

Customers in the bookstore are few after the August/January rush — a fact that contributes to high price of books

Why are Books Priced High?

Bookstore Mgr. Cites Costs

As evidenced by the general response to this week's roving reporter interviews, many students feel that they are being overchanged by the campus bookstore. Price of new books are up again—some as much as 30 per cent over last semester's price.

price.
Campus bookstore manager
Jim Stoner said, "The increase in
text prices to the student are
directly porportional to the
increase in wholesale prices
experienced by the bookstore.
With new books," he continued, "our cost is determined by

the publisher. As the publisher's production costs increase, this increase is passed on to the bookstore in increased wholesale prices. We then mark up the price approximately 26 per cent which then determines the retail cost to the student." Stoner explained that the 26 per cent mark up is based on the national industry average for college bookstores.

"Bookstore policy regarding used books is another story," said Stoner. "When the bookstore buys back a book that will be used again by an instructor, we pay half of the current new price of the book. The book is then marked for resale at See Bookstore, page 4.

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In Art Space

Painter, Sculptor **Featured** in Show

Now that you're finally getting settled into your classes as the chaotic rush of the new semester subsidses, why not take a few minutes off and relax. Let someone else do the thinking for you. Sound too good to be true? Well, it's possible without ever leaving campus. The Fresno City College Art Space Gallery provides not only a quiet, relaxing atmosphere, but the opportunity to view the world through another's eyes.

Currently the gallery is featuring an exhibition of sculpture by Maurice Orozco and paintings by Fredrick Orth.

A senior at California State University, San Diego, Orozco had studied under Ken Owen here at Fresno City College, and John Rogers at CSUSD.

In his ceramic sculpture, Orozco uses stark clay forms enclosed by rusted metal bars to create what he calls "visual metaphors for an underlying sense of malaise and discontent with the status quo." According to Orozco, "(they) have a See Show, page 4.





Ceramic sculpture by Maurice Orozco.

Local Man Clyde Hammond Chosen For Top Fix-it Post at FCC

Clyde Hammond, FCC's new maintenance chief.

Clyde Hammond is the new man in charge of maintenance under Lou Huszar at FCC. It is an all important and demanding job.

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Hammond and his crew maintain and repair almost everything the staff, teachers and students use.

Hammond started his job on January 4. He comes to FCC well qualified with sixteen years experience in the construction industry. Previously he was project manager for Harris Construction Co. of Fresno.

He started out in residential property then went to construction management of commercial property, shopping centers, and schools.

He is from the Fresno-Clovis area, and a former FCC student. He is married and the father of two children.

His hours are 7 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Monday through Friday, and he is on call twenty-four hours daily. He is paid a straight salary by the school district.

Clyde Hammond runs a full-service maintenance department with eleven employees. All needed repairs are submitted to his department, usually on a printed request sheet, and every effort is made to get to them the day received.

Some of his other duties are keeping all heating and air conditioning units working and seeing that all painting and electrical work is done. He and his crew

must also keep the lights, clocks, plumbing, and roofs in good re-

pair.

He also sees that book shelves and other needed equipment are built or installed for the staff and teachers. All buses and other school vehicles are maintained by his department.

The maintenance crew sets up Ratcliffe Stadium for all track meets, football games, and other events. He estimates it takes about two or three days to set up the stadium for a football game. They take care of the painting of the field. They also set up the chairs and other needed equipment for all student activities.

Hammond sees his biggest challenge for now as setting up a fleet maintenance crew to meet all of the many state requirements, and working out a more efficient way of keeping the records this requires.

He is also concerned with keeping the heating and airconditioning systems up-graded, and working out a more effective and economical way to upgrade the older buildings.

He will also be busy helping prepare a new budget. He said that most people think his department has unlimited funds. Not so, he said. All schools are affected by the tight money situation, and his department is no exception.

Coming from the construction industry, Hammond estimated the unemployment in that indus-

See Hammond, page 4.

Sports, Other FCC **Events Now on TV**

Modest Start For RamNet

by Dale Cahill Rampage Reporter

Rampage Reporter

Fresno City College has its own local video network. Known as the RamNet, this relatively new group of dedicated volunteers brings lives ports and educational viewing to the Fresno Cable television audience.

The RamNet's Director Mark Aydelotte from FCC's public information office, along with Jim Alvernez, are presently involved in televising City College basketball games.

Although football and basketball dominate the RamNet schedule there are hopes the network will soon be covering plays and concerts along with college sports.

With a couple of Panasonic video cameras, a primitive switching device rigged by employees of the FCC Media Center, and a handful of students, teachers, and volunteers, the network has grown since its first broadcast in the summer of 1981.

RamNet has produced a show on computer registration, a

program on the anthropology museum, and other general information shows which are entitled *The Fresno City College Connection*. These shows have various themes and focus on events and activities at Fresno City College.

Helping out the RamNet staff are Woody James from Channel 24 sports, doing the play-by-play; and Dan Whiteman, a former basketball player, who when not teaching Endish at City, is interviewing players and coaches for the games.

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Both James and Whiteman share the view that working with the RamNet is both fun and rewarding. Equally enthusiastic is Mark Aydelotte, who sees the network as not only a service but a great learning experience for all the people involved.

Aydelotte stresses that there is Aydelotte stresses that there is a need for more volunteers. He pointed out that the camera workers and others who help with the production are all volunteers, and experience is not necessary to learn.

He said, "We all are developing expertise to do broadcast quality video," This goes hand in hand with his quest for a more advanced switching box, which will enable Aydelotte

See RamNet, page 4.



Woody James (l) and Dan Whiteman provide play-by-play and color for FCC's RamNet.

Movie Review

Solid Gold Cast in "Golden Pond"

by Chris Comstock Rampage reporter

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On Golden Pond, starring
Henry Fonda, Katherine
Hepburn, and Jane Fonda,
doesn't really tell a story as much
as it explores the growth of
relationships within a family
group. Add in the traumas of age
and childhood, and you have a
movie that appeals to everyone.
This film, directed by Mark
Rydell, is currently playing at UA
Movies 4. It is based on a warm
and human screenplay by Ernest
Thompson. Henry Fonda, as
Norman Thayer, Jr., and
Katherine Hepburn, as his wife
Ethel, arrive on Golden Pond as
susual to spend the summer. Ethelseems to be in love with life, but
Norman may feel otherwise,
considering his nickname, the
"old poop." When daughter
Chelsea, played by Jane Fonda,
arrives with her latest love, Bill
Ray (Dabney Coleman), and his
son, Billy Ray, Jr. (Doug
McKeon), tension disrupts the
tranquillity of Golden Pond.
Age plays a large part in this
film, both between the old and
death. Although Norman is first
seen as a crotchety "old poop,"
sympathy for him grows as he
fights his rising fear of age and
death. Chelsea, though she is
now a grown woman, still lets her
childhood resentments rule, her

Billy Ray Jr., the only child of a broken marriage, is looking for a broken marriage, is looking for a sense of belonging.

On Golden Pond keeps the audience totally involved — one

Hepburn's Ethel Thayer, a sort of tongue-in-cheek Pollyanna, is the one who knits the whole story together. She might appear to be a minor character, being the only one who undergoes no change. But without her there would be no change, no action, no story. She is the strong one, the quiet force that makes them all stop and take a look at themselves.

Henry Fonda and Katherine Hepburn have matched, if not surpassed, their finest work with On Golden Pond. The dialog and interaction between these two alone are worth seeing. It goes without saying that their performance is perfect. Doug McKeon shows promise in his characterization of smart-aleck, tough Billy Ray, who discovers

Committees at Work

'83 Accreditation **Process Procedes**

Dr. Arthur Ellish, FCC Dean of Instruction, has asked for student participation in the accreditation process the college is currently undergoing. Ellish says that any statements or suggestions on the strengths or weaknesses of FCC should be sent to his office in A-102 in written form.

If there is sufficient student response, this material may be included in the reference library provided for the visiting team which will re-evaluate FCC for accreditation in March, 1983. far away, there is much to be done by then. Since then, a Steering Committee and eight sub-committees have been appointed which will study and make detailed reports on the areas which the accreditation covers, such as educational programs and student services.

Each sub-committee is made up of one member each of the following groups: FCC students, faculty, administration, classified employees, and members of the community. This is to have "as much input as possible," Ellish commented.

Last week Dr. Ellish stated that the sub-committees are hard at work on the lengthy research that must be completed before the compiling of reports can begin. These reports will cover three areas: recommendations made by the validation survey done five years ago; changes in this institution since our last accreditation; and the "strengths and weaknesses" of the school as seen by the five groups involved.

Reagan Cutbacks Felt

Student Advocate Groups Voice Fears of Continued Loan, Grant Reductions

Watson encourages students to write to State Senators and Congressmen.

about \$3.3 billion this year, reported Student Aid News.

Student Aid News adds that proposed changes include: making all students show need to get a loan, barring graduate students from the program, doubling the loan origination fee to 10 per cent, and making students pay market interest rates two years after leaving school.

On the FCC campus, Financial Aid Placement Director Don Watson encourages students to take action on the matter by letter writing campaigns to state senators and members of Congress.

Watson also said that of the 4,600 students funded by financial aid at FCC during '80-'81, 2,800 were women. Ethnically, 1,500 of those funded were white, 870 blacks, and 1,800 Hispanic.

ASB Action Last Week

Avina Fundraiser OKed For "Battle of Bands"

by David Campos Rampage reporter

Rampage reporter

The planning of a fundraiser dance, the allocation of ASB funds to hire a secretary, and a presentation requesting funds for a proposed benefit concert were some of the subjects covered at last week's ASB Senate meeting.

Band leader Richard Avina, two weeks ago, proposed a "Battle of the Bands" for April 18 at Ratcliff Stadium where some sixteen bands will battle it out. Lask week Avina proposed a fundraising dance to help support some of the necessary costs for "Battle of the Bands."

The ASB-sponsored fundraising dance is scheduled for February

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FRESNO CITY **COLLEGE CAFETERIA**



Rampage office is located on the North west corner of as in B-3. The Rampage welcomes letters to the editors, All must be type written and double spaced, and include the sname, although pen names may be used. Letters to the editor should be under 200 words. The age reserves the right to edit any letter to the editor for and brevity.

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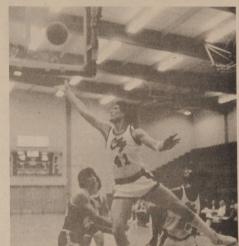
Basketballers **Edge Columbia** in Double OT



The Ram basketball team pulled out a double overtime win, defeating Columbia College 67-63 before a crowd of only 125 people in the Ram gym.

Ram guard Cye Adams hit both ends of a bonus free-throw situation with only 37 seconds remaining, and teammate Craig Cleveland tossed in two more with just four ticks of the clocks remaining to wrap up the Central Valley Conference win. The win boosted the Rams to a 4-3 mark in conference play and a 13-10 overall record.

Fresno hit 50 per cent of its shots from the field, and 43 per cent from the free-throw line. Adams was the Rams high scorer with 22, followed by Cleveland at 18, and Brian Setencich added 13, while Harvey controlled the boards for the Rams, pulling down 11 rebounds.



and Brian Setencich follows suit

3 Movies "SLAUGHTERHOUSE Feb. 6, 7, 8 FEB 5-6 Trilogy on Tibet . . . OWER RECORDS AND KKDJ IDNIGHT MOVIES TIME BANDITS Feb. 9, 10 Barbarella plus Flesh Gordon.. Feb. 11, 12 WISHON AND OLIVE 485-9050 All students \$2.75 Midnite Shows \$3.00

brochures, and another 1,000 are needed at a cost of fifty dollars. In addition, Mars/ASB buttons were requested to be used as a fundraiser for the project. The total needed is \$125. The senate will vote on the motion at their next meeting.

Also playing this week

Bruce Lee Festival

High pointer Cye Adams hits for two.

ASB

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of the Student Lounge on March 19 and the asking of funds to cover the cost of publicity and security. The Student Trustee

Tamara Kleinhiemer made a presentation stating that the recycling program is low on

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Gaynor's Dilemma: Where to Play?

Rampage reporter

Doug Gaynor, the Fresno City College Ram Quarterback, has been named to the All-American JC football squad, meaning he is thought of as one of the nation's top Junior College quarterbacks.

The rifle-armed quarterback threw for an outstanding total of 2,494 yards by completing 160 passes on 271 attempts, a 15.6 yard per completion average. Twenty-two of the completions crossed the goaline for touchdowns. He also rushed for 131 yards and two touchdowns, bringing his total yardage up to 2,625 yards.

En route to his All-American Freshman season, Gaynor set

En route to his All-American Freshman season, Gaynor set four school records, three of them coming in his best performance of the year against Modesto. He had a recordsetting 41 pass attempts and 26 completions, for a total of 345 yards in the air. His fourth record-setting performance came in the game against Kings River Community College. He went down in the books for throwing five touchdowns in a single game.

Gaynor feels that the Ram coaching staff has been the biggest reason for his success. Coaches Mattus and Stockton patiently worked with him to strenghten his weaknesses, but he feels more importantly they displayed faith in his abilities and gave him the confidence needed to be a successful quarterback. He also feels head coach Bill Musick has built a strong foundation of pride and belief in the system, which should be going strong for many years to come.

"It was a great feeling to be named to the All-American team," said Gaynor. "It was another plus to a fun and successful season, both individually and teamwise."

At the present time Doug is having difficulty in deciding whether to go to a four-year college or stay here at FCC for his sophomore season. He would eventually like to play for a school where they throw the pigskin a lot, possibly Brigham Young University, Arizona State, or San Jose State. However, in the long run Doug hopes to get a sound education, play professional football, and someday meet a girl who wouldn't mind teaming up in marriage with a quarterback.

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Do You Think the Bookstore's Prices Are Fair?



Darlene McMorris. Physical Education major No, not on the used books. Besides, they're marked up too





Mildred Luke. Consumer

Education major
The prices are fair. What I
like is you get your money back
when you sell them for a refund.

Mike Escamilla, Welding major They're not hurting me.



John Flores, Business major No, they %\$e!! (Why don't they lower them?

Bookstore

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approximately three-quarters of the current new book price. I think the important thing to note here is that we compute return value and resale cost based on the current price of the new book. For example, a book is bought new in the fall at cost to the student of \$7.50. By the end of the semester the price of the book may have risen to \$10. When the student sells the book back he is paid \$5—that's half the current new book price—versus the \$3.75 he would get if he were paid according to what the book originally cost him. The book would then be resold for \$7.50."

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When asked where the profits were going, Stoner replied, "The bookstore is a non-profit, self-supporting retail unit operating through the State Center Community College District. All operating costs for the bookstore, which include staffing and facility maintenance, are paid

with monies made primarily from text sales. We receive no financial support from the SCCCD."

Stoner also stated that sales are seasonal. "In September alone," he said, "we do about 40 per cent of our annual business. In January and February we do an additional 33 per cent. That comprises 73 per cent of our annual income in just three months. The remaining nine months account for only 27 per cent of our total annual income."

In response to student claims that the same text can often be purchased at the bookstore on campus at Fresno State University for less than the FCC bookstore, Stoner said, "The FSU bookstore doesn't pass freight charges on to the student. This is possible because they sell much more non-text matter (T-shirts, shorts, and assorted novelty items) than we do here. The profit margin is much higher on these goods, so freight charges can be absorbed by the bookstore."

Show

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spring tour. The presentation included a requisition for the use but the quality and originality of the paintings can be appreciated soley for their aesthetic beauty. The Art Space Gallery is located at the west end of the Art & Home Economics building. The gallery is open Monday

through Thursday from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., Thursday night from 7 to 9 and Friday from 9 a.m. to noon. The Orozco/Orth exhibit will run until Feb. 11.

Future exhibits will include a FCC faculty exhibit Feb. 17 to 26, and prints and paintings by Martin Camarata from March 3 to 26. Contact the Humanities Division at ext. 8181 for more information.

Hammond

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try could be as high as 90 per cent, the worst in his sixteen years experience. He said that he personally knows of only five or six major construction projects in the Fresno-Madera areas combined 1981 and 1982.

He is optimistic, however, and believes the industry will recover by 1983. He thinks the interest rates will level off at 14 or 15 per cent, and new forms of financing such as profit-sharing will become available to help revive the industry and the economy.

He said he enjoys his job and is looking forward to new challenges and experiences at FCC.

RamNet

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to cut from camera to camera without blips.

With the help of professional broadcasters like James and Whiteman, and a staff of dedicated people, all this network is lacking is advanced technical equipment. Even with limited resources, however, the RamNet team produces a pretty impressive show.

As Mr. Aydelotte pointed out, "Our first show was real crude, but we are improving by leaps and bounds." Six months from now he sees an even more improved communications network.

Although at present there is no chance of the RamNet making money, that could be a possibility in the future. Right now, however, there is an on-campus video network which is presently airing basketball on cable Channel 11, and does so very well

Lennon Never Won His Own Grammy?

by Sam Williams

The award that eluded John Lennon in life will probably also elude him in death.

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This year Lennon has been nominated for two Grammies, one for the single "Woman," and one for the album Double Fantasy.

To award Lennon a Grammy now, after his death, would be a mockery of the award he sought.

Lennon won several Grammies when he was with the Beatles. The Beatles won two Grammies in 1964: Best Performance by a Vocal Group for a Hard Day's Night, and Best New Artist.

In 1966 Lennon and fellow tunesmith Paul McCartney won a Grammy for the Best Song of the year for "Michelle." McCartney also won a Grammy for Best Solo Vocal for "Eleanor Rigby."

In 1967 the Beatles won Album of the Year and Best Contemporary Album for Sergeant Pepper's Lonely Hearts Club Band.

Although Lennon was the leader of the Beatles, the others kept his caustic personality in check, and thereby insured their own success.

Lennon on his own was a rock-'n'-roll outlaw.

Lennon described himself and his second wife Yoko Ono as "Two gurus in drag."

The Lennons had their famous bed-in for peace and sent acorns to the leaders of every country in the world.

The Lennons became political, recording "Give Peace a Chance," "Power to the People," and "Woman is the Nigger of the World."

The Lennons declared 1970 "Peace Year One, Hope Year One, because the "last decade was the end of the old machine crumplin to pieces.

And then in 1971 Lennon recorded the song he felt sure would win him a Grammy, "Imagine."

The best Song Grammy went instead to Carole King for "It's Too Late."

Double Fantasy is a good album. But it is an album where Lennon plays it safe. He is a master songwriter and he works his craft. "Woman" for example is basically the same chord progression as "If I Fell" or "Here, There, and Everywhere." (The progression is one on Lennon's favorites)

And Yoko Ono shows herself to be not only the original punk, but one of the best on Double Fantasy.

But Double Fantasy is not the creative work o

This Week On Campus

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 5

Last day to register for TV classes
7-8 am, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Conference Room A
7-10 am, DECA, BE 135
1-5 pm, ASB Film Series, Senate Chambers
7:30-9 pm, Fresno Judo Club G 107
8:30 pm, The Miser, FCC Theatre

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 6

8 pm, RamNet Basketball, Fresno Cable, Channel 11

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 7

4:30-7:30, Community Services Presents Orpheus Concert, FCC
Theatre

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 8

Last day for degree candidates to file for May 1982 completion. 1-5 pm, ASB Film Series, Senate Chambers 5:30-7 pm, Union of Martial Arts, G 107 7:30 pm, Lola Montes Dance Program, Roosevelt High School Theatre

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 9

12-1 pm, Inter Varsity, Senate Chambers
12-1 pm, MEChA, Conference Room A
1-3:30 pm, ASB President's Cabinet, Senate Chambers
4-5:30 pm, Phi Beta Lamba, BE 128
5:30-7 pm, CSEA Meeting, Staff Dining Room
7:30 pm, Jean Richie, Ted Wills Community Center

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 10

WEDINESDAT, FEBRUART TO
7-8 am, DECA, BE 135
1-5 pm, ASB Film Series
2:15 pm, Red and Gold Track Meet, Ratcliffe Stadium
5:30-7 pm, Union of Martial Arts, G 107
7-8:30 pm, Fresno Judo Club, G 107
7 pm, Basketball, FCC v WHC, FCC gym

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 11

11-12 pm, PASU, Senate Chambers
12-1 pm, Inter Varsity, Senate Chambers
12-1 pm, MEChA, Conference Room A
1-3:30 pm, ASB Senate Meeting, Senate Chambers
2:15 pm, Red and Gold Track Meet, Rateliffe Stadium
4-5 pm, Phi Beta Lamba, BE 218
6-7 pm, Phi Beta Lamba, BE 218
7 pm - 1 am, MEChA Valentines Day Dance, Student Lounge
The Rampage will be published on Thursday this week due to the holidays.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 12

Lincoln's Birthday, No School

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 15

Washington's Birthday, No School