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State students nabbed for scalping ACC tickets

by John Flesher
News Editor

Two State students were arrested last Friday afternoon, Feb. 24 and charged with scalping tickets to this week's ACC basketball tournament, according to Raleigh Det. Sgt. R. D. Williams.

The two students were identified as Charles Ritter and Charles Haisley, both residents of Bagwell Dorm. Ritter is a Resident Advisor in Bagwell, a member of State's Judicial Board and a former Technician. staff writer. Haisley is a Student Senator and a R. A.

Williams said they were trying to self two tickets, valued at 840 each, front of Reynolds Coliseum about 4 p.m. Friday.

A hearing on the incident was originally scheduled for March 15. However, at the request of the defendants' lawyer William Ransdell, a hearing was held yesterday morning to determine whether the students could be given the tickets would be worthless unless the could attend the togrname.

Sudent Boal yes result is fell. You all get out of here," he said to the opposing lawyers.

Bad judgement'

Attorney General Jerry Kirk said that Ritter would probably be removed from his Judicial Board post at the board's next meeting.

"Idon't like to judge people, but I think that these students used extremely poor judgement in doing what they did," Kirk said.

Kirk said that since there is presently necessary and have explained the situation to him," Kirk said. "If there was a policy four sto act on, we would do it, but since there isn't, we won't."

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ACC tournament tickets have risen tremendously. Students who are scalping are not being careful about it—they are advertising openly.

"Since they have gotten away with it for so long, they have gotten careless. Raleigh police have refrained from coming into the eampus for a long time, but since they've done it once you can be sure that they'll be back again," Arroyo said.

Arroyo said that with a statute prohibiting scalping of all athletic contest tickets, students will have no problems understanding the rules and those who are caught will be able to be tried on campus rather than by the city of Raleigh.

"Being put on restriction of University priviledges is no fun, but it sure beats six months in jail or a \$500 fine," he commented.

Asked whether the proposed statute would simply serve to make scalpers more cautious without really curbing the number of offenses, Arroyo replied, "The average student does not have thelproper connections to sell those tickets for big money and to do so undetected. If you eliminate the possibilities for easy disposal of them. I think scalping will all but disappear."

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Arroyo said that efforts to procure re-placement tickets so that alternate win-ners could attend the tournament have failed.







Camera shy

Mail service to be extended to dorms

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Beastey met Feb. 17 with representatives from Business Affairs, the Physical Plant, Student Affairs, Student Development and Residence Facilities to discuss campus mail. "We agreed the service could be extended to dorms," Beasley said.

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He indicated that the real scients of sextended campus mail service would be that student organizations would be able to send out minutes and other official business correspondence to their members without costly U. S. postage.

Residence hall-bound mail will be

Resident Advisors, according to Beasley.

"My main hope is that the 200 or so student organizations sending out minutes and notices now through U. S. mail can use the campus mail system," he said.

Beasley indicated that the only real change of the present campus mail is plugging in extra inputs. He said mail delivery should take two to three days.

He also said that the problems with campus mail in the past have been due to misunderstandings about who could who couldn't use the system.

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deposited in regular campus mailboxes, the efficiency of the present campus mail then distributed through Harris Hall and Resident Advisors, according to Beasley.

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whether campus mail could be extended. If the volume increases to where additional personnel or instruments are needed, the system could be re-evaluated," he said.

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He said he couldn't give a concrete estimate of how many students would use the expanded campus mail system. "The only way to find out is to put it into effect and see how many will use it."

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"plugging in extra inputs." He said mail delivery should take two to three days. He also said that the problems with ampus mail in the past have been due to misunderstandings about who could who souldn't use the system. Everyone will be able to use it now." Beasley commented. "Faculty and deministration have always been able to end mail to dorms." Beasley said he had no complaints about through these boxes we will determine a mail to the problems with the campus mail service. Braswell said the new boxes will be similar to existing campus mailboxes. He said tae new boxes will be similar to existing campus mailboxes. He said tae new boxes will be similar to existing campus mailboxes. He said tae new boxes will be similar to existing campus mailboxes. He said tae new boxes will be similar to existing campus mailboxes. He said tae new boxes will be similar to existing campus mailboxes. He said tae new boxes will be similar to existing campus mailboxes. He said tae new boxes will be similar to existing campus mailboxes. He said than each posses we will determine to cations will be new box students more convenient locations for campus mail drops. Traswell said the new box set will be similar to existing campus mailboxes. He said than each posses we will determine to existing campus mailboxes. He said tae new boxes will be similar to existing campus mailboxes. He said tae new boxes will be similar to existing campus mailboxes. He said tae new boxes will be similar to existing campus mailboxes. He said tae new boxes will be similar to existing campus mailboxes. He said tae new boxes will be additional boxes as an expansion of the campus mail service. Braswell said the new boxes will be appus mailboxes. He said tae new boxes will be additional boxes as an expansion of the campus mail service. Braswell said the new boxes will be appus mailboxes. He said tae new boxes will be additional boxes as an expansion of the campus mail service. Braswell said ditional boxes as an expansion of the campus mail service. Braswell sa Committee formed to study Agromeck plight

News Editor

The continuation of the Agromeck. State's yearbook, dominated Monday's meeting of the Publications Authority. A motion to implement an addition to an existing statute which would make it illegal for any previous editor or station manager to serve on the board was also introduced, but was defeated.

John Gough, Agromeck editor, said a lack of student interest in working on the yearbook has prompted him to consider recommending that the yearbook be discontinued in the near future.

He said that it has become increasingly difficult to find students to run for editor and this lack of enthusiasm has filtered down into the staff members.

Gough recommended that a committee be formed to investigate the possibility of discontinuing the yearbook for one year, at which time it would be discovered whether or not students are interested in having a yearbook at State and they would be willing to work on the publication.

The editor also recommended that the committee investigate how many students would prefer receiving the yearbook in May rather than in the fall as is the present practice.

Late distribution

James Clark, a faculty representative on the board, said he believes that one reason the Agromeck has been sluggish is because it does come out in the fall.

"A yearbook is supposed to mark the end of something rather than the beginning," Clark said. "Students are not interested in a yearbook when they are beginning a new academic year."

Clark also said that he has worked with surveys such as the one the proposed committee would be taking and that it takes longer to tabulate the results than many people realize.

"If we take a survey now, of our current constituency, and apply its preferences to be applied to a yearbook two years hence, we are shooting in the dark again," said Clark.

"The second part of that problem is that the desire for a yearbook is not testimony that you will-have the staff to produce the

yearbook," he continued.

Also considered was the possibility of having the books paid for with student fees. If this course were taken, according to Gough, students could check a box on a form distributed on Registration Day.

Students would indicate their willingness to buy a yearbook and would be billed accordingly.

ness to buy a yearbook and would be billed accordingly. Student Body President Blas Arroyo said he believes students would prefer this system because they could order the book and the charge for the book would be tacked onto their registration fees for the following Spring semester.

Taylor said it should be up to the student body to decide who will serve in the elected positions rather than automatically ruling out someone who is qualified to make decisions.

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Winners of the Agromeck seating contest were named by Gough after the meeting. He said the winners were randomly selected and were entered in the contest automatically when they had their yearbook pictures taken.

Winners and prizes are: Sallie Hargrave and Stanley Mavros, a \$30 dinner for two at the Angus Barn; Karen Hunnicutt and Reginald Fennell, a key of beer from College Beverage; Paula Bowens, a \$10 gift certificate from School Kids Records.

Gough said Yearbook Associates supplied funds for the prizes.

"The only problem I can see with that is with students who drop out after the Fall semester." Arroyo said after the meeting. "But they could easily check to see if the student were enrolled in the Spring and they would still have plenty of time to order the boks."

In other action, Gough informed the board of the present status of the yearbook as well as the need to renegotiate the printing contract.

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He said that 2,150 copies of this year's book have been sold. He added that he had orginally been led to believe that it is too late to order a book, but has discovered that the final sales deadline is not until their Friday or possibly not until the week after Spring Break.

Gough said he wanted permission from the board to begin contract negotiations for next year's book. He said that he wishes to stay with the present printer because relations have already been established

and consequently the next editor will have an easier time planning the actions of the book.

Gough also said that the present printer, Yearbook Associates, has loaned photographic equipment to the Agromeck which has been of great assistance.

He said the new photographers coming to the yearbook are not as committed to photography as past ones and, as a result, do not have the amount of equipment needed to take the quality of pictures desired in the book.

Also, according to Gough, the Agromeck will get to keep the loaned equipment if it stays with Yearbook Associates.

Gough said the company has been "very reasonable" to negotiate with.

"Yearbook Associates has been very satisfactory in handling our account," said

Gough.

Arroyo introduced the proposal stating that no previous editor or station manager can run for a seat on the Publications Authority. He said a past editor could not totally objective in decision-making situation, no matter how good his intentions, because he had been so deeply involved in a publication.

The motion was defeated with little discussion.

Sam Taylor, station manager of State's radio station WKNC-FM, said that if a student is willing to make the committment not to work with a publication any more, as is presently stipulated by existing statutes, that student should be permitted to run for the nosition.

Chavis' mother speaks

Mrs. Elizabeth Chavis, mother of the Rev. Ben Chavis of the Wilmington 10, gave a special message Sunday during a Human Rights worship service sponsored by State's Cooperative Campus Ministry. The service focused on justice and human rights according to Ted Purcell, Baptist Coop minister. The purpose of this service is to call upon all people to be concerned about these issues," Purcell said. "What is obviously unjust ought to be a concern of Christians." Instead of cursing the darkness around us, many times we can light a candle. The question is not whether God is dead, but whether we are," Mrs. Chavis said at the service in the Student Center Ballroom. She said her faith in God has sustained her since her son was arrested during racial disturbances in Wilmington in 1971 and since he has been imprisoned.

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She said she recalled the morning in 1971
when her son was called to Wilmington by
a white minister of the United Church of

Christ during racial distrubances in that city.

She said she told her son, "Son, do you think it's safe to go to Wilmington?"

Ben replied to her: "Mother, I have a call and I must go. I must go; my brothers and sisters need me there. I'll be all right."

Mrs. Chavis added, "Today, seven years later, there is still another call for help—from prison cells."

Mrs. Chavis said there had been some good consequences of the Wilmington 10 case.

"Many of us have been awakened from our sleep of apathy. We have learned the importance of unity; black and white are joining hands together. Ben often said to me: "Mother, if we as a people are to be free, then the Christian Church must lead people through the struggle." I must contess that during the last seven years it has been a very long struggle."

The service also featured concerns of migrant workers, native Americans and women. A special prayer was given for Rabbi Leo Stillpass, a Campus Cooperative minister who died last week.

A media presentation, "A Contemporary Injustice," was given by the N.C. Alliance Against Racist & Political Repression and included slides of the Wilmington 10 story.



Let's go!

n State played on its home court, and it seems only us fan be at the Greensboro Coliseum when State light in the opening round of the ACC tournament.

Staff photo by Chris Seward

Featur

State to Crabtree in a minute

Teatures writer

"I got sick once, too; my instructor did it to me on my first time up. He took off and killed the engine to show me not to worry even if she dies."

Knowing that Tommy Manning, the pilot of the Cessna 150, suffered a similar fate his first time aloft in a small plane, was reassuring. So, ignoring our misfortune in the turbulence at 3,000 feet, Manning continued the bird's eye tour.

Fifteen hundred feet below, pea-soup green farms ponds, barren fields, and the stark contrast between leafless hardwoods and evergreen pines dominated the landscape. Over there, match-box size earth movers tore at the steps of an open pit mine.

pit mine.

N. C. State rolled by underneath. The track looked like an oval for minature ears and the brickyard, like an intricate, parquet floor in red and white.

"Now we go from State to Crabtree in a minute, and it's rush hour besides," Manning quipped. At 100 mph and traveling straighter than the crow flies, a minute was an exaggeration. In a blink the cube-shaped stores of the mall were stacked below.

"Six, eight, Juliette, you are approaching Raleigh-Durham Airport," warned an air traffic controller. "I figured he'd call me and tell me I was getting too close. I had to see if he was on his toes," Manning said. "They can get nasty when they're really huse."

Manning banked the orange and white, single-engine plane and headed south. "Pilots learn to use landmarks like road intersections, railroad tracks, water tanks, and buildings to help navigate," he explained.

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"Flying is a pretty expensive hobby. All together it cost me about 1,500 to get my license. You have to buy books, get a medical certificate, there's a license fee, instructor fees and plane rental." Our two seat Cessna went for \$19 an hour.

Lake Wheeler shimmered thousands of feet below, and sailors taking advantage of

Lake Wheeler shimmered thousands of feet below, and sailors taking advantage of the 20-knot winds danced their white specks across her surface. Swift Creek, which feeds the northern end of the lake, was noticeably dry.

Manning, a senior in business, soloed for the first time last summer. Since then, "Tve had only one close call—it was almost a mid-air (collision). We were both coming in and for some reason he wans't communicating." Tommy's plane was

above the other and steadily closing. "When I finally saw it, I was close enough to see the other fella's whiskers. We peeled off and got of there."

Thinking his passenger had recovered from the flight's earlier discomfort. Manning said, "You haven't flown until you've stalled." He jerked the stick and our Cesna tried for all the altitude she could get. The steep angle of the climb caused the engine to quit and we dropped tail first. In a second the engine caught and we leveled off. "That's a stall and that was 150 to 200 feet." beamed Manning.

"The harriest part of flying is landing," Manning said as Wendell-Knightdale Airport returned to view. "Taking off is nothing. There are lots of things to keep up with when you're landing."

He circled the field, bringing the plane into the wind as he broadcast continual messages. We skimmed an oak stand, leaped some power lines and glided at 200 feet above U.S. 64.

The runway, with as many dips as a roller coaster, seemed to jump to meeet us. "The plane bounced a bit, but according to the pilot, the landing was "as smooth as anybody could ask for."

It certainly was what this passenger was asking for.



Wolfpack rugby

Blood, sweat and beer

On a balmy spring day in 1823, on the campus of England's Rugby University, a frustrated soccer player by the name of William "Webb" Ellis scopped up the soccer ball and, amidst the curses of players and fans alike, rushed his way into the annals of sports history as he created the amazing game of rugby.

One hundred and fifty-five years later rugby remains the passion of a small but dedicated group of students, doctors, lawyers, secretaries.

State boasts the honor of being home field for such a crowd of fanatics. On any given day, the men of the NCSU Rugby Football Club and the sisters of Reedy Creek Rugby Football Club can be found sharing the pleasure, pain and comraderic of the world of rugby. Cold or hot, wet or dry, day or night, you can find 51" Marie Butler, member of the State physical plant staff, talking strategy with 6'3" Larry Dunlap, beautician. Good times, bad times, laughter, tears—the men and women have shared them all.

But what have they shared? What is rugby? In a world of million-dollar athletes, oxygen on the side-lines, Reggie Jacksons and Renee Richards, the rugger is unique. Chasing an over-inflated football across a half-acre field, casting scholarships, shoulder pads and caution to the wind, 30 players rush pell-mell after one another. There is some degree of method to this madness. Rugby requires long hours of practice, set plays which would make Tom Tandry smile, non-stop action for eighty minutes, kicking, running and laterally passing the ball. It also includes smashing an opponent to the ground, helping him up, and laughing over a splendid play or beautiful tackle.

And, after the game, the party

And, after the game, the party, featuring kegs of beer, bowls of chili and bawdy songs. This is the time for making plans for nation wide tours the next season and laughing at the antics of "Mad Dog," a wild man without which no team is

party with the best of them. Ever since the initiation of State Rugby in 1965 the teams have been growing stronger and stronger. Now incorporated as a non-profit organization, current plans include a northern tour, spaghetti dinners, a campaign to raise funds for a home field, and a good shot at an undefeated season. In the coming weeks there will be team victories and personal defeats, shared glory, individual pain and a lot of good times.

times.

Anyone can be a part of this amazing game. Practices are held daily at 5 p.m. on the upper intramural field and the games and parties are held all over. For additional information, call "Chili Central" at 828-0779. For playing or partying, everyone's welcome.

Correction

The feature story about Schoolkids Records in Monday's paper erroneously-reported that their markup on records was 30 per cent. The correct figure is 14 per

Students design computer system for matching compatible roommates

Face it, when two people stuff themselves, their entire collections of worldly goods, and all their nasty habits into a 10 by 12 dorm room for nine long months, personality conflicts are bound to ensue. But maybe the clashes won't be so severe starting this fall, thanks to five freshmen from an Engineering Concepts 120 class.

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Bob London, Ron Ellis, Russ Barnes, Greg Newton, and Janet Kinsland are preparing a computerized plan for selecting a roommate on the basis of compatibility as a project for the class. If the plan can be utilized by Residence Life, students will be able to mail order a roommate by simply answering around 15 questions on a computer card. The student responses will be processed along with his room application.

questions or responses will be processed atong responses will be processed atong room application. Some of the questions that might be used are found in a sample survey to be distributed in the dorms this week, according to Bob London. They include according to Bob London.

queries on age, curriculum, and racial preferences as well as attitude on smoking and noisiness. The survey also asks for suggestions on making the program more effective.

For the plan to be feasible, it must be For the plan to be feasible, it must be easily incorporated into the program now used by Residence Life for doling out rooms. According to housing officer James S. Fulghum, Jr., the present program took about three years to develop because of the large number of variables involved. How practical, then, would the addition of 15 more variables be? London is optimistic. "Hopefully we can integrate our program into the one they're using now without too much trouble," he said, adding that his group has studied roommate.

that his group has studied roommate selection programs used by other schools for ideas.

"I think it's got potential for use in our assignment program," said Dr. Paul Marion, director of residence life. "That's why I was co-operative with the students. They'll get back to us and we'll evaluate it for use, mavbe next fall, or in the future."

Marion said the problem in designing a questionnaire for residents would be in devising questions that will actually predict compatibility. For example a non-smoking roommate, but, beyond the most obvious characteristics, compatibility is difficult to predict. Two people who both like sports or plays might not necessarily get along well together. "There are more subjective personality traits to consider." Marion said.

Most residents request their roommate, according to Marion. Although he didn't have the exact percentage, Marion estimated that a minority of students are assigned a room totally at random.

There are two philosophies about roommates, Marion said. One is that part of the college experience is getting used to people who are different. This view advocates the random matching of residents.

The opposing view, the one shared by

advocates the ranuous residents.

The opposing view, the one shared by those who've lived with a person they've despised or felt indifference toward, is that some criterion, any criterion, would help.

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The good, the bad and the ugly: State's architectural milieu

by Everett Lewis Staff Writer

Architecture is a tender subject, near and dear to all of our hearts. Shelter is more than a function, it can be a delight. Here on campus, architecture is rarely in evidence. We are surrounded by buildings; buildings which rarely work; and even more rarely conform to a humanistic scale. These buildings cannot truly be called architecture.

Architecture, at its height.

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Architecture, at its height, can both inform and involve those experiencing it. It can cause emotion, as well as allow itself to calm the participant.

But the art of architecture is a human art—achieving a masterpiece in art. A masterpiece in architecture works programmatically, yet inspires those experiencing it to enjoy and revel in life, as well as achieve to their fullest capacity.

A building must first of all have a clear function. A house, a museum, a library or a biology

considered. But a building must do more than meet a program. It must address other concerns-concerns specially dealing with form, site planning, contextual properties and how it is to be perceived as relating to function, form, actual use and scale, all to the person.

Indeed, the person is the most

properties are inherent in each of these areas. East campus is primarily a humanistic and delightful place, mellow and fairly aged.

East-mid, from Poe Hall to the Nuclear lab, is beginning to lose the mellowness of east campus and engender the scalelessness of mid campus.

Mid campus, where the formlessness and big money show begins, mid-west where confusion reights, and finally, west campus, where the formlessness was beginning to university and employ (badly campus and engender the scalelessness of mid campus.

The student is usually the loser. Where confusion reigns, it pours. And it pours on the poor undergrad and grad.

university has been around about 90 years. And these have been 90 of the most turbulent years in architecture.

undergrad and grad.

How architecture has occurred, from the beginning, to the present and how it is perceived, is to be the subject of two cocasions, with its initial a serie. of articles. This

Matthew Nowicki, one in 1895 and the other in 1950. Both employed similar concerns, intelligently, and the east campus development shall be the subject of the next article: the humanistic approach, beginnings of a university.

Out and about with Martin Ericson...

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Something tonight and tomorrow and off to break—that's the schedule this week at the Student Center and the Erdahl-Cloyd Theatre.

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The Warner Brothers series will present A Streetcar Named Desire at 8 p.m. Thursday in Stewart Theatre. The film stars Vivien Leigh, Marlon Brando, Kim Hunter and Karl Malden. Based on the Tennessee Williams play, the movie won five Academy Awards. Tickets are \$1 for State students and \$1.50 for staff & faculty.

If you're stuck in town over break and go for some classical entertainment, the Union Activities Board has a deal for you. Roberta Peters, the famed soprano, will be appearing with the N.C. Symphony on Tuesday, Mar. 7 at 8:15 p.m. Tickets will be \$5 at the door but if you plan ahead and buy at the Student Center you can get tickets for just half-a-buck. Bring your registration to the Stoward Theatre box office. Stewart Theatre box office

Have a good break.



ATTENTION ENGINEERING Sen-lors: EIT review session on engi-neering economy, tonight from 7:30-9:30 in 2211 Broughton Hall.

NO CONSERVATION Club meeting

REC PLAY DAY: Anyone rested in participating in Co Rec y Day, April 12, at UNC-6 can up in the Intramural Office. npetition will be held in tennis, lminton, table tennis, volleyball, viling, golf, and archery.

ASCE MEETING today at 12:00 MN 216. Speaker Dr. W.L. Bingham speaking on Transporting Scimber, limber, structural members.

BIBLE STUDY today in the Nub from 4:30-5:30 led by Rev. Joe Mann in a study of the Psalms. Everyone is welcome!

FRENCH CLUB meets every odd Wednesday! Today at 5 p.m. at Next Door on Hillsboro. Y'all come!

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EDUCATION COUNCIL will meet Thursday, at 5:30 in 528 Poe.

JUNIORS AND SENIORS in Engineering: If you believe you are eligible for initiation into Tau Beta Pi and you did not receive an invitation you are invited to a Smoker being held at 7:30 tonight in the Student Center ballroom.

STUDENT SOCIAL WORK Association Program Committee meeting today at 2:30 in Poe Hall-South Lobby. Very important meeting.

Styx: truly a 'grand illusion'

by Chris Seward Photo Editor

Styx, whose skyrocketing fame during the last year has linked them to rock and roll superstardom, will open their 1978 spring tour at East Carolina University's Minges Coliseum at 8 tonight.

Styx' rise to stardom began in 1975 with its gold single "Lady." In 1977 the album Equinox turned gold and their latest

release The Grand Illusion, is now a double platinum. The single from this LP "Come Sail Away" is approaching 1,000,000 sales.

Away' is approaching 1,000,000 sales.

This dynamic group from Chicago presents some of the best mystical progressive music around. The band is composed of Dennis DeYoung (keyboards), James Young (guitar), the Panozzo twins, John (drums) and Chuck (bass) and Tommy Shaw (guitar).

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Maryland coach Lefty Driesell ...



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After 96 days of thrills, chills, pills (just look at some of the players' wild-eyed expressions), coordinated fits, lawsuits, mistakes (especially by the striped demons who officiate), courageous comebacks, bungled leads and

David Carroll

concentrated fury, seven teams enter this carnival-like atmosphere with desire in their hearts and glory on their minds. This is for keeps; an NCAA bid is the reward for winning this shindig. All it takes is three straight wins. Predicting all the winners is a task imponderable, of course. Like picking stars on a cloudy night, a fistful of pepper thrown into a pot of salt. Upsets are as common as scalper's selling tickets at outrageous prices.

The ACC is wonderfully balanced—the teams in the cellar are capable of beating the squads at the top. But they haven't done it. However, seldom does an ACC team triumph three consecutive times in the same year over a conference opponent.

team triumph three consecutive times in the same year over a conference opponent.
While UNC rests on its laurels today after being awarded a first round bye for winning the regular season title, second-seeded Duke faces a seventh-seeded Clemson team it has routed twice (3 p.m.), third-seeded State faces a sixth-seeded Maryland delegation (you can't use the word team because they don't play like one) it has beaten twice (7 p.m.) and fourth-seeded Wake Forest and fifth-seeded Virginia—who have split in two meetings—square off in the nightcap (9 p.m.).

Intriguing matchup

The Wollpack's matchup with Maryland tonight is an intriguing one. Historically the Terps have had problems against State in post-season play. Maryland hasn't beaten State in a post-season game since 1939 in the old Southern Conference tournament. And the Pack has won all eight of its games against Maryland in the ACC tournament.

This season State edged the Terps 88-82 at home and won 80-73 on the road. But, at the moment, regular season defeats mean about as much as a pair of losses in

Maryland is a team we've been fortunate to beat "Maryland is a team we've been fortunate to beat twice already, but hopfully this will not be a factor," assessed State coach Norm Sloan, whose young team surprised doomsayers by finishing 18-8 overall and 7-5 in the conference. "Certainly it will be an added motivation for them. But I am confident that our team isn't going up there and just go through the motions thinking it is automatic."

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Sloan said that the Terps, which finished 14-12 overall and 3-9 in conference action, are better than they were when the Wolfpack played them. Since Maryland eliminated itself from the regular season race so early, it has been focusing on the tournament for a long time. "Maryland has improved since we've played them." Sloan stated. "They look on the tournament as something that could make their season."

Sloan emphasized the importance of being relaxed, playing to win rather than being scared of defeat and elimination.

elimination.
"I feel that the team that goes out there and plays the loosest and toughest—plays like they did in the season—not in the tournament syndrome with caution and fear—playing to keep from losing—will win the thing."

Spirited group

For the most part, the Wolfpack has been a markedly relaxed team this season, a spirited group that keep's its cool and plays together.

In disgusting contrast, Maryland's problems have been as multiple as its talent. The Terps have been a group of selfish gunners who specialize in the one-on-five approach.

So, unless Maryland can suddenly solve its problems (which is like asking the Israelis and the Arabs to come to an agreement overnight), the Terps seemed doomed. But miracles are common place in the bizarre scenario of the ACC tournament and Maryland has no where to go but up this year. However, State should prevail in a game that probably will be so fast-paced it will resemble a tennis match at times.

Duke shouldn't have much of a problem in disposing of Clemson. The Blue Devils won hardily in its two previous



.. State coach Norm Sloan

confrontations and Duke has been sizzling in recent games. It is not known what effect a disappointing four-point loss suffered to Carolina last Saturday will have on the Blue Devils. But Duke is hungry for an NCAA berth, whether it be an at-large spot or automatic invitation by winning the ACC tournament. And the Tigers, who once had lots of satin soul, haven't been very smooth lately. th lately.

Analyzing the Wake Forest-Virginia game is like comparing .50 to ½. They're even—take your pick. It depends on your preference. The Deacs do it fast, the Cavs do it slow (they would say disciplined). Look for a very close game with the winner being so drained that it is easy pickings for rested UNC in Thursday's semis. Duke might very well have the best team in the conterence right now. But the Blue Devils might have a tough evening in store if they face State in the semifinals Thursday at 7 p.m. Although it blitzed State by 12 in Cameron Indoor Outhouse (you remember the game where, the floor looked like a tornado-struck laundry room), the Wolfpack destroyed Duke by 24 at home in early January. The Pack, with its superior quickness, is indeed capable of beating the Blue Devils if it shoots and executes well. But with Duke's awesome array of talent, it's hard for any opposing team to execute flawlessly or even normally.

Gross first full-timer Soccer coach selected

Larry Gross, soccer coach at Virginia for the past four season, has been named as the first full-time soccer coach at State, Wolfpack Athletics Director Willis Casey announced today.

Gross, 30, will serve as head soccer coach, with administritive and other coaching duties. He replaces Max Rhodes, State coach for the past 14 seasons.

who will devote full time to his duties as a member of the school's physical education fac-

school's physical education fac-ulty.

A Baldwin, N.Y. native, Gross coached soccer and assisted with the lacrosse program during his tenure at Virginia, where he also taught physical education activities.

"We have an excellent oppor-tunity at State to move into

the national picture in soccer," said Gross, who will be joining the Wolfpack immediately. "I'm looking forward to the challenge".

Gross earned his undergrad-uate degree from Towson State in health, physical education and recreation in 1969 and added a master's degree in education from Morgan State in 1074

education from 1974. 1974. He was an all-Mason-Dixon Conference lacrosse goalie while at Towson State, where he won four letters in that sport three more in wrestling and was

three more in wrestling and was honored as captain and mat MVP twice. He had earned eight letters in football, wrestling and lacrosse at Baldwin High School Following graduation he was the head soccer coach for five seasons at Towson Catholic High School, where he was athletic director and coached the school's first four lacrosse teams. He coached wrestling at teams.

the school's first four lacrosse teams. He coached wrestling at Maryland-Baltimore County for one year as well. While at Virginia his teams posted a 30-24-4 overall record, winning the state championship last fall and finishing as high as third in the Atlantic Coast Conference in 1976.



Pitching ace

State's ace pitcher, John Skinner, hurls a fast ball. Last season Skinner compiled an excellent 7-0 record an 1.23 earned run average. He also made All-ACC as only a freshman.

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Wolfpack playing the percentages when baseball season opens Friday Though he feels his front five is strong, sposito is still looking for someone he can replace departed Dick Chappell in right

If pitching is truly three quarters of baseball, the Wolfpack will be playing the percentages this year when it opens the seasor. Friday at Elon.

With all but one hurler back from a team which compiled a 2.88 earned run average in '77. State coach Sam Esposito sees pitching as one of this year's biggest assests.

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"They (the pitchers) kept us alive in just about every hall game last year," said Esposito. "That's what you really hope a staff will do for you."

Doing it for the Pack will be the starting rotation of John Skinner, Doug Huffman, Rich Spanton, Tom Willette and Frank Bryant. Missing will be David Watkins, who graduated. While Skinner was the mainstay last year, compiling a 70 record and a 1.23 ERA, Huffman 144, 2.88) will get the starting nod Friday. Skinner is recovering from the flu.

"I'm hoping we get another good performance from the pitching staff," said Esposito. "I'm hoping it'll be better than last year, but if it's as good, I'll be satisfied."

Though he feels his from five the Esposito is still looking for someone he can rely on in relief.

"Our bullpen the last couple of years has not been very strong," the Wolfpack coach explained. "I hope we can find a short man. We haven't had a stopper since (Tim) Stoddard. (Stoddard, a former State pitcher, is now in the Baltimore Orioles chain.)

"We're gonna try a lot of guys and find out who wants to do it."

'Lot of experimenting'

As for the rest of the Pack's lineup, Esposito expects to be "doing a lot of experimenting" to replace four departed starters and plug up the left side of his infield. Switching positions will be junior Tom Crocker, a. 301 hitter at third base last year, and sophomore Ray Tanner. Crocker will move to left field while Tanner will switch from short to third. Moving into the Pack's lineup will be Bill Maier, a transfer from Butler (Pa.). Comunity College who will take over at shortstop.

Sophomores John Meloy and Pat Sheehy will split time behind the plate, taking over for graduated Billy Port and Gerry Feldkamp.

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Returning mainstays

Chappell, a four-year fixture in the State-lineup, led the Wolfpack in home runs (9), total bases (67), stolen bases (11) and RBI (28) last year.

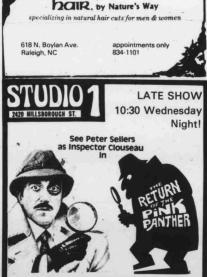
Mainstays returning will be center fielder Roy Dixon, second baseman Chuck Harmon, and first baseman John Isley. Dixon, a senior who batted .273 in 1977, will anchor the Wolfpack.

Harmon was the team's leading hitter with a .374 mark (which was good for fifth in the ACC). He also stole 10 bases.

And Isley, a sophomore, hit .278 while splitting time with Bill Smodie, who graduated.

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In the ACC, most schools have one special sport that they can call their own. Clemson has been the perennial soccer champ, Maryland recently won been the perennial soccer champ, Maryland recently won its 23rd straight indoor track title, and State's men's swim-mer's brought home their eighth consecutive crown this past weekend.

eighth consecutive crown this past weekend.
Carolina's dominance in tennis? Just as Wake Forest lost the conference golf championship last season that they had held for so long, the Tar Heels are in danger of finishing in some other spot than first in what seems like ages to their dopponents. And the squad that is challenging to unseat UNC is none other than the Wolfpack.
Led by defending ACC number one singles champ John Sadri, State has every top six performer returning from last year's 17-3 squad (second in the conference). Throw in talented freshman Andy Andrews, and you've got what Pack coach J.W. Isenhour proclaims as "undoubtedly the best team

Championship quest begins

In Sadri, State not only has its initial first flight singles titlest in the history of the school, but also a quarterfinalist from the 1977 NCAA playoffs.

Isenhour elaborated on his senior All-America.

"He's even better than last year," said Isenhour. "He's one of the most improved on the team, even after last year, John is really a threat to win the NCAA individual champion ship."

Though Sadri is the Pack's big gun. State has six others—last year's number two through six players John Joyce, Bill Caipkay, Scott Dillon, Carl Bumgardner, and Matt McDonald, and Andrews-who are all tournament-tough performers. Bumgardner and McDonald gave State the 1977 third flight toubles tille to go along with Sadri's crown. Isenhour says that all of the veterans have improved since last year, with the sophomore McDonald topping the group in this department. The Pack coach knows that one of the toughest

only uses of the Andy beat him in the fall tournament.

"I'm looking for six guys to give me a reason to play them. I want the best six players out there for N.C. State, mentally as well as physically. I'm looking

well as physically. I'm looking for someone—even upperclassmen—to prove to me they should be playing.
"The competition within the team should spur us on rather than cause dissension," the Wolfpack coach reasoned. "I want the guy in there who'll go ahead and put (his opponent) away when he's ahead 5-4 or 6-5...especially when there's someone else who could step right in.
"I think we'll take advantage of this competition."

spot from coach Don Skakle's forces in Chapel Hill. Carolina will be shooting for its ninth straight title, and will have the added advantage of hosting the tourney as well. However, the Pack looks to be ready for the challenge after climbing to within eight points of the Heels last year (State's 53 point output was by far the school's best ever.)

When discussing his squad's goals for the season, Isenhour repeatedly emphasized that the team wants nothing better than to win the conference.

"Winning the ACC is our main objective... It is uppermost in our thoughts...The players feel like we're capable of doing it. We just have to put forth our best effort all of the time.

"Our second goal is to earn a berth in the final 16—the team. Mary comes into Wolfpack territory Thursday. Both matches will be held at the Lee Dorm Courts at 2:15. Isenhour said he lined up the two matches to make sure that State would have two good opponents before the conference season starts.

"Our second goal is to earn a berth in the final 16—the team championships in May. But I can't emphasize enough that our big aim is the conference," said

Isenhour.

Before the conference season gets underway Saturday at Clemson, Isenhour will unveil his troops at home on two consecutive days. Penn State

Conference for a long time."
With a home schedule that
includes five of State's six ACC
matches and battles with Hampton Institute and Alabama.
Isenhour promises that this will
be an extremely good year for
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splectators. "The people can expect to see as good a college tennis as anywhere in the country," and isenhour. "The support from the people at home really means a lot to the guys. We've certainly got one of the best teams on the East Coast...capable of beating almost anyone in the country."

With the lineup that State flashes, who will be the one to argue that point? Isenhour discussed the Pack's first two opponents.
"Penn State in the past has fielded some very tough team." rein State in the past has fielded some very tough teams. They've got four freshman who've had a lot of experience. William & Mary has been in the upper echelon of the Southern



Trying harder?

Matmen considered favorites

Guzzo looks to tourney

by Denny Jacobs Asst. Sports Editor

"Most of us are from the same area and we're all close," said Guzzo. "When anyone goes out and does a good job, it psyches everybody up. We all try and outdo each other and that's why

Asst. Sports Editor

Talk to any wrestler about the upcoming tournament this weekend and the reply will probably sound something like—"We're capable. All we have todo is go out there and do it." Sounds simple, right?

Lee Guzzo is one of those wrestlers and for him it is just about that simple. Having placed second in the "6 tourney, Guzzo knows what can happen, which can rival the surprises seen on "Anything Goes," and to him it comes down to one single factor.

"It's really a tossup becaus everybody's tough. It all depends on who wants it more. There's no easy team or person to beat. The whole thing is all mental," said State's 177-pound grappler.

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And it seems easy for Guzzo
to boil things down to what's
important for him entering the
Atlantic Coast Conference
tournament which State will
host March 4 and 5. Forget
about last year. That's in the
past. As the saying goes, this is
a new year and... "What's the
sense of going out there to
lose?" reasons Guzzo. "You're

town Community College. He started the season slowly getting off to a 3-4 mark after the first semester's action but since then he lost only once in his final six bouts. Overall Guzzo's ACC record stands at 2-2-1 but he admits to feeling better than at any time during the season. 2:2-1 but he admits to Iceling better than at any time during the season.
"I'min the best shape I can be in and like I said before the big part is mental," said Guzzo who is back together with Dave Polsinelli who wrestled with him at Jamestown. And the Pack's 134-pound mass of perpetual motion typifies the Wolfpack's state of mind entering what all wrestlers consider the most important part of the season.

outdo each other and that's why we have a good team. Because everybody's good. We talk out all our problems together and I think we should do real well in the tournament.

"All we're looking for is this year. Last year doesn't even matter."

Like two seasons

It has been like two seasons rolled into one for the junior college transfer from James-town Community College. He

entering what all wrestlers consider the most important part of the season.

"Dave just keeps pushing everybody. He's the person on the team that never lets down. So, if Dave can be up, why can't we?" queried Guzzo.

And Lee's uncle the coach, Bob Guzzo, sees the same things happening to his nephew. Coach Guzzo feels on paper his team has a shot at the title in every weight class but he's been around long enough to know that things never go the way they are supposed to. What about the upper weight classes?

"I think we have realistic shots of winning '87, '77, '90 and heavyweight. Lee lost to a couple of people that he will have to come back and beat but think he's definitely capable of doing it."

Back to that word capable.

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"He's been working harder than he ever has and I think he will be more prepared for this that he has been all season. He's really turned it around and he's winning and wrestling well," said the elder Guzzo who's

fighting the superstition of being the odds-on favorite.

Guzzo the nephew was a junior college champ in 1975 before he came to State and, alt hough his 20-14-2 career record may not be the makings of a hit show, the last act has yet to be played out. To come in as a champ and leave as a champ. Sound's pretty nice, doesn't it?

Wolfpack

Golfers finish

third in Big Four

PINEHURIST—State's golf team finished a disappointing third place in the Big Four golf tournament that ended here Monday.

Wake Forest won with a 1. 126 total, counting the five best of seven scores each day. North Carolina came in second with a disappointing 1, 161 total while the Wolfpack vass third at 1.174 and Duke was fourth at 1.200.

Individually, Wake Forest's Gary Pinn led with a 221 total, finishing four strokes ahead of teammate Scott Hoch. The Deacons' Gary Hallbergand Robert Wreen along with State's Todd Smith tied at 227. Except for Smith, Wake Forest swept all individual places first through fifth.

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Three women basketballers all-state

State's women's basketball team, which begins its quest for a third consecutive state championship Friday night, has placed three players on the first and second all-state squads, selected by a vote of the six Division I coaches.

Sophamore center Gania

Division I coaches.

Sophomore center Genia
Beasley, the leading vote-getter, and freshman guard Trudi
Lacey were State players
chosen to the five-man first
team, while freshman guard
Ginger Rouse earned secondteam honors.

Beasley was also the leading
selection on last season's team.
Beasley and Lacey are igned

selection on last season's team.
Beasley and Lacey are joined
on the first team by East
Carolina's Rosie Thompson and
Debbie Freeman and North
Carolina's Cathy Shoemaker.
State forwards Christy Earn-



Wolfpack lady fencers advance



hardt; an all-state choice the past two seasons, and Kaye Young were among those receiving votes for the team.

Beasley, who as a freshman showed the qualities of an all-America player while lead.

that lies ahead.

"A great difference between this year's team and last year's is that we have more experienced talent. And all the girls know that this is the year we can do it. We've just got to put forth the effort in the next few weeks and we'll do all right," said Younger.

Minor agrees with his senior that this could be the year of firsts for the ladies and, like Younger; it comes down to



Ginger Rouse
leading scorers at 11.5 and 9.7
points, respectively.
The Wolfpack, 10-0 in
Division I and 24-3 overall, gets
a first-round bye and will play
its first state tournament game
Friday at 8 p.m. at East
Carolina's Minges Coliseum
against the winner of Thursday's Appalachian State-UNCGreensboro game. East Carolina
a meets Duke in the other
first-round game, while secondseeded North Carolina also
receives a first-round bye.
The finals are set for 8 p.m.
Saturday.
As regular season state
champions, State automatically

As regular season state champions, State automatically receives a berth in the AIAW Region II tournament March 9-11 in Chapel Hill. Placing in the state tournament will determine the Wolfpack's seeding in the regionals.

Reedy Creek rugby club blanks Fayetteville twice

The Reedy Creek rugby club met the newly formed women's team from Fayetteville and captured its easiest win of the year last Saturday.

Instrumental in the victory was a powerful scrum which pushed its way over the goal line allowing its hooker, Mary Prize, to score a pair of trys. Later, Carol Cramer, also a member of the scrum, took another try deach by Maria Butler across. In the second half, the backs moved into gear with a

Sailing club seeks State students

State's sailing club will launch its spring season on March 4 when it hosts the State Spring Invitational at Wheeler Lake. The Wolfpack sailers finished second in the northern division of the South Atlantic Intercolle-cites Sailing Association last

of the South Atlantic Intercollegiate Sailing Association last year and club member Al Taylor forsees another enjoyable season for tis year for racers and recreational sailors alike.

"Your can sail competitively and go all out if you want to race but you don't have to race to enjoy sailing. To me the sport is unique. The conditions are always different and you're alsays learning things out there no matter how long you've sailed.

"But a good part of the club is inception five years ago and the nly interested in recreational ailing. If anyone wants to go ut sailing all they have to do is ent in touch with a club member wanting to check out a boat at

"But a good part of the club is inception five years ago and the only interested in recreational sailing. If anyone wants to go out sailing all they have to do is get in touch with a club member and set up a date to go," sail Taylor.

The sailing club will hold a meeting for all persons interested in learning more about the club tonight at 8:00 in the Brown from off the University Student Center. Taylor sees the club as steadily improving after its

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with Younger showing the way "Both Louise (Ackerman) and Diane have a lot of experience and expertise and we've got three seniors that have learned most of their fencing her. So, as It felt like I was doing something right." Younger is being tough on herself though because she has been doing her share of "right" things for the Pack all season. She thinks this year's team has the potential to do well in the nationals and the missing ingredient seems to be the work that lies ahead. "A great difference has well as the same and the missing that we have the work that the same and the missing that we have the work that the same and the missing that we have the work that the same and the same

When you're hot, you're hot. State women fencers Terri Younger and Diane Knoblach both were hot Sunday and recorded 2-0 marks to lead the Wolfpack's fencing team through the regionals into the upcoming national tournament later in the month.

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State defeated North Carolina on the strength of indicators, 13-15, after the teams finished tied 2-2, and the women bitzed Clemson 4-0 to advance into the National Intercollegiate Women's Fencing Association tournament which begins March 30 in Philadelphia, Pa.

Fencing coach Larry Minor as obviously pleased to win nd he cited a strong performnce by Younger as the team's rightest spot.

brightest spot.

"It's great to win and I'm just sorry we haven't done more of it," said Minor of his undefeated women's team. "You get there and realize that you're still undefeated and it puts a lot of pressure on the girls. But like I said before this is the strongest team we have ever had here at State.

most of their fencing her. 30, as teams go we have a really experience one. Terri is fencing very well and she's probably doing the best of anyone right now."

For the senior from Sierra Vista, Ariz., it has not always been that way but this year was too good to pass up. Younger fences in the third spot behind Knoblach and Ackerman, 1-1 in the tournament along with Kay Warren, and she is experienced enough to realize that it is not where one fences but what one does with the opportunity. And as far as the nationals go, she is aware but not intimidated.
"Personally. I know the

make."

The ladies are looking for a top 10 finish in the nationals and, after defeating Clemson and Carolina teams that changed individual positions to make things tougher on State, there is no one in this state who can say differently. How about the country? When you're hot, you're hot. aware but not intimidated.

"Personally, I know the competition will be very tough but I will try to fence to the best of my ability. The main thing is that I don't want to lose to anyone I shouldn't lose to. As long as I can do that I will be a help to the team, said Younger.

"I felt good about my performance this past weekend.

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athletic events in North Carolina is against the law.

Charles E. Ritter and Charles K. Haisley, residents of Bagwell Dorm, were arrested for trying to sell two \$40 tickets for \$150 each, according to a Raleigh Police det ective.

This editorial is not to discuss the pros and cons of scalping tickets to athletic events in North Carolina while tickets to such things as concerts and boat shows are not included under the law. This editorial is, however, to evaluate the morality of what the two students did. They were trying to sell away a right which students have fought for many years to obtain. This right is the 200 ACC Tournament tickets on sale to students. It wasn't many years ago that students did not receive any tickets to "The Sports Event" of the year in this area. Students, still get just about 10 per cent of those tickets allotted to State. The remainder go to the members of the Wolfpack Club.

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No, this editorial is not going to judge the merits of student tickets and 'Wolfpack Club tickets. We have discussed that is sue. It's a revolving door of which is more import ant—students or the athletic scholarships which rnake funds available to have successful athletic programs at State.

We must discuss what these two "unthinking" students in Bagwell Dorm did, or tried to do, especially since 'both are residence advisors in Bagwell and R itter is a member of the State Judicial Board and Haisley is a member of the State Judicial Board and Haisley is a member of the Student Senate.

The ACC Tournament gets underway today in Greensboro, and State will have as many or more students there than any other school in the conference—that is if students use those tickets presented to them in the lottery.

These '200 tickets were given for student use and not for resale—or scalping—purposes. These 200 tickets are for State students to use.

After the lottery was held last week, the tickets were ready for distribution last Thursday and Friday. It appears that Messieurs Ritter and Haisley picked up their tickets from the Reynolds Coliseum Box Office and immediately proceeded to the front of said building and tried to scalp the tickets.

Since the tickets were given to them in Raletgh,

scalping was made that much easier. Tickets are mailed to the Wolfpack Club members and they, of course, can scalp their tickets also. We doubt many do just that, especially after giving a great amount of money in the first place to get them. Other schools do it differently. Duke, for instance, also has a lottery. Students eligible for an ACC ticket are notified that they can pick up their ticket in the lobby of the Greensboro Coliseum on the day of the first game upon presentation of their student ID. The thinking there is the student would be less likely to scalp, or even just resell for face value, the ticket. They would use it instead, having already made the trip to Greensboro. We understand that a student walked into the Sports Information Department in the Case Athletic Center Monday and asked if anyone knew of someplace he could advertise for sale his two ACC Tournament Tickets. He wanted to post a notice on a bulletin board.

"Did you win both of those in the lottery?" he was asked.

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"And you can't go?" he was asked.
"No, I'm going on a cruise over spring break
d need the money," he said.
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"Heck no, I need the extra money," he said.

"Why don't you turn them back in to the Box Office, get your money back and let an alternate on the student list use them?" he was asked.

"I won them, and I'll do as I please with them. I want to get as much money as possible for them," he said. "Do you know where there's a bulletin board I can post a notice on?"

"Not in this building," he was told. He left. That conversation was to show that some students just don't care for other students and student rights. Don't be surprised if this use of student tickets by non-students continues, to see the number of student tickets decreased, or the "Duke System" installed.

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Also, proper action should be taken against both Ritter and Haisley quickly. Students look to their resident advisors for guidance and RA's should provide a good example for students to follow. It's obvious that this kind of incident can put a shadow over all RA's and so immediate action should be taken to try and prevent this. It would also be ridiculous if Ritter were allowed to continue to judge other students' mistakes through his seat on the Judicial Board, and equally ridiculous for Haisley to continue representing students as a student senator.



letters

New low

To the Editor: N.C. State has reached a new low. This low Came just minutes prior to the annual State-Carolina basketball game when Norman Stone felt in the cessary to act as class proctor to the thousands of fans who came specifically to show their hate for Carolina. Does society no longer give us an outlet in which to do so without harrassment?

These remarks were aimed at the students (because nobody else does anything but sit and clap anyway – namely the alumni with the good seats) who stand in line hours and days at a tim to have the opportunity to "cheer" in any fashion

they please.

Sure it should be done with class, but we are old and experienced now and need not be told in this. Sloan's comments rank right with towing, potholes and crummy campus food for things that should be avoided by all that wish to live a long, happy, unharrassed life.

Sexism common

To the Editor:
Mike Turner's cartoon which appeared in the Friday. Feb. 24 edition of the Technician showed thoughtful skill in the graphical rendition of a man and a woman walking together. The accompanying caption did not reveal that same degree of care.

Speaking from a man's point of view, I can't

degree of care.

Speaking from a man's point of view, I can't accept a joke with oppressive tones toward women as representing the true nature of my sex. Men are capable of a great deal of love and compassion toward people, qualities which reveal our real strength. Putting down women "in

when they oppress but when they care.
While I wrote this letter, friends told me that
Mike's cartoon was all in good fun. One friend
thought that it was light enough not to be sexist.
Another cautioned that I'd be writing letters to the

Technician after every edition if I was concerned about sexism in its pages. Their comments indicate that sexism is common and that jokes that put down women (if tastefully told) are acceptable as decent humor.

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Humor that allows one group of people to laugh at the expense of another is not funny.

Sexist jokes, racial slurs spoken in jest, and ethnic humor do not promote friendship and social harmony. Exploitive humor, that is insensitive to people can only further separate us.

No one has to accept sexist humor. As men we don't have to be afraid to show out true. The capabilities of love and concern. To recognize these virtues and to act in their behalf is the most powerful way men can help to bring people together.

Approve contract

As the United Mine Workers strike runs into its 85th day, the effects that the 30,000 mine construction workers are placing on the nation involves more than just affecting the nation's economy or their own personal finances. In the dead of winter, the mine workers' strike is literally

dead of winter, the mine workers' strike is literally placing the country in an energy strain that only the ratification of the proposal will solve.

Arnold Miller, UMW president, has urged the ratification of the proposal and has predicted its passage during the balloting at more than 800 UMW local halls this weekend. Miners seemed obsessed with sections in the proposal that will give them the best benefits in their jobs and obviously they cannot be criticized for this feeling. But when the effect that their strike on the country has had is objectively realized and considered, there comes a time when the nation's welfare becomes much more important than a lucrative comes much more important than a lucrative

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nation are dwindling and they are calling for voluntary conservation of energy. Governors are urging citizens to keep all lights off that are unnecessary, turn down the thermostats, and generally keep down the flow of energy in the house. While one of the lessons Americans so desper

ately need to learn is to conserve energy, it is so unfortunate that they are having to learn it under these circumstances. Miners' attitudes appear in-different to the plight that their strike has caused so many people around the country. This country rightly should do everything in its power to conserve energy, but the miners' strike isn't doing anything constructive to encourage this conse

Rather, the strike is fostering fears, resentment and anger at the miners as the strike continues. As reserves decrease, it has to be realized that if the ues, reserve supplies may b exhausted. Then no amount of conserving would serve to eradicate the loss of energy that coal pro-

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vides this country.

Nevertheless, reality must be faced. The miners continue to strike and coal reserves continue to dwindle. All people, no matter what the circumstances are, must continue to conserve energy and hope that the miners will take their eyes off themselves for a while, do the nation a big favor, and approve the new miners' contract.

Physical self-defense needed

Contributing Write and Alice Pettyjohn

We are all acquainted with the do's and don't's

We are all acquainted with the do's and don't's dictated to women in an attempt to prevent rape. But, does abiding by these commandments of conduct really make us safer?

Certainly, all people—men and women—should use good common sense in dealing with potential criminal violence. The present objection is to the special burden placed on women for protecting themselves from sexual assault. The inference is that we can somehow avoid rape by adhering to an arbitrary. unfailty restrictive and interence is that we can somenow avoid rape by adhering to an arbitrary, unfairly restrictive and outright paranoid code of behavior, designed by well-intentioned but paternalistic males.

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well-intentioned but paternalistic males:
Again we question whether these safety suggestions are effective. Author Susan Brownmiller points out that "nuns have been raped within walled convents." Following a list of rules by which to live (safely) may protect individuals in certain situations. However, it also forces the rapist to find another, less cautious victim or causes him to become even more clever in his approach. We are not dismissing these safety tips as useless, but it is important to remember that over one half of all rapes are committed by "friends," relatives or acquaintances of the victim. Walking in pairs, keeping windows locked and similar suggestions are usually not applicable when the rapist is someone the victim knows and trusts.

What can we as women do to put an end to rape? We can begin by working to change the "victim mentality" for which we have been conditioned since childhood. Women are taught as little girls that passivity and helplessness is an inherent part of being female.

Women are taught to be helpful, sweet, quiet, and, most of all, to please.

These instructions apply specifically in our relationships with men, to whom we are told to

These instructions apply specifically in our relationships with men, to whom we are told to turn for help and protection, since men are perceived as stronger and somehow wiser in the ways of the world. Even more blatantly, we are told that we are physically inferior—the "weaker sex"—and that we could not possibly defend ourselves against a man. These characteristics are

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hardly survival traits in today's violent society. Rapists rely on this victim mentality, it makes their victimization of women almost easy. Many rapists, knowing the trusting nature of women, use the rescuing-the-damsel-in-distress ploy as their mode of operation. They count on women being indecisive, unassertive, frightened, easily duped and unable to defend themselves. In fact, rapists actually seek victims who have these characteristics. A recent study indicates that, in almost half of all attacks, the rapist "tests" the woman beforehand to see if she will be an "easy" victim.

victim. Resistance to sexual attack becomes a "catch-22" for a woman who has been assaulted. First of all, defending oneself goes against what she has been taught all her life. The real paradox comes in court, however. Many so-called rape experts have advised women to submit to rape in order to avoid injury or death. Yet, if and when the rapist is apprehended and the case gets to court, the woman is expected to have resisted, the

In many cases, though, the woman is not In many cases, though, the woman is not seriously injured and it is difficult to convince a judge or jury that she has resisted sufficiently (whatever that is). Verbal resistance does not seem to be enough, especially in a society in which a woman's "no's" are often perceived to be "yes's" when they pertain to sexual consent. In fact, a recent Wake County case, in which the woman resisted verbally, was dismissed by the judge because "no evidence of force" was nower.

It is time for women to night back. We can begin by becoming mentally and physically conditioned to defend ourselves by enrolling in a self-defense class that stresses mental readiness. We must lose the mentality that it is somehow unferminine to be able to use physical self-defense. Practicing in groups will increase our confidence by preparing us with the skills necessary to defend ourselves, in addition to making us aware of our strengths and weaknesses.

weaknesses.

If men begin to realize that women can and will fight back—and be successful—perhaps they will cease attacking women. Certainly, it will take a long time to alter the conditioning that has been instilled into all of us, but change must begin sometime. Our only alternative is to continue as we have in the past—the objects of intimidation and victimization.

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