CAREER CORNER

MANUFACTURING

Local manufacturer of electronic instruments has immediate openings for:

MANUFACTURING ENGINEER

Must have at least 5 years experience in an electronic/electromechanical manufacturing environment. Solid tooling/fixturing experience in assembly and fabrication a must. Familiarity with bills of materials, routings and standard time data will be critical to job success. Personal computer or mainframe experience a plus. We offer competitive salary and benefits. BSIE degree required.

ELECTRONIC ASSEMBLER/SOLDERER

Must have 3 to 5 years electronic and soldering experience. Soldering certification in writing required in MIL-STD-454 and/or MIL-S-45743. Must be competent in reading engineering blueprints. We offer competitive wages and benefits.

If qualified, send resume' and salary requirements to Personnel Dept., Belfort Instrument, 727 S. Wolfe St., Balto., MD 21231.

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INSTRUMENTATION MAINTENANCE

A manufacturing concern in the Baltimore area has an opening for an Instrumentation Maintenance Technician.

* Duties include the installation, calibration, maintenance and operation of various types of measurement, control and instrument systems.

* Requires a working knowledge of electronics, electricity, pneumatics and mechanics.

* Must pass a written test involving mathematics, basic electronics, physics and chemistry.

This position offers an attractive salary and benefits package. If qualified, send your resume' to: Box 48BSC, c/o AFRO-AMERICAN CO., 628 N. Eutaw St., Baltimore, Maryland 21201.

AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER

TECHNICIAN

PLANT OPERATOR

The Baltimore Gas and Electric Company has career opportunities in the Metropolitan and Greater Metropolitan area power plants.

A minimum of two years experience performing operating duties on boilers, turbine generators, and auxiliary equipment is required. Must be knowledgeable in power plant systems.

The Company offers competitive salaries and a comprehensive flexible benefits package.

Forward resume':

C. L. Stocksdale
Employment Representative
Baltimore Gas and Electric Company
P.O. Box 1475
Baltimore, MD 21203
An Equal Opportunity Employer M/F

EDUCATION

Md. St. Dept. of Educ.

Call (301) 333-2038 for Application and Position Announcement Staff Specialist II, Nutrition Education, Contractual; Grade 15 ($26,867-$35,287).

This is a professional position responsible for support in administering, developing and implementing policies and procedures for the National School Lunch and Child Nutrition Acts in accordance with State and Federal regulations for public schools and other sponsors who participate in the Child Care Food Programs. MIN. QUALS.: **Education:** Master's Degree from an accredited four-year college or university in Institutional Administration, Nutrition, Home Economics or a related area. **Experience:** Food service management or food service operations experience is required. School food service management experience and certification by the American School Food Service Association are preferred.

Applications must be received March 23, 1990.

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ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY
CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Anne Arundel County Government offers a 24-hour, automated telephone information system. If you want additional information about any of the jobs listed below, call (301) 222-1170, 1176 or 1177. Follow the instructions heard over the phone. You must have the last three (3) digits of the Announcement Number to make an inquiry.

Announcement	Position	Salary
#90-027	CHIEF, ELECTRICAL INSPECTION	$35,637-$46,763
#90-028	CIVIL ENGINEER II	$30,730-$40,322
#90-034	UTILITY ENGINEER II	$30,730-$40,322
#90-035	UTILITY ENGINEER V	$41,330-$54,230
#90-036	WATER PLANT SUPERVISOR	$28,536-$37,443

Application forms are available by calling the 24-hour, automated telephone information system at (301) 222-1170, 1175, 1176 or 1177. Applications must be on the employment form used by Anne Arundel County, and must be received no later than 4:00 p.m. on MONDAY, MARCH 26, 1990.

Send Applications to:

ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY
Office of Personnel
P.O. Box 2700
Annapolis, Md. 21404
An Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer

Department of Criminology, Fort Myers Campus of the University of South Florida seeks applicants for a tenure track faculty position at the **Assistant Professor** level beginning Fall, 1990. Applicants must hold a Ph.D. in criminology/criminal justice or a related field. Excellence in classroom teaching is essential, with one or more years of college or university teaching preferred. Candidates should be willing to assist in an expanding criminal justice program, advising students, and community service. Position requires a generalist, able to teach a variety of courses, including theories, crime patterns, abnormal behavior, and criminal justice administration. Preferred applicants will have a sociological orientation and a varied background in criminal justice. Applicants must include current vita, teaching record (including student evaluation, if available), three current letters of recommendation, and evidence of scholarly accomplishments and promise. Salary negotiable, depending upon experience and qualifications. Application should be made by March 19, 1990 to Associate Dean Gilbert Hutchcraft, USF at Fort Myers, 8111 College Parkway S.W., Fort Myers, Florida 33919.

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For additional information, please call the Personnel Office 201-613-6710 or 6711

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ENERGY PROGRAM SUPERVISOR

The Maryland Department of Housing and Community Development seeks an Energy Program Supervisor to implement technical and financial assistance programs which conserve energy in public and private agencies. The incumbent will be responsible for managing the State Energy Conservation Plan, energy conservation contracts and providing technical assistance.

QUALIFICATIONS: Bachelor's degree and four years experience or an equivalent combination of acceptable education and experience in energy conservation or related field. A minimum of one year's experience as a supervisor is required.

SALARY RANGE: $28,948-$38,023.

Resumes must be received by March 19, 1990, 4:30 p.m. Send resume' to:

DHCD Maryland Energy Office
45 Calvert Street
Annapolis, MD 21401-1907
E.O.E.

EASTERN STAINLESS CORPORATION

Local specialty steel manufacturer is currently seeking Journeyman Electricians.

Successful candidate must have served apprenticeship with 2½-3 years experience. DC troubleshooting and service of mill cranes required. AC mill maintenance and program controls is a definite plus.

Ability to work swing shift and weekends is a must. We offer a competitive salary and excellent benefits.

For immediate consideration contact:

Maryland Job Service
7930 Eastern Avenue
Baltimore, Maryland 21224
EASTERN STAINLESS CORPORATION
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POLICE OFFICER
Announcement #89-209

Graduation from high school or possession of a GED and proof of U.S. citizenship are required at time of filing application. A valid Class D Maryland Motor Vehicle Operator's License is required prior to appointment. Candidates must be 21 years of age at time of graduation from the Police Training Academy. Appointees must complete all required training in order to continue employment.

NOTE: In order to become an Anne Arundel County Police Officer, you must successfully complete a written examination, an oral interview, a background investigation, polygraph examination, psychological screening and physical examination. Applicants will NOT be required to take a physical strength or agility test as part of the selection process. However, all applicants who are selected will be required to complete successfully the training academy. This position requires shift work.

Salary: $25,208-$31,480 (effective July, 1990)

Application forms are available by calling (301) 222-1722, or 974-6750, x-1722 (Baltimore), or 970-8250, x-1722 (Washington). Applications must be on the employment form used by Anne Arundel County, and must be received no later than 4:00 p.m. on MONDAY, MARCH 26, 1990.

Send Applications to:

ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY
Office of Personnel
P.O. Box 2700
Annapolis, MD 21404

FEMALES AND MINORITIES ARE STRONGLY ENCOURAGED TO APPLY

MANUFACTURING

Local manufacturer of electronic instruments has an opening for a Master Production Scheduler with 3 to 5 years experience in establishing production schedules in an electronic/electromechanical manufacturing environment. Solid experience using order forecasts, order history, trends, and order backlogs for scheduling a must. APICS certification a plus. A BA/BS in business/engineering required. We offer a competitive salary and benefit package. Qualified individuals should send resume' and salary requirements to: Personnel Dept., Belfort Instrument, 727 S. Wolfe St., Balto., MD 21231.

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PART-TIME BUS OPERATOR
$9.81-$14.01

The MTA is in business to serve the traveling public. Courteous, helpful operators are our front line sales team. If you can picture yourself at the wheel of one of our clean, comfortable buses helping our customers get around town and making their trip a pleasant one; if you'd rather work with people than stacks of paper; if you'd like to be an airline pilot and a flight attendant too — this may be the career for you. Work up to 30 hours per week.

REQUIREMENTS INCLUDE: Must be 21 years of age or older, have a High School Grad./G.E.D. Certificate, possess a current/valid Maryland driver's license, a good work and driving record, and be available to work variable days and hours and have good interpersonal and driving skills. Individuals who possess a valid C or Commercial Motor Vehicle license will be given 1st. priority.

Apply in person Monday-Friday between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. to:

MASS TRANSIT ADMINISTRATION
300 WEST LEXINGTON STREET
BALTIMORE, MARYLAND 21201-3415

"FOR A COMPLETE LISTING OF ALL MTA JOBS AVAILABLE, DIAL MTA-JOBS (682-5627)."

EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

DATA PROCESSING PROGRAMMER/ANALYST
FROSTBURG STATE UNIVERSITY

Two positions available July 1 to provide professional/technical support as liaison between Office of Computing Services and administrative user groups. FSU currently runs INFORMATION ASSOCIATES' (IA) Financial Records, Student Information, Human Resources and Alumni/Development Systems. Positions require Bachelor's degree in Computer Science, Information Systems, or closely related field, COBOL proficiency and strong interpersonal skills. Experience in higher education, with DEC VAX/VMS and IA software preferred. Salary $18,658-$29,979. Send letter of interest, resume' and names, addresses and telephone numbers of three professional references, not later than March 30, 1990, to: Mr. C. Douglas Schmidt, Director of Personnel Services, Frostburg State University, Frostburg, MD 21532.

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HOWARD COUNTY JOB OPPORTUNITIES

Howard County Government is accepting applications for the following positions:

ADMINISTRATIVE AIDE
Part-Time
$11.43-$16.58/hr.

THIS POSITION OFFERS THE FLEXIBILITY TO ESTABLISH YOUR OWN WORK SCHEDULE (17.5 HOURS/WEEK) WITHIN A MON.-FRI., 8:30-4:30 TIMEFRAME AND TO QUALIFY FOR SOME PRO-RATED BENEFITS, INCLUDING PAID TIME OFF.

The selected individual will provide administrative support to the staff of Budget Analysts. Duties will include: coordinating production of budget publications; setting up hearings; compiling statistics; tracking and organizing budget proposals and computer reports; proofreading; and drafting correspondence.

To qualify, applicants must possess any combination of education and experience equivalent to completion of an associate's degree with coursework in business or public administration and two years of progressively responsible administrative or advanced level clerical experience. Must possess knowledge of administrative practices and the ability to assemble and organize information. Knowledge of microcomputer systems (spreadsheets and desktop publishing) and budgeting is helpful.

ENGINEERING ASSISTANT II

To provide engineering support services which include such duties as: research, collection and organization of information in the areas of water and sewer systems, residential water conservation, and residential and commercial solid waste recycling; well and stream monitoring; and preparation of charts and graphs for reporting purposes.

To qualify, applicants must possess any combination of education and experience equivalent to completion of the twelfth grade and three years of experience in sub-professional engineering work. Must possess knowledge of engineering methods, design and drafting. Prefer experience with personal computers.

Salary range: $20,806-$30,185/yr. This is a 35-hour per week position with a comprehensive flexible benefits package.

ADMINISTRATIVE SECRETARY II

The selected individual will perform advanced secretarial work for the Chief Administrative Officer and on an as-needed basis for the County Executive. The position requires initiative and independent judgment and has diverse and important contact with all levels of the general public and County officials.

Responsibilities will include: screening mail, calls, and visitors; scheduling appointments; answering inquiries about Department functions and policies; maintaining a complex filing system; gathering information for reports, speeches, and letters; taking dictation and meeting notes for minutes using stenography or a recorder and transcribing with the word processor; and scheduling and assisting in the preparation of agendas for conferences and meetings.

TO QUALIFY, CANDIDATES MUST PASS A TIMED TYPING TEST OF AT LEAST 55 WPM (6 ALLOWABLE ERRORS) AND A TIMED STENOGRAPHY TEST AT 90 WPM (9 ALLOWABLE ERRORS) and possess any combination of education and experience equivalent to completion of the twelfth grade and six years of increasingly responsible clerical experience, including four years of secretarial experience.

THIS 35 HOUR PER WEEK POSITION QUALIFIES FOR A $1500/YEAR STENO BONUS PLUS A COMPREHENSIVE FLEXIBLE BENEFITS PACKAGE WHICH MAY INCLUDE THE OPTION OF CHOOSING ADDITIONAL SALARY IN LIEU OF BENEFITS. Salary range: $23,580-$34,149/yr. Howard County applications must be received or postmarked by March 16, 1990.

Contact:

HOWARD COUNTY GOVERNMENT
3430 COURTHOUSE DRIVE
ELLICOTT CITY, MARYLAND 21043
(301) 992-2035
DEAF TELETYPE ONLY (301) 992-2323
EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER M/F/H/V

SPORTS

Paranoid on race? This time it's no need

Sam Lacy

Now jes you folks wait a darn minit out there . . . . It don' do you no good gettin' all riled up about them sanctions them NCAA foreigners put on our basketball team down at College Park.

Course they as bad as any they coulda thought up, but it's our own fault for lettin' that Bob Wade in where no Black fellah got any business.

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Them Afro folks, I s'pose, are gonna be sayin' they don' have to be paranoid to smell this out . . . . But let 'em . . . . We know better . . . . Some Black folks are our bes' friends — as long as they can play basketball.

If they call this "plantation mentality," thass all right, too.

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So, don' tell us nothin' about they got Black folks runnin' things in Arkansas and Tennessee and Virginia . . . Thass they business.

But we don' hunker down to none of them southern states . . . . Maryland ain't Arkansas.

If they wanna have people like Nolan Richardson (at Arkansas), Wade Houston (at Tennessee), Frankie Allen (at Virginia Tech) and Clem Haskins (at Western Kentucky, now Minnesota), let 'em go 'head.

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We don' forget our history . . . . We don' let our Black boys be takin' orders from Black foremen; not at University of Maryland, we don't . . . . That's White folks' work.

And if some hulkin' Black guy thinks he can come onto our plantation and take a White man's job, we let him have jus' enough rope for lynchin'.

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All this mess wouldna started if they had left that fine man Charles Driesell alone . . . . It warn't none of his fault that that Black kid, what's his name — Len Bias — got hisself all doped up in a dormitory and kilt hisself.

And Mistah Driesell — they call him "Lefty" — couldna help it if them boys of his didna go to school and get they lessons.

Besides, we Marylanders didna' blow the whistle on him . . . . he White.

He's White like the fellahs at North Carolina State, Oklahoma, Clemson, Illinois, Kentucky and Houston and UNLV . . . . Them NCAA folks are jes "investigating" them.

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For this Black guy to give a kid forty dollars for books in Maryland is worse than a White gentleman mailin' a kid a thousand dollars in Kentucky, or offering a boy 10 thousand in Illinois and Oklahoma.

Now we understan' why this NCAA crowd wants to slap one of the biggest penalties ever on Wade; he Black and he deserves it.

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But what them people don' realize is that they's hurtin' us White folks more than they's hurtin' Bob Wade.

We the ones that lose all that money that comes from television for two years and from tournament play . . . . plus we gotta give back the money we already got from before.

Bob Wade don't lose no money, only his good name . . . . And bein' Black, that don't amount to much.

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So, what we gotta do now is jes keep on makin' like the whole rness is that Black fellah's fault, like he done all the damage — not the fine man who left him the mess.

We gotta make sure they know we didna want him in the first place . . . . And we wouldna had him if it hadna been for some do-gooder name of John Slaughter who we didna want either as president.

A MOTHER REJOICES — Mrs. Ruth Simmons is jubilant as she joins son Lionel at a ceremony honoring the LaSalle sensation following a game against Army at Philadelphia. Lionel became only the fifth player in NCAA history to top 3,000 career points.

OVERVIEW

EUPHORIA IN BALTIMORE! — And for good reason! Little-known Coppin State College rose from the state of nonentity last week to capture the Mid-Eastern Athletic Conference basketball title, defeating A&T, 54-50.

The win enabled the Eagles to finish the surprising season with a 26-6 overall record, take their first MEAC Championship, and become the first Baltimore college team in history to gain a berth in the NCAA Tournament.

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IRONY OR IGNORANCE? — President Bush accepted an invitation last Friday night to entertain visiting Japanese Prime Minister Toshiki Kaifu with dinner at the Palm Springs home of publisher Walter Annenberg.

Exactly 43 years earlier — give or take — a day, then Brooklyn Dodger Manager Leo Durocher was suspended for a year from baseball by then Commissioner A. B. "Happy" Chandler.

The reason: Annenberg sat in Durocher's box at a spring training game in Florida. Chandler's office charged the manager with "consorting with gamblers." Annenberg published the Daily Racing Form, a horseracing sheet.

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MORE IRONY — The day after LaSalle's All-American prospect Lionel Simmons was honored in Philadelphia for scoring 3,000 career points, Hank Gathers, an All-America candidate at Loyola-Marymount, died during a game in Los Angeles.

Simmons and Gathers were close friends in their boyhood years in Philadelphia.

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THE SOUTH HAS RISEN — With all but one member college (Bowie State) within the confines of Virginia and North Carolina, it is understandable that those two states dominate the All-CIAA basketball selections.

The men's picks show 7 Virginia and 6 North Carolina players; the women's choices are 6 Carolina, 4 Virginia and one Maryland selection.

Notable quotable

Cocky Oregon State guard Gary Payton, top gun in the PAC-10 basketball race and candidate for Player of the Year honors, asked to explain the champagne glass figure shaped in his haircut:

"Hey, Man, class all the way!"

A MOTHER MOURNS — Mrs. Lucille Gathers is consoled by a paramedic after her son, Hank Gathers, was pronounced dead. The young star of the Loyola-Marymount basketball team collapsed during an NCAA tournament game against Portland at Los Angeles Sunday.

The 'Horn of Plenty': basketball version

Like the issue of a cornucopia, they seem to come in an endless parade . . . . And they come in all sizes, shapes and shades.

They are Black basketball players.

Back in the late thirties and early forties when William "Dolly" King and Wilmeth Sidat-Singh were starring at Long Island and Syracuse universities, respectively, it was hailed as the true arrival of Blacks in major college baskeball.

It didn't matter that fellows like Sam Jones and Tex Harrison were probably just as good . . . . they were "hidden" down at North Carolina College (now North Carolina Central) . . . . the same was the case with people like Dennis Simpson and Willie Wynne at Howard, and Lanky Jones, Pinky Clark, Powell Sheffey, etc., at Morgan.

And when Jackie Moor, Nat "Sweetwater" Clifton and Don Barksdale were given a shot at the pros, the feeling was that now this is it!

Little did the public know that it "hadn't seen nothin' yet" (sic).

Since then there has been a constant feeding of basketball's "Black Galaxy" — stars of steadily increasing brilliance coming from every direction.

Elgin Baylor from Spingarn High in D.C., and Seattle University, to introduce the drive and backboard cleanup while leading the Cougars to their first NCAA championship by thrashing Kentucky in a red-faced Adolph Rupp's backyard.

Oscar Robertson from Cincinnati, silky smooth in generalship and teaching the sports world how to say "Big O," with amazing shooting accuracy.

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Meanwhile, in Boston a long-limbed spider with octopus-like arms was swatting enemy shots into the hands of Celtic teammates, including the aforementioned Sam Jones . . . . Folks, meet Bill Russell.

In mid-country at Kansas and later at Philadelphia, Wilt Chamberlain was lording over basketball nets and dropping in two-pointers with such frequency that he ran up a record number of NBA career points — enhanced at one stage by a plus-100 game against New York.

Now comes another smoothie from DC's Spingarn High: his name Dave Bing, to head to Syracuse and the NBA to the applause of thousands.

But the applause for the Piston satellite was quickly muted . . . . A dancing, swivel-hipped cat emerged from little Winston-Salem State of the CIAA, and the marquees in NBA towns were emblazoned: "Earl 'The Pearl' Monroe is here tonight."

Nor is it recalled here that the fount also spewed out whole teams like Loendi, the Renaissance and the Harlem Globetrotters, all of whom played it straight or with twists with uncanny class.

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But the string of individual phenoms continues, each strand becoming tougher to match than those preceding.

Kareem Abdul-Jabar who calmly erased the Chamberlain career mark.

Julius "Doctor J" Erving — and Patrick Ewing.

Akeem Olajuwon — and Karl Malone.

Earving "Magic" Johnson.

And then Michael "Air" Jordan who goes from city to city defying gravity with a gazelle-like grace that leaves his audiences tired and gasping.

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And the parade goes on, but it won't stop.

At the next corner stands a group of guys named Chris Jackson from LSU, Gary Payton from Oregon State, Lionel Simmons from LaSalle and others, all awaiting their turn.

So, if you think you'd be shocked if someone told you the day will come when Magic Johnson will be overshadowed, don't be . . . . Nor should you laugh if in your presence it is predicted that Michael Jordan's theatre will be turned into an off-Broadway production some day in the future.

Maybe, you "ain't seen nothin' yet.

There's more in the "horn."