

the tar heel



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news/features

Birthday Bonanza

The town bristled with people eyeing the gray clouds and wondering if the rain would put out the candles they planned to light at dusk. The Lincoln Memorial and Washington Monument stood neglected at the ends of the Reflecting Pool as tourists found something more important to occupy their attention for the first time in the history of the city. The smog settled thickly on Washington, D.C. It was Independence Day.

The Bicentennial was everywhere—on mugs, T-shirts, flags, cars, smiling faces. The country was throwing a party and inviting

everyone to bite off a piece of the cake. There were celebrations in Philadelphia, Boston, New York. But the real one, the big bash, had to be held in our nation's capital at the scenes where it's all happened in the last two hundred years—the Capitol, the monuments, and the White House, hanging like a grand old Southern mansion in the pictures we brought with us in our minds.

Three Tar Heel reporters were there—one to cover the great fireworks, one to learn the life of a tourist roving about the city, and one to see the Peoples Bicentennial commission rally and hear what the people had to say. Their reports are inside.

perspective

Fibbing About The Fourth

On page 7, columnist Cole Campbell blows the whistle on John Chancellor, Walter Cronkite and Ed McMahon by

reporting what the Eastern establishment press refused to print about the "publick occurrences, both foreign and domestic" on the Fourth of July.

arts

You Can Take It Out Of The Country, But...

When bluegrass visits the Cat's Cradle, there ain't no tellin' what it will lead to. Often as not, folks get drunker'n sailors in port and dance on the furniture till the kegs run dry. A down-home whinin' fiddle and a twangin'

banjo just does something to people. Al McCandless, Donald and Paul Beane, Snuffy Smith and Tommy Edwards compose the Blusgrass Experience, one of the hottest bluegrass bands around. Read about them and their music on page 12.

sports

New Stars And Old Stripes

New stars wore old stripes in Wilson over the Bicentennial weekend as Carolina, historically dressed in 15-year-old uniforms, lost to the North Carolina Collegiate All-

Stars. When the Tarheels looked up, however, it wasn't the rockets' red glare but their opponents' home run balls that filled the sky. The score was 8-4 and the game story is on page 17.

calendar

The UNC-CH chapter of ECKANKAR International Student Society is holding an open ECKANKAR Discussion Group on WED., July 14, in 522 Hamilton Hall at 7:30 p.m. The discussion group will continue to be held each second Wed. of the month at the same time and place.

Campus Crusade for Christ will meet at 7 p.m. Thursday night at E-5 Kingswood Apts. If you need a ride call 929-7881 or 967-9685.

ABSENTEE BALLOTS FOR AUGUST 17 primary. Orange County voters send requests to: Board of Elections, Old Courthouse, Hillsborough, N.C. 27278.

REGISTER TO VOTE: Thursday and Tuesday, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., 2 p.m. to 5 p.m., Saturday 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., Chapel Hill Municipal Building. Also Saturday 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., Carrboro Town Hall. No waiting period for new residents. Deadline for August elections is July 19.

The UNC Second Session Summer School Chorus will begin this week. All those interested in singing should contact the Music Dept. Office in Hill Hall as soon as possible. It may be taken for course credit under Music 8B. The Chorus will present a concert in Hill Hall on August 5th.

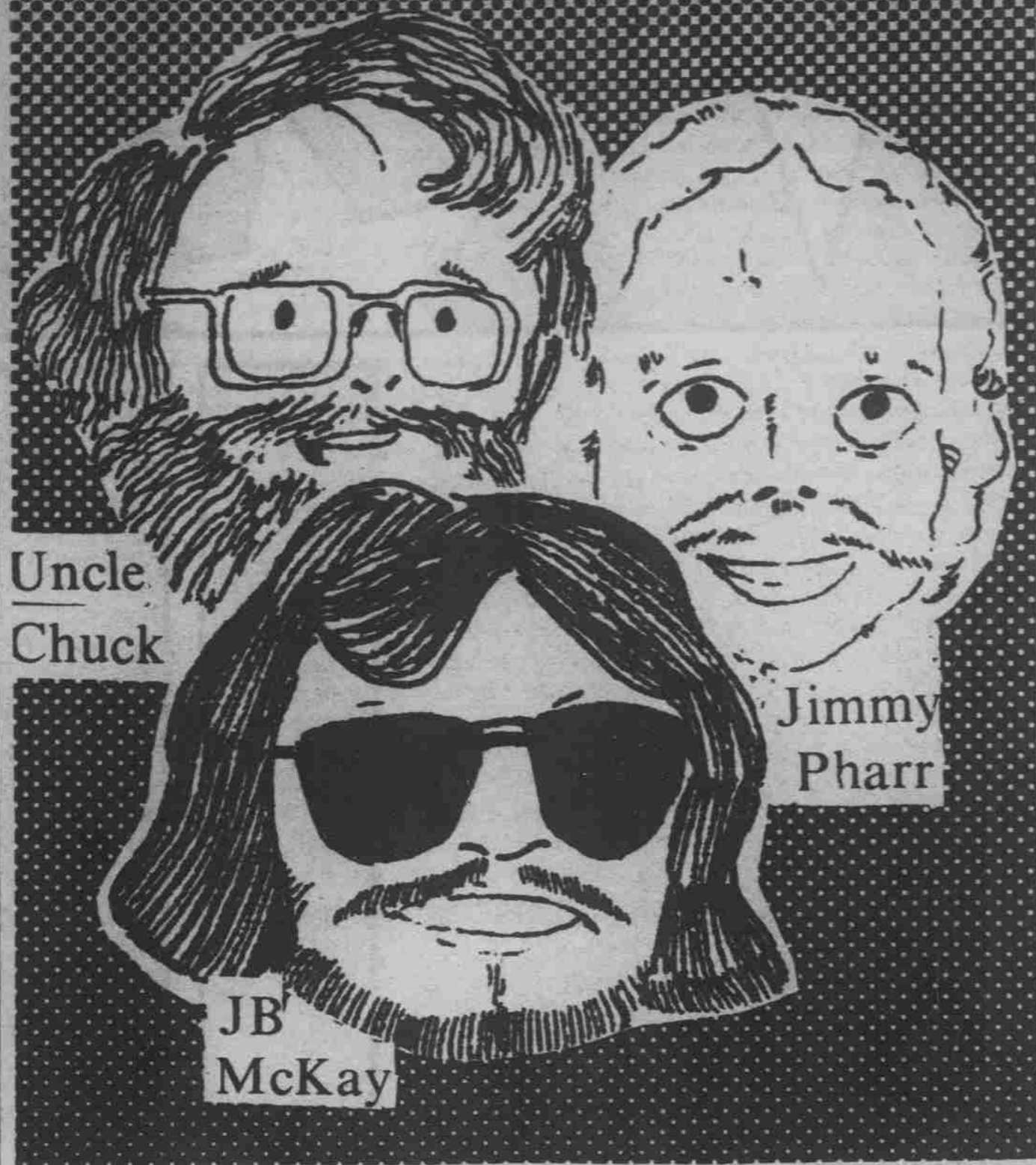
Volunteers wanted for psychology experiment involving treatment for men who feel uncomfortable in social situations with the opposite sex. For more information, call Ms. Crumpler, Psychology Department at 933-5082.

ECKANKAR, The Path of Total Awareness presents a film, "ECKANKAR, A Way of Life" at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, July 13, in Room 217 of the Union.

Anyone interested in participating in the Campus Friend Program for new foreign students next fall should contact the International Student Center, Bynum Hall or call 933-5661 or 929-3996 afternoons. Volunteers are needed during late August for registration and orienting students to the campus and town.

Meher Baba Campus Information will sponsor a free public talk and film, "The Highest of the High," at 8 p.m. Sunday, July 11, in Room 202 of the Union. Special guest is Mr. Bill LePage of Australia. All are invited.

The computer dating experiment will continue this session. Participants, between the ages of 18 and 23, will fill out a computer form and late talk with an opposite participant for one hour. Call Sharon Gordon at 967-6038 before 5 p.m. on Thursday and from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. on other evenings.

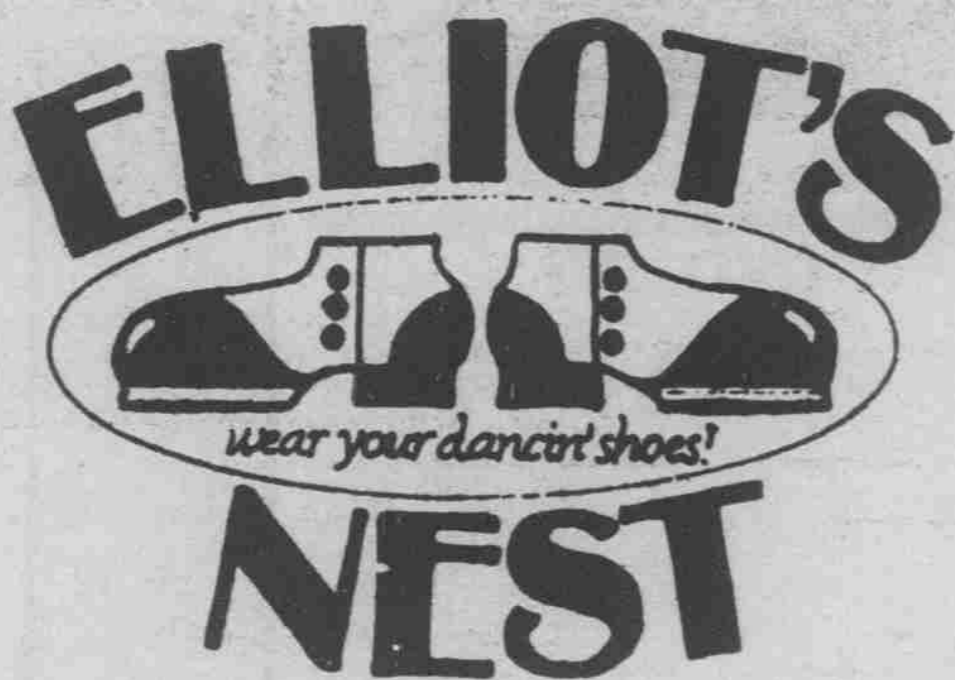


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