News Briefs

Summer Jobs: Free Fifty State Summer Employer Directory. Send a stamped, self-addressed, business size envelope to SUMCHOICE, Box 530-S, State College, Pa. 16801.

OKA News: Omega Kappa Alpha Sorority has begun a very busy semester and the sisters have many exciting plans. The sisters are playing intramural basketball. The OKA team would like to thank Mark Denton for being their coach. Also this semester, OKA is continuing their sponsorship of an orphan who lives in Asheville. They presented her with candy and gifts for Valentines Day. OKA has a new project in which they are keeping the nursery at the Mars Hill Methodist Church on Sunday mornings. The Red Cross Bloodmobile will be on campus on March 13 and the sisters plan to help. Also their annual See-Saw-a-Thon is approaching soon and they are hoping for a good turnout.

Winners of Asheville Dance-a-Thon: Mark Moore, a MHC freshman, and Lori Moyer, an A. C. Reynolds student, won first place in the 18 hour Muscular Dystrophy Dance-a-Thon held Saturday Feb. 18 at the Inn on the Plaza. Moore and Moyer danced for 18 straight hours and raised \$438.62.

Studio C: Studio C is a jazz improvisational group newly formed this mini-mester by several MHC students. They performed to a packed crowd in the Timberline Coffeehouse February 20 and will perform again in March. The date will be announced at a later date. All of the members of the group have been in bands before and three are in the MHC Stage Band. The group would like to stay together and possibly perform together this summer. The group is led by Stewart Cantor who plays tenor saxaphone. Other members are: Richard Plyler-trumpet and flugelhorn, Mark Reese- bass, John Holmes - percussionist, Randy Porshia - drums, and John Stribling - piano. Guest soloist is Ann Roberts.

News Media Available: The Lounge of the Wren College Union is now sponsoring a newspaper and magazine service to students. A special rack has been placed in the corner of the lounge next to the circular couch. Media available will be: The Asheville Citizen, The Greenville News, The Charlotte Observer, The Madison County News Record, Time, Newsweek, and Sports Illustrated.

MHC Students Win Competition: On February 4, three MHC students participated in state competition held by the Federation of Music Clubs in Salisbury and won. They each won \$250.00 for their award. Winners were Dan Greene, a Senior Flute major taught by Dr. Joyce Bryant, Mike Sitton, a Sophomore piano major taught by May Jo Gray, and Edith Slattery a French Horn major taught by Dr. Wayne Pressley.

Study Before You Sleep - Are you the kind of student who usually studies hard before going to bed, or the kind who goes to bed, sets the alarm for five or six o'clock and then crams? If you're a pre-sleep studier, GLAMOUR Magazine reports you may be getting better grades as a result of your study habits than someone who does the work afterward.

Researchers aren't exactly sure how sleep disturbs the memory process, but they believe it might involve hormones. In laboratory tests on mice, the hormone somatotrophin, produced naturally during sleep, severely affected the memory of mice injected with it.

Recent research into sleep and study habits shows that sleep prior to study disrupts memory significantly, unless considerable waking time is allowed before digging into the material you want to learn. The shorter the period of sleep that precedes the studying, the more this sleep disrupts learning. Sleeping four hours or less was found to be highly disturbing to memory; sleeping six hours disturbed it less.

If you have a test to study for, study first instead of putting it off until the next morning. Better grades might be your reward.

Committee Formed to Establish Movie Criteria: As a follow up to recent Communication Board Action, President Bentley has appointed an ad hoc committee for the purpose of investigating the need for establishing criteria and/or guidelines for the selection of movies which are to be shown at Mars Hill College. This committee will look at two divisions of movies, one of which will address itself to academic usage and the other to entertainment. The Committe membership is as follows: Dr. Robert Melvin, Chairman, Mr. Robert Kramer, Dr. Mary Ihrig, Dr. W. Thomas Sawyer, Mr. Steve Webb, Mr. Buzzy Scott and Mr. Phillip Weast.

Jody and Jeff Win Ping Pong Tournaments Again: Jeff Davis and Jody Self won the men and women's ping pong tournaments respectively sponsored by the Wren College Union Recreation Program. The men played on Wednesday, February 1, and the women played on February 2. Both Jeff and Jody were the men and women's winners last fall Jeff also won in the Spring of 1977.

Only two ladies showed up but the competition was tough. Glenda [Bum] Bumgardner played a good match against Jody Self. The Recreation Committee would like to express thanks to Debbie Cogdill for helping run the tournament. The Recreation Committee would like to remind students that Tuesday from 6:00 to 10:00 p.m. is "Ladies Only Night", and to be watching for other tournaments and special events sponsored in the near future.

The mens match was attended with twelve persons. Winning second place was Danny Dawkins and third place went to Barry Lawing. All matches were played with two out of three single elimination, and each game consisted of 11 points. Other participants were John Bunn, Ralph Stocks, Buffkin Ed. Kerry Hinton, Chuck Covert, David Gaskin, David Sizemore, William Gaffney and Tom Rolen.

Dating Game: The presence of the mysterious and elusive Angel of Love Cupid, was surely felt by those who attended Wren College Union's version of The Dating Game on February 14 at 7:00 P. M. The Timberline Coffeehouse turned overnight into a place of the entine passion and romance, was setting for this gala event.

The people taking part in the first segment of The Dating Game program under the direction of Steve Holmes who served as M. C. were: Lucy Matthews who from a selection Brad Tilley, Kenny Hall and Chris Watts chose Chris Wats as her date. Their prize was dinner two at the Inn On The Plaza with a more dancing. Lucy said she chose Chris so as to discover what might happens should they be locked in the library overnight.

The second segment of the show for Steve Wilent questioning Cheri gis Jane Criminger and Kim Qutick. finally chose (by the toss of a coin her seductive voice) Cheri Sims a sell Home Ec. student from Augusta, who makes great brownies. Their was a dinner for two at the Great sies Hilton with their choice of dans or a movie.

The third and final portion of event found Kasandra M. Jackson strugleing to chose her escort from civic-minded George Henders musical Willie Jefferies and the athlese Dexter Fisher. After thoughtful liberation Kasandra chose Willie cause of his "masculine" voice. prize was dinner and entertainment the La Chateau with a movie or dancing the control of the control



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