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DAILY DOSE

Condom truck goes missing in Mexico

FROM STAFF AND WIRE REPORTS

A truck carrying 5,000 condoms and 800 HIV tests has gone missing in Mexico. The truck sports images of a peeled banana, with the exposed part shaped like a condom, and a shirtless man saying, "I protect myself. Do you?"

It should be hard to miss. Police are still investigating the reason why the truck disappeared Sunday evening. It was on an HIV/AIDS awareness tour through the country.

The truck has toured since 1998, promoting safe sex while distributing about 1.2 million condoms to more than 700,000 people.

They call it the "Condomovil." Its tour of Mexico's south might be canceled unless it's found.

NOTED. A school board trustee in California is charged with stealing ketchup from a Chapman University dining hall.

He could face up to 45 days in jail if charges are filed after he appears in court.

The man is known for his dark glasses, knit cap and rants at school board meetings. On Saturday, he allegedly put the ketchup bottle under his clothing and left the cafeteria.

QUOTED. "I am going to try and sell it. I don't have any plans to move to Saginaw."

— a Chicago woman who bought an abandoned home in Michigan on eBay for just \$1.75.

There were only eight bids, and the woman said she hasn't seen the property or visited Saginaw. She might have to pay \$850 in back taxes and yard cleanup costs.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

TODAY

Exploring the South: This event will explore the major elements that make the South a distinct region, with a special focus on the state of North Carolina and on how the South is changing. Attendees will learn about how political, socioeconomic and cultural developments shape how the South embraces its future.
Time: 2:30 p.m.
Location: George Watts Hill Alumni Center

Women's assembly: Organizers of Orange County's Women's Agenda Assembly will host a meeting for local women at the Southern Human Services Center. The meeting, titled "Women, Power and Change: Making a Difference Beyond the Election," will give women the opportunity to discuss the issues that matter most to them and their families.
Time: 6 p.m. to 9 p.m.
Location: 2501 Homestead Road

Anti-drug performance: Interactive Theatre Carolina will present "No big deal? An interactive theatre per-

formance on drugs and alcohol at Carolina." The event is free and open to the public. Refreshments will be served.
Time: 6:30 p.m.
Location: Stone Center, Hitchcock Multipurpose Room

Multimedia presentation: A presentation will be given by radical media activists about resistance across the globe, called "Aid and Abet," as part of the 2008 Grassroots Media Tour.
Time: 7 p.m. to 9 p.m.
Location: 405 W. Franklin St.

Cultural identity lecture: Kwame Anthony Appiah, a philosophy professor at Princeton University and an expert on cultural identity and ethics, will discuss "Where Is The West?"
Time: 7 p.m.
Location: Hanes Art Center auditorium

Concert: British songwriter Lloyd Cole will perform at the Carrboro ArtsCenter.
Time: 8 p.m.
Location: 300-G E. Main St.

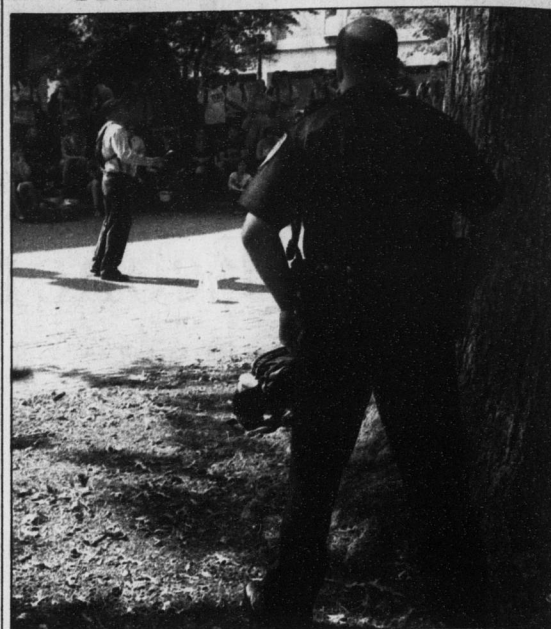
FRIDAY

Medieval program: Gary Dickson, an honorary fellow in the department of history at the University of Edinburgh, will present "The Children's Crusade and Medieval Childhood." The program is sponsored by the Department of Classics, the Program in Medieval and Early Modern Studies, the College of Arts and Sciences and the Mellon Foundation. The event is free and open to the public.
Time: 3:30 p.m.
Location: Dey Hall, Toy Lounge

Wine tasting: A Southern Season will hold "Domestic Bliss," a wine tasting that features American red and white wines as part of its Fridays Uncorked program.
Time: 5 p.m.
Location: 201 S. Estes Drive

To make a calendar submission, visit www.dailytarheel.com/calendar, or e-mail dthcalendar@gmail.com. Events will be published in the newspaper on the day and the day before they take place and will be posted online when received. Submissions must be sent in by noon the preceding publication date.

PREACHER'S GUARDIAN



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Evangelical fundamentalist Micah Armstrong preaches to students as DPS patrol officer Shawn Smith monitors the Pit. Armstrong was assaulted Tuesday after getting into a heated discussion with an unidentified individual. Armstrong was pushed twice and then slapped.

POLICE LOG

■ Chapel Hill police are investigating the possibility that at least eight robberies at an independent living facility were done by a cleaning crew or someone who had access to the residents' homes.

Police received two more reports Tuesday of stolen jewelry from The Cedars of Chapel Hill, according to Chapel Hill police reports.

At least \$40,000 in items have been reported stolen in just a little more than a week, according to reports. Chapel Hill police confirmed that the incidents may be linked.

■ Police arrested a UNC Housekeeping Services employee Monday on four misdemeanor charges, according to Chapel Hill police reports.

Police stopped Terry Lewis Lassiter, 52, of Carrboro, at 1250 E. Franklin St., and officers found 6.5 grams of marijuana, according to reports.

Lassiter was charged with carrying a concealed weapon, driving with a suspended or revoked license, marijuana possession and possession of drug paraphernalia, according to Chapel Hill police reports.

■ Two Chapel Hill residents were arrested at 339 S. Estes Drive on Tuesday night for marijuana-related charges, according to Chapel Hill police reports.

Reports state that Bobby Lee Davis, 34, faces a felony charge of marijuana possession. He was in possession of 58 grams at the time of arrest.

Gregory Darnell Rone, also known as Stink, 30, was arrested at the same location and time for a misdemeanor possession of 7.5 grams of marijuana, reports state.

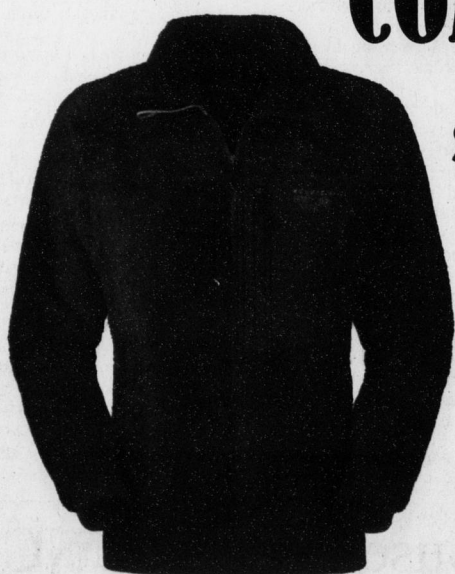
■ Someone attempted Tuesday to steal a Miller beer from TJ's Campus Beverage and Tobacco, according to Chapel Hill police reports.

Reports state that the beverage, which was recovered, is valued at \$1.75.

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The Future of News
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5:30 p.m.
Tuesday, Oct. 7
Carroll Hall auditorium

(Admission is free, and all are welcome.)

The School of Journalism and Mass Communication is teaming up with the National Press Club, with support from Aviva, to look at the future of the news media and how to protect its core values. The forum features leading journalists and professionals shaping the news business.

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Donna Leinwand, a USA Today correspondent, the press club's vice president and a Carolina alumna, will moderate.

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