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The annual river event will be in April '87, instead of this month.

By Debbie Lemoine
Regatta Chairman

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These notes, from the journal of combat photographer William V. Combs, were returned to the U.S. seven years after he was listed as K.I.A.

Let me see if I can remember all that happened. Me and Dan and Duane got separated from the rest of our squadron. That's when things really went crazy. A fireflight erupted in front of us. People were screaming. The jungle was alive with noise. We didn't know who was shooting or from where but bullets were whizzing around.

We laid low 'til it quieted down, then started to move out. Bad move! I swear every Red in the army was firing at us. I ended up face down in the mud on top of my cover. After a few moments of waiting for the bullets to pierce my back, I rolled over and wiped the mud from my lens. Dan was covered in blood lying about 20 yards from me. Duane and Danny were also covered in blood.

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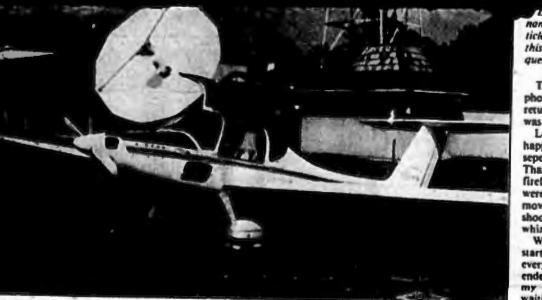
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By Steve Cagle
Avion Staff Reporter

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According to John Phipps, Associate Chairman of the Flight Department, the rocker arm had been drilled off-center during the manufacturing process which then caused the cracks to occur. Inspections of the new C-172s revealed that 15-20 of the rocker arms on the aircraft were defective. Each four-cylinder engine on the C-172 has eight rocker arms which open the intake and exhaust valves.

The engine manufacturer, Lycoming, was notified of the problem and they sent replacement rocker arms which had been carefully inspected. All of the

rocker arms on the new aircraft have since been replaced. Additionally, the older C-172's in the fleet were checked for the problem.

The Federal Aviation Administration will be investigating to see if any action needs to be taken to avoid further occurrences of this problem.

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in the area were better than what they landed in," he added. The students were landing in Daytona Beach and were at approximately 1,000 feet AGL when the engine failure occurred causing the aircraft to crash.

They contacted Air Traffic Control who notified the University and the Volusia County Sheriff Department which sent a helicopter to the scene.

Daytona Beach Aviation was responsible for bringing the aircraft to the ground at Daytona Beach. The private owners consented to letting them fly the plane out of the field and a local logging firm bulldozed some trees and graded a nearby road to provide a runway.

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Tim Phillips and Eric Stroup, both AMT students, performed CPR until the EVAC am-

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The driver of the car was identified as Paul Dean Williams, 1034 N. Nova Road, Daytona Beach. A spokesperson for the FHP said that police suspect alcohol was involved in the accident, and that charges are pending against Williams.

Kenney, a Lexington, Kentucky native, transferred from the University of Kentucky to Embry-Riddle at the beginning of the summer. A memorial service was held for Kenney in the Common Purpose Room in the University Center on Sunday.



Avion photo by Alan Berg

In the pink...

As the number of parking spaces on campus shrink due to construction, the number of citations issued due to illegal parking increases.

A petition is being circulated to put a moratorium on ticketing until all the phases of campus renovation have been concluded.

Editorial

Bumpy roads seen in future

The opening of the Fall trimester has featured many changes in the campus which have made it look better every day. The university has a different appearance, new services, and what seems to be a different attitude toward the students. But has the university *really* changed? Is the administration truly listening to what students have to say? Are they actually concerned with what we need, or do they just want us to believe they do?

Mr. Charlie Fountain, Director of Business Affairs, spoke to students at the SGA meeting last Tuesday night. During this presentation, Mr. Fountain talked about the changes that are happening on the campus. Many of these projects require closing the parking lot behind the library. However, most of these projects will not begin for at least a year. This is a problem.

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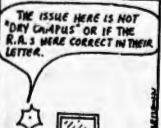
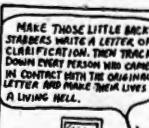
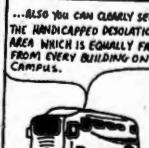
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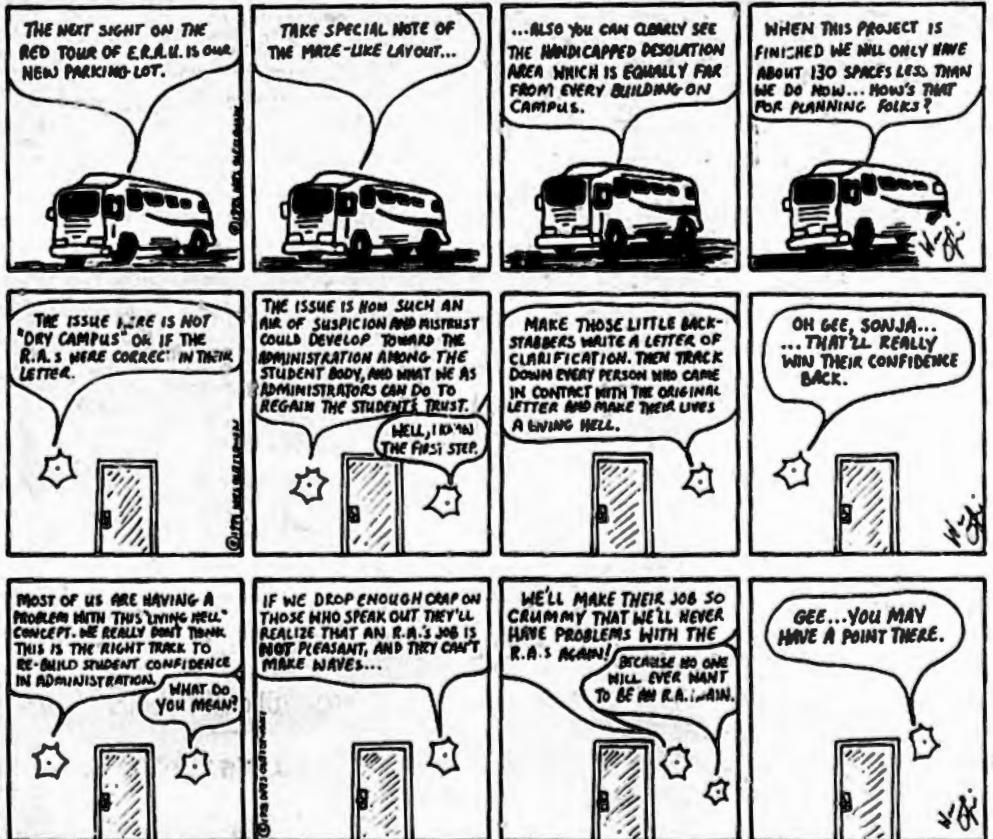
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New center director arrives at Kennedy spaceport

Lt. Gen. Forrest McCartney pledges openness and hard work, rejects fears of military influence on program

By Peter W. Merlin

CAPE CANAVERAL - Air Force Lt. General Forrest McCartney, the new director of Kennedy Space Center, met with the press last week to discuss his new job and how he intends to implement recent recommendations from the Presidential Commission on the Space Shuttle accident. McCartney replaces former director Richard Smith.

Lt. Gen. McCartney, dressed in civilian attire, rejected concerns that his arrival at the center was a sign of growing military influence on the space program. McCartney cited many other military officials who have worked for NASA in the past as examples. "I come here with absolutely no instructions from the Department of Defense," he said.

McCartney said all his loyalties lie firmly with the space program. "I work for Dr. Fletcher," he said. McCartney said he took his new position so that he could help rebuild the ground-launch project that became NASA Administrator James Fletcher "felt comfortable" putting them there.

According to McCartney, about half of the upcoming Shuttle flights will be military in nature. Flights, scheduled to begin in 1988, will be primarily military priorities, personnel and Department of Defense missions. "The shuttle has been, continues to be, and will be a major part of the DoD space program."

Asked what he would do to change space program management, McCartney said, "I think any adjustments in management will be those that evolve day to day." He further stated that he felt "the competence of the entire team is such that there isn't anything that needs to be changed."

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Avon photo by Pete Merlin

Lt. Gen. Forrest S. McCartney assumed the position of Kennedy Space Center Director last week. He rejected concerns that his appointment signaled militarization of the U.S. space program.

work and discipline. He promised to be more involved in work at Kennedy Space Center at all levels. He said he plans to establish a dialogue with all of the people at the center "including those down in the organization who are responsible for getting the work done." McCartney placed safety as a priority and emphasized attention to detail. "There is just no substitute for good, hard work," he said.

McCartney expressed a hope that there would be no further layoffs at the Space Center and that worker morale would improve as preparations begin for

the next Shuttle launch. McCartney said he would not allow launch schedule pressures to endanger a launch by pushing workers to their limits and causing hazards to be overlooked. "We just can't afford to push people at high pressure levels for great lengths of time," McCartney said. He also said he would not hesitate to scrub a Shuttle launch if he felt problems were overlooked.

McCartney pledged "openness, frankness, and timeliness" in dealing with the news media. Immediately after the Challenger disaster in January, NASA

became very closed-mouthed towards the press, thereby causing friction and feelings of ill will between media and space program officials. McCartney describes the news media as "an important part of the team," as NASA's "link to all people what is going on."

Long space career

Forrest S. McCartney, 55, graduated from Gulfport Military Academy in 1949. He earned a Bachelor of science degree in Electrical Engineering from the Alabama Polytechnic Institute, Auburn, in 1952. His first assignment was with the Air Force Logistics Command at Robins Air Force Base, Georgia.

McCartney earned a Master's degree in Nuclear Engineering from the Air Force Institute of Technology, Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio, in 1955. Upon graduation he served as project officer for various special projects, including studies for nuclear weapons safety systems studies at the Special Weapons Center, Kirtland AFB, New Mexico. He was graduated from the Armed Forces Staff College, Norfolk, Virginia in 1967.

McCartney's first Air Force assignments have included duty at the Satellite Control Facility, Sunnyvale, California, as a satellite controller during early space operations in 1959; an assignment at the Office of Space Activities, Air Force Systems Division, Wright-Patterson AFB, Maryland from 1961 to 1966, serving as a project officer in the Titan III program and various Air Force communications satellite programs.

He was assigned to the Directorate of Space at U.S. Air Force Headquarters, Washington, D.C. In 1967 as the program element

monitor for satellite communications programs and other selected space-related efforts.

McCartney transferred to the Air Force Eastern Test Range, headquartered at Patrick AFB, Florida in 1971 as the Director of Range Engineering.

In June 1974, McCartney was assigned to the Strategic Missile Systems Optimization at Los Angeles Air Force station as the Systems Program Director for Fleet Satellite Communications System phase I and II satellites, the NAVSTAR Global Positioning System, and the Inertial Upper Stage. He also

1983, became Commander of Air Force Space Division and was also appointed Vice Commander of the new Air Force Space Command.

Spacecraft programs with which General McCartney has been directly associated include the FLTSATCOM series of military communications satellites including the Defense Satellite Communications System phase I and II satellites, the NAVSTAR Global Positioning System, and the Inertial Upper Stage. He also



Avon photo by Pete Merlin

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August 1976, he was reassigned within the organization as Deputy for Space Communications Systems.

McCartney moved to Norton AFB, California in September 1979 as Vice Commander of the Ballistic Missile Office. In November 1980, he was named Commander of the Ballistic Missile Office and MX Program Director. He became Vice Commander of the Air Force Space Division in May 1982. In May

participated in the construction program for the Consolidated Space Operation Center, a command and control center for military space operations, at Falcon Air Force Station, Colorado.

McCartney was promoted to his current rank of Lieutenant General on May 1, 1983. He was appointed Kennedy Space Center Director on August 20, 1986. He assumed his new post on October 1, 1986.

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work and discipline. He promised to be more involved in work at Kennedy Space Center at all levels. He said he plans to establish a dialogue with all of the people at the center "including those down in the organization who are responsible for getting the work done." McCartney pledged "openness, frankness, and timeliness" in dealing with the news media. Immediately after the Challenger disaster in January, NASA

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Director on August 20, 1986. He assumed his new post on October 1, 1986.

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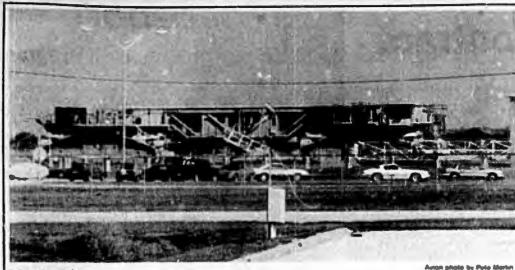
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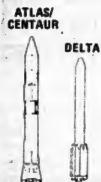
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Moving In...

The giant crawler transporter moved laboriously towards the Vehicle Assembly Building last Thursday morning in preparation for the rollout of Space Shuttle Atlantis to launch pad 39B. The rollout was scheduled for Tuesday, October 7, just after midnight.

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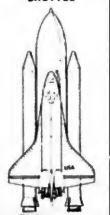
NASA**Upcoming Events**

Space Shuttle orbiter *Atlantis* will remain on the launch pad for seven weeks of testing.

The orbiter *Columbia* is scheduled for a 747 ferry flight to Vandenberg Air Force Base on November 5.

Launch of *Atlas-Centaur 68* is planned for no earlier than November 6. AC-68 will carry U.S. Navy *FLTSATCOM F7*.

Deltas 179 has been delayed until early December. The vehicle will place *GOES-H* weather satellite in geosynchronous orbit.

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Partial solar eclipse fascinates ERAU students, astronomers

By Peter W. Merlin

The southeastern states were treated to a partial solar eclipse last Friday afternoon.

At about 2:25 p.m., the Moon began to move in front of Earth and the Sun, appearing to take a small bite out of the solar disk. By 3:30, about 33 percent of the Sun was blocked from view. While this was not enough to significantly darken the sky, it was nonetheless fascinating to Earthbound observers.

Embry Riddle students observing the partial eclipse from the viewing area in the center of the Academic Complex, ERAU dormitory grounds, and Bill Palmer set up the school's Celestron telescope to observe the phenomenon.

Since a solar eclipse cannot be observed directly by the naked eye without causing damage to the optic nerve, the telescope was used to project the image onto a piece of cardboard. The image could then be observed safely.

A large number of the students stopped by the telescope to view the eclipse. The event had been well publicized by the Embry Riddle chapter of L5 Aerospace Society in conjunction with their annual Space Week celebration. Others stopped out of sheer

curiosity from seeing the telescope set up in the middle of the day.

People in ancient times feared an eclipse of the Sun. Some superstitions held that a solar eclipse increased the anger of the gods. The ancient Chinese believed that a dragon was taking a bite out of the Sun.

In modern times the solar eclipse is recognized as a fascinating natural phenomenon. The eclipse is produced when a body, in this case the Moon,

passes between the Sun and the observer. Astronauts who traveled to the Moon were able to observe an eclipse of the Sun by the Earth.

Since the shadow of the Moon only falls on parts of the Earth, the eclipse is not visible everywhere on the planet, nor to the same extent in all places. The next partial solar eclipse visible in the United States will occur on May 18, 1994. A total solar eclipse will not be visible in the U.S. until 2004.



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The Moon appears to take a bite out of the Sun in this filtered image of last Friday's partial solar eclipse. A similar event will not be visible in the United States until the middle of May 1994.

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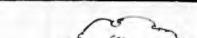
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B-1B now on full alert status with Air Force

WASHINGTON (AP) The first of the nation's new fleet of B-1 bombers went on full-alert status Wednesday, marking the beginning of regular operation for the aircraft placed since its return from the Gulf.

"The important revitalization of our bomber force continues on track," said Gen. Lawrence A. Shanahan, the commander of the Air Force Systems Command.

"I am pleased to announce that the Dyess Air Force Base, Texas, the first B-1B is now standing constant alert. Fourteen other B-1Bs are also at Dyess, an operational unit of the Strategic Air Command. Achieving this initial operational capability in only five years is a major accomplishment."

The B-1 is the first long-range strategic bomber to be developed by the United States in 30 years. The swing-wing, four-engine jet can fly supersonic speeds and is also equipped with sophisticated navigation and radar systems designed to hug the ground and evade radar.

Starting in late 1980's, the Air Force plans on retiring the aging B-52 bombers that now form the heart of the nation's bomber force. They will be replaced by 100 B-1Bs and 132 of the new radar-evading "Stealth" bombers, which are now in the final stages of development.

Answers to Crossword

From page 15.

CUE **BAKERS** **SHY**
ALL **ABOUT** **JOE**
DIS **RE** **HAIR**
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LAWA **ELABILIT**
OVEN **COOL** **ON**
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Air Force's fifth test of ASAT a success

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The test involved an experiment with the missile's guidance system and the rocket was not fired against an actual object in space, the Pentagon said.

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say how high the missile flew, saying such information was classified.

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Rutan's Voyager delayed

Broken propeller on experimental aircraft delays first nonstop flight around the world

MOJAVE, Calif. (AP) — Two pilots who hope to be the first to fly around the world without refueling suffered a setback when a propeller on their experimental aircraft broke during a final test flight, forcing them to make an emergency landing at Edwards Air Force Base.

The mishap occurred Tuesday as the crew of the twin-engine Voyager was checking adjustments made to the plane to improve its stability in turbulent air.

Pilots Dick Rutan and Jeana Yeager landed the plane safely at Edwards Air Force Base after part of the front-engine propeller flew off, said Voyager spokesman Lee Herring.

On a single engine, Rutan and Miss Yeager flew Voyager 30 miles from Edwards to Mojave Airport today, landing at 7:53 a.m., said spokeswoman Terri Smith. The flight team will announce future plans Thursday or Friday, she said.

Pilot Lee Herring, a Voyager spokesman, said two of the six bolts that fasten the propeller to the engine broke, causing the propeller to become unbalanced and break off. The engine then partially tore away from its mounting, he said.

The vibration set up by the unbalanced propeller also caused a small leak to develop in one of the plane's fuel lines.

No date has been set for the start of the global flight but Voyager officials said the propeller failure was a setback in their plans for the unpreceded long-distance journey.

The flight team had planned to leave on November 1 in order for the aviators to have satisfactory weather conditions.

"We could still go this year," Voyager spokeswoman Wanda Wolf said Tuesday. "But if the (new) prop has to come from Germany it means a delay of weeks."

The test flight, portrayed as the final dry run, was to assess the usefulness of the aircraft's leading edge of the plan's wings. The wings were added to adjust a balance problem that interferes with Voyager's handling in turbulent air.

A private group developed the Voyager, which weighs 1,845 pounds without fuel. It will weigh about 9,300 pounds when it takes off on the planned 12-day, 27,750-mile course around the world.

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WHAT IT IS: The Riddle Run-Around

By Tim Van Milligen
Diversions Editor

Welcome to the official return of "Diversion," the entertainment section of the Aviator newspaper.

The name was chosen by the last Diversions editor, Tim Markwald, last fall. The section was heavily involved with covering musical events, and subsequently it got "old" real fast to many students. My goal as editor of this section is to bring variety into your life, to give you more than just a rehash of what's been done before. I hope to inspire you to think, to dream, and to act.

In last week's issue we had a mini-poster for the university employees on the policy toward students by our past Embry-Riddle president, Jim Hunt. The reason I chose to run it in the paper was because I felt the content was important and the student was one of "who really cares." The main justification for my attitude on this subject is the "Riddle-Ride-Round." I feel that this condition does not have to exist at this university. It shouldn't be any hassle for any University employee to play the telephone and fax machine game with the student who wants to do something or who wants to know if their office is more able to help the student with his situation. The current position of sending the student away saying "I'm sorry, I can't help you" is

an answer the student should no longer accept. Together, as a student body, we can change the current mentality, but this can only happen if we're truly ready, truly want a change to come about.

One source of constant complaint is teacher evaluations. Each term the students evaluate the teachers and the classes that they are enrolled in. Each term the results of the evaluations are kept from the students, and nothing ever seems to be done to improve the quality of teaching. With the results in the hands of the students, the process of improving the teaching system will be almost fully automatic; as the poorer teachers will find themselves without any students in their classes. Since we know how tight our university is with our money, these entire sections will be canceled and replaced with something else.

So this week I've gone back into the historical file and dug up an old teacher evaluation that the students used to be in charge of. After reading through the evaluation, you'll probably be wondering why the students aren't in command of the evaluation. Well, the reason is that the students will fill them out. The reason is that the students who have power to carry out our request, namely our student government, are more interested in parliamentary procedure

and "Roberts Rules Of Order" than they are in the students themselves. Every time the notion of a student run teacher evaluation comes up, the SGA representatives are too busy saying how nice it is to have a free service, and how under-staffed they are to do any serious work. They should have realized that when they ran for their respective positions they would have to do some extra work. Being a representative is more than just a resume building position.

I'd say that it was about time that the student government becomes responsible for the teacher evaluations. Each year we pay for student government fees, and it's hard to believe that the Student Administrative Council can't spend a little of that to run a teacher evaluation service with the results given directly to the students. And with over \$300,000 in the SGA budget, "unallocated" I can't think of a single reason that SCA shouldn't consider providing the students with something really useful.

To give the instructors an equal share of the pie, I also found in the historic file a "student evaluation." This appeared a week after the teacher evaluation form ran in the Aviator. The student evaluation was to be used as an alternative to the teacher evaluation service. In fact, by reading it, you'll find out there is nothing serious in it at all, which is why it is appearing here in *Diversion*.

INSTRUCTOR EVALUATION OF EMBRY-RIDDLE AERONAUTICAL INSTITUTE

Each student is asked to give an objective evaluation of each instructor in each class. The comment will be invaluable in the overall process of improving the level of teaching.

NAME OF INSTRUCTOR _____ **COURSE NAME AND NUMBER** _____ **DATE** _____

Instructions Choose the number of the statement which best fulfills the professor's performance for the topic concerned.
If the statement does not apply to the course of study,
PLACE A "0" IN THE APPROPRIATE SPACE.

1. Lectures are stimulating and arouse great interest
2. Lectures are of about average interest
3. Lectures are not particularly interesting

Clarity and organization

1. Lectures are consistently clear and well organized
2. Lectures are sometimes organized, sometimes not
3. Lectures are usually disorganized and hard to follow

Balance between lectures and discussion

1. Professor strikes a good balance between lecture and discussion
2. Professor lectures too much and gives too little opportunity for discussion
3. Professor gives little or no opportunity for discussion

Ability to arouse interest

1. Lectures are stimulating and arouse great interest
2. Lectures are of about average interest
3. Lectures are not particularly interesting

Clarity of exam questions

1. Questions are clear and understandable
2. Questions sometimes are unclear and difficult to understand
3. Questions are generally ambiguous and involved

Emphasis on exams

1. Exams are well timed
2. Exams are too frequent
3. Exams are not frequent enough

Examinations

1. Exams are well timed
2. Exams are difficult to understand and of little benefit to course

Supplementary readings

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Opportunity for questions and discussions

1. Professor welcomes discussions, though students may disagree with him
2. Professor discourages class discussion when students disagree with him
3. Professor gives little or no opportunity for questions and discussion

Quality of discussion and answers to questions

1. Discussions and answers are to the point and effective
2. Answers to questions are occasionally not clear or are slightly off
3. Professor avoids all difficult questions

Original thinking

1. Professor encourages original thinking and helps students to achieve that goal
2. Professor encourages original thinking but student does not achieve that goal
3. Professor does not encourage original thinking

Professor

Attitude toward students

1. Professor is very interested and helpful
2. Professor seems only moderately helpful

Assignments

Length of assignments

1. Assignments are of significant length
2. Assignments are only moderately beneficial
3. Assignments are of little benefit

Clarity of assignment

1. Assignments are made clearly and will in advance
2. Assignments are occasionally unclear
3. Assignments are frequently indefinite and given hurriedly

Papers

1. Papers always allow development original ideas
2. Papers usually give such an opportunity
3. Papers only seldom give such an opportunity

Reading

Textbooks

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Clearness of exam questions

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3. Questions are generally ambiguous and involved

Emphasis on exams

1. Exams are fair and cover the major material adequately
2. Exams are unfair. Why? (Explain using backs)
3. Professor seems indifferent toward students

Self-reliance and confidence

1. Professor is sure of himself and well poised
2. Professor is occasionally ill at ease
3. Professor seems hesitant and timid

Manners

1. Professor has no objectionable mannerisms
2. Professor has annoying mannerisms. List on back.

Standards for work

1. Professor's standards for judging work are clear
2. Professor's standards for judging work are not clear

Fluency of expression

1. Professor speaks clearly and distinctly with free flow of words
2. Professor sometimes stumbles and is at a loss for words
3. Professor speaks too rapidly for good note-taking

Students

What is your grade point average?

1. 3.5 - 4.0
2. 3.0 - 3.4
3. 2.5 - 2.9
4. 2.0 - 2.4
5. Below 2.0

PLEASE LIST ANY CONSTRUCTIVE CRITICISM THAT HAS NOT BEEN COVERED IN PREVIOUS QUESTIONS ON THE OPPOSITE SIDE OF THIS SHEET.

Soviet update:

Experimental aircraft

By Andrei Stilov
Novosti Press Agency

wheel and the shuttle handle are made of two sking sticks. The 18 Hp Centauri engine is positioned behind the pilot's back. The propeller has two blades 40 cm each. A tall set of folding tubes rests on light tubes.

Dmitriev is now testing another miniplane, which can be carried in a suitcase.

Dmitriev, who is a driver, says "although I and my friends studied materials, strength of materials and aircraft design, our first models we made every mistake that is to be made in aircraft making. Our later miniplanes will be much better."

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Now he is a pilot and designer of amateur mini-airborne vehicles, which are built in the Crimea.

There, over 50 planes,

helicopters and microlights were shown, which are only the tip of the iceberg. In expert estimate, they were in the Soviet Union about 1000 experimental flying aircraft, mostly built by amateurs.

Most of them are built by amateurs. Some are built by professionals. Serial production of some of them will begin soon. Most likely, they will be aircraft made by design offices at aeronautical colleges.

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Student Evaluation

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- a. male
- b. female
- c. strange

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- c. student spits up when approaching

d. student is physically restrained

3. Level of Achievement

- a. works hard, achieves well
- b. works up to ability
- c. below average
- d. cheats

d. all of the above

4. Using books and other information sources, student

- a. makes good use of material
- b. doesn't use them
- c. shows interest but has trouble comprehending
- d. shows interest but can't read

d. uses up in a ball and whimpers

5. Student's communication

- a. good
- b. mediocre
- c. poor
- d. garbage

d. student should be passed with honors

10. Student should be

- a. passed with honors
- b. passed
- c. failed
- d. turned over to the police

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2. Professor lectures too much and gives too little opportunity for discussion
 3. Professor gives little or no opportunity for questions and discussion

Opportunity for questions and discussions

1. Professor welcomes discussion though students may disagree with him
2. Professor discourages class discussion when students disagree with him
3. Professor gives little or no opportunity for questions and discussion

Quality of discussion and answers to questions

1. Discussions and answers are to the point and effective
2. Answers to questions are occasionally not clear or are slighted
3. Professor avoids all difficult questions

Original thinking

1. Professor encourages original thinking and helps students to achieve that goal
2. Professor encourages original thinking but student does not achieve that goal
3. Professor does not encourage original thinking

Professor

Attitude toward students:

1. Professor is very interested and helpful
2. Professor seems only moderately helpful

Assignments

Benefits of assignments

1. Assignments are of significant benefits
2. Assignments are only moderately beneficial
3. Assignments are of little benefit

Length of assignments

1. Assignments are reasonable in length.
2. Assignments are often too long and require more time than should be expected
3. Assignments are not long enough

Clarity of assignment

1. Assignments are made clearly and will in advance
2. Assignments are occasionally unclear
3. Assignments are frequently indefinite and given hurriedly

It happened this week...

A look at the history of ERAU

1960

- The Embry-Riddle Rocket Society is formed to give the students a broader insight into the study of astrodynamics.

1961

- The Rocket Society changes its name to the Astronomical Research Society.

1968

- The Alumni Association is formed.

1967

- The name the eagle contest is won with the bird being called "S.P.A.D." which stands for Success, Professionalism, Aeronautical skill, and Determination.

1. Exams are well timed
2. Exams are too frequent
3. Exams are not frequent enough

Clearness of exam questions

1. Questions are clear and understandable
2. Questions sometimes are unclear and difficult to understand
3. Questions are generally ambiguous and involved

Emphasis on exams

1. Examinations are fair and cover the major matter adequately
2. Examinations are unfair. Why? (Explain using back)
3. Professor seems indifferent toward students

Self-reliance and confidence

1. Professor is sure of himself and well poised
2. Professor is occasionally ill at ease
3. Professor seems hesitant and timid

Mannerisms

1. Professor has no objectionable mannerisms
2. Professor has annoying mannerisms. List on back.

Standards for work

1. Professor's standards for judging work are clear
2. Professor's standards for judging work are not clear

Fluency of expression

1. Professor speaks clearly and distinctly with free flow of words
2. Professor sometimes stumbles and is at a loss for words
3. Professor speaks too rapidly for good note-taking

Students

What is your grade point average?

1. 3.5 — 4.0
2. 3.0 — 3.4
3. 2.5 — 2.9
4. 2.0 — 2.4
5. Below 2.0

PLEASE LIST ANY CONSTRUCTIVE CRITICISM THAT HAS NOT BEEN COVERED IN PREVIOUS QUESTIONS ON THE OPPOSITE SIDE OF THIS SHEET.

- The "East Campus," on the corner of Catalina Road and Clyde Morris Boulevard, is dedicated.

1968

- The self proclaimed "Nova ave. Dorm Council" voted to allow female visitors into the Nova Ave. dorm facilities.

1968

- MA 209 "Intro to computer programming" is offered for the first time at ERAU.

1971

- The Nova Ave. dorm residents are notified that the lease of the facilities will be terminated at the end of the Spring trimester.

Daytona Beach.

1964

- Eric Doten accepts the Daytona Beach campus' Provost slot, and resigns from the Air Force after 23 years of service.

- b. female
- c. strange
- d. none of the above

Class participation

- a. student is normal and outgoing
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Attendance

- a. student attends class regularly
- b. student comes occasionally
- c. student has never shown up
- d. student stands outside window

6. Attitude toward instructor

- a. aggressive
- b. hostile
- c. threatening
- d. has to be physically restrained

7. Objectional mannerisms

- a. throwing papers
- b. throwing soda cans
- c. throwing rocks
- d. all of the above

8. Self Confidence

- a. very confident
- b. adequate
- c. unsure of self
- d. curts up in a ball and whimpers

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Ultimate

(continued from page 1)

Minutes seemed like hours and it was an eternity before we made it through, but we made it and we were all feeling better with that accomplishment.

Rule No. 367: Never feel good about anything you do while in combat because somehow you will be brought back to reality.

A few days ago some players with little or no effort we stumbled right into the enemy's camp. Words, Pictures—nothing can describe what transpired in the next fifteen minutes.

Danny and Duane broke off and attacked the camp from the right. In the confusion we circled behind the camp and attacked from the rear. It looked good on paper, anyway.

I don't remember much of what happened after that, remember snapping a picture of Bob (Duane) being shot by the enemy. I remember seeing Dan fall beside me and I remember staring down a gun barrel through my viewer. I also remember the darkness.

Yes, you have heard reading the many stories of combat photographer William Combs, but the above scenario didn't occur in WWII, Vietnam, or Korea. Instead it took place last Saturday near Deland at The Ultimate Game. Some 50 plus commandos from Apartment Complex I were out in full (and some not so full) camouflage putting themselves against each other in simulated combat.

The game itself is run by Gary Garofalo, who has been running it for over a year. If you are anyone willing to spend a day running through swamps and jungles shooting and being shot at (sometimes by your own teammates. Right, Danny?) Reservations are made by calling 677-9420 or 673-4045. The rules are explained in detail before the game and referees are present on the battlefield to settle any disputes that arise.



The element of surprise...

Avon photos by Bill Combs



The Avion critiques Epicure's "Easy Pieces"

Recently, Epicure Food Services introduced a new pizza delivery service, "Easy Pieces Pizza," available to the on-campus dorms only. The Avion ordered two pizzas; one 16 inch with pepperoni only, and one 16 inch B-52 with anchovies, onions, and extra anchovies, on Monday, Sept. 29, at approximately 9 p.m. This is what the Avion found.

Delivery time: 20 minutes - very good

Toppings: fresh, delicious, and plentiful

Cheese: bland and dry

Tomato sauce: thin and tasteless

Crust: thick, dry and airy on the B-52; thin and soggy on the regular pie with the pepperoni. Both pizzas exhibited an

unusual, indescribable chemical taste.

The overall rating the Avion gives Epicure's "Easy Pieces Pizza" is a two out of a possible ten. The idea of a pizza delivery service to the dorms is great, but sometimes an unfortunate occurrence happens when a new service is started. Try, try again Epicure. We hope this was an isolated incident.

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are explained in detail before the game and referees are present on the battlefield to settle any disputes that arise.

50 plus commandos from Apartment Complex I turned out Saturday in full camouflage for a day of simulated combat near Deland. Those who's camouflage was a bit lacking suffered the "Ultimate" consequence at the hands of friends.

"B-52" with all the toppings except anchovies, on Monday, Sept. 29, at approximately 9 p.m. This is what the Avion found.

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Int'l students may face 'reg' changes

By Rashid Riaz
Int'l Student Writer

The foreign student community at Embry-Riddle will be very interested to learn that the U.S. Immigration and Naturalization Service (INS) has recently published proposed changes in the F-1 non-immigrant student regulations. Information on the regulatory proposal was published in the National Association for Foreign Student Affairs (NAFSA) Government Affairs Bulletin Vol. 3, No. 1.

The Bulletin states that the regulatory proposal was the direct result of NAFSA's regulatory reform effort. The five principle parts of the proposal are: simplification of the school transfer process, expanded and streamlined practical training opportunities, reduced record keeping and reporting burdens on educational institutions and a bar to change of status to the "H" temporary worker classification for some students.

Although the changes primarily are intended towards reducing paperwork burdens and for streamlining administrative procedures, there are certain areas which definitely appeal to the foreign student curiosity. The following is an extract from the

article which contains some points of interest to the foreign student.

Duration of status — Foreign students would fall out of status if they remain in a particular program for longer than the anticipated program length plus a grace period. According to the published notice, this restriction translates as follows: F-1 students in a program of two years or less, as indicated on their Form I-20AB, would be allowed a grace period of 18 months. Students in a program of more than two years, would be allowed a grace period of 18 months.

Practical Training — The contemplated changes are the most dramatic in this area. Two types of practical training are proposed: pre-completion and post-completion of studies training. Each type of training must have a separate and mutually exclusive 12 month cap. As a consequence, it is permissible of an F-1 student to secure up to two years of practical training: twice the current limit.

The criteria for the eligibility of the training would remain similar to current regulations: the training is not available in the student's home country and is

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Get your bags packed!

Get your passports stamped and ready!
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International Day 1986 (in the U.C.) on November 8.
"Be there or be left out!"

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International students of ERAU gathered this past summer at a farewell dinner honor FSS Senior Secretary, Carol

Kessler. Nearly one-hundred individuals met for the social event which included a buffet and many presentations.

Photo by Tom Upde

Students prepare for November Int'l Day

By Sunil Patel
Int'l Students Writer

Six years ago, Mrs. Charlotte Skinner took over the directorship of the International Student Affairs Office (now called the Foreign Student Services). With her, came an idea whose time had come. She started the first International Day. From what I have been able to gather, the first one

was quite a small affair.

The whole idea of this event was to let the foreign students promote their countries and to let the broadest range of cultural awareness of both American and foreign student alike. I know, as many other foreign students do, that geography is not one of the typical American student's strongest subjects. Also, a foreign student is not very likely to know another's home country

if it is located in a different hemisphere from his own. So, Mrs. Skinner's brainchild was a benefit for us all.

For those among us who, perchance, do not have the foggiest notion of what International Day is all about, I shall try to enlighten you. International Day is usually held on Saturday for convenience sake. It is held in the U.C. and it involves the setting up of booths to represent the dif-

ferent countries. Preparations for International Day start months in advance. Letters have to be sent to different embassies to request the various posters, pamphlets, color slides or film, artifacts and clothing among the other things to be used in the booths.

In the earlier years, various native dishes were prepared by

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Theta Phi Alpha

Theta
Phi Alpha

By Francesca Lewis
Chapter Editor

With the end of Rush Week and the work put into it, the outcome was a success. The sisters had a nice time at the parties meeting the rushes. Bids were sent out this week. Those who ac-

cepted will be pledged in this week, the beginning of October. The sisters are anxious to see who the pledges will be!

The sisters are psyched about Greek Week, especially the new event! Practice will be starting soon so we will turn out better than last year!

AFROTC

Air Force Reserve Officer Training Corps

By C/Cpt. McCabe
Club Writer

The Fall trimester is now in full swing as we approach the second week of October. The goals which you set for yourself should be within your reach as long as you continue to have a positive attitude and an increasing level of motivation.

Over the weekend, the Special Teams performed at the Fireman's Day Parade on Oct. 4 in South Daytona. The Band, Drill Team, and Rifle Team all

did an excellent job representing the Corps. Congratulations and keep up the good work!

Col. Charles B. Moore, Southeast Area Commandant, will be visiting the Detachment on Oct. 13 and 14. The Inspector General will also be visiting the month of October so, all cadets must be in AFR 35-10 and be ready to show off their skills.

AFOQT is scheduled for Oct. 11 and 18 so, if you have not signed up do so as soon as possible. Remember, it is your future. Seniors, remember your trips

to Patrick AFB for commissioning physicals are Oct. 20 through Oct. 23.

Drill competition and promotion tests are scheduled for the week of Oct. 13. These will help determine who will be honor flight and work towards your promotion. Also, the Physical Fitness Test must be administered by your big brother by that week.

Good luck with your promotion and who will be Honor Flight.

Seniors, remember the best of luck and encourage them to work

diligently to better themselves and Lambda Chi.

The brothers of Lambda Chi Alpha are continuing to produce their annual newsletter. The brothers are Steve Luray, Gary Rittenhouse, John Clark, Tom Ross, Eric Shannon, Bill Watson, Hendry Beets and Matt Walther. We wish all our new associate members the best of luck and encourage them to work

spent finishing up with rush and really getting to know all the perspective pledges. On Saturday everyone went to the beach and took part in activities such as volleyball, surfing, and jet skiing. That evening formal bids were given out. Bid day ended with Jeff Ash, Joe Cammarata, Nigel Richards, and Doug

Brooks for volunteering their apartment to be used. Congratulations to everyone who received a bid. We are glad your thinking of Sigma Pi.

Last week we welcomed brothers McNeil to ERAU when it should have been O'Neill. Sorry dude.

AHP

Alpha
Eta Rho

By Geoff Waxman
Club Writer

AHP has been keeping themselves very active so far this trimester. Our house has moved along smoothly with all the construction finished, and a few finishing touches left to do. Doc Horowitz has been a great ally to our fraternity and we found out that he is giving grants for all the "finishing" he has done. This house has really given our fraternity a real sense of commitment and togetherness, which will carry us into an even greater future.

AHP held a barbecue at the

house on Saturday the 27th. We had a great turnout from the brothers as well as an eager bunch of pledges. We are now in the final house orientation and ours is around its in its barren state. The first pledge orientation meeting was held last Tuesday. The brothers answered many questions and tried to meet as many pledges as possible. Big brothers were there for most of the pledges. Dan A. was with a few pledges still left undecided. Now is the time to start socializing and meeting the brothers. The most important thing to remember is that the brothers are there to talk to, and you should

be honest and yourself with them. For those who are not members of AHP and would like to, leave a note in the AHP box in the Student Activities Office if you missed pledge orientation.

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Check our bulletin board in the University Center for upcoming events and dates

Sigma Pi

Sigma Pi Herald

By Doug Brooks
Sigma Pi Herald

It seems as though school has just started but already a month has gone by. Time has passed just as quickly for the Sigma Pi brothers.

This past week was mostly

diligently to better themselves and Lambda Chi.

The Fall 1986 Official Newsletter is now over but the brothers continue their search for young men possessing the qualities necessary for being a brother.

Every Wednesday night at 7:30 p.m. the Lambda Chi family invades Louies Pizza and Restaurant for a night of pizza, Beer and a whole lot of fun.

ROA

Reserve Officer's
Association

By Jeff Silver
Public Affairs Officer

I figured the Reserve Officers Association (R.O.A.) is going to have an exciting trimester. The first meeting of the semester of activities are being planned out right now and I was also pleased by the number of new faces which showed up C&D day and our last meeting to swell the ranks of the R.O.A.

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BULLDOGS,
Thanks for sharing my fantasy. Let's do it again...again...again... Love, Half-plus

related to the student's course of study.

Ber on change to "H" category — As an additional controller of the foreign exchange regulation, the package proposes a bar to, in-country change of non-immigrant status to the "H" classification, for students who engage in post completion of studies training. The bulletin states, "After careful consideration, the INS believes the practical training experience is being abused by individuals to gain temporary and ultimate permanent employment in the U.S."

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Freckles.

After a long wait, here's what you've been waiting for. Another message from the Spanish poems committee. Keep those Spanish poems coming, my roommates needs the translating experience.

Tigger

ODE II,
I'd love to go out to eat, but fortunately you're not on the menu. Why don't you get down to your dream? GARFIELD

E.D.A. (JAILHOUSE NATIVE)

Did you do well on your statistics test? I enjoyed the dinner. Keep the change. Did you ever wonder how I got through college? I did. I worked hard last year. I loved the FOOTSY! stuff after dinner even though I was upset; I cooked a nice meal. Call me.

TEXAS MAN
P.S. Things have gotten a bit out-of-bounds; a regular snowball effect.

To the guys of Dorm II 3rd West:

Or should I say "you" West. Great things are happening in the dorm little P.Y.W. Now fitting of a title.

Your "tiger" sis,
To the blonde in rm. 333:

Thanks for the added help Saturday night at the Tops. Sometimes you make me so mad!!

From your favorite, Half-Plus

unknow girl,
bliss! I'm so happy I've "met" you many times... still don't know your name. I would like to see you outside the class where I saw you last. It'd be nice to know your name - it'd be nice to dance again too. b/w/dated guy.

the students to be tested by all who wanted to try something new. This year, and it has become an integral part of the day's activities. Now, through increases safety regulations and new school policies, the food will have to be prepared by properly licensed individuals or companies. A minor change, which is down the road, is the possibility of the new food service becoming a necessity in these days and times.

To have your own booth on International Day is to represent your country in a very personal and proud way. The more you communicate, the more, in talking to the people who stop by your booth, leaves you with a feeling of satisfactions in promoting your country the best way you know how.

There are many benefits involved too. While working your booth, you will meet many people who have been to, or even lived in, your home country. You will also meet many other students and people from the community who will be interested in learning about your culture and the different aspects of your country. There are numerous possibilities for some good friendships to be made on this day.

So, if you can't have your own booth, there is another way and learn something about the place you always wanted to go.

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Riddle clubs need members

By Laurie Ranios
Students Activities Coordinator

The clubs listed below are dwindling down and need enthusiastic students to revitaliz them. Many of the club officers who lead these groups graduated in April and August. If you are interested in starting these clubs, contact the Student Activities Office and fill out an interest sheet. We will hold a meeting for each group. If enough interest is generated, to begin the chartering process.

Commodore Users Group

To promote interest in the Commodore computer as well as in the community. Provides an opportunity for members to pursue their hobby goal.

Eta Mu Sigma — Recognizes honor students in aviation

Investment Club — Provides members with investment education.

management. Members are eligible to participate in professional internships. A 3.5 Cumulative G.P.A. for Juniors and a 3.0 cumulative for Seniors is required.

French Club — Promotes an awareness of the French language and culture. Activities include parties, films, classes and travel.

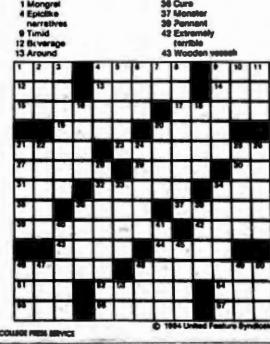
Sport Scuba Club — Promotes the sport of skin and scuba diving through certification, safety and participation. In addition to charter off-shore diving, the club sponsors barbecues and cookouts.

Gilder Club — ERAU students, faculty, staff and their families get together to promote the sport of scuba diving.

Chess Club — Promotes an interest in the game of chess among ERAU students. Tournaments are held both within the campus community and competitively between other colleges and universities. Beginners as well as professionals are invited to participate.

Collegiate Crossword Puzzle

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Europe

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51 Person

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54 Grade letter

56 Better watch

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2 Rubber tree

3 Recommendations

40 Name

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6 Doty

7 Symbol for gold

8 Walked leisurely

9 Citizen

10 Brick-making

11 Affirmative

27 Forbodings

29 Precious metal

30 Ether's "per-

11 Form of art

32 Self-esteem

34 Blander friend

44 Landed

46 Dwell

18 Country of Asia

18 Dry

39 Walked in

21 Runs easily

22 Casino

24 Hail

26 Deep sleep

26 Threshold

28 Ontario

32 Mammal

34 Sent forth

36 Flood

38 Purpose for

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