

Panel discussion held on career options

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Staff Writer

The role of women is changing, with more options and opportunities available today than in the past, according to six prominent area women who were members of a panel discussion held Tuesday in Gerrard Hall.

The discussion, "Women and Careers in the 80s," was sponsored by the Panhellenic Council and University Career Planning and Placement.

A discussion period followed with members of the audience asking members of the panel specific questions.

When asked what it was like to be a woman in a traditionally male field, several of the women said that women today need to be sure of their abilities and able to prove themselves.

Rev. Jill Edens, co-pastor with her husband of the United Church, said that she got a degree in education because it seemed one of the only things women could do.

"It seemed impossible to me that a woman could find a position in a church," she said. Edens preaches every other week

and is expecting her first child in May.

Pat Crawford, an attorney for University Property Office Legal Affairs, found out that she was pregnant three weeks before law school started but decided to go ahead with school. Crawford took her finals early before the baby was born.

Another question of concern for many young women who attended the discussion was whether it is possible to have both a career and family. The women on the panel were proof that it was possible.

Dr. Pam Myer, superintendent of Chapel Hill-Carrboro schools, worked for 12 years before she had her son, and she said she never considered ending her career after he was born.

Jackie James, a residential contractor working on her architecture license, and the mother of two sons, said that good communication in the family is essential.

"When I come home after a hard day," she said, "I tell the kids I have to have some space. Or as my son says, 'Mom, you gotta chill out.'"

Beverly Cutter, a fund raising counselor and a single mother of two, said that she is always juggling her career and children.

The ability to stay flexible is necessary, she said.

Dr. Connie Battle, who is in residency at N.C. Memorial Hospital and the only single woman on the panel, said that she definitely plans to marry and have a family. "I would manage both a career and family," she said.

Sharon Mitchell, assistant dean for student life and Panhellenic advisor, made the opening remarks to the audience of about 150. Mitchell said that women today are marrying later, having children later, and meshing a family and career. "Over one-half of American mothers work," she said.

Vicki Lotz, counselor for UNC Career Planning and Placement, said that she hoped the panel would help women recognize their potential and would introduce new goals and ideas to them.

Lotz introduced the panel of six prominent area women who had all chosen different careers and reached their careers by different paths. Each woman gave a brief description of her job and how she had achieved her success, describing the difficulties she had encountered along the way.

BRIEFLY

The Associated Press

WASHINGTON — William D. Ruckelshaus, who reportedly agreed "in principle" last week to become the new chief of the troubled Environmental Protection Agency, flew here Sunday amid speculation that he would be named to the post.

An administration source, who did not want to be identified, said Ruckelshaus flew to Washington on Sunday. A person answering the phone at the Ruckelshaus residence near Seattle, who refused to give a name, said the former EPA administrator had left for the capital before noon.

President Reagan refused to comment on the matter as he returned from Camp David, Md., on Sunday. "I'll see you in the press room in a few days," he said, apparently referring to an as-yet unannounced news conference.

At the White House this weekend, officials refrained from formal comment about the president's plans, but privately dropped hints that the final decision might come Sunday at a White House meeting, with a formal announcement as early as today.

Assistant White House press secretary Anson Franklin said Sunday: "No meeting is scheduled (on the EPA) and definitely not any involving the president."

BRUSSELS, Belgium — European finance ministers failed Sunday to resolve the politically volatile French-German money crisis and, in an unprecedented move, decided to let their currencies float free of mandatory central bank controls when the markets reopen today.

Traders were expected to sell weak French francs for strong German marks and let the market determine their value, but there were fears that unless the problem was resolved quickly that the political fallout would cloud a summit of Common Market government leaders, also set to begin here today.

French Foreign Trade Minister Michel Jobert resigned Sunday, and there was speculation that French Premier Pierre Mauroy would be the next minister to go in Socialist President Francois Mitterrand's government, plagued by \$13.6 billion in foreign debt.

The money market situation was unprecedented in the four-year history of the European Monetary System, created to create monetary stability in the European Economic Community. For weeks, the French and German central banks have been spending millions to prop up their currencies.

Study claims lead poisoning could have caused fall of Roman Empire

The Associated Press

BOSTON — Two-thirds of the emperors of ancient Rome may have been poisoned and even mentally unhinged by high doses of lead in their wine and food, and that could have been a cause of the fall of the Roman Empire, a study concludes.

A researcher calculated that Roman aristocrats consumed six times as much lead as modern safety standards allow, and he said many of them had gout, a disease that can be caused by lead poisoning.

Dr. Jerome O. Nriagu analyzed the personalities and habits of the emperors and others who held power between 30 B.C. and 220 A.D. He found that about

two-thirds of them — including Caligula and other cruel pleasure-seekers — "had a predilection to" lead-tainted food and wine.

"The lead could have contributed to their erratic behavior," he said in an interview. "I can't say it definitely was responsible, but it could have been an important factor."

Nriagu figured that wine alone may have contributed half of the lead in the Roman diet. Romans often flavored their wine with a syrup made from sim-

mered grape juice, and this concoction was brewed in lead pots or lead-lined copper kettles.

"One teaspoon of such syrup would have been more than enough to cause chronic lead poisoning," Nriagu wrote. The syrup was also an ingredient of one-fifth of the recipes in one cookbook.

The idea that lead poisoning caused Rome to fall has been proposed before, but Nriagu has put together a large amount of evidence that is being published as a book. A summary of his findings was printed in Thursday's *New England Journal of Medicine*.

For the record

Due to a reporting error in Friday's story "American Atheists sponsors lecture series" the *DTH* incorrectly reported the date for the first lectures of the series. The lectures, "Church, State and the First Amendment: A North Carolina Dialogue" and an introduction to the First Amendment, will be at 8 p.m. today in the Carolina Union.

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announcements

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JEFF LAND INVITES ALL his friends to visit him at his new location. Take One Haircutters, 2834 East Franklin Street (across from campus). Ten years experience in Chapel Hill.

THE ASSOCIATION OF BUSINESS STUDENTS will meet Thursday, March 24 in T-7 New Carroll. Bob Arnold, marketing expert from IBM, will speak about careers in marketing. The public is invited.

THE UNC INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS Association will hold its first annual Student-Faculty Wine and Cheese Party at 7:30 Wednesday, March 23 in room 217 Carolina Union. All paid members welcome.

CAROLINA PHOTOGRAPHERS CLUB MEETING Tuesday, March 22nd, 7:30 pm. Check at Union Desk for room number. Anyone interested in photography please come; we are ready to roll.

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M.W.—HAPPY BIRTHDAY! Here's to the "bonding phase" (77) and you and me in the Big City! I love you very much! L.H.

JON RECKFORD—COME BY the *DTH* office sometime today to pick up *DTH* Board info for tonight's meeting. See Linda.

TO THE PERSON WHO brought my keys back Wed. night—Thankful Avalon.

JIM WHINN—Happy Happy Birthday!!!! LAC

WHOEVER PICKED UP MY black wallet from a Hill Hall practice room, please return it to the Music Library desk. No questions asked. Thanks Margaret.

JWOGT—(JIM WHINN of Greenville Towers) Happy Birthday. Here! Here! Here! you're enjoying life in the sun. I miss you total Love, your S&N Successor.

PASSOVER WILL BE HERE sooner than you think! If you don't have plans for the first Seder, consider the Seder sponsored by Hillel. It will be held at 6:30 pm, Monday March 28 at Beth-el Synagogue, Watts and Markham Streets, Durham. Transportation available. \$12.00 non-affiliates, \$10.00 affiliates, \$3.00 discount if you work. Reservations must be in by Friday March 25. Call 942-4057, 10-3 pm, M-F.

GUYS AND GIRLS WHO ORDERED GIRL Scout Cookies. They are in at The Daily Tar Heel Office. Ask for Rejeane.

THE *DTH* BOARD OF Directors will meet Monday Night, 7:30 pm in room 209 of the Union. All interested students are invited to attend. The Board will also meet Wednesday night, 3/23, at 7:30 pm in FPG (union). Again, all interested students are invited to attend.

8TH FLOOR GRANVILLE WEST: Who had the "emergency"?? The four leprechauns (DS, TH, KH, DG) from 8th East. P.S. Thanks for the favors!

JIM WHINN: HAVE A Happy 22nd Birthday Today. We miss you at Lyle Street Hilton. Love, Kate and John.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY, CHUCKLES! Thank you for all the wonderful shared hours in the Dungeon and abroad. May your next twenty years be as good as these last six months! Love, Caro Pinko

JIMBO WHINN—HAPPY BIRTHDAY long lost friend. We miss the warmth of your hands. (The Fayetteville wench doesn't have the same touch!) We miss the fondling of the pride of Franklin Horace & Mildred.

ROSI, CIAO BELL! (SEVILLA isn't that far from C.H.) Life here just ain't the same without you. No afternoon Papageyo's. I miss you! Love! AIR.

CHARLIE MADISON—PLEASE COME by the *DTH* office sometime today to pick up *DTH* Board info for tonight's meeting. See Linda.

PHI THETA KAPPANS TRANSFER students who are former PTM members are encouraged to attend an important meeting concerning orientation '83 and election of new officers. Meet at 8:00 p.m. Call 942-1083.