

Fuel Hoax

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largest oil corporations in the U.S., have sold twice as many barrels of fuel to foreign markets than they have at home.

Although imports of crude oil have dropped, imports of refined products in mid-December were running ahead of September totals, when the Arab wells were pumping full speed. How much the Arabs have actually cut production is impossible to ascertain; however, the quantity of oil moving in world trade is greater than could be possible after a genuine 25% cut in Arab output.

We have long been told that our fossil fuel supplies are limited, but we have ignored other methods of supplying energy. Solar power, our

richest and most abundant energy source has yet to be explored in the U.S. However, in Israel and France, solar energy has already been put to use. Solar energy supplies hot water to homes and businesses in Israel, and in France, the world's largest solar furnace powers a hydro-electric plant.

There is an energy crisis, and if we continue to neglect other sources of energy, it cannot get better. The crisis was compounded by the Arabian boycott, but it was originally formed by the oil corporations and furthered by the ineptness of the Administration. It is about time that the public was let in on the truth, instead of being made to feel guilty.

Visitors on campus?

If you have friends who are planning to visit on campus and they are considering Mars Hill as a possible college choice, contact the Admissions Office. Prospective students often need specific information that this office is prepared to handle. Also, an interview with admissions personnel is often necessary for a student confused about admissions and/or transfer procedures. Notify the office prior to the visit, and necessary appointments and arrangements will be made in advance.

This office also issues a temporary I.D. for visitors which they must have when using the College Union and/or pool/gym facilities if they are unaccompanied by a current student. Parents and friends often call the Admissions Office trying to contact a visitor. By notifying this office prior to a visit, a message can be relayed to a prospective student if necessary. The Office of Admissions is located on the ground floor of Spilman and is open from 8-5 weekdays and 9-12 on Saturdays.

T.A.V.I.C. TONIGHT



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can Enka Corp., Enka; Duncan Hunter of the Western Carolina Industries, Asheville; Leo Story, Jr., president of Taylor Instrument Company, Arden; Manly Wright, executive vice president of the Northwestern Bank in Asheville; Philip Elam, manager of the Asheville Area Chamber of Commerce's economic development division; Tom A. Jones, field representative of the N. C. Department of Natural and Economic Resources' commerce and industry division, Asheville; Sam Badgett, director of employee relations of the State Personnel Office, Raleigh; Bill Kloos, plant manager of the Micro Switch plant in Mars Hill; Mrs. Charlotte Lunsford of Asheville, representing the community at large; Bob Merolla, director of the health education division of the Buncombe County Health

Department; O. L. Sherrill, Jr., principal of William Randolph School in Asheville; Bob Edwards, superintendent of Madison County Schools; Wanda McNeil, public health nurse of the Yancey County Health Department; and George Gragg, Jr., vice-chairman of the Buncombe County Community Relations Council.

The program is also in line with the college's announced intentions to convert its academic efforts to a competency based curriculum for the 1974-75 school year. In fact, one of the duties of the board will be to identify what skills and competencies are necessary for various careers and whether these competencies can be better developed in experimental learning situations than in classroom surroundings.


A second responsibility of the board

is the identification of potential employers and how these employers can creatively utilize co-op students within the particular bounds of each firm. But it is the third area that Trantham emphasizes. "I want the board to think in broad terms about how an individual chooses a career, prepares for it, and then continues to grow in that chosen career over a lifetime," the young director stated. "This is a crucial time in students' lives," he added. "I want to avoid students taking jobs simply because of economic factors, and to speak directly to students who have given no thought at all to what comes after college."

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