Detectors avert fire

By MIKE LIVINGSTON

What could have been a major fire in Daugette Hall was averted last Thursday because of the dorm's smoke detectors. When the detectors sounded at around 5 p.m., the Daugette R.A.'s and New Dorm's director were able to react quickly, pulling the general alarm and phoning the JSU police.

"I was walking by from the mail center, and I heard the smoke detectorarming from outside," said Linda Erwin, New Dorm director.

Ms. Erwin added that the smoke detector helped her and the Daugette RA in realizing that there was smoke in one of the rooms.

The RA's then pulled the manual fire alarm system down to get the students to leave the building. The campus police were called, and immediately notified the Jacksonville Fire Department.

"There was no actual fire damage, but I think the bed was only 10 to 15 minutes from catching fire," said Bob Jordan of the Jacksonville Fire Department.

Jordan also said that the source of the fire was a hot-plate and that the department has pointed out hundreds of times that hot-plates are illegal to the students and officials at JSU.

The new dorm director also pointed out that hot-plates are illegal in the dorm and leaving them on cooking is also very hazardous.

"I feel the smoke detector's sounding off did help the RA's and me find the problem sooner than I would have in New Dorm where we don't have any fire detection system," concluded Ms. Erwin.

Dean named director of management center

James Dean of Anniston, a former JSU accounting instructor, has been named director of the new Management Development Center at Jacksonville State University.

Funded by a Title III grant, the program will offer assistance to businesses within a 65-mile radius of Jacksonville in the form of seminars, referrals, and consultation.

Dean said the Center will deal primarily with companies that have 100 to 500 employees, "businesses not defined as 'small' by the Small Business Administration."

The Center, which has offices in Merrill Building on campus, will not be fully operational for about a year, Dean said. Until then, he will be meeting with representatives of area chambers of commerce and contacts within business and education to determine areas of greatest need.

The Title III funding is for five years. Al Searway, JSU's Title III coordinator, said the Center will enable students to participate in internships and other limited field work.

"One thing we may be called upon to do is put on in-house seminars for area businesses to improve the expertise of management personnel," Dean said.

"One of the hottest areas right now is developing first-line supervisors. These are former hourly workers who know very little about management. We could put on seminars to teach them basic management techniques," Dean said.

But Dean said no definite programs will be planned until area needs are known.

"First and foremost we've got to go out and establish what the needs are. We don't want to offer something the business community doesn't want or isn't ready for. Our plans are for me to go out very shortly and talk with some of the area's bigger employers on a one-to-one basis and just find out what they feel like their needs are and whether we can serve them in the management development area."

He said the Center provides a similar - but broader - service to that currently offered by the University's Small Business Development Center, which is co-sponsored by the Small Business Administration.

The SBDC provides assistance to small businesses, with students carrying out the consultation work under the supervision of faculty members.

The Management Development Center will work with the larger companies and consultation may be provided through teams of business experts, including JSU faculty and area business leaders.

Dean said consultation - similar to services provided by professional agencies in New York and other major trade centers - "may become a major part of our program if there is demand for it."

"Right now our goal is to get on a more formal basis and establish a linkage between the university and the business community. We're looking at several things that might be of benefit to the university and the businesses in this area," he said.

Dean said he would welcome calls from interested businesses. His number is 438-9820, ext. 324.

Dean earned his bachelor's and master's degrees from the University of Alabama. He worked as an auditor with Ernst & Whitney in Nashville from 1977-1979, as an internal auditor and financial reporter with Murray Ohio in Nashville from 1979-1980, and with Bobby G. Frazier, CPA, in Franklin, Tenn., from 1980-1981, and served as accounting reporting manager for First American Corporation in 1981 before joining JSU.

Dean is a certified public accountant.

Resolution aids minor sport

BY SUSIE IRWIN

The men's gymnastics team will be traveling to the NCAA regionals next week and students will go to Carrollton tonight and support the Gamecocks in the NCAA basketball regionals. Both trips have the financial backing of the SGA as a result of resolutions passed Monday night.

Sponsored by Sen. Tara Lee Clark, Pres. Marc Angle and vice-pres. Tony Lundy, the resolution passed unanimously to allocate $250 for the men's gymnastics team trip to the regionals as a result of resolutions passed Monday night.

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In another of the eight resolutions discussed, the senate voted to allocate $250 for the men's gymnastics team trip to the regionals and one senator stated that the team's participation in the meet was an "excellent opportunity to promote the sport as well as JSU."

This resolution, authored by Sen. Pat Barber, received much support from all the senators and Matt Holiday added that the trip was "good public relations for the students as well as the school."

Sen. Prentice Satterfield said he, too, supported the resolution but added that money to support the minor sports should "come from the top of the hill," that is that the University should be willing to put more money in the budget for the minor sports.

A resolution providing for SCA sponsored Tae Kwon Do classes under the guidance of Charlie Kang, also gained approval by the senate. This resolution was authored and sponsored by senators Shu L. Looi and Edgar Leon.

Another resolution gaining senate approval concerned the discrepancy of a problem faced by students who are both employed by the University and live in University housing. According to the resolution's author, Sen. Ronnie Powell, rent in the University owned apartments is due on the first of the month but students on work-study are not paid until the fifth.

The resolution stated that University officials should review this discrepancy to relieve the financial burden placed on these students.
Editorship applications to be reviewed March 21

Those wishing to apply for the editorial board of The Chanticleer, The Mimosas, Pertolote, and station manager of WJSU should submit credentials to their respective advisors by Monday, March 21, 1983. Applicants must have a 3.0 average.

Please note the following information (quoted from the Constitution of the Communications Board) for candidates for the Department of Student Publications:

The Communications Board will screen, examine, and appoint the students of publications which includes the Chanticleer, Mimosas, Pertolote, and the manager of the radio station. Faculty advisors for all four publications will examine all applicants for editorial positions.

Candidates must list their names, family names, GPA, and related experiences on the application.

The advisors are responsible for narrowing the number to two for each position. The Communications Board will vote for editor of each publication from the two finalists.

All candidates must have at least one full academic year prior to graduation to be eligible to apply for consideration. It is recommended that the editor of the Chanticleer take the 304 preceding his/her appointment. The editor of the Mimosas must have successfully completed the 304 before assuming office. The station manager must have successfully completed Radio Broadcasting 453.

Candidates will be tested and interviewed by respective advisors on a date arranged by each advisor between March 21-25. The two finalists in each group will appear before the board for interviews and appointment at 3:00 p.m., March 29, in the Gold Room, Bibb Graves Hall.

CDCS Forum
To be or not to be

For many people, making any decision is difficult. Choosing your career is an involved process, if you wish to make the best selection that will satisfy all your needs and interests. The essential element in career development is decision. A decision is a choice of one from two or more alternatives. Each choice is made at a particular point in time based on available knowledge of opportunities and awareness of personal interests and abilities.

Drivers make twenty decisions per mile, according to traffic researchers. Most decisions in life don’t come that fast or become so habitual. Career decisions relate significantly to future success and happiness.

While types of decisions differ in detail, the basic process of decision-making can be outlined:

1. Select the goal - the most famous recipe for rabbit stew begins “Catch the rabbit.” Sometimes the wrong animal is put in the pot. Study the facts carefully and ask key questions.

2. Explore alternatives - this requires research into all feasible courses of action.

3. Deepen your knowledge - occupational information is found in many forms. Check out the Career Development and Counseling Services.

4. Evaluate all possibilities - project immediate and long-range outcomes. List advantages versus disadvantages. Check your motivations for each option.

5. “Sleep on it” - a cliche describing a mental process proven to work. Let your decision have an incubation period.

6. Choose - all life is a risk; each undertaking has its own uncertainties. Be prepared to live with the results of a bad decision. Fortunately, most wrong decisions can be revoked and made again.

The learning process includes failure.

You must work hard at making decisions. Emerson said, “Thinking is the hardest thing in the world to do.” Prepare yourself for the decision-making process.

The Career Development and Counseling Services in Bibb Graves can supply information, strategies, and support. Opportunity is a decision waiting to be made.

Social work V.I.P.’s

The Jacksonville State University sociology department hosted social workers from across the state recently during a conference on social programs in Alabama. Among the dignitaries present for the session are, left to right, Hoyt Farquhar, state planner, Commission on Aging; Emmett Eaton, executive director, Commission on Aging; Dr. Lesa Frazier, commissioner, Pensions and Security; Dr. Mark Fagan, department of sociology; Dr. Thomas Duke, Alabama Medicaid; Emmett Pounds, director of legal and administrative services, Department of Mental Health.
News Bureau offers publicity hints for students

The University News Bureau offers several suggestions for JSU students, faculty, and staff who need publicity. The Bureau is prepared to help any campus organization with publicity assignments. Stories about "the people of JSU" are sent routinely to hometown newspapers, wire services, and broadcast media.

The following suggestions may be helpful when planning an event that requires media exposure:
1. FIND A CONTACT PERSON.

A time-saving information-gathering network has been established for the University. "Contact persons" have been assigned by college deans to circulate among faculty and students to gather news information. The information is turned over to the Bureau for publication.

The contact persons include:
- Science and Math: Cindy Moore, Dean Boozer's office, ext. 321.
- Education: Carol Havens, Dean Hymer's office, ext. 389.
- Criminal Justice: Jane Woodward, Dean Barker's office, ext. 231.
- Humanities and Social Science: Joyce Shaw, Dean Hendrix, ext. 649.
- Nursing: Brenda Harvey, assistant professor of nursing, ext. 455.
- Graduate Studies: Dr. William Carr, dean, ext. 336.
- Library: Rachel Jones, librarian, ext. 249.
- Music: John Hendrix, president of American Music Teachers' Association, ext. 846; Glenda Smitherman, music department, ext. 545.
- Drama: Carlton Ward, ext. 447.
- Art: Dr. Emilie Burn, ext. 386.
- Special Services: Lynda Johnson, ext. 265.
- SGA: Joy Brindle, ext. 488.

2. CONTACT THE BUREAU DIRECTLY.

Anyone can contact the University News Bureau about publicity. Drop by the Bureau offices at the Information Center or call ext. 488.

3. PLAN AHEAD.

The greatest exposure is obtained through advance planning. The publicity process in many cases should start a month in advance of the event. Some special occasions may require longer lead times. Advance planning will ensure that your story meets the various publishing and broadcast deadlines. Late stories are virtually useless.

4. ASK FOR PUBLICITY INFORMATION SHEETS.

Publicity information sheets — forms that ask basic questions about planned events — have been distributed to the contact persons. Campus organizations should request the forms and have them on hand during business meetings and other occasions when publicity is discussed. The forms are also available at the News Bureau office. Return completed forms to the Bureau.

5. PLAN FOR PUBLICITY PHOTOS.

Photography is an important part of the publicity process. Advance planning will give the school photographer time to schedule appointments and process the film. Arrangements for photography may be made through the News Bureau also.

6. CONFORM TO STANDARD FORMATS.

News releases should be written a certain way. Releases (See PUBLICITY, Page 9)

CDCS sponsors job workshop

A two-hour workshop on how to effectively find a job will be held at 6:30 p.m. on March 10 in the auditorium of the Merrill Building. The first hour of the workshop will be devoted to developing an effective resume and drafting a letter of introduction to catch the attention of the prospective employer. The second hour will be devoted to the job interview, covering such matters as common interview questions, posture, how to dress, and follow-up techniques.

The workshop is being jointly sponsored by the Office of Career Development and Counseling Services, the student chapter of the American Society of Personnel Administrators, and the Management Development Center. All students are invited to attend and there is no charge.

Good for you!

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Walking can be hazardous to your health

By SUSIE IRWIN

Walking to class has been advocated by the University Police Department, praised by economists and practiced fashionably on non-raining days by students on this campus. But unfortunately, there is a strong possibility that your part for the benefit of conserving fuel could be extremely threatening to your personal safety.

For some irascible reason, motorists operate under the misguided theory that anyone caught in the no-man's land between two yellow curbs is fair game or accidental game as the case may be. But, of course, this concept applies only if the light is green, just turned green or is about to turn green.

If that line of logic sounds ridiculous, then you could be in the minority on campus who appear to be safe drivers. Of course, we can blame unsafe drivers, but it is also important to note that there are many pedestrians who also practice hazardous behavior in and near traffic. I am referring, of course, to those who cross the street whenever the mood strikes them and dare moving cars to mow them down.

Due to my personal experience in front of Brewer Hall, I was almost leveled by an 18-wheeler. This was not due to my personal inexperience in crossing the street and it applies to all drivers, but to those who appear to be safe drivers. Most often, the writers who made these criticisms knew very little of the social groups they referred to.

This is one example of a present problem upon our campus. The student body here at Jacksonville State University are in need of a neutral means of communication. The student newspaper has a responsibility to be fair to all students.

Criticism is fine when not directed continuously upon the same social group. When this happens, the individuals involved should be allowed to express their opinions.

Greater involvement in the student newspaper by all students would ease some of these unjust situations. The editors to the editor section is an excellent method of expressing one's viewpoint.

Bullard feels Chanticleer is overstaffed with biased reporters

Dear Editor:

Recently several articles have appeared in “The Chanticleer” which insulted the social groups they intended to criticize. Many references to alcohol, drugs and sex were aimed at these groups. Most often, the writers who made these criticisms knew very little of the social groups they referred to.

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This unfortunately, is not enough. Too often this section is simply passed by while someone reads the more attractive sections of the paper.

It is obvious that the present writers of these various sections are biased in their writings and these biases are expressed repeatedly. A more inclusive selection of writers would balance the newspaper's viewpoint—more blacks, more Greeks, etc. This would appeal to an even broader spectrum of students making our newspaper an even greater success.

Students here at Jacksonville State need to become involved in campus affairs. We have an excellent opportunity to gain experience in various functions. This opportunity has been neglected for too long.

We should review our own involvement and plan to take a greater role in campus affairs. We need constructive criticism for a change.

Dennis Bullard

Contemporary comment

The cost of Nuclear War

By DONNA AVANS

Everything seems to have a price tag. Even human life is tagged with a dollar value by our government for use in calculating costs. Nuclear war also has a price. Involved in calculating the costs of nuclear war, of course, is the lost lives — perhaps measured in dollars or other terms. But what about the price we’re paying now, on these days prior to holocaust?

Five million Americans get paychecks from the Pentagon; two million of these are workers in arms production. The familiar response to such figures is that people are being employed who would otherwise be receiving welfare payments. This, however, is a shallow argument. Arms production is a most inefficient means of spending to create employment. The money that would employ 45,000 arms workers would employ 700,000 police people, 78,000 teachers, 85,000 nurses, or 58,000 mass transit workers.

And what are we sacrificing to put billions into arms?

Ten percent of the world’s military budget would feed the world’s hungry. This is an easy concept to grasp when we realize that every minute one million dollars is spent on weapons. One-half of the cost of a Trident submarine would eliminate malaria from our world.

Why does this spending continue? We already have the capability for 5,000 WWIII’s; if we had one per hour, we could go on for 200 days (theoretically, but no one will be around to prove it.) The Children’s Campaign for Nuclear Disarmament recently made a plea to the Reagan administration for the scrapping of one weapons project in exchange for restoration of sacrificed social services.

Our American tax dollars have the potential for being used efficiently, humanely, and sanely, but we insist upon spending to destroy.

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More points of view

Henderson makes column objections

Dear Editor:

This letter is to address the most ridiculous, sanctimony, and ludicrous sham of a column that has disgraced the pages of a newspaper ever before. I speak, of course, of the Dr. Rock column, written by the self-acclaimed authority on Rock and Roll, R. Stacy McCain. I, along with everyone else I have ever spoken to about it, think it is the biggest waste of time, money, and space in your otherwise respectable newspaper.

"When you go to the restroom, only to find it filled with people throwing up into the toilets, you know you're at... a rock concert!" What a captivating (or should I say nauseating) first line from his most recent column, "How to Attend a Rock Concert!" This article, among other things, suggests we dress ourselves like a Plasticsomes reject, take ungodly amounts of any and all types of narcotics and alcohol, and merrily puke our guts out at our favorite rock group's concert. Why can't we just go, sit or possibly stand, and try to enjoy ourselves without endangering our lives with the mass quantities of drugs and liquor suggested by 'Dr. Rock'? (Also, if he did not advocate them, then why did he even mention drugs?)

This week's article was only a small part of a very large mistake. No weekly column by this columnist, who sees himself as a definite authority on music, has been enjoyable or in the least informative.

For instance, Mr. McCain's five part story on Black music in America, in which he tried to be somewhat informative, dealt so much with the Black culture and its music, but with the White music that coincided with it.

Also, his many attempts at humor and satire were so feeble as to turn my stomach.

I certainly wish that you might see your way clear to do away with this disgracefully idiotic waste of space. I know your newspaper's circulation would increase if you rid of this ridiculous cynic called 'Dr. Rock'.

Thank you,
Bob Henderson
200 Luttrell Hall

Reader feels 92J rejects JSU sports

SGA resolution "unrealistic", says Sid McWhorter

Dear Editor:

My letter refers to the extremely poor coverage of JSU sports events by 92J. It seems that they cover every other school except JSU. Seems to me if the radio station is owned by the University, it's primary sports information should be on the Gamecocks, whether it be tennis, golf, gymnastics or football, all scores and stats should be announced and in all sports. Some of the sporting events have poor attendance and what better way could it be to increase the attendance by letting people know what's going on.

Auburn and Alabama get all the coverage they need; let's give the Gamecocks a chance.

Allen Hastings

To the Editor,

The SGA Senate resolution that was published in the March 3, 1983 issue of "The Chanticleer" is unrealistic and shows a lack of understanding of the Soviet Union. Let's face it; when we talk about nuclear war we are talking about a U.S.-Soviet confrontation. Nobody is very worried about the U.S. getting into a nuclear war with India or Israel.

The Soviet Union has constantly shown a disregard for any attempts to establish a productive and fair arms control or reduction system. How can anyone believe that the Soviet Union would live up to the terms of an arms control agreement? The Soviets have had five leaders since their successful revolution in 1917. The first one, Lenin, when talking about the Western World, said, "They will sell us the rope we will use to hang them." The second, Stalin, is responsible for millions of his own citizens being killed. He also put Eastern and Central Europe under his boot after the second World War, and crushed any efforts of these people to establish autonomous governments.

The third, Khruschev, said, "We will bury you," meaning the Western World. He also put nuclear missiles in Cuba, a little more than a pleasant boat ride from Miami Beach. The fourth, Brezhnev, was in control when Afghanistan was invaded and poison gas was used on their tribesmen. Now their leader is Yuri Andropov, the man who ran the largest organized terror machine in the world, the Soviet KGB. Recent investigations have shown that the KGB was connected with the shooting of Pope John Paul II.

For the last sixty-six years, the Soviet Union has practiced hostility to our way of life. We agree that arms reduction and limitations is a good and noble idea, but it is not being realistic. What have you got when the Russians sign the arms agreement? Like Adolf Hitler said when he was tearing up one of the treaties he had made, "After all, it's just a piece of paper."

Sid McWhorter
Paul Nixon
Entertainment

This week a visit to

Pat and Bert’s inferno

By MIKE LIVINGSTON

The logical choices

 Saga needs this since they have been a proud Gamecock tradition for over 7 years. The “Sunshine Room” is when the curtains are opened and the sun shines on the students as they eat their shepherd’s pie.

Number VI: “Montgomery Building” to the “Hardee’s Center.” Hardee’s will not be allowed to put up another sign, but they are fast becoming a Gamecock tradition.

Number VII: “Sparkman,” the tallest dorm on campus should be known as the “Sorority Center.” This is based in part on all the Greek letters that are located in windows as far up as one can see.

Number VIII: “Nash” circle, which is located around Self Hall which is located next to Dixson Hall could be changed to “Crosby Stills, and Nash Circle.” The SGA can write to CSN and they will become so excited over a super highway being named after them they will give a concert at a reduced rate at Pete Mathews this spring.

Number IX: “Stone” or “Performing Arts Building.” This must be changed, since it is called about 1,000 different things everyday and the building is suffering an identity crisis. “The Required Building” has a rather nice ring to it. The reason should be obvious to anyone at JSU.

Number X: Salls, the athletic dorm to Sails, the football dorm. This should also be obvious. Salls is dominated by football players. To call it an athletic dorm is really an overstatement since most of the athletes do not live in Salls.

There could be other name changes that could be studied on, here at Jacksonville, the friendliest campus in Florida.

(See PAT AND BERT, Page 9)
Campus movies

Polvergeist will be shown Thursday, March 10, at 7 and 9:30 in the Thom. Montgomery Building auditorium. It is generally ac-
cepted that Steven Spielberg did more than produce this movie, and it’s obvious that he does not know what scares you. Jo Beth Williams (Remember the naked lady talking about fried chicken in “Kramer vs. Kramer”?) turns in a fine performance in this really scary flick. Admission is $1.00.

Theatrical

“A Little Night Music” will be performed at the Alliance Theatre in Atlanta through March 27. The play concerns some com-
plicated romantic affairs and stars Linda Stevens, seen most recently in the Alliances “Fifth of July”. Admission is $12.50 and can be charged by calling (404) 892-2414.

Gap Band cancels SGA seeks replacement entertainment

Alabama, Juice Newton, and the Thrasher Brothers will be at the Omni, 100 Techwood Drive, Atlanta on April 10 at 7 p.m. All tickets are $12.50 and can be charged by calling (404) 577-8600.

The Original Drifters will be at Dee Fords in Anniston on Thursday night. Tickets are $5 and show times are 10 p.m. and 1 a.m. Also coming to Dee Fords on March 24 will be Elvin Bishop.

By R. STACY McCAIN

I remember one summer spent in leisure, when I was 16. The week before school let out, WRFS-FM, Atlanta (96 Rock) announced that tickets would soon go on sale for a huge, outdoor concert to be held in Atlanta-Fulton County Stadium. The roster of groups was impressive: ZZ Top, Elvin Bishop (who’d recently hit the charts with “Fooler Around And Fell In Love”), Marshall Tucker, and Point Blank. I was ecstatic! Here, in one day, for ten measly dollars, I would be able to see three of my favorite groups (Point WHO?) on the same stage. You see, at that point in my life, I lived and breathed that form of music which impressed me so much. I remember telling someone who called out “Southern Boogie”.

The senior recital will begin at 7:30 p.m. March 7.

The sophomore recital will begin at 8:30 p.m. March 7.

The junior recital will be held at 7:30 p.m. March 10.

The senior recital will begin at 7:30 p.m. March 29.

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“Southern boogie”

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If we are to believe rock historians, Southern boogie began in Daytona Beach, FL, sometime in the early- to mid-sixties, when two brothers, one a guitarist, the other a keyboard player, decided to form a rock and roll band. While this may not seem such an earth-shaking event nowadays, it must be remembered that at that time in the Deep South, rock and roll was still the music of black people. While southerners who wanted to be musicians played country music and dreamed of the day when they would appear on the Grand Old Opry, in order to prevent damage to themselves and their equipment, the brothers (Allman, by name) soon found that they needed to be able to throw in a Ferlon Husky song or two, along with their Beatles covers, if they were to survive the Southern bar circuit.

Other groups began to spring up in the Jacksonville-Daytona area, most of them with styles similar to the band which now called itself the Allman Brothers Band. That style consisted of basic rhythm and blues, sometimes with jazz flavorings, and a distinctly rural flavor. A main characteristic of southern boogie was, while most rock groups used the rhythm guitar-lead guitar arrangement popularized by the Beatles, Southern boogie bands used TWO lead guitarists, often playing in harmony or counterpoint to each other. This unusual sound caught the ear of Capricorn Records president Phil Walden, who signed the Allmans and other such groups to contracts. Playing at NY’s Fillmore East, the Brothers recorded what may be regarded as the ultimate southern boogie record. Duane Allman (who was to die later in a motor-

Northeast Alabama’s Music Leader

Clayton, GA

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THE CHANTICLEER
Spring is on the way

Find your place in the sun

By GREG SPOON

Mother Nature has decided to give students a head start on spring. She made her appearance last week and many students took advantage of her generosity. Drawers flew open as students pulled out their shorts, racquets, and Panama Jack. Not knowing how long the warm, sunny weather would last, many people could be seen sunbathing almost anywhere. The “nature look” is a must for most young women—end men too! If we have a few more sunny afternoons, “Snow White” will have to give way to “Chocolate Brown.”

Although May flowers won’t be around for two more months, the early bloomers can be seen virtually everywhere. New, green foliage and bright flowers are making their debut among the deadwood. Our campus will soon be a kaleidoscope of color for everyone to enjoy. The birds are returning from their winter vacations in Florida and are serenading us with their cheerful songs.

Springtime sports are again becoming visible. The tennis courts are full of players taking advantage of the fresh spring air and sunshine. Joggers, as well, can admire all of the new beauty as they pass through many areas. The freshness improves both mental and physical conditions. Late afternoon strolls around the campus provide relaxing experiences for the tired and discouraged. Springtime sports are again becoming visible. The tennis courts are full of players taking advantage of the fresh spring air and sunshine. Joggers, as well, can admire all of the new beauty as they pass through many areas. The freshness improves both mental and physical conditions. Late afternoon strolls around the campus provide relaxing experiences for the tired and discouraged.

The early warm weather, along with its beauty and relaxation, has its problems. The biggest and most prevalent is spring fever. This dreaded disease affects almost ninety percent of the students and faculty. This illness makes its victims forget studies, cut classes, and procrastinate. It should be avoided at all costs because its damage is irreparable. Students should remind themselves that they have six more weeks left to study before the semester ends. If you have to study and keep putting it off, go outside and do it. The air and sunshine will open the mind to its fullest—almost.

That way, the glorious weather and study can be enjoyed together.

“All the bills are paid. I got it made in the shade.”

The Country Store Has Spring Fever

Men’s Tennis Shorts
By Campus Lettre
Matching Tops

Junior SHORTS
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AIDS: A new sexually transmitted disease

By ANDY JONES

Just before new treatment and a possible cure for Herpes are discovered a new social disease comes to the surface. Spelled out it is Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome, known as AIDS.

No one understands this disease, which is probably a virus, but doctors do know it is a serious and often fatal one. As of a few weeks ago more than 1,000 people had contracted AIDS and 400 had died.

Early symptoms may include blurred vision, severe headaches, generalized fatigue and a red rash on the face. As it progresses, you may get swollen lymph glands, chronic diarrhea, drenching night sweats or an unexplained prolonged fever, weight loss, pneumonia and nausea.

It is a serious breakdown of your body’s immune system. So any infections or present diseases you have are tougher to fight. A cancer patient would be in serious trouble with AIDS.

It is not casually transmitted like a cold is sometimes but spreads by sexual or blood contact. AIDS is thought to have started out in the gay community but now 75 percent comes from there. The other 25 percent of its victims are drug addicts, homosexuals, Haitian refugees and young infants. The Haitian connection is due to their voodoo practices which include drinking blood at rituals.

Scientists believe that incubation period to be from six months to two years, meaning that many people who have the disease with no current symptoms could be dead in two years.

Many people feel that the new outbreaks of diseases like AIDS and Herpes are an answer to controlling our new “sexually free society.” Maybe we will get back to the old monogamous relationships or marriages. Until then, “the more you play, the more you could pay.”

Pat and Bert — (Continued from Page 6) —

anyway are condemned to one of two horrible fates.”

This was really hitting close to home. We decided we’d better pay attention.

“What are the two fates?” we asked.

“The guilty authors are forced either to work indefinitely on an unauthorized biography of Theron Montgomery from Spartanburg, South Carolina, (Which is where the Devil has a summer home,) or they are forced to write scripts for the Moral Majority’s latest fundamentalist newlyweds entitled “Everything We Think You Should Know About Sex And Were Afraid You’d Discover for Yourself.”

We couldn’t understand why a 15 minute film should take all of eternity to write, but maybe that was the point.

“Please Hunter, we get the idea. Let us go.”

“All right guys,” he said, in a surly sort of way. “Here are your passes for the ferry across the River Coosa. Once you get across, head for God’s Country, also known as Southside, AL.”

We were out the door in a flash. We had seen the light.

We made a vow to try to always be funny, but then, promises are made to be broken.
Organizations

Zeta Tau Alpha

By DENISE HAND
The shores of Tampa Bay were the perfect backdrop for a ZTA White Violet Formal that will not soon be forgotten! It was a perfect weekend from the start, with the crazy bus trip down to the beaches and Busch Gardens of Tampa! Tracy Hyde, our social chairman, did a fantastic job of putting it all together and should be commended for a super formal.

Sister Cheryl Lester brought a little Hollywood into our lives last Tuesday, and made us stars! We had the pleasure of participating in a TV commercial she is making and we had a blast doing it!

Pi Kappa Phi

By MIKE GIBSON
Four talented teams got together starting last Tuesday to determine the Greek Champion of Intramural Basketball. Our first game was against Kappa Sigma, who had beaten us in the regular season. It was a tough game that went down to the wire with Pi Kapp winning, 43-42. On Wednesday night we defeated a fired up Alpha Xi Psi team 44-33 for the championship. Anthony Stapler led all scores with 18 points against the Siws, and he and Jerry Vermillion had 14 each against the Kappas, once again leading all scores. These wins left us with a 7-2 final record and in a 1st place tie with Kappa Alpha for the All-Sports Trophy.

Alpha Xi Delta

By KELLI KIRBY
The fuzzies have made it through the sisterhood retreat, and it brought us closer than ever! We would like to thank alongtime friend Sheila Brownlow for letting us use her cabin and being there with us.

Congratulations to Kathy Owens on being chosen one of the Outstanding Young Women in America. We are very proud of you, Kathy! Also, congratulations to Pam Love who was chosen Miss JSU.

Other outstanding Alpha Xi's are sister of the week Sherrie Ho Spivey and pledge of the week, Carolina Tiberi. We love you!

With all the warm weather in the area, spring break seems that much more exciting! The fuzzies are sunning and packing for their trip to Florida which we're hoping to be as much fun as last year's. (Panama City looks!!!)

Crime Awareness Logo Contest

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By CADET EILEEN GREEN
Homecoming, colorful bouquets, family reunions, Greek functions, the development of new romances, and the strengthening of old ones: where does camouflage paint and B.D.'s fit in? Our Homecoming Queen wears them.

Deborah Wilson was born on January 29, 1961 in Fayetteville, North Carolina to Katie and Leroy Grady. Miss Wilson is a Junior majoring in Political Science with a minor in Business Administration. She hopes to attend law school and eventually join the military as a commissioned officer and a member of the Judge Advocate Corps.

Miss Wilson is a member of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, a Kappa Alpha Psi Sweetheart and a third year cadet in the Military Science program.

Miss Wilson is also an example of the many young men and women who manage to combine academics, extracurricular activities, and drill to create the well rounded individuals the United States Army thrives on.

Miss Wilson, keep up the good work representing our school as well as our country.

Pi Kappa Phi

By BUTCH And The Other PAT
Here’s the latest Nu’s.

-Thanks to Delta Zeta for a great “Street Punks” mixer. Kirk—please clean the motorcycle tire marks off the dance room ceiling.
-LSU is here! This weekend, millions of snakes from all over the galaxy will descend on Baton Rouge for the annual Sigma Nu Weekend. We suggest avoiding the main highways between here and Louisiana until after Saturday. The roads will be jammed with Sigma Nus and it will probably be a pretty ugly scene.
-Our Little Sisters took the pledges and brothers roller skating last week in Oxford.

Thanks for a great time, you roller derby queens.
-John — the Heene’s forgive you!
-Sigma Nu’s resident surf nazi wants to know why there isn’t surfing as a Greek Week event? Well, maybe next year.
—Cheezbread — Non Carborundum Illegitimates! Those who know, know.
-It is true that the snakes will be shipwrecked soon! We’re stocked for it, Bar-B-Qwen.
-‘Til next week, walk in the way of honor. Follow a Sigma Nu.

F. S. — “When the going gets weird, the weird turn pro.” — H.S.T.

Sigma Nu

By BUTCH And The Other PAT
Phi Mu Alpha

By STEVE TEEL
Phi Mu Alpha would like to congratulate Pam Love on winning the first annual Miss Jacksonville State University Pageant. We wish her the best of luck in the Miss Alabama pageant. The pageant was a great success and we would like to thank all those who participated.

The Atlanta Symphony Brass Quintet presented an excellent concert Sunday at the Stone Center. Their program was well selected and we would like to thank these men for bringing such a fine performance to JSU.

We would also like to thank all those who came to the annual Phi Mu Alpha Musical on Tuesday. The brass choir sounded great as did all the solo ensembles. Vice-president David Enloe did an excellent job putting this program together.

Phi Mu Alpha hopes everyone has a terrific and safe spring break.

Al pha Tau Omega

By JIM STUMP
Last Wednesday our little sisters held our first annual “Big Brother-Little Sister Banquet.” It featured great food and the best company you could ask for! We appreciate your support. Our little sister of the week is Sherry Fields.

It’s time to dust off the old softball mitt and start thinking about intramural softball. The “Tau” will be lead by Taylor Casey, who has been chosen as head coach.

Our spring pledge class is doing a fantastic job. Our pledge of the week is Keith Kendrick. Keep up the good work, Keith.

ATO: THE ONLY WAY TO GO!

Phi Mu

By SUSAN SMITH
The sisters of Phi Mu would like to thank the Pi Kapps for a fantastic all-week-party last week. It was a classic. Thanks, guys! Congratulations go out to “Pledge of the Week,” Dawn Sweattman and to sisters Mandy Bates, Cynthia Brown, and Monica Stewart who were recently initiated into ODK. We are also very proud of Pam Love who won the Miss JSU pageant last Thursday night. Congratulations, Pam!!

Upcoming events include various mixers, Greek Week (everyone is fired up), the cancer drive, and the Phi Mu national philanthropy, project B.U.R.P.E. (Health Opportunities for People Everywhere).

What’s up?
By this time the Chi’s are having fun in Greek Week and are looking forward to the Greek party. Our formal is coming up March 26 and we’re looking forward to having a great time in Hot-lanta. Our pledges are doing a great job thanks to their trainer, Wayne Rice.

Omicron Delta Kappa

BY BETH REAVES
Six ODK members and one faculty advisor attended the Province Seven Conference in Jackson, Mississippi February 25 and 26. Cathy Burns, Letitia Landers, Kelley Reed, Seth Reaves, Rochet Cole, Mary Hannah, and Dr. Horsfield represented the JSU ODK Circle.

They were treated to a banquet and get together Friday night, attended several workshops, a business meeting, and luncheon on Saturday.

During the final business meeting on Saturday Cathy Burns, from Piedmont, was re-elected to serve a second term as Province Seven Student Director.

The host circles of Milsaps College and Mississippi College did a wonderful job. They made our stay very enjoyable and informative. Everything was well planned, well organized and it was a great success.

Baptist Campus Ministry

By KIM WHITEHEAD
Spring break is on its way and, when it arrives, a whole bunch of JSU students will be on the road in the name of the Baptist Campus Ministry. Over forty will travel as the BCM Choir to tour the area around Clemson University while fifteen will be going westward to Houston, Texas, to do a week’s worth of inner-city mission work!

Activities will continue when the vacation time ends, though; a Share Seminar is scheduled for March 25 and 26, the Friday and Saturday after school starts back. Designed to give students insight into developing their lifestyle evangelism, the two-day course will be led by Kyle Kienarcke from Auburn University. Sessions will be held from 6:30 p.m. until 9:30 p.m. on Friday and from 9 a.m. until noon on Saturday. Everyone is welcome and encouraged to take advantage of this opportunity to learn more about sharing. Sign up now at the Baptist Student Center!
Lundy "influential individual"

By WALTER RUSSELL AND
DAVID FORD

During his years of involvement on
campus, Tony Lundy, well known vice
president of SGA, has grown to be one of
the most influential individuals on campus. A
junior majoring in business management
with a minor concentration in com-
mutations, Lundy feels that the academic
program is sound and is pleased at its
growth, both in number of offerings and
quality.

Lundy has been particularly interested in
the push to improve communications since
he has been on campus and refers to the
increase to 3,000 watts of 95-J, the
development of closed circuit television for
classroom use, and the ongoing plans in
finalizing the purchase of WHMA.

The tennis scholarship opened the doors of
academics and athletics for Tony who has
been a member of the tennis team since his
freshman year. According to Tony, Coach
Bailey has treated him like a person instead
of an object. He feels Coach Bailey is as
much concerned with helping his players
develop as people as he is in using them for
their abilities. As a result of this kind of
relationship, Lundy says he has developed
a greater feeling of confidence in himself.

The Fellowship of Christian Athletes is
important to Lundy, and he participates in
the regular weekly Bible study group
sponsored by PCA.

Perhaps the most significant extra-
curricular activity in Lundy's life right now
is SGA. In his position as VP in charge of
student activities and entertainment he has
had a good chance to learn about SGA from
every angle. He says frankly, "SGA makes
some mistakes, but it does some good
things, too." Lundy goes on to say that the
administration, especially Dr. Montgomery,
has been 10 percent helpful towards the
SGA. "It's only that the administration
would like to be informed about what is
happening here on campus before the event
takes place," he explains. He feels the SGA
is strong enough to object to things that are
not fair to them and the student body. He
went on to add that the faculty and staff can
work with SGA without either having to be
considered dictatorial.

Lundy ran a "no-compromise" campaign, but
he has tried to increase the amount of low
cost entertainment on campus and provide
some free of charge. Efforts in this direc-
tion include free concerts-Poo Nanny, Chevy
6, and Wildwood; and free shakers at all
home football games, concerts-38 Special,
Up With People, and Gap Band were
reduced in cost.

One area that worries Lundy is in-
tramural sports. He says this is a "touchy"
subject because of the way it is set up. He
says there are students in street clothes
wearing nothing to represent authority who
officiate intramural events. This situation
results in more people turning to violence
and this leads to a greater chance of bodily
injury. There need to be more top notch
officials, and players who disobey the rules
need to be penalized, believes Lundy. He
feels that students with little or no training
are not qualified officials and this matter
needs to be reviewed and worked out.

In commenting on campus commu-
nication, Lundy acknowledges that the
radio station has a dual role: to prepare
students in communications and to better
serve its listening audience, especially the
students. He stated that both 95-J and the
"Chanticleer" are excellent services for
means of communication here on campus
and in surrounding areas. For instance,
Lundy referred to the "Chanticleer's" in-
crease in number of pages from the usual 12
to a consistent 16 and often 20 or more for
special issues, as well as the increase in
advertisement over the past year. He
believes that more students are reading the
paper now because it is being used more to
inform students on what is happening around them than as a medium for
argument. Lundy says he reads the
University of Alabama "Crimson and
White" and feels the "Chanticleer" can
match with it. He concluded, "both the
"Chanticleer" and 95-J are doing excellent
jobs."

Another area of interest to Tony is the
rapidly developing drama department.
"Drama here at JSU is excellent because
there are some fantastic people in the
department," Tony said. He loves to watch
plays and especially enjoyed "The Italian
Straw Hat." "Dedication is what makes the
department successful," said Lundy.

Two things that make Tony unique from
most other college students is the fact that
he has had no automobile to use while at-
tending college and he lives with his younger
brother, Ricky. Tony says not having a car
has had its disadvantages, but "You learn to
hustle around. Just Walk!" He says he's
lived with his brother for 21 years and they
get along fine."
Should drinking age be changed to 21?

By RANDY FAIR

JSU students who live in Georgia might have been surprised when they returned home. If a bill before the Georgia State Legislature had passed, the legal drinking age would have been changed to 21.

This is a very controversial issue among college students since most of them would be affected by the new law. JSU students recently asked for their views on this issue, replied, as follows:

"It might cut down on the amount of drunk drivers if the age were changed," Cindy Seeger, Junior.

"I don't think it will change anything. People will drink anyway." Lynda Kearby, Junior.

"I've been going to bars since I was 15, so I don't think it will stop underage people from drinking," Bob Pitts, Junior.

"I think it would be the smart thing to do because it would decrease drunk driving. On the other hand, it would increase illegal sales. The main good it might do is to get college students out of bars and on the books!" Mark Jackson, Sophomore.

"I definitely believe that most people under the age of 21 should not be allowed to drink. It would stop all of these young people from drinking and driving, and it would cut down on alcoholism at such an early age." Beth Holder, Senior.

"Although it doesn't really affect me, I really don't think it would keep people from getting it if they really want it. If the government says citizens are mature enough to vote and be eligible for the draft, they should also have the right to drink if they like." Denise Huckaby, Junior.

Brown

"Raising the drinking age would be a good idea, in that it would keep younger kids from driving drunk. However, alcohol will be accessible to anybody, no matter what the age." Steve Wolsteia, Sophomore.

"I believe that raising the drinking age would help reduce the number of teenage deaths. Drinking should be limited to more mature people who can make the decision on whether or not to drink. But this will not stop the fact anyone can get liquor." Michael Huckebea, Junior.

"I feel raising the drinking age to 21 would help minimize the total number of teenage related drinking accidents. There is a substantial maturity difference involved in the two years. I hope it is made into law soon." Charles Kidd, Junior.

"I think it would be ridiculous. I think an 18 year old should be able to make the decision of whether to drink or not." Renee Lupa, Sophomore.

"I don't feel the drinking age should be raised because people would go to extra pains to get access to alcohol. No matter what, if you want it you'll get it regardless of whether or not there will be a law to prevent the draft." Laura Brown, Junior.

"I wouldn't like the legal drinking age changed because bars are a good place to get together with friends." Susan Fair, Sophomore.

"It would be fine with me. But I doubt if it will have any effect on detering people (teenagers) from drinking." Charlie White, Senior.

Students seem to be divided on their views about the legal drinking age. While many students feel it would be a good idea, almost all agree it would be almost impossible to enforce.

The Scabbard and Blade formal banquet is scheduled for the last of April. All members and alumni members make their plans accordingly.

The work days scheduled for work at the Big Oak Boys Ranch are the 8th and 9th of April. Be sure to keep these dates open on your calendar. Besides building, repairing, and giving general assistance, there will be time also for riding horses, fishing, and playing with the boys. Be prepared to camp out.

There's no better place around to make new friends. Or meet your old ones. Not to mention, get a great meal.

At the March 1 meeting nominations were made for the most outstanding ROTC cadets. Each year Scabbard and Blade gives an award to the Most Outstanding MS I, II and III cadets (Military Science first, second, and third year students). Nominations were also made for next year's Scabbard and Blade officers. The elections for these offices will take place at a special meeting on the 8th of March.
**Gamecocks nab NCAA play-off bid**

**JSU takes fourth GSC title**

**By RANDY FAIR**

The Gamecocks' basketball team won an automatic berth in the NCAA Division II playoffs by defeating Valdosta State 79-74 in the final game of the Gulf South Conference Tournament.

JSU earned the right to a title bid by defeating Miss. College and Livingston in earlier tournament games.

The win assures the team of an NCAA playoff berth in regional competition. It also ties a team record for season victories (22).

The Gamecocks ended their regular season finishing only third in the GSC, but the win over Valdosta made them GSC champs.

The Gamecocks opened quickly, dominating play on the offensive and defensive boards.

JSU had control throughout most of the game, leading at one time by as much as 14 points.

Valdosta would not be stopped easily, however. They staged a comeback that eventually tied the game at 74-74 with 1:23 remaining.

The Gamecocks went ahead again when Sylvester Grace hit a pair of free throws with 1:09 left in the game. JSU went on to hit three more free throws to secure the win.

**Spurgeon named game's most valuable player**

Grace was high scorer for Jacksonville with 17 points. Keith McKeller was next with 15 points and 10 rebounds. Robert Spurgeon added 10 points and 7 rebounds and was voted the championship game's most valuable player.

The Gamecocks upped their record to 22-7 with the win, tying a school record for the most wins in a season.

**Rob Hard work pays off**

**Carroll returning to top form**

**By MIKE LIVINGSTON**

At Oak Mountain State Park, Ed Palmer of the torch runners was racing to another victory at the 5K road race. In third place was JSU's own Stan Norton and just 5 seconds behind him was JSU runner Carroll. Both runners beat Troy St. runner Ricky Daniels at Oak Mountain.

Mark Carroll is starting to return to form that made him one of the best runners in Alabama at the high school level.

He is one of the very few runners during high school to make the All - State Cross Country team both his junior and seniors years. During his senior season he placed 4th overall and helped his high school to a 3rd place finish behind Auburn and Huntsville in Cross country.

Mark attended Vestavia High School near Birmingham, AL and graduated in 1981. His major at Jacksonville is history.

South Alabama expressed interest in Mark after he won the indoor mile and indoor two mile at the 4A state meet. South Alabama wanted him to go to a junior college for a year, and he picked Gadsden State.

"I may not be able to beat them, but I will give them a good race," added Mark.

**Springtime and the USFL—**

It's springtime again and with the onset of beautiful weather everyone's thoughts turn to outdoor sports. In the meantime, our campus basketball and gymnastics teams prepare for national tournament competition.

The golf, tennis, baseball, and track teams are all off and running, and I for one can hardly wait for baseball's spring training. Go Braves! Go Fat Bob!

One thing I can do without is the USFL. The new league has just kicked off its inaugural season and has proven to be what everyone expected: a little rough around the edges due to lack of practice time and more than a little short on talent.

I don't mind spring football. It makes a lot more sense than playing in 40 degree weather. But what I object to is a dilated version of what is called professional football. Face it, the USFL is stocked with NFL and Canadian league rejects, as well as a healthy assortment of has-beens and never-weres. It's my contention that with the price of tickets today, what a speculator sees should be a game played by the best talent available.

We in the U.S. have finished very close together during the track season," said one of his teammates. With Mark Carroll running well this season, JSU has every reason to be proud of its athletic program.

**How can they meet these demands? By raising ticket prices, of course.**

The USFL continues to stress their commitment to a quality product. The truth is, they simply do not have access to the vast majority of talent available unless they pay exorbitant salaries to their top draft choices.

Can they meet these demands? By raising ticket prices, of course.

I shudder to think that, with the new leagues 18 game regular season and the NFL's 16 games and playoffs, the American public will be subjected to about 10 months of uninterrupted football. At least they will give sports editors something to cover.
In surprising move...

Lowery placed on waivers, undecided on future

By MIKE LIVINGSTON

Greg Lowery was expecting to be the punter for the Birmingham Stallions this spring, but last Monday night he returned to his hotel room to find a message that had been left for him. The message informed him that the Stallions had picked up a punter on waivers from the Chicago Blitz.

"It was a total surprise to me since I had made the final cut," said Lowery from his Birmingham motel. He also added that he was returning from an apartment search Monday when he returned to receive the message.

"They cut a lot of good football players such as Eddie Lowe of Alabama and Freddie Smith of Alabama A&M," said Lowery, who said he has not made any plans on what to do next.

"They had asked me to stay here a couple more days while they look at another punter, but I think I will return to Huntsville and start working out," he said.

"I would like to think my four weeks at training camp were not wasted and I want to try out somewhere," Greg added.

Lowery said that he is still eighteen hours short at Jacksonvile from his degree, and he will return to JSU to register for classes in the next few weeks.

However these plans could all change if one of the USFL teams pick him up during the season.

In USFL action

Stallions fall in opener

By MIKE LIVINGSTON

The Birmingham Stallions opened the season against the Michigan Panthers at Legion Field. The Stallions brought out a fire works display and JSU's own Teresa Henn was singing the national anthem.

The crowd of around 35,000 stood for the kickoff and quickly fell silent as Michigan drove for a 49 yard field goal making the score 3-0. The fans at the game were mostly wearing Alabama or Auburn paraphernalia and screamed cries of Roll Tide or War Eagle at the kickoffs.

Birmingham did not have much of an offense and Reggie Collier was the only weapon the team had as he dropped back to throw and would then scramble for yards. The Stallions had the lead only one time at 7-4 in the second quarter. Later in the second Michigan kicked their third field goal winning the football game 9-7.

The second half was scoreless and was so dull the fans started to leave with over nine minutes left in the game.

It was the Stallions who scored the only real excitement of the game when a heavy downpour of rain forced fans to run for cover in the first half. Birmingham fans looked excited as they reentered professional football team, but were quick to leave when it looked like the Stallions were headed for defeat.

"Dull" was the word used by fans as they left the stadium, but since this was the first weekend of games it may get better for Birmingham and the USFL, if it doesn't look like fans in Birmingham are willing to get burned a third time by a new football league.

Hamrick's homer kills UNA hopes

JSU swept a rescheduled doubleheader from UNA Sunday when Bruce Hamrick hit a three run homer in the fifth inning to lift the Gamecocks to a 5-4 victory.

The games originally slated for Sat., were the conference openers for both schools.

In the first game, won by JSU 6-4, Scott Whaley threw a 3 hitter and struck out 7 to raise his record to 2-0. JSU pushed across 5 runs in the bottom of the fourth to end a 1-1 tie in the first game.

Hamrick's homer was one of 5 hits by the senior who also had 4 RBIs. The Lions had a 4-3 lead before Hamrick smashed his four bagger with two out and two on.

Chris Parker started the second game and allowed two runs before being relieved by Scott Tidmore, who picked up his second save of the season.

Women defeat Radford

The women's gymnastics team swept a 176-168 win over Radford Saturday in what Coach Robert Dillard said "definitely wasn't our best meet of the year. We didn't do especially well in anything although Marilyn Hassler and Lisa Pault both had good meets overall."

The Stallions are undefeated in Div II contests but have lost a number of meets with Div I schools.

SGA boxing tourney

The 3rd annual JSU Boxing Tournament will be held 24-25 of March at Leon Cole Aud. at 7 p.m.

The contest is sponsored by SGA.

For all interested masochists there is a $200 entry fee. Headgear will be worn and the rounds will be of 3 minute duration. Twelve-ounce gloves will be used.

There will be 9 weight classes so everyone should fit in somewhere. Weigh-in will be held March 23 at the armory.

Anyone desiring more information can contact Pig Clark at 123 Dixon Hall.

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