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Terra Cotta vandalized One hundred and forty-six year old quilt damaged

by Marcus Sperling

Shortly before winter break, two AU students broke into the Terra Cotta, a small historical building on Main Street across from the post office.

The two students, a male and a female, were arrested on Dec. 8 at 5:00 a.m. They were charged with criminal

mischief and third degree burglary.

They threw everything—antiques, clothing and books and other collectibles—into the center of the room, said Sandra Schofield, the vice president of the Alfred Historical Society.

An AU graduate student heard a window being smashed in while

walking down Main Street and informed the Alfred police department.

The two students, boyfriend and girlfriend, broke in through the bathroom window to gain access to the landmark, Schofield said. She also said that the male suspect grew up in the Alfred area.

Nothing was found missing, but a pre-1846 quilt was damaged. The quilt, named the Blazing Star, was made by Ruth Sherman and was valued at over \$1000, but now is estimated at less then

"In being fair, we can not say that the two suspects are responsible for the damage," said Schofield. "The Blazing Star is a very fragile quilt, and could have been damaged while it was being

The two AU students have a scheduled court appearance today.

According to Judge William MacCrea, the district attorney and the defense attorney may settle out of court.

MacCrea said his main concern is that justice is served and that the good feelings between the community members and the students remains the

"There has to be good feelings between the community members and the students. It wouldn't be good to have Alfred residents not trusting the

Wood kiln goes up in smoke

by Brian Fitz

During the evening of December 7, the wood kiln behind Harder Hall caught fire, causing damage to the kiln area. The kiln is used to fire various pottery projects.

Ron Doershug, cheif of the Alfred Fire Department said although this was not an act of arson it was definitely "improper use of the kiln."

Apparantly, someone used the kiln in an attempt to dry firewood. The wood combusted after being left in the kiln for a long period of time and the fire spread throughout the kiln. The roof of the surrounding structure also caught fire.

Bill Seawright, an AU student, witnessed the fire and alerted the Alfred Police Department.

"I was on my way to the bar and saw that the kiln was on fire," said Seawright. "I think the cops thought I was pulling their leg."

The Alfred police notified the Alfred Fire Department, who quickly extinguished the fire.

According to Doershug, the kilns will soon out be of service as a result of the incident.



The scene of the crime: the historical Terra Cotta, an Alfred landmark, was vandalised by two students-one an Alfred native. The culprits were boyfriend and girlfriend.

AU loses another member from student affairs

by Jen Martelle

AU is losing yet another staff member from the student affairs office. As of January 31, Diane Weisz, program director for student for a new program director as well affairs, will no longer be with AU.

"This job just is not a good fit for me. I would like a counseling oriented job. I have no regrets, I have learned a tremendous amount. I don't feel that I can offer Alfred what it needs," said Weisz.

Weisz is planning to move to Florida to live with her parents.

"I want to check out job possibilities and look into PhD programs in counseling or educational psychology," said Weisz.

Weisz's job will be broken down into two parts. Residential life will take on the student activities, while the counseling portion will be taken on by Dana Wothrock of the counseling center.

Weisz's long term goal is a job in student affairs, counseling stu-

"I have learned a lot of good things. I'm leaving knowing what I want professionally and personally."

AU has initiated a national search as replacements for Matt Dubai and Don King, but as of yet none of the positions have been filled.



Diane Weisz, former program director for student affairs

Live from AU, it's Friday Night!

by Chad Bowman

This spring might witness the birth of a new Alfred tradition.

On Feb. 28 a group of AU students, faculty and administration will produce a show modelled loosely after "Saturday Night Live," according to Dan Napolitano.

The show will feature live musical performances, comedy skits, and a guest host. The first show will be hosted by AU President Edward G. Coll, Ir.

"I'm looking forward to that with great enthusiasm," Coll said.

Napolitano came up with the idea and is now working with Steven Johnson, director of arts programming, to make the concept a reality. The first organizational meeting is tonight at 9 p.m. in the Parent's Lounge of the Campus Center. There will be auditions for the musical acts at later dates.

"We've gotten great support from fraternities and sororities, as well as other organizations," Napolitano said.

The project is being funded through Student Affairs and the Performing Artists and Speakers Series, according to Johnson. There will be no admission charge for the show.

Tentative plans are for the show to take place in the McClane Center from 11:30 p.m. to 1 a.m. Later shows are scheduled for March 27 and April 24.

"It's going to be an Alfred tradition," said Napolitano.

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If you want change, vote for it Bits 'n Pieces

As George Bush ventures to New Hampshire to campaign for a second term, he finds an economic landscape much different than that of 1988.

Time reports that in four years, unemployment in New Hampshire has risen from 2.4 percent to 7 percent. Food stamp recipients increased from 18,851 to 51,893. There were 835 bankruptcies in 1988, compared to almost 4,000 in 1991. And, while no banks closed in 1988, 14 closed last year.

These people are not going to buy Bush's claim that the recession is over. Neither should we.

There are some very basic things wrong with our economy. Our \$3.2 trillion national debt takes 14% of our national budget each year to make interest payments. That money could be used for many other things—like paying every college student's tuition for a year, for instance.

This number continues to grow. Now even politicians admit that there may be a problem.

Our government simply can't balance a budget.

This is not mentioning the trade deficit, low educational scores, the economic burden of crime and drugs and spiraling health care costs.

These problems will not be solved by election day, George. Trying to do so will only make the long term problems

What is scary is that, in a short period of time, all of us will face this economic

reality. Some students already do.

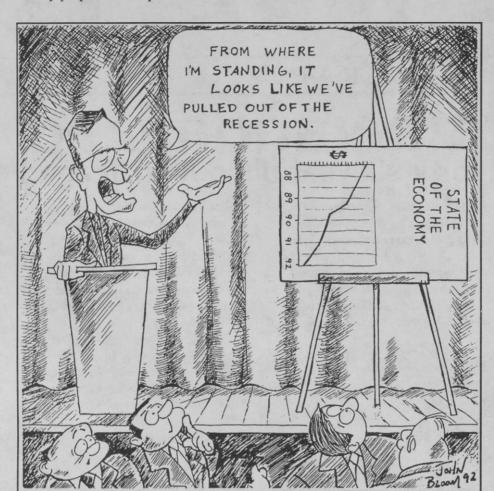
Most of us here can vote. We must vote. And we must vote based upon knowledge.

As voters, if we lend votes to quick fix politics which look good on television, we only perpetuate the problem of

shortsightedness.

Our nation will be in trouble if a longterm plan is not adopted to guide policy and rein in spending.

And if we don't take the responsibilty of electing officials who can do it, who



Letters to the Editor

o the editor:

The Faculty/Staff section of the Blue Ribbon Committee on Issues of Diversity has been meeting with representatives of campus student groups and committees throughout the fall semester. This semester, we plan to shift our focus to administrative, faculty and staff units. As we do this, however, we want to ensure that any and all students and/or student groups who wish to speak to the Committee have that opportunity. These are three pertinent responsibilities of the Blue Ribbon Committee:

- 1. To determine the campus environment and attitude toward diversity.
- 2. To develop a working knowledge of current University programs and policies affecting issues of diversity.
- 3. To determine how such programs and policies affect the campus climate.

We ask that any member of the campus community (particularly students at this time) who wishes to share her/his experiences at Alfred that bear upon the purview of the committee get in touch with Professor Joyce Rausch, co-chair of the Committee. She can be reached at the Division of Mathematics and

Computer Science in Myers Hall, 871-

Sincerely, William Cassidy, for the Blue Ribbon Committee

To the editor:

Every year I am amazed at the level of support shown by the community here at AU. The Fall Telethon was no exception. Approximately 300 students volunteered their time at the Telethon house which raised approximately \$240,000 towards the Annual Fund Campaign. Funds raised go to support scholarships and financial aid, library books, athletics, computer and lab equipment and faculty enrichment.

Competition for cash prizes between clubs and organizations, Greeks, and residence halls was fierce! In Greek competition, Sigma Chi Nu finished in first place with a \$200 cash prize, Alpha Chi Ro took a \$150 second prize followed

by Klan Alpine with a third place \$100 prize. Delta Sigma Phi received honorable mention.

Among the residence halls, Cannon received a first place \$200 prize, Reimer was awarded \$150 for second place followed by Openhym winning \$100 for third place. Bartlett Hall received honor-

The AU Cheerleading Squad won the first place prize of \$200 with the American Marketing Association taking the \$150 second place award and Alpha Phi Omega received the third place \$100 award for the clubs and organizations. Honorable mention goes to the Saxon Ambassadors.

A special thanks goes out to Otto Muller, Dennis Kulonda and Toni Olshan for their support. Your enthusiasm was appreciated by all.

Thanks to everyone who gave up their evenings to spend time at the Telethon house. You really have made a difference.

Thanks,

Carla Miller, assistant director for annual giving

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Tonight the Student Senate will meet for the first time this semester. The meeting will be at 8 p.m. in the Parent's Lounge of Rogers Campus Center. Don't miss it.

The first F.N.L. (Friday Night Live) organizational meeting will be at 9 p.m. It will also be in the Parent's Lounge.

Wings of Desire will be showing in Holmes Theater on Thursday at 9 p.m. Admission is two dollars. What a bargain, brought to you by Alfred Alternative Cinema.

There will be a presentation made by Robert Jacobi from SUNY Buffalo's Geology Department. He'll be talking about the Clarendon-Linden Fault system and telling us how we're all going to fall into the ocean in a few short months.

On Saturday Feb. 2, the Dead **Tragedians Society in the Parents** Lounge of the Campus Center. Come one come all to this gala extravaganza.

Also on Saturday comedian Scott Cossu will perform in the Holmes Theatre.

There will be performances of the Davis Memorial Carillon at odd hours for no apparent reason throughout the rest of your career at AU. But that's what's great about

The Fiat Lux weekly meeting is held every Monday at 6 p.m. in the basement of the Campus Center. Please come.

History Notes

25 years ago...

Frats make chaperoning changes The campus was excited with the possibility of change in the present chaperone system. The Intra-Fraternity Council was discussing the subject because they found it "difficult to secure chaperones for their social functions."

50 years ago.

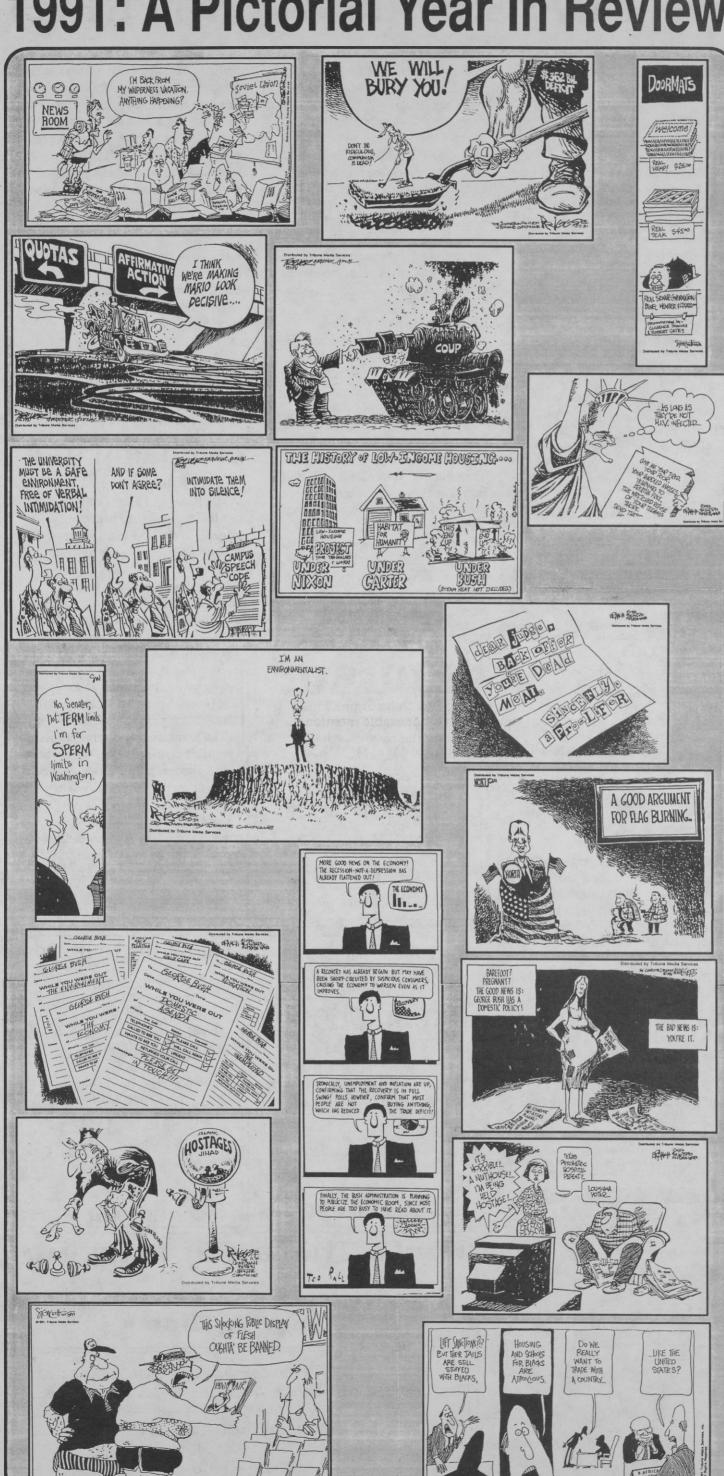
AU Ranks Eighth AU was ranked eighth by the New York State Education Department for the number of teaching certificates issued valid for teaching secondary school subjects.

75 Years Ago...

Women Athletes Get Better Chance

In order to achieve honors, a petition made by the women of AU was passed. The petition allowed the rules regarding the award of athletic honors for women to be made more liberal. The women obtained the chance to receive letters in return for their efforts, which furthered interest in the women's sports program.

1991: A Pictorial Year In Review World Notes



IFK, Oliver Stone's movie about the assassination of John F. Kennedy, has become one of the most controversial movies ever.

Critics complain the Stone intermixes fact and fiction to create his own view of what actually happened before and after the shots were fired.

The movie has reawakened speculations on whether there was a conspiracy, despite the Warren Commission's judgement that Lee Harvey Oswald acted alone. Theories of culpability implicate the Mafia, KGB, Cuba, the CIA and American military establishment.

Newsweek reports that congressmen are looking at the possibility of declassifying sealed documents from the investigation.

Dow Corning faces millions of dollars in lawsuits over its silicon breast implants.

Last month, Commissioner David Kessler of the Food and Drug Administration called for a temporary halt of all implants while allegations of health hazards and inadequate testing are investigated.

About 150,000 women receive implants each year, according to reports.

Arkansas governor William Clinton has been dubbed by the media as the front-runner for the Democrats.

Clinton has a new tax schedule worked out which lowers middle class taxes, plans a \$100 billion cut in military spending and wants to increase college aid from \$6 billion to \$8 billion. Students would have to pay these monies back through monthly payments or by working at community service for two years.

A southern democrat with an impressive track record as governor, Clinton has one attribute most cherished by democrats—he might be electable to the presidency.

Humor

And now from the home office in Irondequoit N.Y.,

The Top Ten Ways to Stay Warm in Alfred!

- 10) Skip all your classes and hide under your covers.
- 9) Buy seven winter jackets and wear them all at the same time.
- 8) Answer a Fiat Lux personal ad.
- 7) Go home.
- 6) Drink lots of whiskey.
- 5) Steal an electric blanket from your
- 4) Work past two a.m. in Harder Hall and get tossed in jail.
- 3) Sleep in the ceramics kiln.
- 2) Eat some of the Brick chili.

...and, drumroll please Maestro, the number one thing to do to keep warm in Alfred...

LEAVE! GO SOMEWHERE ELSE! SOMEPLACE WARM!

Rescue Squad: Have stethoscope will travel

by Julie Gotham

With headquarters at the Crandall Health Center, the AU Rescue Squad is available to students seven days a week from 6 p.m. to 6 a.m.

Three years ago, the Rescue Squad was formed by a group of AU students with a common goal—to help other students who need medical attention. With two faculty advisors, the AU Rescue Squad consists of twenty seven volunteer students.

According to Aaron Valentine,

former co-captain of the Rescue Squad, the squad was originally funded through the Student Senate. Presently, funds come directly from the President's cabinet and Student

According to Don Lynch, one of the founders of the squad, the Rescue Squad works alongside the Alfred Ambulance Corporation, is first to respond to an emergengy. The ambulance is notified as a back up if necessary.

All members must take first-aid and CPR courses for their first year in order to be "on call" with the squad. New York State provides medical courses to the rescue squad as a bonus, said Valentine. He added, "We want everyone on campus to know who we are and what we do."

The rescue squad offers CPR courses to the general public. Blood pressure screening and bloodmobiles are just two of the many events put on by the rescue squad in order to increase public awareness, Lynch

Responding to 31 calls last semester, Valentine stated that the majority of the emergencies deal with general illnesses and falls, and the most common emergencies are alcohol related.

Jonah Thrasher, a freshman at AU, called upon the rescue squad one night while suffering from an illness. Thrasher was impressed with the response time, which is between three and five minutes, according to

Thrasher said, "I'm glad that AU has a rescue squad to assist the students in need of help."

Three members are on call each night. According to Lynch, if a call comes in, two of the members will go directly to the scene while the third brings a rescue car to the scene. Each member has a first aid or 'jump' kit as well as a two-way radio for easy communication.

All calls to the rescue squad are strictly confidential, which makes it more comfortable for a student to use the squad as a trusting friend, said Valentine.

"By state law, we can't discuss anything in relation to a call outside of the medical community," said Lynch. "We're a very discreet service—no loud sirens, no big crowds."

Student Senate starts on the campaign trail

by Chad Bowman

While Bush and all the other presidential hopefuls are tromping around the nation in an attempt to stir up votes, another election is coming up.

Much closer to home, the AU student body will elect a new senate president and vice president on Monday Feb. 24 and Tuesday Feb. 25.

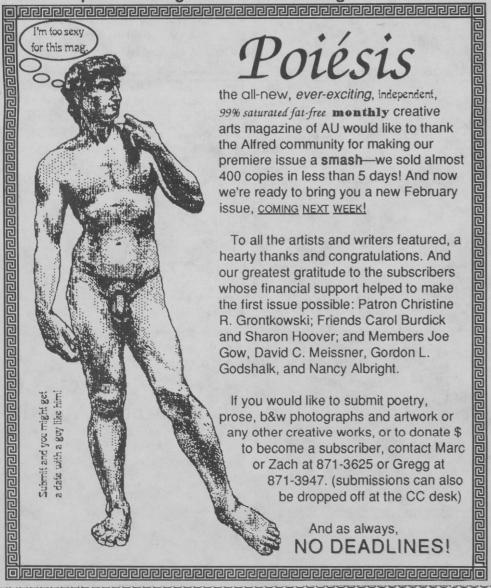
Petitions are currently available from the campus center desk. These petitions are due back to the senate mailbox at 3 p.m. on Monday, Feb.

On Wednesday Feb. 19 there will be a candidate information night at the senate meeting. This meeting is held at 8 p.m. in the Parent's Lounge of the Campus Center.

The Fiat Lux election issue will also come out on Feb. 19. Any candidates who wish to be included in this issue should notify the Fiat Lux by Feb. 12. This can be done by leaving a note at the Campus Center desk.



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Evelyn T. Openhym (AU '24) dies at age 89

by Jen Martelle

"Every good thing that ever happened could remember when there was only to me, was a result of Alfred University." These words were spoken many times by Evelyn Tennyson Openhym, who died at the age of 89 on Monday, January 13.

Openhym graduated with honors



Evelyn Tennyson Openhym 1903-1992

from AU in 1924 with a degree in ceramic art. Since that time, she has been an integral part of AU.

Growing up in Plainfield, NJ, Openhym was raised in a poor family. Her father deserted the family when she was a child, and her mother died when Evelyn was 14.

Ed Letcher, longtime friend of Evelyn, said,"Mrs. 'O' grew up very poor. She used to tell me that she

one can of corn to eat in the whole house."

She attended AU because of a generous neighbor, Letcher said.

"Her neighbor was a doctor and asked her where she would like to attend college. Evelyn said that she wanted to attend AU since her family had attended there. The doctor told her that he would pay for her education under the agreement that she would do the same for a student of AU if she was ever in the financial position to do so. Evelyn agreed."

Openhym was able to keep that promise. While attending Alfred, she met her husband, George Openhym. On their honeymoon trip to London, Evelyn started her collection of rare books, which is now the Openhym Collection at Herrick Memorial Library.

The collection consists of more that 7,000 volumes of original works by classic authors such as, Virginia Woolf, D.H. Lawrence, and T.S. Eliot. The collection also consists of 500 letters and manuscripts by 100 different British authors.

According to Alan Littell, bibliographer of the Openhym Collection, the collection is valued at about \$1 million dollars. The collection is available for public use, but the books cannot be checked out.

Openhym paid many students' tuition at AU, according to another longtime friend, Carol Burdick.

"She helped many generations of AU graduates make it through AU because of her generosity."

With the students Openhym paid tuition for, she had the same agreement with them that she had with her neighbor, the students had to pay for another student if they were financially able to do so.

"Evelyn never complained," Burdick said. "She had a great capacity to get the most out of life. She had a great sense of humor." Burdick also said that after Openhym first became ill, the woman said, "The symptoms of aging I have experienced must be lived with according to one's capacity."

Openhym was a lifetime member of the board of trustees at AU.

"She had the greatest knowledge of AU of anyone I have ever met, " said AU President Edward G. Coll. "She had information dating before the Civil War."

"The collection she has donated to the library is fascination. Bookstores in England would just ship her books without asking her, they all knew what she wanted. I admired her ability to transmit to the collectors the concept of what she was trying to fulfill, it always amazed me. She was a terrific woman, and I'll miss her," Coll said.

In addition to her gift of the Openhym Collection, she also provided an endowment covering the cost of book acquisitions for 10 years.

Openhym is reported to have said on many occasions, "My life has been very much centered around AU because my family have all gone there, beginning in the early 1840's."

And about her collection, she said, "I

look upon it as being able to return to Alfred what it gave me. It gave me every honor it could, including a doctorate in humane letters."

Openhym's interest in beginning the collection started with her sister.

"My sister and I felt that, just by our name, Tennyson, we had to do well in English. You might say we started out in life with a literary aura about us," she is reported to have said.

Openhym summed up her life by saying, "I have done everything I have wanted to do, and I have gone everywhere I have wanted to go. You cannot ask for anymore out of life than that."

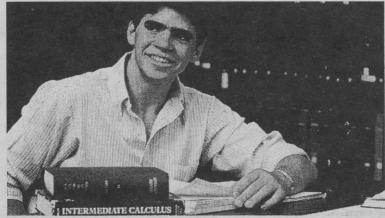
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Alternative Cinema Wings of Desire Thursday, January 30 9:00 p.m., Holmes Theater

Soul In Motion Friday, January 31 7:00 p.m., Holmes Theater Harder Hall

Dance: The Bicycle Thieves Friday, January 31 9:00 p.m., Saxon Underground

Scott Cossu, Recording Artist Saturday, February 2 8:00 p.m., Holmes Theater Harder Hall

Comedian Greg Morton Saturday, February 1 10:00 p.m., Saxon Underground

Driving Miss Daisy Thursday, February 6 8:00 p.m., Holmes Theater Harder Hall

Alternative Cinema Seventh Seal Thursday, February 6 9:00 p.m., Holmes Theater Harder Hall

Walf Dance Friday, February 7 9:00 p.m., Saxon Underground



Jazz pianist kicks off PA&SS season



Scott Cossu will perform on Saturday, Feb. 1st at 8:00 p.m.

Windham Hill recording artist Scott Cossu will kick off the AU P.A.S.S. spring semester schedule on Saturday, February 1.

Cossu is considered one of Windham Hill's most prolific artists. A pianist, composer and arranger, Cossu's music can be described as sleekly modern jazz and fusion powered by electric instruments. His newest album, "Switchback," offers both new directions and a timely return to his potent partenership with flutist and co-producer Dave Valentin.

"Driving Miss Daisy" is also coming to AU, on Thursday, February 6. "Driving Miss Daisy" is the original comedy smash hit that captured the Academy Award, the Pulitzer prize, and the hearts of audiences across the country. This gem of a play tells the

At the Movies

1/27 – 2/2

Wings of Desire
9 p.m. Thursday
Holmes Theatre

2/3 – 2/9

Seventh Seal
9 p.m. Thursday
Holmes Theatre

Terminator II Regarding Henry 8 p.m. Friday 8 p.m. Sunday Nevins Theatre

Little Man Tate | coming soon...
8 p.m. Sunday
Nevins Theatre | City Slickers

story of the growing friendship between a crotchety, aged southern woman and her black chauffeur.

Both events start at 8:00 p.m. in Holmes Auditorium in Harder Hall. General admission is \$10, AU faculty and staff tickets are \$8, and students get in for \$4.

Fosdick-Nelson Gallery features fifteen drawings by women artists

by Anne Kelley
The Fosdick-Nelson Gallery started off
this semester's gallery shows on
Wednesday, January 22, with
"Drawings by Contemporary Women

Artists."

Both representational and nonrepresentational artists are among the fifteen featured in the exhibition.

including Isabel Bishop, Judy Chicago, Joyce Trieman, and Pam Price.

The show will run until February 10. The Fosdick-Nelson Galley, which is

in Harder Hall, is open Monday through Friday from 11 to 4, Tuesday evenings from 7 to 9, and on Sundays from 1 to 4.



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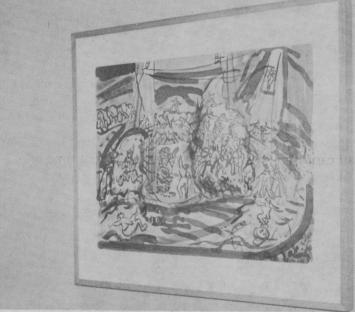
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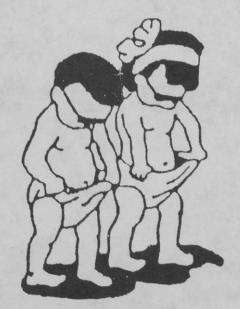
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This drawing, by Ann Harding, is featured along with the works of fifteen other female artists at Fosdick-Nelson Gallery

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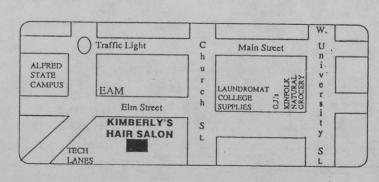
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Junior Margret Baleno and Senior Josh

Solly each garnered gold medals in the

opening race of the 1992 ski season,

Alfred University Saxon ski teams.

Baleno finished first in the giant

slalom and second in the slalom in

Solly was second in both the giant

Alfred's women's team took first at

slalom and slalom, making him the

the race by placing first in both the

defeating Syracuse and Ithaca. The

placing ninth in the giant slalom and

fourth place. In her first collegiate race,

Senior Lisajov Sachs was seventh in

she finished third in the giant slalom

giant slalom and slalom events,

men's team was seventh overall,

Freshman Cyndee Austin just

missed the bronze medal, taking

the giant slalom and 10th in the

placed fourth in the slalom.

For the men's team, junior Scott

Lubinsky took a fourth in the giant slalom, while sophomore Zack Butler

claiming first place overall.

men's overall champion.

sixth in the slalom.

slalom.

and fourth in the slalom.

hosted by Syracuse University, for the

Men come out on top at home double-header Saxons ice the

by Mike Dziama

The AU men's and women's basketball teams played exciting back to back home games last Friday night, climaxed by the men's 77-66 triumph over Hobart.

The Saxons were led by captain Sean McCartney who scored a game high 31 points on 65% shooting from the field. Sophomore guard Randy Wright also played exceptionally well, scoring 16 points and dishing off 6 assists, while committing no turnovers. Other standouts included Ken Buskey with 10 points and Pep Skillon pulling down 8 rebounds.

"We played smarter during the key moments of the game," commented head coach Kevin Jones,"especially midway through the second half when Hobart started making a run."

The Saxons moved to 4-8 on the season, 2-2 in the EAA.

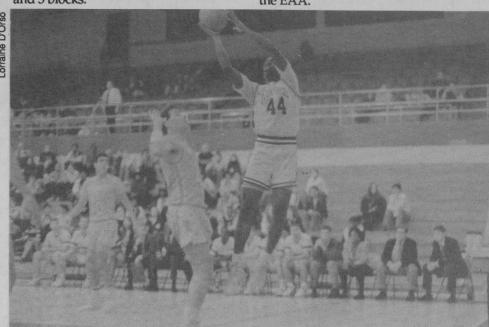
Meanwhile, the Lady Saxon's lost 59-43 against William Smith in the opening game.

AU was led by senior co-captain Deb Perl and and sophomore Heather Thorp in the losing cause. Perl scored 12 points and grabbed 13 rebounds while Thorp added 12 points and 8 rebounds.

Also impressive with her aggressive play was freshmen Jennifer Graff who scored 8 points along with 10 rebounds and 3 blocks.

Mistakes turned out to be the Lady Saxon's downfall, as a 26-20 William Smith lead at halftime was fueled by a total of 31 AU turnovers.

The women fell to 1-10 overall, 0-3 in the EAA.



Saxons dunk Hobart 77-66

Swim team sinks in Binghamton's home pool

by Jennifer Stein

AU women's swim coach Jim Stein remains optimistic despite a 1-4 win/loss record. "We're through the hardest part of our schedual; the first half of the season was tough," said Stein. "Of the next six meets, five will be very close."

The Lady Saxons lost 143-83 in Binghamton's home pool on December 22. Freshmen Katie Walsh and Liz Hall captured AU's only firsts in the 500 freestyle and 200 breast stroke events, respectively. Earlier in the week the women were defeated at home by Allegheny College.

The men's team, coached by Mike Schaeberle, also lost to Allegheny, but defeated Binghamton 144-98.

Senior Rick Stakel placed first in the 50 freestyle event with a time of 22.66 and the 200 butterfly event

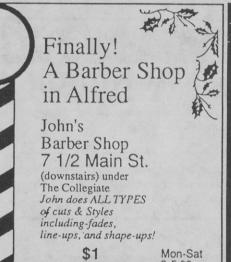
with a time of 1:59.64. He also was part of the first place 400 medley relay team consisting of juniors Shannon Davis, David McBride, and Paul O'Brian and the 400 freestyle relay team consisting of O'Brian, juniors Thomas Reed and Andy Hoak, and freshman Chris Adam.

Reed also placed first in the 200 freestyle event with a time of 1:50.07 and the 500 freestyle event with a time of 5:01.55. Adam placed first in the 200 individual medley event with a time of 2:03.56 and the 100 freestyle event with a time of 50.45.

Junior Bill Dove placed first in the 1000 freestyle event with a time of 10:20.57. Freshman diver Mike Giles took the three meter event with a score of 207.675.



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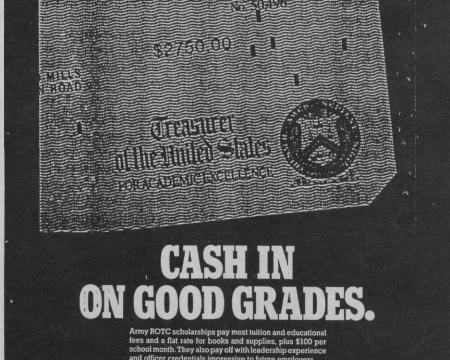


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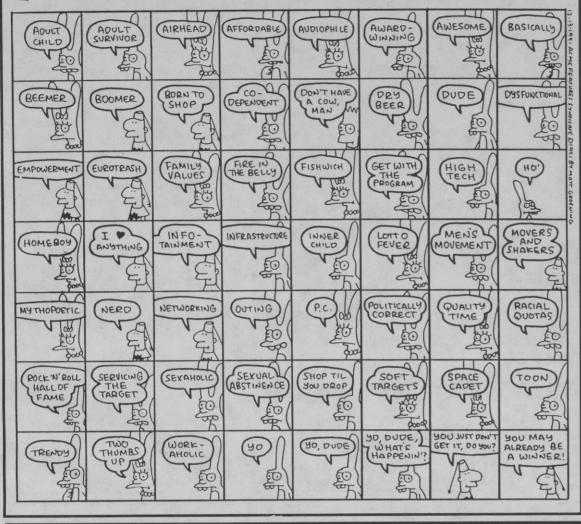
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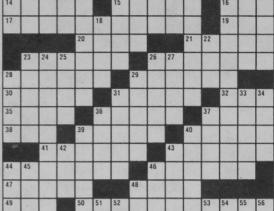
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