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She said her problems with the administration ranged from non-cooperation in handling discipline to not hiring other French teachers to offer the program to more students. The problems with the teaching field are real, Herrman said. The students enrolled at the college of education are aware of these problems because they have just left the school system, she said.

"It's an obstacle, but you have to overlook it. The most important thing is to teach," Joseph Cioffi, a graduate student seeking certification

in social studies, said. Maiden said many teachers discourage students from coming into the field. "A lot of teachers have had no experience in other fields; they just assume everything is greener," he said.

In the survey, 33 percent of students who expressed interest in teaching said a teacher was the most influential factor in deciding on a teaching career.

The college of education is not just waiting for potential teachers to

come along. USC participates in the teacher cadet program with other colleges in the state, allowing students in the upper part of the class to see first hand and participate in the field of teaching. The college of education supports 10 Midlands high schools in this program.

The college of education also encourages enrollment through mailouts, brochures, poster series and video tapes.

Edwin Dickey, assistant professor in math and computer education training for teachers, offered some

solutions for the problems that do exist in the teaching field.

He suggested that modeling the training of teachers after the training of doctors and lawyers would get the best of the field in practice. But, he said, "What are we going to do if we cut back to the best?" He said it would create a shortage in the field.

A career ladder that promotes teachers without making them leave the classroom would help distinguish the better teachers from the average, Dickey said.

Police investigate thefts

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University police were kept busy investigating several auto break-ins and thefts during the past week.

● A student reported to police that someone broke out his rear vent window on his car and removed several items while his car was parked in the Business Administration garage Saturday evening.

● A student reported that an unknown male entered his unlocked apartment at NADA at 11 p.m. Saturday. The burglar fled when he was confronted by the student.

● A non-student was charged with disobedience to a police officer when he was asked to come to his car and resolve a parking problem. According to police reports, he became very loud and stated that no one was to tow his car. He then entered his vehicle and tried to leave. He was stopped by the officer and arrested.

● A student reported that someone had taken his car while it was parked in the E-6 lot near 1400 Wheat St. sometime Friday night.

● A female student reported to police that a known male assaulted her at 2:30 a.m. Friday at the 200 block of Bull Street. According to police reports, she and the male suspect were shouting and making obscene gestures at each other. Police reports then said she was hit and had her hair pulled by the male.

● University police are investigating an arson and auto break-

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in that occurred in the L-lot at 600 Marion St. on Friday morning.

● In another incident a student reported that someone entered her unlocked vehicle and took a purse while the car was parked in the small Davis Field lot on Friday evening.

● A student reported to police that someone tried to steal his vehicle on Wednesday night. The student saw a male enter his car. He yelled at the thief and ran toward him, but the thief ran away. The car's steering column was damaged.

● University police recovered a vehicle that the Columbia police had reported stolen. University police found the car on the corner of Rice and Pickens streets on Wednesday evening.

● University police had another report of an attempted auto theft in the S-6 lot at 1400 Whaley St. Monday night.

● Two male juveniles were charged with attempted grand larceny of a motor vehicle, possession of tools in commission of a crime and two counts of assault with a deadly weapon.

The incident happened in the S-7 lot at 1300 Whaley St. at 2:39 p.m. Tuesday when the two juvenile males were observed trying to steal a car near Cliff Apartments.

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security here," said Maria Kluttz, music education graduate student. Kluttz's primary concern as a woman at USC is walking alone at night. Fear of attack and rape was a recurring theme found in the study.

"There has not been enough done to end the violence and make women feel safe here," said Elizabeth Greenup, a sophomore English major. Greenup explained that the safety programs heard about on campus never seem to go anywhere and that women need something more concrete.

Because of concern about safety, the Focus Group offered stricter security recommendations. These were: escort and shuttle services in the evenings and on weekends, increased lighting in certain areas on campus and increased security per-

sonnel and police patrolling the campus.

The Focus Group's first recommendation of establishing a women's center has already been put into effect. In September, the Women Students' Services opened an office in the Campus Activities Center located in the Division of Student Affairs in Russell House. This office is an initial response to the findings in the report of the Focus Group for the need of providing special programs to assist women students with gaining skills in leadership, assertiveness, academics, and social and physical areas.

"Our goal is to help build a more aware and supportive environment so that women in all areas of campus are deliberately encouraged to

develop self-esteem, self-motivation and to succeed to the highest degree possible," said Leigh Stanton, coordinator of Women Students' Services.

With Women's History Month in March, the Women Students' Services is working with Student Affairs scheduling activities such as a teleconference on acquaintance and date rape. Women Students' Services can be reached in the Russell House Activities Center or by calling 777-5780.

In addition to Women Students' Services is the newly formed student organization, Women Students' Association.

"The group's purpose is to support women students on campus, voice and advocate women's issues, and support a network of communication for other organizations,"

said Helaine Blanchard, junior psychology major and chairwoman of the association.

"One of our future goals is to expand into a women's center on campus, where women can go to feel comfortable, have a cup of coffee, ask questions and get counseling if necessary," Blanchard said.

"I think the women's studies curriculum is important because women now make up a large percentage of the work force, and that number is vastly increasing," said Sue Rosser, Focus Group member and director of women's studies.

The Focus Group findings show that female students outnumber male students on the graduate level with a 52 percent majority, and on the undergraduate level with a 63.1 percent majority, and that percentage is expected to increase.

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to be raised anyway. It is not a lot to ask that \$1 be stipulated of the existing fee or raising student activity fees by \$1," he said.

Franklin said he doesn't think student activity fees will be increased by just \$1 because the administration will want the fee increased by \$15 to \$20 because other areas such as CPU need more funds to meet rising costs.

Soviet studies senior Marie Louis Ramsdale said a bill will be introduced to the Student Senate that will ask for a resolution to be placed on the ballot at the S.G. election, stipulating that \$1 of every student activity fee go for Russell House renovations,

contingent upon a general activity fee increase.

"Not to say we want a activity fee increase, but if there is one, that is where the money will come from. I don't want to hurt the funding process as it is now for organizations like student media, CPU and the Sports Club.

"If we keep taking a dollar out of activity fees every time new programs come along, then existing programs are going to be hurt," she said.

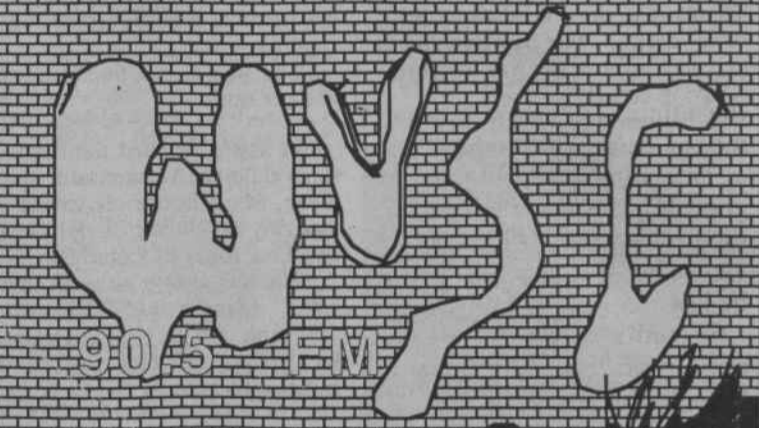
It would mean that there would be about \$25,000 less available for allocation if \$1 from every student activity fee went toward the Russell House, she said.



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