five such cases were heard. Three, all involving cases of men in Binford dormitory, were completed, while two others were continued until next week.

A male senior was charged with (a) Failure. to follow registration procedure for inner visitation in Binford dorm, (b) Abusive language to dorm coordinator, (c) entering dorm illegally. The student was found to be not guilty of the first and third charges. Concerning the abusive language, the student was asked to make an apology to the coordinator.

A similar case, involving a sophomore male and the same charges ended in opposite verdicts. The sophomore was found to be guilty of the first and third charges and not guilty of the abusive language charge. This student was reprimanded and cautioned against further violation.

A junior male was charged with (a) leaving the dorm after hours through a window, and (b) threatening bodily harm to the complainant.

No case was declared on the initial charge, for reasons of insufficient evidence. The student pled guilty to the threat charge and was placed on disciplinary probation for a period of two semesters.

A student on disciplinary probation is subject to suspension for up to three semesters if charged again with a similar major offense within the period of probation. A student on probation may not participate in campus activities.

Members of the judicial board are Neil Rabin, chairman, M. L. Carr, Faye Scales, Joel Deaton, Mary Jane Voss, Ann Whitley, Charlie Sewell, Ingrid Wall, and faculty advisors, Dr. Herbert Appenzeller, and Dr. Norton Robbins. Four voting faculty members will be added to the board as soon as the faculty names them.

Elections for the house councils have been completed in most of the dormitories, with the remaining dorms expected to elect their councils soon Kirby: 3rd

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remaining dorms expected to elect their councils soon Mary Hobbs Hall does not have such a group yet. This is because they do not have an

approved constitution yet, according to resident co-ordina-

tor Betsy Agniel.

The house council of Shore Dorm is under the direction of Ellen Sapp, president and Paula Minges, vice-president. Members of the council are Carol DeHaven, Louise Eliason, Janneece Jarrard, Beth Lawrence and Marjie Leland.

Shore has already tried a case, that of a girl who came in late, and assigned her to lock up the dorm and be in from 7 p.m. to 7 a.m. for several days.

No house council has been elected in 1968 dorm, but the dorm officers who were elected at the end of last year are: Vicki Greene, President; Gray Kimel, Vice-President; Lyn Gordh, Secretary, and Ann Schofield, Treasurer

Milner Dormitory has elected the following people to house council—:

1st North, Steve Peterson; 1st

South, Luke Blanton; 2nd North, Dave Musser; 2nd East, Joe Hayworth; 2nd South, Steve "Red" Boutwell; 2nd West, Gary Kirby; 3rd North, Bob Garfield; 3rd East, Leigh Davis; 3rd South, Jason Hirsch, and 3rd West, Alan Gamble.

English Dorm does not have a house council but elects three "dorm co-ordinators" to help the resident co-ordinator. Steve Kraft, Kelly Dempster and John Andrews will fill the positions this year.

Founders Dormitory has not elected a house council yet and is working on their constitution according to dorm president Jenny Blizin.

Binford has elected a house council of 14 women—the dorm officers, dorm interns, and wing representatives. The dorm officers are: Linda Thompson, President; Jolene Howell, Vice-President; Mary Ellen Beamon, Secretary-Treasurer.

Bimford interns are Carolyn Simmons, Bev. Bass and Conie Teras, and wing representatives are Sara Willis, Donna Muth, Wanda Mock, Laurie Huberth, Cheryl Crawford, Nancy Robertson, Vicki Brown and Betty Snider.

W-S Panthers Freed

Indictments against three Winston-Salem Black Panthers were quashed Monday by Superior Court Judge James M. Long, ending, at least temporarily, their trial. The three had been charged in the theft of a meat truck in January 1971. The theft of the truck was followed by a heavily armed police raid on the Winston-Salem Panther headquarters. The Judge's ruling came in the second week of the trial.

On trial were Larry D. Little, 21, head of the Winston-Salem

party, Julius W. Cornell, 27, and Grady Fuller, 22.

The trial was ceased when the Judge upheld a defense motion which challenged the way in which jurors for the trial were selected. The Judge ruled that the selection process excluded persons between the ages of 18 and 21, and did not represent an accurate cross section of Forsyth County.

Solicitor Frank Yeager has announced that they will appeal the decision. Until that appeal, the three defendants are free on bond