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student finds a slip of paper in their desk just before sitting down to sleep through a biology lecture. It seems somebody is looking for a bright, motivated individual with team skills inhilosophy is to a management position. Also, the ad says beginning pay starts in be a connine bucks an hour — not too shabby.

Or Tom Re What begins as a chance flirtation with easy money quickly de-

arolina State ends into the sinister beast thousands of college students fall vic"Demon to every semester — the annoying and thankless job.

at 3:45 pt Sometimes, the shortcomings of a prospective career are painfully Call Gayal vious at the outset. Dave Osmond, a sophomore electrical engiinformator erring major, said he once worked for (a pornographic video rental

we will have smond said. "But there were times each day when something would vice at 7:30 appen and make me wonder why I didn't just quit. People would nter located metimes be touching themselves right in front of me, and I had to Other times, the dangers can be more subtly hidden but manifest

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Just Peaces The store I worked in also had a private video from here people could go and pay to watch for a while," Oswill be held mes, I would find dirty underwear left behind or a mess Friends Coriev didn't bother to clean up."

Located at 22 Some jobs start out just fine, but the tedium of repetitive and the province of the provi

riday resident, said students should be aware some jobs can quickly ip their motivation.

"I remember being excited at the beginning of the first day of tele-There will arketing and hating my job eight hours later," Brechener said. Professor Vzverybody I called hated me instantly. By the end of the day, my ear orth Carolina art from the pressure of the phone receiver, and I could barely talk entitled he cause my voice was worn out."

Debate #2 Those experienced with telemarketing jobs are all too familiar with

interest rate will not sell like hotcakes.

"The only job I would have liked less than mine would be my supervisor's," Brechener said. "Talking on the phone with a total stranger was easy to handle. I don't think I could smile and tell a room full of people who already hate me they have to do better."

When the boss is not watching, employees who dislike their job are likely to act out against the establishment in the pursuit of happiness. Even if they are caught in the act, losing their job becomes another interesting story to tell their friends.

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"It didn't take much for us to rebel a little," Brechener said. "It didn't take much for us to rebel a little," Brechener said.

"As soon as the supervisor stopped listening in on our calls and would go for a break, we would stop trying to sell people stuff and instead make prank phone calls. As soon as somebody got caught, we would stop for a while until everybody got so bored they didn't care again."

But telemarketing is only one way of hawking merchandise while interrupting peoples' private lives.

Combine it with endurance walking and the door-to-door salesman emerges as the leader of the pack of harsh

door salesman emerges as the leader of the pack of harsh sales jobs. Terrence Demetrie, a junior finance major, said his temporary job as a sports equipment salesman was doomed to failure.

"Avoid a job like that like the plague," Demetrie said. "The people I did it for made me buy the stuff I was showing to the customers, and I'm pretty sure I never broke even. It's pretty obvious who gets rich when you take that job.

Some students find themselves in jobs that threaten their physical health. Jacob Palos, a freshman math major, said students should be wary of job requirements going into a new occupation.



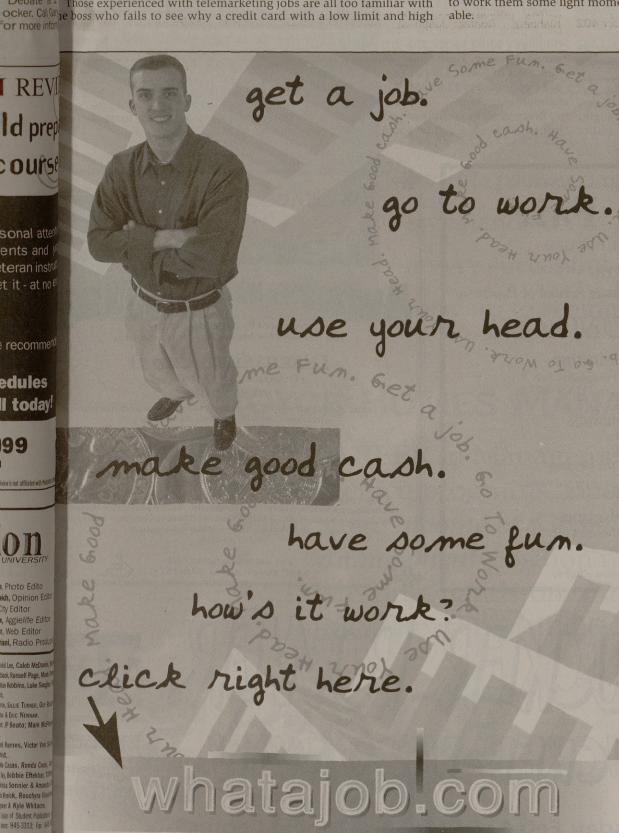
a job working for the highway department when I was in high school," Palos said. "Part of the job was going out to clean road kill up off the road. Supposedly, we were supposed to take turns because everybody hated the job. Because I was the youngest, I ended up cleaning dead animals off the road every time a call came in.

Still, even the worst jobs can give the unfortunate students forced to work them some light moments, making the daily grind more bear-

"I had a terrible job, but I saw some of the funniest things I've ever seen in my life when I worked," Osmond said. "I never run out of stories about the people who came in, and it's fun to laugh about how far they would go without even thinking about it.

One redeeming quality of a terrible job is that those who are trapped in them can be fired with no regrets.

"It's good to know that at any time you can pull something stupid, get fired and leave without a second thought," Palos said. "That's the freedom you have in a really bad job, and getting the last laugh is the best."

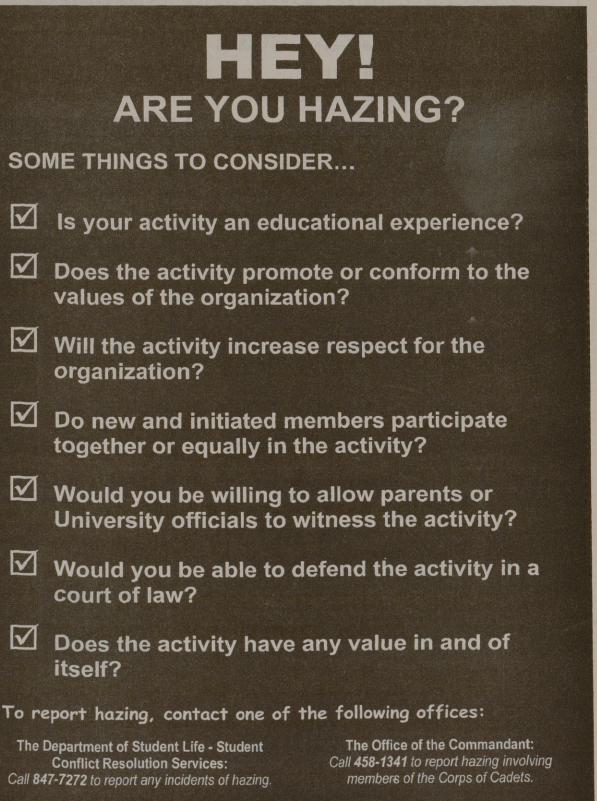


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