

REAL WORLD

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how people have misconceptions about her because she is a woman of Indian descent with a Southern accent.

"I'm here to get on the 'Real World' and get out of school," Kale said in jest before the audition.

But Kale had no idea how far she could go.

"Apparently they saw something in me they liked," she said. "I was really surprised. I never thought I had that much of a personality."

On Sunday, Kale met with Sleeper at Embassy Suites in Cary for a politically charged follow-up interview that lasted about an hour.

At the end of the meeting, Sleeper said she saw potential in Kale and asked her to submit a five- to 10-minute video showcasing a "day in the life."

Kale said that if she makes it through the application process and to the "Real World," she will return to UNC to finish her degree.

"This doesn't change my plans," she said. "It just makes me realize I can get something cool out of my life and maybe live in a really cool place."

"Maybe I'll be famous one day."

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DOWNTOWN

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to reduce crime on Franklin Street.

Police spokesman Lt. Kevin Gunter said there has been a significant drop in crime since the department implemented programs such as a permanent downtown patrol and established the business alert network. He said downtown crime has decreased by 26 percent in the past year.

O'Connell said that Franklin Street business is in better shape than many make it out to be and that many businesses have faced these issues for decades yet continue to prosper and grow.

"To make it on Franklin Street, you really have to strive to succeed," he said. "But there is just that something special about the area that makes all the hard work and the problems worth it."

"As far as I'm concerned, Franklin is as close to Eden as you can get."

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MOORE

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spend on health care is on controllable, preventable chronic diseases.

But the system's backloaded. We have got to do a much better job of making sure that individuals understand how to manage their own health, but part of that is making sure that our prevention programs and our other outreach clinics are properly funded.

It's the old adage that we can spend a nickel to save a dollar, and we're not doing that right now.

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NICHOL

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good employment options.

"I would love to see him stay, but I don't think that the campus can progress past this moment if he doesn't leave," Thomson said.

She said students want a concrete list of reasons as to why Nichol was removed, as well as the minutes of the closed session meeting at which the decision was made to not renew his contract.

"The more moderate and rational population on campus right now is willing to concede that the BOV is not out to get the students ... we're just looking for an explanation on this point," she said.

According to a press release put out by the college, members of the BOV will visit the William & Mary campus by the end of next week to conduct public and private meetings with students, faculty and staff.

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COURTESY OF LEI WANG

Ice climbers embark on the nine-hour hike to high camp. This segment was the most difficult on the trip because of the terrain.

SOUTH POLE

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conditions are too risky to continue. Chances of survival are calculated.

Wang stressed the fact that for every step up the mountain she must be able to take the same step back down — most deaths occur during descent.

"The summit is optional. It will always be there," she said. "Coming down is mandatory."

The success in Aconcagua was on her third attempt. She plans to make it to the North Pole in April and then Everest next spring.

For every successful climb, there are two or three failures, Reed said. Wang does not yet know how her body will be affected.

"Everest is a different kind of animal," Reed said. "You've really got to be one tough bird to get up there. But I think she has the heart and will to do it."

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National and World News

FROM THE CAMPAIGN TRAIL

Obama met with Edwards secretly

CHICAGO (AP) — Barack Obama sneaked down to North Carolina Sunday and met with former rival John Edwards, who has yet to make an endorsement in the race for the Democratic presidential nomination.

This week Obama told voters that Edwards will "be a major voice in the Democratic party for years to come, and I want him involved and partnering with me in moving this country forward."

McCain gains in delegate count

LANSING, Mich. (AP) — Sen. John McCain picked up a total of 50 GOP national convention delegates from Michigan and Louisiana Saturday.

Thirty-two of Louisiana's 47 delegates said they intend to vote for McCain, and three others also are expected to back him. Likewise, a majority of Michigan's presidential delegates also say they'll back the Arizona senator.

A decade after civil war, Serbia condemns Kosovo's independence

PRISTINA, Kosovo (AP) — Revelers fired guns, waved red-and-black Albanian flags and set off fireworks over Kosovo Sunday after parliament proclaimed independence in defiance of Serbia and Russia, which condemned the declaration of the world's newest nation.

A decade after a bloody separatist war with Serbian forces that claimed 10,000 lives, lawmakers pronounced the territory the Republic of Kosovo and

pledged to make it a "democratic, multiethnic state." Its leaders looked for swift recognition from the U.S. and key European powers — but also braced for a bitter showdown.

Serbia called the declaration illegal and its ally Russia denounced it, saying it threatened to touch off a new conflict in the Balkans. Russia called for an emergency session of the U.N. Security Council, which met later Sunday.

Congress reviews AIDS program

DAR ES SALAAM, Tanzania (AP) — President Bush rejected proposed Democratic changes to his AIDS relief program, telling Congress to "stop the squabbling" and renew it as is. Tanzanian leader Jakaya Kikwete made an appeal for the same thing, saying thousands in his country would orphan their children if U.S. lawmakers do not act.

There is broad support in the Democratic-controlled Congress for the anti-AIDS spending.

Wire-tapping law allowed to expire

WASHINGTON, D.C. (AP) — President Bush scolded Congress for allowing a government eavesdropping law to expire at midnight Saturday, saying the failure to act will make it more difficult to track terrorists and "we may lose a vital lead that could prevent an attack on America."

Bush used his radio address to escalate his war of words with Democrats. The Democrats accuse Bush of fear-mongering and misrepresenting the facts.

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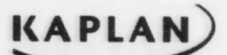
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Environment North Carolina: Environmental Fellowship (Open sign up) (deadline March 3 for interviews on March 5) (deadline March 26 for interviews on March 28)
University Directories: Customer Relations Intern (deadline 2/28/08)
- Full-Time**
E & J Gallo Winery: Management Development Program (deadline 2/26/08)
Johnson & Johnson (Lifescan, Inc.): Sales Leadership Development Program (Resume collection only) (deadline 2/24/08)

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