Gamecocks take fourth place

By JEFFREY ROBINSON and RODNEY PARKS
Sports Writers

The Gamecocks’ hopes for the NCAA Division II national championship came to an end in the Final Four last weekend as the Gamecocks capped yet another successful season.

There would be no repeats of 1985. Another championship trophy would not become a possession of the Gamecocks. But they came ever so close.

After crushing perennial Division II power Kentucky Wesleyan 107-70 in the quarterfinal round, ISU was its hopes of the title fall two games shy of the mark as North Carolina Central defeated the Gamecocks 90-70 in the semifinal game. (For more information on the Kentucky Wesleyan and North Carolina Central games, see page 17.)

The Gamecocks had another shot at going out on a winning note as they faced the University of California at Riverside in the consolation game. But the game proved little consolation as a tired group of JSU players lost to the Highlanders 90-81.

The Gamecocks finish the season with a Gulf South Conference title, the GSC Tournament championship, the NCAA Division II South Region Championship, a Division II Final Four appearance -- their second in four years -- and an overall record of 27-6.

Despite the loss, Coach Bill Jones said this year’s squad has accomplished more than prognosticators ever thought they would.

Jones added this year’s team has a great deal to be proud of: “This basketball team has had a great season,” said Jones. “We accomplished an awful lot when people didn’t expect us to do very much. It’s a tribute to the players in this program.”

Blood drive concludes

By TODD FRESHWATER
News Editor

The Red Cross and the Interclub Council are sponsoring a blood drive this week. The blood drive started Wednesday and is continuing today.

John Hopson, chairman of ICC, is expecting a big day. “Last year was the biggest year in 16 years and this year the turnout should be better. Our goal is 200 pints each day. Last year 199 pints was the most given.”

Incentives for giving include points for Greeks that have over 50 percent of members in attendance and a plaque for the club and Greeks giving the most blood. Domino’s Pizza of Jacksonville will be providing pizza and WUS will have a live remote.

(See BLOOD. Page 2)
Summer program offers students hands-on training

From Staff Reports

Need a change of routine? Want a change of scene? Looking for a new learning experience? Consider the course offered this summer at the Dauphin Island Sea Lab.

JSU is one of 21 Alabama colleges and universities participating in the Marine Environmental Sciences Consortium off the coast of Mobile.

Each summer students from all over Alabama and from several out-of-state institutions comprise the student body for two 5-week terms of marine science offerings at the Sea Lab. Courses for undergraduate students only during the 1989 summer term include "Marine Biology," "Commercial Marine Fisheries of Alabama," "Coastal Zone Management," and "Marine Geology."

Courses for both undergraduate and graduate credit include "Marine Invertebrate Zoology," "Marine Ecology," "Coastal Ornithology," "Introduction to Oceanography," "Marine Vertebrate Zoology," "Marine Seminar," and a new course offered for the first time this summer, "Marine Biology for Teachers."

All courses have a significant field experience component, hands-on labs and trips aboard a research vessel. Students visit and investigate a variety of marine and coastal environments, providing opportunities for preparation of personal specimen collections.

To obtain application forms, registration information and additional information see L.G. Sanford, 202 Ayers Hall or call 231-3462 (ext. 6002)

Terrorism

(Continued from page 1)

Edwards feels the answer to terrorism is through nations working together.

"The West must truly work together to stop terrorism," Edwards said. "Right now all they are interested in is national interests. Until we all come together and fight terrorism in an organized way, we can't win. Unfortunately, I don't see that coming."

Blood

(Continued from Page 1)

I'm trying to get the Rev. E.E. Cochran to speak before the Tuesday night movie," said Hopson. "Also, there will be more nurses to take blood. It should be a big success."

The hours to give blood are 11 a.m.-1 p.m. and 2 p.m.-5:30 p.m.

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Job conference offered

From Staff Reports

Today the Department of Sociology is sponsoring a Job Conference. Various speakers from this and surrounding states will be speaking on various types of employment opportunities.

The first part of the conference begins at 2 p.m. in 328 Brewer Hall. Charles Watson, professor of sociology at Troy State University, will speak.

The second phase of the conference will begin at 3 p.m., also at Brewer Hall. During this phase students will hear speakers that will talk about ten minutes about their general fields. Each of these speakers will stress practical information about real jobs.

Students will also hear from the Alabama Employment Service about jobs, and the Georgia Merit System will be looking to fill a variety of state positions.

A list of companies and agencies that have recently interviewed on various Alabama colleges and universities and that are seeking to employ college graduates regardless of their majors will be available.

There will also be a speaker on this topic.

A question-and-answer session will conclude the day's events.

"Mom says the house just isn't the same without me, even though it's a lot cleaner."
Eminent scholar meets with voice students

By TODD FRESHWATER
News Editor

The music department is sponsoring the visit of Barbara Kinsey Sable, an eminent scholar. Sable is from the University of Colorado in Boulder.

Sable, who is professor of voice in the College of Music at UCB, joined the faculty there in 1969. Sable earned her master’s degree in music education from the Teachers College of Columbia University and a doctorate from Indiana University. Sable has also published a textbook for voice students.

Sable often performs in concert and opera. She is also a member of the National Association of Teachers of Singing and the National Opera Association.

Sam Brown, JSU instructor of music, is coordinating her visit and said he is looking forward to it.

“Dr. Sable was my instructor when I attended the University of Colorado in Boulder. She is staying at my house with my wife and me.”

Sable has been visiting JSU all week and gave a lecture on Wednesday. Her topic was “Who is a singer and What does he do?”

Sable is also giving two “Voice Master” classes. Students will perform a selection on stage and Sable will work with the student in front of an audience.

“Dr. Sable was my instructor when I attended the University of Colorado in Boulder.” — Brown

These are open to the public and admission is free. The first was on Tuesday. The second is from 1:30 until 3:00 p.m. Friday at Mason Hall.

“Dr. Sable has been visiting with students all week,” Brown said. “She also has been listening to our Class Voice group as well. We’re glad she’s here.”

Touring theatrical group performs one evening at the Stone Center

From News Bureau

“Sister and Miss Lexie,” a touring theatrical production based on the life and works of author Eudora Welty, will go on stage at Stone Center Theater at 8 p.m. April 8.

Actress Brenda Currin, who appeared in The World According to Garp and In Cold Blood, will use a few props and Welty’s words to create the eccentric characters from one of Welty’s novels, Losing Battles, and several of her short stories, including “Why I live at the P.O.”

The one-woman production began as a late-night off-Broadway attraction in 1980. It was expanded by director David Kaplan and produced in its current form in New York City in 1985. The presentation, sponsored by the Southern Studies program, is best described as a Welty sampler rather than a full-dress dramatic enterprise.

Welty is among America’s most honored writers. She has won the Pulitzer Prize, the National Medal for Literature, the American Academy of Arts and Letters Medal, the National Institute of Arts Gold Medal and the Presidential Medal of Freedom. Her work includes four collections of short stories, five novels, a collection of essays and a collection of photographs Welty took in the 1930s.

Currin, acting out a scene from the classic “Why I Live at the P.O.,” plays a Coke-drinking young lady who serves as the postmistress of China Grove and has taken over the post office as her permanent abode. Surrounded by her cherished possessions — ukulele, jars of preserves and a calendar with first-aid instructions — she describes the circumstances leading to her voluntary seclusion.

Frank Rich of The New York Times calls it “a memoir flecked with jealousy and paranoia, in which the monologist accuses her sister of turning the family against her during an event-filled Fourth of July.” Currin mimics the various characters using delicate physical means and changes of voice, showing them as they are refracted through the storyteller’s bruised ego.

In an excerpt from Losing Battles, Currin plays out a small

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Pro-abortion group calls for boycott after Dominos Pizza donates money

From College Press

Service

**Angered by the head of** the Domino’s Pizza chain's $50,000 donation to a radical anti-abortion group, some campus women’s groups want to convince college students to stop buying the country to stop buying Domino’s.

**This is an issue students can focus on, one where they can be effective.** What's more important than pizza?" asked Sally Parkard of Gopher College’s (Md.) Women’s Issues Group.

So far, it’s had a dizzying effect on some pro-choice groups. “One day we were buying it and the next day we were mad at them,” said Colleen Derrymore, press liaison at the National Organization for Women’s Washington, D.C. headquarters. “This is serious. Feminists live on Domino’s pizza.”

The effect so far on Domino’s, which considers the campus market as one of its most important, can’t be measured, company public relations director Ron Hight said.

The groups – led by NOW – are aiming to hurt Tom Monaghan, who built Domino’s into a giant 500-store franchise operation. Monaghan has used his fortune to buy the Detroit Tigers, amass a huge collection of houses and furniture designed by Frank Lloyd Wright, and, especially in recent years, agitate against abortion.

Most recently, he gave $50,000 to Operation Rescue, a militant anti-abortion group beat known for harassing women as they try to enter abortion clinics. Domino’s Farms, the pizza chain’s parent firm, also donated $10,000 to the group.

“We're protesting the gift to this specific group,” said Connecticut College senior Stephanie Muller of People Organized for Women's Rights. “Their tactics are particularly radical and obstructive to women's groups.”

Now Vice President Pat Ireland called group members “the racketeers of the Right to Life movement.”

She said group members have physically blocked clinics’ entries, “called every five minutes to line up phone lines” and made false appointments, giving them access to waiting rooms and keeping legitimate clients out. They harass patients and staff, shout things like “baby killer,” and are generally very threatening.

Founded by fundamentalist Randall Terry, 29, Operation Rescue “is definitely the most rambunctious group on this side,” agreed Rachel MacNair of Feminists For Life of America, a Kansas City, Mo.-based Right to Life group.

“If I don’t know why he chose that particular group,” sister McNulty, a spokesman for the Ann Arbor, Mich.--based firm said of Monaghan’s gift to Operation Rescue, speculating it was the result of “personal convictions.”

Monaghan himself could not be reached for comment.

Operation Rescue spokesman Barb Magara was grateful for the gift, but said group members didn’t need it to continue “to put their bodies on the line to intervene in stopping the premeditated murder of preborn children and the exploitation of American women.”

Currin

Unlike Hal Holbrook recreating Mark Twain, Currin does not pretend to be Welty. Instead, she becomes an interpreter of her stories through a kind of acting alchemy, conveying the essence and artistic generosity of the author. And her presentation is not a "reading," but fiction adapted into monodrama. It is a shower of brief vignettes drawn from Welty's stories and novels, a verbal patchwork quilt set to Beethoven's Piano Concerto No. 5, played by two pianos, a full-length movie, The Sand Child, a Gothis thriller set in a deserted Victorian mansion on the coast of Alabama.

Tickets are $2 for students, $3 for faculty, staff and senior citizens and $4 for general admission. Reservations can be made by calling the Center for Southern Studies at 231-5226. Since there is only one performance, seating is limited and early reservations are advised.

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Davis death tragedy
in series of tragedies

Some things in this life can only be placed into a category and summed up as a terrible waste.

The death of Scott Davis is one of these situations.

Davis, a student here who was on trial for being an accomplice in the 1985 shooting of Ragland convenience store clerk Missy Macon, committed suicide March 9.

Davis enrolled as a student here at JSU in the fall of 1985, after the murder had taken place. Most persons who had classes with him never guessed he had been labeled an accomplice to a cold-blooded murder.

A roommate of Davis’ lived with him for one semester before he ever found out his background. He had a good personality, was always friendly and was a good student, but he also had a dark secret that would eventually push him over the edge and lead to his death.

Davis claimed he never knew Moore, who actually shot Macon, was planning to make this fantasy game a horrible reality. Moore and White went into the store while Davis sat in a car outside. After the shooting, Davis drove the car away while Moore told him what he had done.

The trio was eventually found in a Florida park sitting on picnic tables with guns pointed at their heads. Davis, still claiming innocence, had written a suicide note saying he was going to kill himself because he could not stand to be imprisoned away from his family.

During the next three years, Davis began his college career at JSU, while Moore and White went on trial. Moore was found guilty last year and was sentenced to life imprisonment without parole in a Jefferson County prison. White pled guilty and is serving time in Atmore, Ala.

Davis had been on trial this week before his death. Alabama law said even though he did not shoot Macon, he was guilty because he drove the vehicle away from the crime scene.

On the Thursday night before he was to be sentenced, Davis took a family-owned pistol, went out to the back deck of his home and shot himself.

It was a tragic ending to the life of this young man, an ending that sent his family into hysterics and added even more tragedy to the small town of Ragland.

The death of Scott Davis seems a final chapter in the central tragedy of the Missy Macon murder, but it really is not. There will be a great deal of hurt for all the families involved. This is a hurt that will be an ache in their hearts for a long time.

Moore and White’s lives will lost to a jail cell from now on, and Macon and Davis have been taken from us. Davis got caught in the trap of a tragedy; a tragedy bigger than life.

Letters to the Editor
Browders thank county supporters

Dear Editor:

Keever is one of the supporters in Calhoun County for their support and help in last Tuesday’s Democratic runoff for Congress in the Third District. The victory could not have been possible without you.

We are now working very hard, along with hundreds of our friends throughout the district, to win the general election April 4 and to bring our message to Washington and work for you.

Your vote April 4 will be greatly appreciated.

Glen and Becky Browder

Traffic ills fault of crossings, drivers and pedestrians

Dear Editor:

I would like to address a major problem, as I see it, on campus. The problem is motorists and pedestrians seem to have a war going on with each other.

The pedestrians don’t use the crosswalks enough. It also seems just waiting is a common occurrence on campus.

The motorists, on the other hand, don’t honor the rights of the pedestrians while in the crosswalks. Either out of ignorance or a lack of concern the motorists refuse to honor the pedestrians’ right of way.

The best possible solution to this problem would be that the pedestrians always use the crosswalks and the motorists always honor the pedestrians’ right of way.

Sincerely,

Mary T. Kuamer

Dear Editor:

The on-campus pedestrian crossings are a problem. I think there should be an effort to improve this situation.

The traffic flow on campus makes it difficult to get from one class to another. The driver has to be very cautious to avoid accidents. The student crossings makes it even more difficult to get to class on time. This area of the University should be dealt with for a more efficient traffic flow.

There is occasionally traffic build-up as a result of the student walkings. On some days there are a large number of students walking. There are days when the crossings reduce my chances of getting to work on time. I always get the feeling I’m going to hit a student while passing through this area.

The students walking must also have concerns about these crossings. If I were walking through a crossing, I would have a hard time trusting the cars to stop on my behalf. I would certainly have an uneasy feeling while crossing the road. But most all drivers like myself are cautious. After all, it is the law. There are times when the crossings are no problem at all, but there are also times when it can be really frustrating.

A simple solution would be to build a walkway above the road. This would allow traffic to flow freely and give students a safe crossing procedure.

Greg Willingham

Students complain about book prices, refund policies

To whom it may concern:

I am writing about the bookstore. The problem is selling the books back to the store within a certain time period. I feel if a person would like to sell his book back, then the store should want to take it anytime.

When it comes down to the last days of finals, people are still in their finals. They try to sell their book and either the store already has its quota or it will only give a few dollars for it. I feel there should be no time limit on selling the books back.

Marcie Ferguson
Billy Squier, Allman Brothers fans look for new releases

Billy Squier fans will eat it up as he releases his latest LP, "Can't Wait," due later this spring. The LP is touted as a return to the hard-rock punch of Squier's 1982 LP, "Don't Say No." Squier is also set to tour this summer.

Now not only is Guns N' Roses' music comic relief, it is also going to be a comic book. Revolutionary Comics is publishing a book by Todd Loren as a chronicle of the band's rise to fame.

From Staff Reports
The art department announced plans for its 11th Annual Miniworks on Paper exhibition. The deadline for entries is April 21. The exhibition will open May 7, with a reception and award presentation from 2-4 p.m. The show will run until May 26.

All miniworks must be original works on paper, mounted for wall display. They must not exceed the size of a dollar bill and be no smaller than half a dollar bill. Entries must be matted and wrapped with clear acetate. Identification cards must be affixed to the back of each work.

There is a non-refundable entry fee of $7. This allows each artist to submit up to two pieces. Awards will be given for top entries. The $100 President's Purchase Award, a $100 cash award by the SGA for Best Student Entry, a $50 Heflin-Meyers Furniture Purchase Award and additional prizes will be given. Persons interested in contest the art department at 331-5685 for further information.

Folk rocker makes musical waves

From Staff Reports
Michelle Shocked studied at the University of Texas in Austin, but picked up knowledge UT professors were not necessarily imparting.

"College is a time when you're learning there's a lot more than just a popular album. More than just a popular album, but picked up knowledge UT professors were not necessarily imparting."

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Michelle Shocked is one of the new, unabashedly leftist folk rock voices that have risen incongruously toward the end of this conservative decade.

Though most of the songs on the album aren't overtly political, except for "Graffiti Limbo," about a New York graffiti artist who died in police custody. Shocked's onstage patter revolves around denunciations of sexism, racism and militarism.

From there she talks about her concern for the environment (see SHOCKED, Page 8).

Art department announces miniworks contest

However, along with Tracy Chapman. Shocked is one of the new, unabashedly leftist folk rock voices that have risen incongruously toward the end of this conservative decade.

Art department announces miniworks contest

Michelle Shocked

The orchestra and the Kit Kat Band, under the strong direction of Carl Anderson, do a fine job as well. The scene, designed by Freddy Clements and executed by Technical Director David Keef, is intriguing, and continues the "city" theme to the bit. One real highlight of "Cabaret" is its beautifully seamy, early 1930s costuming. It is a real change of pace and fun to see here.

"Cabaret" opened last night and runs through Monday. Ticket prices are $6 adults, $5 students, staff and senior citizens and 4 students and military.

- DENISE KEEFER

Drama department's Cabaret! runs through Monday

[Editor's note: This is a review of a dress rehearsal.]
Attention all who may have been offended by past columns

Well, it's column time again. I know everyone is sitting on pins and needles waiting for my weekly profound revelations; however, I have none.

See, this column, as most of the other personal columns in this paper, is meant to entertain. It's suppose to be kind of a light spot in the ol' "Can't Be Clear." Most of the things I write about are really happen to me, believe it or not. I write of my happenings for two reasons: to give a few people with the spare time to read my column a laugh and to give myself an outlet for my bizarreness.

If I have offended anyone with my writings, I sincerely apologize. I really do.

All of the nauga ranchers I bad-mouthed should feel better now, as should the elevator repairman I tried to slam between the elevator doors.

I guess I better apologize to my

BCM sponsors

TRUTH concert

From Staff Reports

The Baptist Campus Ministry is sponsoring a concert with contemporary Christian music group TRUTH. The concert will be at 7 p.m. April 11 at Pete Mathews Coliseum. The tickets will be $3 per person at the door.

TRUTH is a nationally known group of 22 people. They feature a live, big-band sound with inspiring vocals. TRUTH is in the midst of their 18th tour, having traveled over 1.5 million miles through all 50 states, as well as 14 countries.

The band has recorded over 35 albums and appears before more than a half-million people each year in concert.

Rockline

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The money raised qualifies all who participated for the "What-a-guy" list.

Bad News for Doobie Brothers fans. The reunion LP slated for release in late April has been re-slated for a late fall release.

Craig's Pick: LP of the Week - "Status Quo" by Status Quo. They've been big in Britain for some time and are trying to make it in the States. If you liked ELO, odds are you'll like this one. Be warned though, it's a little heavier than ELO, so wear head gear.

car for saying it sounded like it was chewing on a brick. I sure would hate for my little BMW to see the article and take its revenge by stalling on Cheaha Mountain.

To all of the people in my classes who royally get on my nerves -- you still get on my nerves, but I hope it does not upset you to know that.

I am sorry if I made the red light on Mountain and Pelham mad with my column a couple of weeks ago. Goodness knows I don't want an inanimate object holding a grudge against me.

I apologize to the chicken pox, too. I don't have anything against them personally, so I don't want them to get the wrong idea from my writing. Why sometimes having the chicken pox is really fun!

I hope none of the grain growers of America took offense to the remark about oat bran being the greatest health scam since rice cakes. Maybe the sales will go back up since I made this disclaimer.

The Liquid Paper company is probably not too happy with the little statement about spending half of my life waiting on its product to dry. I know it is doing the best it can and the technology is improving daily. The drying time should decrease soon, and the tie-dyed sofas on my papers caused from trying to write on it before it is totally dry should decrease.

I apologize to all of the street people who live in Underground Atlanta for leading people to believe it was a less-than-desirable place to be. If I do wind up selling cigars to them one day, I should hope they will treat me as one of their own.

There. I hope I have covered all the bases.

If any of my future columns offend anyone, please let me know so I can try to correct the situation. In the meantime, remember it all in jest...

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Local bar plays host to a variety of bands

KATZ has been host to numerous bands this semester, ranging from local groups like Rocscool and Nearly Famous to high energy rock ‘n’ roll regional favorites Avalanche, Dubiel and 8-0-8-4 (eight-o-eight-four). Rocscool

Rocscool will be returning this weekend with their “new and old rock n roll, with a touch of blues.” Rocscool is a young yet very talented band which has been together for a year. Members are: Sammy Brooks, bass; Artie Davis, lead vocals; Ryan Greenwood, guitar, keyboard, and vocals; Larry Davis, guitar; and Shannon Warren on drums.

Nearly Famous

Nearly Famous played older top-40 songs and all-time favor- ites at KATZ’s recent Third Annual Beach Party. Opening the show with “Check It Out” by John Cougar Mellencamp, this band felt at ease playing songs for almost anyone’s taste of music.

Shocked

and ending homelessness and poverty.

Even the album’s cover photo establishes her dissident image. It features Shocked grimacing as San Francisco police arrested her at a protest during the Dem- ocratic Convention.

Nevertheless, these days Shocked finds herself working for Polygram, one of the world’s largest record labels. The company, she says, provides her with the resources to reach a large audience and the freedom to convey her message un- diluted. “I don’t know if I can do anything within the system.” Shocked said. “But I gotta try.”

She is currently touring the United States, and expects to hit several college towns, though not colleges themselves.

She won’t play colleges. Shocked says, because col- legians too often form “radical ghettoes,” impressing each oth- er with their political correctness but not taking their message to places where it’s seldom heard.

“When they leave they’re like Peace Corp volunteers in their own country. I tell ‘em to go to rural Arkansas and places like that,” she said. “There’s lots of work for them to do there.”

Years of living in Europe schooled her in “opposition politics,” trying to use the system to point out its flaws. In recent months, for example, she’s played benefits for the Christic Institute, a Washington, D.C., public interest group that has filed suit claiming contra lead- ers and their American sup- porters are connected to drug running and terrorism.

She says her roots are in America’s counterculture tradi- tion, which includes songwriters like Leadbelly, Guy Clark, Townes Van Zandt and hardcore bands like the Circle Jerks and the Dead Kennedys.

“It’s real subversive music,” she said, “unlike bands like Guns N’ Roses and other commercial stuff. The only thing they rock is the cash box.”

Shocked who’s as much a political activist as she is a musician, says her time at col- league helped spark her intellectual curiosity but didn’t satisfy it. “I had all these hunches, but I didn’t have the knowledge to speak articulately about them.”

That’s no problem now for Shocked, who, unlike the more overtly political Chapman, articulates her hunches and ex- periences into songs that for many students have become personal soundtracks. “I tell stories.” Shocked said. “They’re very political. It’s just that conclusions can be drawn in many different ways.”

And although she’s only 25, her life has taken so many twists that she writes and sings those stories with the authority of someone much older. Her re- sume includes stints as a squatter, traveller, rape victim, Mormon, psychiatric hospital inmate, expatriate, runway, jailbird and skateboard punk rocker, to name just a few.

She ran away from her strict Mormon mother and her career- Army stepfather when she was 16, inspired by her “hippie-a- thesit” father’s love of adventure and music.

Although her permanent ad- dress is a houseboat in London, Shocked says she’ll spend a lot more time in the United States performing and recording. “I felt like I’d come to a dead end,” she said. “And now, without compromising myself in any way. I’ve been given a bar- reful of resources.”

This way, Shocked said, she can help people “learn about what’s going on in their country. Students are at a time where they need to take the time to learn about what’s going on and about dissent. Dissent can make you more articulate.”

If you have not seen this group yet, you have missed quite a show. Dubiel keeps up a whirlwind pace playing original and cover songs, both old and new.

Dubiel has recorded two EPs, and their video of “On And On” won an MTV basement tapes competition in November 1987. The number of original tunes continues to grow. On this list are: “Stop, Look And Listen,” “Fire By Night,” “Ever Forev- er,” “Givin’ It All,” “Uncondi- tional Love” and “I’m Going Home.”

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CORRECTION

The distributor of “Gone With The Wind” has can- cellled all showings. Therefore, the Friday night movie has been cancelled. The Chanticleer was notified earlier, and the ad should not have run. We regret the error.
Warning --
This issue is not to be taken seriously.
Take it with a grain of salt and let it
tickle your funny bone. If that doesn’t
work, take two aspirin and see us
next week.

Features Editor Brooks
kidnapped at apartment

By MO LESTER
Murder Writer

Campus and city police offi-
cials are still baffled over the
kidnapping yesterday of a local
newspaper editor.

Matt Brooks, 20, features ed-
itor for the Chanticleer, was
abducted around 1 p.m. Wednesday
outside of his apartment, ac-
cording to a statement from the
Missing Writers Bureau.

FBI agent Junior Eyebutt said
as Brooks was preparing to
leave for an afternoon class,
four assailants pulled up in a
black sedan and forced Brooks
into the car.

As of press time, two militant
groups had already claimed re-
sponsibility for the abduction. A
letter addressed to the Chan-
ticleer from the Women For
Money, supposedly thought to be
a rightwing group of bookstore
employees, stated Brooks would
be forced to price every used
book in the bookstore by hand if
he was not eliminated from
staff.

The other groups’ demands
were more harsh. A letter
signed by Lester Leroy, who is
thought to be the leader of the
Jacksonville chapter of the
NRA, stated Brooks would be
shot 438 times or until his skin
was a mushy pate, if he didn’t
withdraw his affiliation with the
Bambi Coalition.

According to Agent Eyebutt,
both groups could be respon-
sible. “We have evidence that
proves both groups had been at
the scene of the of the crime.”

Eyebutt is referring to a sales
receipt of $367,908 from the
bookstore for two used
notebooks and several lumps of
chewed tobacco that were found
outside of the apartment.

“... Everybody likes
his writing. Who could
possibly disagree?”

— Eyebutt

IMA ALKY, a neighbor of
Brooks’, described the scene:
“Well, you know, I had just gone
to puke over the balcony when I
saw these men shoving
Matt into a sedan. Could’ve been
a Hyundai. I tried to stop them,
but one of the assailants, I swear
to God it looked like a woman,
held up a.pricing gun. I knew I’d
better back off.”

According to Eyebutt, there is
no known motive for the kidnap-
ning. “As far as I know, Matt is
one of the most serious and well-
reputed journalists around. Every-
body likes his writing. Who could
possibly disagree?”

By RAY BANN
News Writer

Laugh and the world laughs
with you.
Or the campus, anyway.

As part of the Eminent Schol-
ars program, five well-known
humorists will be visiting JSU to
show how to make money
through comedy.

Mark Twain and Steve Martin
will be on campus April 3 to
address students. They will
speak on the importance of hav-
ing white hair when seeking a
career in comedy.

Martin is expected to dem-
strate proper care and grooming
of graying hair. He will reveal
some of his secrets for healthy
hair and tell why it is such a big
part of his appeal as a comedian.

He will introduce a new line of
hair care products, “Steve
Martin’s Silver Locks For-
manda,” which he has been help-
ning develop.

Twain will demonstrate the
best way to trim a graying
moustache for optimum comic
value and sex appeal.

Joe Eber, stylist and author
of Shake Your Head, Darling,
will appear with Twain and
Martin. He will wash, cut and
style Martin’s hair during his
presentation and will assist
Twain during his.

Twain, noted author and
Southern humorist, will also be
promoting his new book, From
Elvis to the Big Bopper: How to
Locate and Meet With Stars You
Thought Were Dead.

April 13 JSU will host Yoda,
star of Return of the Jedi. Yoda
will deliver an address entitled,
“The Force’ of Comedy: Keep-
ing a Straight Face While
Watching the Jedi Train.”

Best known for his role as
mentor to the last Jedi, Luke
Skywalker, Yoda will reveal the
intimate details of Skywalker’s
training, including an account of
his struggle to learn to handle
the light saber.

Skywalker has condemned his
former mentor’s national speak-
ing tour, saying it is “sour
grapes” on Yoda’s part. He’s
just jealous because he had to
die in the film and I didn’t,” said
Skywalker. “He’s trying to
make me look bad. He’s per-
secuting me. I find it disgusting
that while he was supposed to be
helping me he was actually tak-
ing surreptitious notes on little
missteps so he could blow them
out of proportion. It wasn’t my
fault those extras were so close
when the light saber flew out of
my hand, and only three of them
actually died.”

British humorist Benny Hill
and Ronald McDonald will be
making appearances at the end
of April. Their presentations
will be during a program contrasting
British and American comedy.

Hill will be making a speech
entitled “Of Rushdie, Islam and
Big-Busted Women.” The cost
of Hill’s visit is an undisclosed
amount, though speculation is
about $15,000.

McDonald will not cost nearly
as much: $35 and a meal cost not
to exceed $4.

“Ronald McDonald is a steal,”
said one member of the selection
committee. “He has the big
name recognition, charm, big
shoes and a yellow suit. What
more could you ask for?”

“Since there is no real Ronald
McDonald, we called some guy
named Herbert in Birmingham,
offered him a few bucks to
dress like a clown, and he accepted.
The only problem is he’s a chain
smoker. And then there’s that
pending kiddie porn thing, but I
don’t think folks around here are
really familiar with it. That
might turn a few parents and
kids off, but, hell, you can’t beat
39 bucks.”

Five Eminent Scholars scheduled

Yoda, Steve Martin, Mark Twain to appear at JSU as part of Eminent Scholars program

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Sparkman Hall closed after toxic waste found nearby

By SEYMOUR GRASS
Environment Writer

Sparkman Hall residents will find themselves in new living quarters within the week. The Alabama Environmental Protection Group asked the residence hall be closed after workmen found evidence of toxic waste under and around Sparkman.

Speculation is that the remains of biology and horticulture experiments by Ayers Hall professors in the late 1950s were buried on the site. Before Sparkman Hall was built, the long-term effects of those experiments were not noted into and the waste has become dangerous over the years.

EPG officials say the waste is not yet dangerous enough to cause physical harm. But the problem will worsen with time. To remove the hazardous material, the hall literally will be gutted. The roof and each floor will be removed intact, and the hall will become a makeshift incinerator.

"It will be cheaper for the school in the long run," said EPG spokeswoman Ema Kidder. "If the building is old, that building's nearly 70 years old." He said, "Also, we didn't want to have to build another elevator."

Student response to the action was favorable. Dooley Gotpass, a junior from Lower Loachopoka majoring in sexual education, said, "I think it's a good move. We've decided to do away with the president's job and cancel the classes usually conducted there. Admissions and Records will be housed over to a dorm, where we figure they'll all be burned and done away with anyway."

Nearly everyone involved with the project is enthusiastic about the job. "We hope by adding these additional 2,000 spaces and cutting classes by 10 percent that our students will be happier," Commission Foreman Mickey Lego said. "President GeeNoGTE will have to either teach or get out. Why, his office alone could hold 15 Ford Escorts."

Godzilla plans sneak attack on coeds in residence halls

University introduces new parking solution

By YOKEM EGGLY
Features Writer

In a surprise move Wednesday, the University Planning and Construction Commission voted unanimously to add 2,000 parking places to the campus. The move came as a shock to students and faculty members alike after their pleas for more spaces had fallen on deaf ears for the last few years.

"In a press conference immediately after the meeting, Mickey Lego, commission spokesman, said "By a unanimous vote of 1-0 the commission approved the plan to raze Bibb Graves Hall and build the additional spaces at the site."

Committee president Mickey Lego stated Bibb Graves was chosen for destruction for a number of reasons. To begin with, it was old. That building's nearly 70 years old," he said. "Also, we didn't want to have to build another elevator."

Student response to the action was favorable. Dooley Gotpass, a junior from Lower Loachopoka majoring in sexual education, said, "I think it's a good move. Now we'll have some place to park to get to classes on time for a change."

However, for University President Harry GeeNoGTE, the move can present problems. "Well, now I've got a job, but no office. We have no idea what we're going to do with Admissions and Records, either."

Commission secretary Mickey Lego said. "We've decided to do away with the president's job and cancel the classes usually conducted there. Admissions and Records will be housed over to a dorm, where we figure they'll all be burned and done away with anyway."

City tells Sigma Nu sign removal was April Fool's joke gone awry

By ALRAC MARVY
Campus Life Writer

The ongoing dispute between the city and Sigma Nu over the cement monument which once stood in the corner of the fraternity's yard has taken an interesting turn. The city notified Sigma Nu last week the entire ordeal was orchestrated as an April Fool's joke.

Sigma Nu pledge marshall David Patterson said a certified letter was delivered to them by a clown messenger. The letter said the city had planned the event as a joke and it "just sort of got out of hand. When the issue picked up momentum we had to roll with the flow."

"I don't really hold a grudge against anyone," said Patterson. "I am just glad we get to put our monument back up."

As a gesture of good will, the city has offered to pay for the cost of replacing the letters in the front yard. A work crew is expected to make the move sometime in the following decade.

Along with absorbing the re-anchoring cost, there has been no mention of monetary awards being given to Sigma Nu officers who were threatened with arrest and may have suffered mental anguish as a result of the joke that went too far.

"I don't want any money," Patterson said. "Any mental damage can be overcome with a few years of therapy. I am just glad the whole thing is over and I am sure my brothers feel the same way. All we ever wanted is to be able to display a monument."
University baffled over vegetation ills

By ELMER OAKES
Vegetation Writer

After spending thousands of dollars on University grounds, officials are finding themselves baffled and angered by recent events.

First of all, hundreds of newly planted shrubs have been damaged and destroyed by rabbits. Scores of rabbits have been seen all around campus rapidly munching on the new vegetation.

The University first attempted to solve the problem by replanting the destroyed plants as soon as possible. This did not deter the creatures, however. Instead, they called in reinforcements to help eat the new plants.

Next, officials tried to capture the creatures. This failed because the bloated rabbits were too fat to hop under the boxes set up to snare them. Satiated animals also refused to eat the carrots being used as bait.

Groundskeepers finally alerted JSU president Harold McGee, who contacted Gov. Guy Hunt and asked that the campus be declared a disaster area so relief efforts could be initiated. After touring campus, Hunt agreed with the officials and authorized them to implement a plan of action.

A committee was set up to hire someone to handle the problem. Committee chair Rudy Baygah said there was no doubt from the outset who should be hired.

“We knew right off we ought to bring in the best rabbit hunter in the world,” said Baygah.

Scores of rabbits have been seen relief efforts could be initiated. By late May.

Diana Ross and Supremes plan to reunite while Kiss rocker
Simmons hears wedding bells

By GIARC NOSIRROM
Music Writer

Reunion fever has peaked as Diana Ross will get back together with the surviving members of the Supremes later this year. The new group, called Mommie and the Stepchildren, is to be called the Blue Moon. The new group, called Mommie and the Stepchildren, is going into the studio soon to record a cover of Elton John’s “The Bitch is Back.” Mary Wilson had the idea to do the song, which should be completed by late May.

Rock super star Gene Simmons is hearing bells – wedding bells that is. Simmons is to wed Sally Jesse Raphael in June. “I thought it was about time to settle down,” said Simmons, who will change his name to Gene Jesse Simmons Raphael after the wedding.

Bruce Springsteen will appear on Broadway in the ballet version of “Top Gun” this fall. Sam Kinison is set to be Springsteen’s understudy. Steven Spielberg is producing and directing the play, with costuming chores being handled Keith Richards.

Guns N’ Roses has signed a contract to be the back-up band on Frank Sinatra’s new LP, entitled “Dancing Naked Under the Blue Moon.”

U2 has announced plans to change their format style to all heavy metal and will be touring with Motorhead this summer in the Monsters of Rock tour. The tour will be at the JSU amphitheater, weather permitting, when inner-hell freezes over.

Giarc’s Pick: Album of the Week: “Mantovani’s Greatest Hits.” Mass appeal is sure to send this one straight to the top.

New Band of the Week: The Debbie Harry Experience. With covers of “Purple Haze” and “All Along the Watchtower,” the influence of Jimmy Hendrix is quite evident in the latest “hairy” adventure.
Football team members ‘pitch in’ while hoopsters sick

By DUB L. DRIBBLE
Hoops Writer

It wasn’t pretty, but it was a win.

‘The JSU Runnin’ Gamecocks – or at least a semi-version of the team – advanced to the NCAA Final Four Tournament last week. The Gamecocks defeated the Jimmy Swaggart Bible College Onlookers in a quarterfinal game, but it was definitely not one of the stranger sights ever witnessed on a basketball court.

Coach Bill Jones’ entire squad of players – everyone, including Henry Williams, Johnny Pelham, Charles Page, Pat Maddern, Cliff Dixon, and Wayne McGrainery, the entire team – had to be hospitalized last week when they all developed a strange and as-of-yet untreated allergy to the material a basketball is made out of.

‘It’s the strangest thing I’ve ever seen,’ said a beleaguered Jones. ‘Our players can walk within 50 feet of Pete Mathews Coliseum and they break out in a terrible rash. Somebody threw a basketball at Henry Williams last week and he started scrabbling hermaphroditically, I said it might turn to him. We also have no idea what is causing it.’

It was originally thought the team might have to cancel any remaining tournament games because of the quary, but proof that the Gamecocks’ spirit is alive and well prevented that and came to the rescue.

‘The new team has some incredible players,’ said a beleaguered Jones. ‘They’re as good as any team in the country. They’re just not able to play because of the allergy.’

‘It’s going to take a lot of effort to make the team the best it can be,’ said Jones. ‘But we’re going to do it.’

The team has been working on its outside game, and the results have been promising.

‘I’m certainly glad we won,’ said a relieved Jones after the game. ‘I also appreciate those guys helping out. With any luck, doctors will find an appropriate vaccine for our regulars next week, and I think we will just let our substitutes join the regulars as honorary team members.’

For the JSU “basketball” players, it was truly a new experience. ‘Yeah, it was great,’ said Blue. ‘And I didn’t get called for offensive pass interference a single time.’

University intros synchronized swim team

By URA FLOATING
Aquatics Writer

“I see it as a tremendous challenge, and I always like to tackle a new challenge.”

This is how Joe Billingsley describes his latest venture as a Gamecock athlete.

“The chance to keep contributing to JSU’s fine athletic tradition was what prompted me to stay,” said Charles Page in agreement with Billingsley.

No, Billingsley is not going to be pulverizing defensive linemen on the gridiron again next year. And Page will not be swishing the nets at Pete Mathews Coliseum.

Both of these outstanding JSU athletes have learned they have an extra year of eligibility here in Gamecock Country, and they have decided to become members of the newly-formed synchronized swimming team, the Swimmin’ Gamecocks.

The NCAA informed the University on Page and Billingsley will be granted another year of eligibility based on their outstanding achievements and contributions to Division II athletics. The one stipulation is they must play in a different sport than the original one they played.

Both men decided to join the synchronized swimming team, which is the newest addition to the program. The team will make its official debut next season, and both Page and Billingsley are ready to hit the water.

“I’ve got to learn how to hold him up in the air without letting his height topple him over.”

The duo does have a few minor problems to overcome. A slight problem exists in how deep the water they perform in can be. Page is 6-feet-4, while Billingsley is only 6-feet tall. Obviously, Page must stand in the deeper end of the pool for the routines to work correctly.

Another problem that has to be dealt with is how to execute the lifts that are done in the routine.

Charles really can’t pick me up because I’m bigger than he is, although it would be great if he could because he’s taller than me,” said Billingsley. “I’ve got to learn how to hold him up in the air without letting his height topple him over.”

Deep-water stunts are also out of the question due to a slight problem Billingsley has when working in water over six-feet deep.

“I can’t swim,” said Billingsley. “Really, I have managed to learn how to swim some -- and I’m a great dog paddler -- but I have a good bit of work to do.”

To remedy this problem until Billingsley’s aquatic skills improve, he will use a special life preserver made of red and white material that matches the color of the team’s swimming trunks. He also plans to use water wings to add extra buoyancy.

Both members of the team are ready and willing to do whatever it takes to make the team the best. They also have a goal of bringing home the first-ever Gulf South Conference synchronized swimming championship, which should not be too difficult considering the fact Billingsley has the only team in the conference.

The new coach of the team is Poofulla Chlorina Hydrocephalla, a former Yugoslavian Olympian who won many medals when synchronized swimming was still an exhibition sport.

Hydrocephalla, who speaks only a few English phrases through an interpreter that she is proud of both Billingsley and Page for their determination. When asked how their practices have gone so far, she commented, “Ya, good.”

The Swimmin’ Gamecocks will try to schedule matches in at least five competitions against schools from around the country next year. And Page and Billingsley have their sights set even higher.

“I want to enter Olympic Competition in 1992,” said Page. “I feel we could revolutionize the sport.”

Revolution or not, this team is sure to be a splash.
Scabbard and Blade

The National Society of the Scabbard and Blade was founded in 1939 by five members of the University of Wisconsin. The “national honor society” of the military, Scabbard and Blade is recognized as an organization of high prestige and ideals. Serving as an inter-service professional fraternity, it has over 400 chapters nationwide, including one at the University of Puerto Rico. Membership has grown from 866 in 1915 to a current total of over 130,000.

The members of Company B, Ninth Regiment of the Scabbard and Blade are located here. The dedication and achievement necessary to become a member of the society is shown by continued accomplishments. Many of our members now hold key leadership positions in JSU’s Reserve Officer Training Corps.

Battalion commander Richard White, executive officer Jason Pyle, squadron commander David Malone, staff officer Bernard Moxley and Ranger Sgt. Maj. Bruce Kilgore are all members.

Membership requirements are demanding. To qualify, one must be in the Advanced ROTC program, have a GPA of 2.5 or better and maintain a good class standing. Pledges are selected by the active membership.

During our monthly meetings, we plan activities that include an annual service project, two $500 essay, and activities for Scabbard and Blade Day.

Kappa Sigma

Welcome back! We hope everyone had a great time on Spring Break! Plans have been made for another trip to Florida April 15 and 16 for our Spring Formal (X marks the spot). The following weekend, April 22, will be our annual Back-on-the-Farm throwdown. Looks like a fun month.

We are looking forward to a great mixer with Alpha Xi Delta today. The theme has yet to be announced. Thanks to Phi Mu and Zeta Tau Alpha for the great times we had at our previous mixers.

Bill Price, why do you sleep with one eye open? Mike Haynes, who is your dad’s best friend?

Delta Zeta

We would like to thank the Pi Kappa Phi fraternity for throwing a great Graffiti mixer last Thursday.

This weekend all of us will be traveling to Huntsville for our Province weekend. All the other chapters in the state will also be attending. We will be attending workshops and meeting with our other sisters. The fraternities at the University of Alabama at Huntsville will sponsor a party in our honor. An awards banquet will highlight our weekend and we are hopeful in most categories.

The following weekend is our formal. This year it will be in Georgia on a river boat. We are very excited about it and are sure it will be very successful.

Sigma Nu

The chapter would like to congratulate brother Tracey Rainwater for his selection as the star of a local television commercial. We would also like to wish a speedy recovery to brother Bobby Molan from his injury suffered during Spring Break at Disney World.

The Sigma Nu Scholarship was presented Monday to the University. Special thanks go to all those who helped make the scholarship possible.

Formal was last Friday in Oxford House. The night was a big success. The brotherhood would like to thank all the alumni who attended.

The 2nd annual Sigma Nu Horse Show will be April 15. All persons interested in this event should contact any Sigma Nu or “all the fraternity house.

The Annual Sigma Nu-City of Jacksonville Easter Egg Hunt was Saturday and more than 100 local children showed up. The children searched for hidden eggs provided by the fraternity.

Congratulations to: Brothers of the Week John Furbanks and Pat McKinney, Pledge of the Week Rob Spivey, and Little Sister of the Week Rosie Palmer.

Trivia Question of the Week: What is April 5?

Zeta Tau Alpha

We would like to wish everyone a good luck during Greek Week. We love our goddesses – Lane Stinson and Allison Edgil.

Member of the Week was Tari Forbes and Pledge of the Week was Corrie Moshoe. Social Bonny goes out to Leah Dennis, who closed our last mixer down.

Last week our pledges received their big sisters. Everyone was very excited. We also decided who would be our contestant in the Miss Mimosas pageant and Kim Richley will be representing us. We know she will do a great job.

This is going to be a busy weekend for us. We will have closed weekend and sisterhood retreat. On Sunday, we are all going to attend church together. We are looking forward to the weekend and it will be a great time for us to spend time together and to share our sisterhood.

Good luck to our “Miss JSU,” Amy Hyde, who is performing this week in the musical, “Cabaret.” You have so much talent and we are extremely proud.

Nurses Christian Fellowship

The March 6 meeting was opened with the reading of a scripture passage from Psalms 11. Prayer requests were taken and circle prayer was led by Denise Mills. Election of new officers was discussed and the election will take place at the next meeting.

“He went away and prayed sincerely, O my Father, if this cup cannot pass away from me unless I drink it, Your will be done.” Matthew 26:42.

Alpha Xi Delta

Our Spring Formal was last weekend and everyone had a great time dancing with the Extr. Thanks to Anne for doing such a great job.

We would like to congratulate both the JSU women’s and men’s basketball teams for representing us so well this year. We would also like to wish the baseball team good luck.

A special congratulations to Michelle Wouter for being chosen Pledge Sister of the Week.

We would like to thank Panhellenic Council for a great Greek Week. We have really enjoyed the games and other activities included this year.

Tomi we are looking forward to mixing with Pi Kappa Phi.

Bands

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Each band member gives the stage show his all. Mary Dubel sings leads and involves audience members on some songs. Thomas Mark is in charge of the drums – making the most with floating sticks, chimines, wood blocks, a brass gong and playing cymbals with his feet. Chris Thorn preprograms the keyboard parts for several songs, sings back-up and plays bass. Mike Cummings is the quiet, incredibly gifted guitarist for Dubiel.

The band has been together for over three years, and plays shows from Louisiana to Nova Scotia. Mark says the songs “are inspired by the band’s desire to spread the faith.”

Crew members who keep the show sounding and looking great are: Joe Paradis on lights, Roy Constantine on sound and Wayne Eastman as stage manager.

Avalanche will bring back their “mountain of rock” April 17 and 18 for two nights of hot-rocking, partying songs.

Jay Willard sings lead for this group based in Raleigh, NC. He, along with drummer Bill Parker, Vida Raffety on keyboards and backing vocals, bassist Michael Jacques and fun-loving guitarist Marc Jackson continue to draw more and more fans to each of their shows.

Where were you last time they were at Katz? You missed a party. Roscoold even opened the show last time; that was two bands for the cover charge of seeing one. WJLS has played several of Avalanche’s original songs, so you may have heard “Calling The Law,” or “Can Take It With You.” These are excellent examples of this group’s own, growing list of material.

Pi Kappa Phi

Thanks to Phi Mu for a great “Toga” mixer last Wednesday, and thanks to Delta Zeta for the great T-shirt graffiti mixer last Thursday.

Last week we pushed a wheelchair across Calhoun County in order to raise money for our national philanthropy, Project P.U.S.H.

Congratulations to our satilh team for its first win. It defeated Kappa Sigma.

Chuck Herb needs any aluminum cans to pay for his many debts.

Dean Buttram and Brad Russ- sold visited Alaska over Spring Break. They said next time they wouldn’t go on a motorcycle.

We also would like to wish everyone good luck in Greek Week. Todd Smith says, “Bring on your tricycles.”

This group will be returning to KATZ April 27. Check your schedule because these groups will satisfy a craving for good, live, high-energy music. -- C.A. ABERNATHY
Students becoming apathetic about governments

From College Press
Service

Student politicians like to complain that students are apathetic about campus government, but it could be that students just can’t remember who they’ve elected.

The latest proof: only 18 percent of the Marquette University student body is prepared to run for student body president. In response, President Mike McCarthy swore “name recognition isn’t important.”

In December, Iowa State student president Doug Martin explained away a poll showing that only 23 percent of ISU’s population could name him by saying it reflected what a good job he was doing at avoiding controversy. In February, alas, some student leaders noticed the names of actual student government candidates were very far down the list.

In the event anyone can remember student leader’s names long enough to want to call them, Florida Atlantic University student government has decided to buy beepers for its top officers.

The whole idea is to make ourselves more accessible to people,” vice president Mitch Albert, who must chair the optimism committee, told The Atlantic Sun, FAU’s student paper. Albert claimed people are actually calling them, though he said the experiment’s most persistent result is that one officer has been plagued by a “prank beeper” who has called as many as 12 times during one day simply for nuisance value.

Of course, disrespect for student politicians isn’t always random. Some people go out of their way to cultivate it. In February, for instance, University of Utah student government vice president Grant Sperry announced he would run for student president even though he’d graduate before his term would start.

Sperry is running as the candidate of the Tupperware Party. He told the Daily Utah Chronicle that Tupperware Party differs from the Who Cares? party, which fielded candidates in last spring’s races. Who Cares? party candidates, Sperry said, did not intend to win. Tupperware Party candidates this spring, he contended, are much more serious about not winning.

Students aren’t the only campus leaders to help the wheels of higher education grind to a halt. Sometimes adults do a good job of it, too:

> Michigan Tech housing director John Kilmer banned anyone participating in Winter Carnival beard-growing contest from working in dorm cafeterias.

> After spending $70,000 to install 19 automated doors to make its campus more accessible to wheelchair-bound students, administrators at the State University of New York at Stony Brook discovered in mid-February the Joseph of themselves is breaking. They blamed bad craftsmanship and students “fooling around” for the doors’ frequent breakdowns, but still others noted sliding doors are simply inappropriate for the heavy use they typically get in high-traffic areas like campuses.
Greeks dance for charities

By ERIC MACKEY
Features Writer
Greek Week had a different twist this year. The week-long celebration actually started with a “twist,” or at least a dance on the town square.

The dance-a-thon on the square was a joint venture of the fraternities and sororities along with the Dixie Wheelchair Association.

A key organizer for this new Greek Week kickoff was Gina Willis, president of Alpha Xi Delta sorority. Willis said the dance-a-thon was an effort to raise money for the Special Olympics and specifically for the DWA, which serves this region’s handicapped athletes.

The first greeks started the dancing party at 3 p.m. Monday. The event ended at the same time Tuesday. “We kicked off with the opening ceremony on Monday with members of the National DWA board of Directors,” Gina said. JSU President Harold McGee and Jacksonville Mayor John B. Nisbet were invited to attend.

Willis said the businesses of the Jacksonville area have been great to work with the group in this worthy cause, as has WJXL (AM810).

The DWA is “for people, physically disabled people,” who must have wheelchairs, Willis said. They use them to compete in various sporting events.

Money the drive raised will go toward the Dixie Games in Cobb County, Ga. this year. Some will be used to “help also in furthering training” for potential competitors.

From Staff Reports
What do chess and ROTC have in common? Normally one might think the strategy associated with the military might be similar to a game of chess. A plausible answer, but this year the two are more in common than in years past.

JSU and ROTC can lay claim to a very special student. John Carver, a history major, won the Reserve Chess Championship for the state of Alabama. The championship, which took place in Birmingham, was sponsored by the Alabama Chess Federation and consisted of three levels of competition: Masters, Reserve and Intermediate. Carver competed in the middle of the three divisions.

During the tournament he used an unusually complicated wide-open style of play in order to defeat his opponents. Normally his style consists of powerful movements directed straight at his competitor. His new tactics worked and he took home the trophy plus $180. As a result of the win, Carver is now on the threshold of a Masters chess rating.

He currently is aspiring to become a second lieutenant in the Army. He hopes to travel to Germany for his initial assignment as an officer and spend the next few years touring Europe and trying to participate in foreign-sponsored chess tournaments.

Carver is teaching chess at JSU to a few students and is in the process of starting a chess club on campus. The chess class is offered every Monday and Thursday evening in the lobby of Pannell Hall.
High fiber diets considered healthy

By TOWANDA WYNN
Features Writer

The high-carbohydrate-fiber nutrition plan is nothing new to nutritionists. Recently, the food industry has become well aware of fiber and its importance in the diet. Studies showing the importance of fiber in the diet for prohibiting some forms of cancer have recently "unleashed" a new obsession with fiber in the diet.

High fiber breads, cereals and grains are leaving the shelves almost as fast as they are being put there. In recent years the important role of fiber has come to the forefront, and high fiber diets are considered a very healthy and prudent approach to nutritional well-being.

Insoluble fibers are important for the relief of constipation and prevention of diverticulosis and hemorrhoids. They are also important for their possible role in cancer prevention. Sources of insoluble fiber include whole grain products, fruits and vegetables.

Fiber is found only in plant products. Therefore, meat or milk products contain no fiber. Many of our highly refined foods, such as white bread, are stripped of their fiber.

Fiber may help you fight those extra pounds. Between-meal snacks should take a look at their eating patterns. Does it include lots of empty calories such as candy bars, sugar, starchy and refined foods? These don't satisfy the appetite as well as unrefined carbohydrates (fiber). In fact, they stimulate the body to want more.

Fiber can help one to feel full without taking in extra calories. More eating time is required with foods like corn on the cob, whole rye cereal and raw pineapple.

Below are a few tips for adding fiber to meals:

1. Choose fresh fruit over canned fruit or juices.
2. Choose whole grain breads.
3. Leave the peeling on fruits such as apples, pears and peaches.
4. Have a salad every day.
5. When mashing potatoes, leave the skin on.

The last word
America lacking in "hero" figures

By Matt Brooks
Feature Editor

Our country is a great country indeed and one that is full of tradition and pride. It seems to me all I've read over the past few years is about the problems the youth of this country are facing. You can't open a newspaper without seeing where some 14-year-old boy was gunned down in Los Angeles with an AK-47 or some other piece of advanced foreign weaponry.

I've studied a lot of American history in my years of education, and it seems never before have the youth of a nation been saddled with so much so soon. During World War II, for example, the whole nation rallied to the cause of world freedom. Women went to work in munitions factories to support the war effort and small children collected materials for recycling. Everyone was rationed food or goods at one time or another. Whether right or wrong, America was a solid force.

Then, after the good old days were over, the youth of America started their downhill. The Vietnam War proves me right on this statement. The American youth turned their backs on their own country, and sometimes even on their own family members.

Kids refused to serve their time in the armed forces like everyone else. Those that did were spit at and shamed by those that didn't. Everyone was looking for a reason to fight as a way of getting out of having to fight instead of fulfilling their obligation for living in such a free country.

The focal point of this crusade so far has been the good old days following the Second World War. The country was unified in no way ever before emulated except maybe during the Revolutionary War. But what could a mere 30 years hold to turn the youth of a great country into nothing more than termites eating away at the bowels of the motherland? There is but one reason.

What this country really lacks is a good old American hero. In the past, people like John Wayne were the epitome of a nation. And John wasn't the only one. Heroes were a dime a dozen. There was The Lone Ranger, Roy Rogers, Superman and others.

Today, though, things are different. Figures such as Rambo are idolized by the youth, figures that only represent virtues such as hatred, greed and anger. Priorities are all wrong. Instead of instilling virtues in kids such as honor, courage and valor, today's "hero" figures teach kids violence and greed are the only ways to succeed in life.

When one of today's "heroes" is arrested for drug possession or child abuse or espionage, for that matter, what happens? He is slapped on the wrist, given a raise and allowed to resume his so-called "job."

Who's to blame? Beats me. It seems to me throughout history the path to destruction for every great nation started with the decay of its principles and morals.

The only question now is how far down that path are we?
Lady Gamecocks end season in South Region Tournament

By JEFFREY ROBINSON
Sports Editor

The Lady Gamecocks ended their season March 11 in the NCAA Division II Women's South Region Tournament.

The Lady Gamecocks defeated rival West Georgia 84-81 in the opening round of the South Region but lost to their old nemesis, Delta State, in the championship game by a score of 94-70.

JSU revenged two earlier losses to the Lady Braves in their win over West Georgia. Lady Brave guard Cynthia Terry, who hit a 22-foot shot as time expired to give West Georgia a 75-74 victory over JSU in a regular-season game at Pete Mathews Coliseum, missed a 3-point shot that would have tied the game as time expired.

JSU had lost the regular-season batters to WG, the regular-season GSC champions, but re-energized the losses by backing the Lady Braves out of the playoffs and ending their season.

The victory sent the Lady Gamecocks into the championship game against Delta State. Just like last year, the Lady Statesmen used their size and depth to hold JSU at bay and ended the Lady Gamecocks' season in a low-scoring affair.

Despite the loss, Coach Hilliard Mathis said this has been a good season for the Lady Gamecocks, even though it was often masked by the regular-season losses to West Georgia and Delta State.

"I felt we put five good games together at the end of our season to come on strong for the playoffs, and I'm really proud of that," said Mathis. "The next to our last game of the year, we defeated the No. 8-ranked team in the nation (West Georgia)."

This year's team finished the season with a 24-6 overall record and made the Division II women's "Sweet Sixteen" for the second year in a row. In the past two years, a program that had promised only 20 wins and more than 80 losses in the four previous years compiled a 47-13 record with two Division II South Region Tournament appearances under Mathis' direction.

One thing that helped make a difference was the addition of some solid players to the program. All-American Shelley Carter has been the catalyst for the team, while the addition of strong players such as Jana and Tracy Pressley, Mary Luchy Cabrera and some good recruits have strengthened the program.

When asked what other factors had contributed to the success, Mathis said, "A total team effort. We've had a change in attitude, and we've brought in some people who are used to winning."

Only two team members, seniors Shelley Carter and Tammy Broom, will be lost to graduation this year, but those will be big losses. Mathis said a good recruiting year will be needed to strengthen a returning nucleus of good players.

"We need to recruit some big people for the season to come," said Mathis. "Since our guards will be juniors and seniors next year, we probably need to do some recruiting at that position."

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It's really hard to believe that it's all over.
Just like that, everything you hoped for -- all the hopes for a national championship are gone, "walked" out the door, so to speak.

Our Gamecocks almost made it to that pinnacle, the top spot. A second Division II national championship in this decade would have been a great achievement for the club. They have already asserted themselves as a basketball force, and our reputation and tradition have only been furthered by the 1988-89 campaign. But it just wasn't meant to be.

But that title would have really been special.

I guess that's what makes a national crown so meaningful; they are so hard to get. A lesson in how hard they are to come by can be learned by just looking at the last year at JSU.

There is probably not another university in this country whose major sports programs have been more successful in one year than JSU's. Our baseball team, football team and basketball team have all been legitimate contenders for national titles. That's really an achievement.

Yet it seems like all three came up just a little short. It's sort of like trying to climb a high mountain three different times. Each time you charge the hill, and you get just almost to the top, and a large foot comes across the summit and kicks you back down.

But it has happened. Last May, the baseball team made it to the Division II World Series in Montegomery, only to lose by one run in a heartbreaking game. I sat in Portland Civic Stadium, and I think it's safe to say our athletes, to quote a famous performer, "have made us all proud."

Mathis also said the team must keep improving as it has the last two years because the Gulf South Conference as a whole will be better next year. Delta State will lose only one starter from a team that probably will be the national champion, and Valdosta State, which returns two-time All-American Shannon Williams for her senior year, will be a strong squad.

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Abbott’s Gamecocks win a total of six-straight games

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From Staff Reports
Coach Rudy Abbott’s Gamecocks picked up six victories last week against non-conference opponents while playing a busy schedule here at University Field.

Monday the Gamecocks defeated Shorter College of Rome, Ga., 9-4. Pitcher Billy Klein, a senior right-hander, allowed only eight hits while going the full nine innings for JSU. Brian Roberts and Mac Seibert both provided homers while Ed Quasy and Tom Dorton provided three and two singles, respectively.

The Gamecocks were scoring plenty of runs Tuesday and Wednesday against Manhattan College from New York City. Tuesday JSU took both games of a doubleheader by defeating the Jaspers 14-0 and 10-1.

Sophomore pitcher Craig Holman, now 5-0 on the season, pitched a no-hitter for the Gamecocks in the first game while striking out nine and walking only two.

“He got ahead of every batter but two,” said Abbott of Holman’s performance. “He has an excellent split-finger fastball and excellent location on his curve ball. With both of those going for you, it’s hard to hit that kind of pitching.”

JSU had five home runs during the game.

In the second game against Manhattan, pitchers Jim Denison and Todd Alther struck out 12 batters while allowing only four hits. Craig Caldwell had a home run for the Gamecocks, while Brian Roberts went 3-for-3 and Seibert was 2-for-2.

The third game of the JSU-Manhattan series on Wednesday was a “walk in the park” for the Gamecocks. JSU belted out five homers as the Gamecocks trounced the Jaspers 17-2.

Heath Garmon and Mac Seibert both had two home runs on the day, while first baseman George Strott also added a homer. Junior right-hander Todd Jones, now 3-1 on the season, picked up the win.

Last Thursday, JSU met Mount St. Mary’s in a doubleheader and swept both games with 22-0 and 9-1 blowouts.

In the first game, junior Craig Holmon allowed only one hit during the Gamecock rout. Tom Dorton had two home runs while going 3-for-3, while Strott was 4-for-4 with three RBI. Sloan Beatty, Bubba Porter and Sammy Plaia also added homers for JSU.

Left-hander George Patton improved his record to 2-1 pitching in the second game.

The Gamecocks hosted arch-rival Troy State last Saturday in an important Gulf South Conference East Division Contest.

The teams were chosen by the league’s head coaches.
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Gamecocks take fourth place

BY JEFFREY ROBINSON
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The Gamecocks' hopes for the NCAA Division II national championship came to an end in the Final Four last weekend as the Gamecocks capped yet another successful season.

There would be no repeats of 1985. Another championship trophy would not become a possession of the Gamecocks. But they came ever so close.

After crashing perennial Division II power Kentucky Wesleyan 107-70 in the quarterfinal round, JSU was its hopes of the title fall two games shy of the mark as North Carolina Central defeated the Gamecocks 90-70 in the semifinals. (For more information, see the Kentucky Wesleyan and North Carolina Central games, see page 17.)

The Gamecocks had another shot at going out on a winning note as they faced the University of California at Riverside in the consolation game. But the game proved little consolation as a tired group of JSU players lost to the Highlanders 90-81.

The Gamecocks finish the season with a Gulf South Conference title, the GSC Tournament championship, the NCAA Division II South Region Championship, a Division II Final Four appearance -- their second in four years -- and an overall record of 27-6.

Despite the loss, Coach Bill Jones said this year's squad has accomplished more than prognosticators ever thought they would. Jones added this year's team has a great deal to be proud of.

"This basketball team has had a great season," said Jones. "We accomplished an awful lot when people didn't expect us to do very much. It's a tribute to the players in this program."

English officer talks on terrorism

By TODD FRESHWATER
News Editor

Edwards, a member of the Royal Military Police, spoke to the JSU chapter of Sigma Delta Chi, a society of professional journalists, last Wednesday. He was the speaker in a program celebrating Freedom of Information week, which was March 16.

Edwards is an English exchange officer in the area of terrorism. Stationed at Fort McClellan, he instructs other military bases in terrorist prevention. He also speaks at schools and other organizations.

Edwards also pointed out in his speech that terrorism is closer than we think.

"If you think ordinary people aren't affected, just look at the empty fruit shelves across America," he said. "That shows how the threat of violence works. No one has died from cyanide in Chilean fruit. So what happened? Chile's economy is down the tubes. Fear is a big weapon."

Edwards also said the media has to cover violence.

"It is our thrust for knowledge and information that causes our media to cover these things," he said. "People like gore on television. Without it, TV wouldn't sell advertising. Without advertising, there wouldn't be an industry."

According to Edwards, it is sometimes necessary to restrict the media. "If terrorists are attacking a military base, we don't want cameras showing other terrorists our defense resources," he said.

Edwards said the press has to deal with terrorism. "The press here and in England are about the same."

Edwards was also quick to say there is no military solution to the problem of terrorism.

"Terrorism is generally a political and social problem," he said. "You can't defeat it with military force. In some cases the military is the cause of the problem."

Blood drive concludes

By TODD FRESHWATER
News Editor
The Red Cross and the Interclub Council are sponsoring a blood drive this week. The blood drive started Wednesday and is continuing today.

John Hopkins, chairman of the Interclub Council, is expecting a big day.

"Last year was the biggest year in 10 years and this year the turnout should be better. Our goal is 200 pints each day. Last year 199 pints was the most given."

Incentives for giving include points for Greeks that have over 50 percent of members in attendance and a plaque for the club and Greeks giving the most blood. Domino's Pizza of Jacksonville will be providing pizza and WLJS will have a live remote.

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