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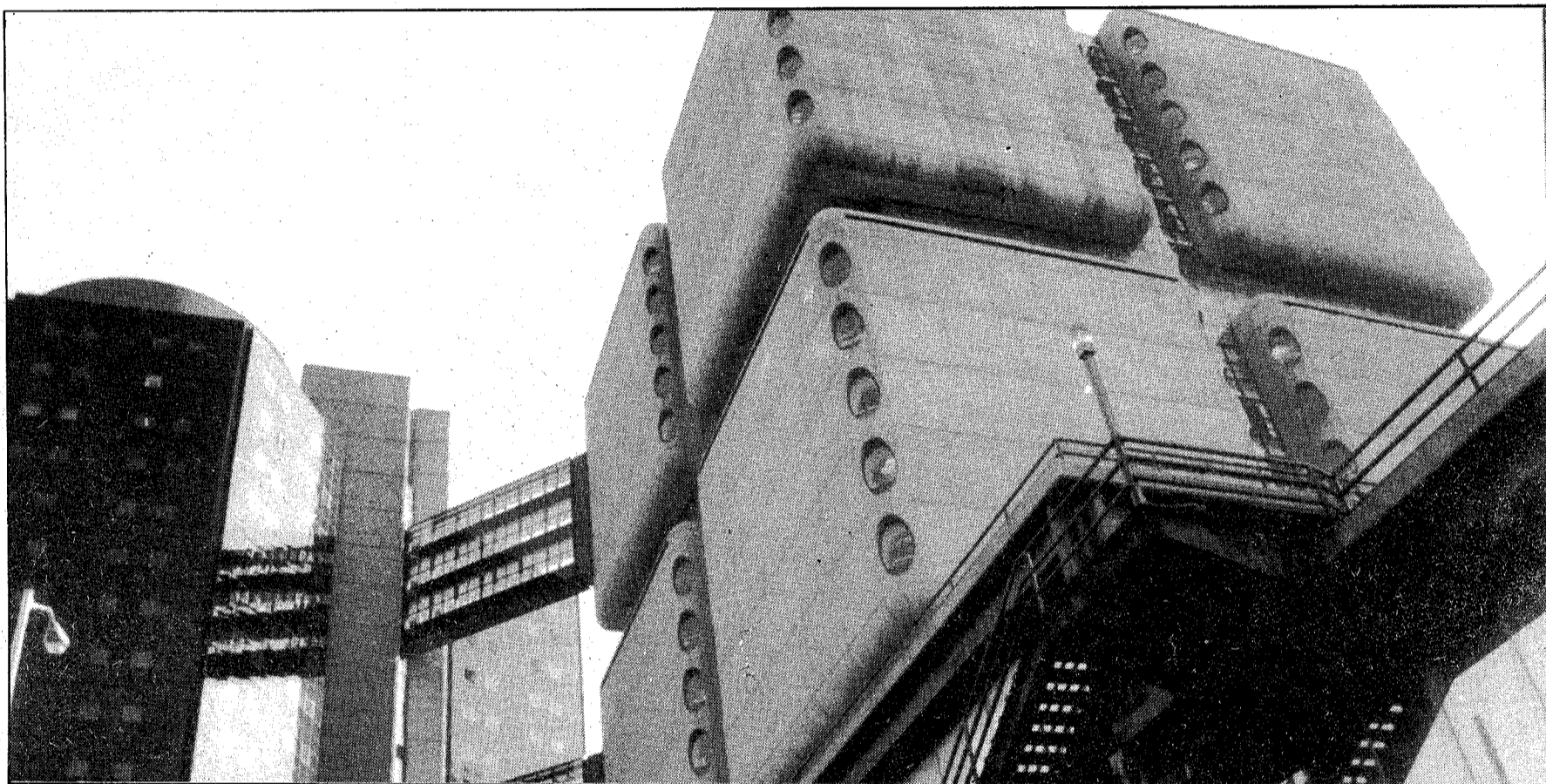
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University Hospital has lost three top officials in the two weeks.

Statesman File Photo

The Doctor Is *Out*

Dean of Medical School Takes Job as President Of Association of American Medical Colleges

By Andrea Rubin
Statesman Editor-in-Chief

THE DEAN of the School of Medicine resigned last week after he was appointed president of "the most prestigious organization" of medical colleges, officials said.

Dean Jordan Cohen was hired to lead the Association of American Medical Colleges, which represents all 126 accredited medical schools, the 16 accredited Canadian schools, 400 major teaching hospitals, and 91 academic and professional societies. "It is the most significant position in graduate medical education," said Stephen Villano, associate dean for public affairs at the School of Medicine.

Jordan, 59 who held the position since 1988, will take over the position in the spring. Currently, there is no one in mind to replace him. "It's much too soon [to name a successor]," said Villano. He added that there would be an extensive search for a new dean.

Jordan said that he enjoyed his time at Stony Brook but he feels it is time to move on. "These past five and a half years have been the most rewarding of my professional life as I have watched Stony Brook continue to mature into one of the leading academic medical centers in the country," said Jordan in a statement. "I now look forward to helping foster the crucial synergy that will be required between academic medicine and the emerging national health policy as the public and private sectors of our system work together to address the country's complex health needs."

According to Villano, Jordan's departure is not related to either the resignation of Dr. Alan Miller, director of University Hospital's psychiatric residency program, or William Newell, executive director of the hospital. Miller did not check into the background of Michael Swango, a medical resident who spent time in jail for poisoning former colleagues. In addition, Newell announced last week that he would retire at the end of March.

With Jordan's departure, his wife, Vice President for

University Affairs Carole Cohen, will also be leaving Stony Brook.

Although the School of Medicine will be losing its top man, Villano said that it could actually help the University. "In a way it's a big gain for Stony Brook," he said. "It raises Stony Brook's national reputation because now every medical school in the country will know Jordan Cohen came from Stony Brook." Villano added that Cohen's new position will be beneficial to the medical school. "It gives us a friend in Washington."

Vice President of Health Sciences J. Howard Oaks agreed that Cohen's new position would be positive for the University. "We are delighted at the prospect of Dr. Cohen assuming the AAMC presidency and confident that he will provide outstanding leadership," said Oaks. "We are also hopeful that someone from Stony Brook was chosen for this important position."

Crooks Find Stony Brook a Real Steal

A decorative mirror was damaged in a third floor Irving College room on Tuesday. Estimated damage to the mirror is \$10.

A 1993 Toyota Camry was vandalized in the Heavy Engineering parking lot on Monday night. 16 to 18 inch gouges were made on the front hood of the car. Estimated damage is \$500.

This report was compiled from the daily bulletin of Stony Brook's Department of Public Safety. Anyone with information regarding campus crimes should call Public Safety headquarters at 632-6350 or 632-3333.

A small fire on the bulletin board on the second floor of Greeley College was extinguished by residents Monday night. Estimated damage to the bulletin board is valued at \$75.

A Beeper was stolen from the Hendrix College Center Lounge on Sunday. Estimated value of the beeper is \$75.

A wallet containing \$28 in cash, a social security card, and an identification card was stolen from the University Hospital on Sunday.

The rear driver side window of a 1990 Mitsubishi Mirage was smashed in the Irving College parking lot on Saturday night. The ignition lock in the car was damaged. Damage to the car is estimated at \$400.

A green book bag was stolen from the bus stop in front of the Student Union on November 5. The book bag contained

a ring, an identification card, a social security card, a checkbook, two ATM cards, and \$27 in cash. The ring was valued at \$800.

A red Panasonic vacuum cleaner was stolen from a Baruch College storage room on November 3. Estimated cost of the vacuum is \$100.

A Sega six button video game controller and two Sega video games were stolen from a third floor Hand College room on November 3. Estimated cost of the controller is \$20 and the estimated cost of the games is

\$125.

The front grill and black windshield wipers were stolen from a 1988 Cherokee in the Kelly paved parking lot on November 2. Estimated cost of replacing the grill and wipers is \$500.

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By Richard D. Cole

Statesman Staff Writer

For the third time in two weeks a top University official is resigning.

Vice Provost for Computers and Communications Roger Pijacki resigned effective November 3rd in order to pursue his interest in the private sector, said university officials.

Pijacki, who had been Vice Provost for six years could not be reached for comment on his resignation. According to Deputy Provost Bryce Hool, Pijacki "has been contemplating this move for some time and decided that this was the appropriate time to make a move to pursue his interests in the private sector."

Associate Provost Ben Walcott said that Pijacki has made a number of significant contributions to the university. "I think that Roger has done a lot of good things for us during a hard time over the past five years." According to Walcott, the main accomplishment of Pijacki was the installation of the fiber-optic network on campus. "I'm very grateful we have a good fiber optic backbone that links the campus and offers a high speed link to the outside world," he said.

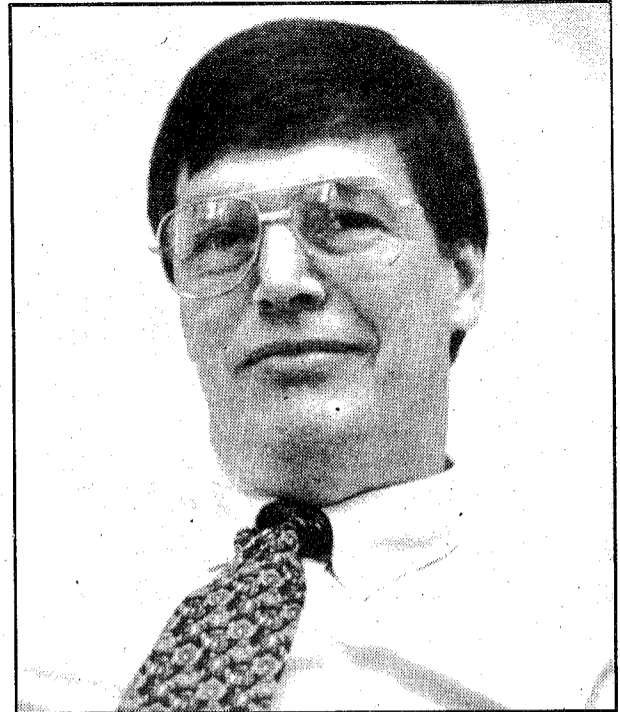
Hool appointed Richard Reeder, Manager of the Social Behavioral Science Lab, as the Temporary Manager of Computers and Communications. Reeder said that there is an information task force which is looking at the

computing structure on campus. According to Reeder, the results of this task force will change the position of Vice Provost for Computing and Communications.

Reeder criticized Stony Brook's computer facilities. "In general the academic facilities are better than the administrative environment," he said. Reeder said this difference was "due to departmental initiatives. Individual departments spent their own money [on computing equipment and facilities]." Reeder added that administration has faced an ongoing problem with its computers. "Administrative computing has been a continual problem," he said. "In fact one of the computers in the VAX cluster just broke down this week, causing the system to run even slower than usual."

Reeder said Pijacki's resignation was due in part to his frustration with the system. "Roger felt frustrated due to the lack of resources," he said. "He felt he couldn't contribute any more to the University without further resources."

Reeder said that he did not know how long he would hold this current post, but that there was a search going on at the present time to find someone to be Acting Vice Provost for Computers and Communications. This person would then be replaced or would fill the permanent position. Reeder made it very clear that he would remain involved in the efforts to continue Stony Brook's modernization of its computing facilities.



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Richard Reeder, interim manager of computers and communications

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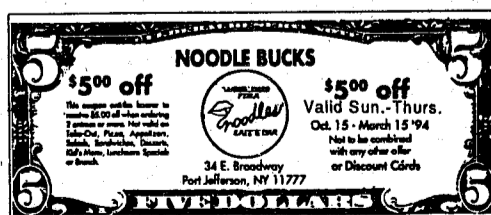
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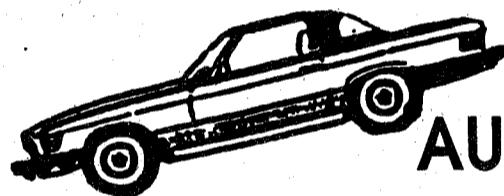
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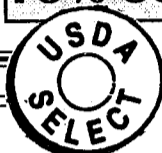
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Naiburg Speaks to Pre-Law Students ⁵

By Ary Rosenbaum
Statesman Managing Editor

An introduction to Criminal Law was the topic of a lecture given by Eric Naiburg, a criminal defense attorney from Hauppauge when he spoke at a Phi Alpha Delta Law Fraternity meeting in the Student Union on Tuesday night.

Naiburg, better known as Amy Fisher's defense attorney, started the lecture by saying that most people come up to him and ask, "How can you represent that guy?" "As a criminal defense attorney, it's something you are going to have to wrestle with," said Naiburg. Naiburg then presented specific cases in which he has represented clients who are victims of entrapment and illegal search and seizure which led to their prosecution. "These are examples of guilty persons that a lawyer may represent," he said.

As a criminal defense attorney, Naiburg had great praise for the American Legal System. "We have to judge fellow men by our laws, not God's laws. Those rules dictate how we prosecute," he said. Naiburg believes that one of the first goals for a defense attorney is to find out if their client is guilty or innocent. "First thing you want to know as a criminal

attorney is what was your client's involvement in the crime. Any defense attorney wants to know the truth," he said. Naiburg also discussed how representing some defendants may violate the defense attorney's principles. "You are taking your own principle and sacrifice it to an extent for the sake of the law," he said.

Naiburg was asked by a student if the goal of a defense attorney is to win at all costs. Naiburg responded by saying that if an attorney is to win, they must win within the confines of the law. Naiburg also stated that 90 percent of all criminal cases are plea-bargained down. "Mandatory sentencing is a bit of a myth," he said.

Naiburg said he enjoys being a defense attorney and that court trials are very similar to those portrayed on television. "Every morning, I get up and say 'I can't believe they pay me for this,'" he said.

During the entire 40 minute lecture, there was no mention of the Amy Fisher-Joey Buttafucco case. "I guess nobody brought it up and I'm glad they didn't. He was here to speak about criminal law," said Tab Turano, president of Phi Alpha Delta.



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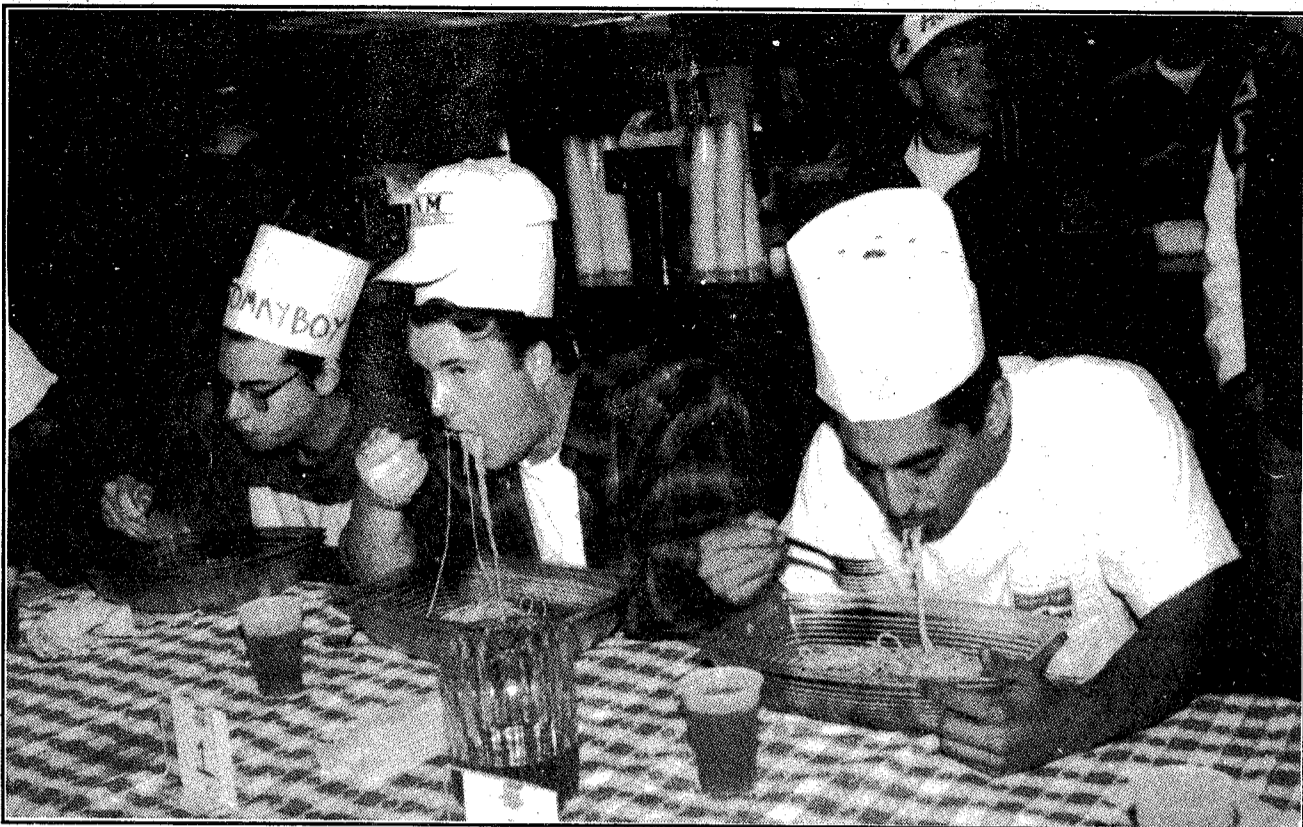
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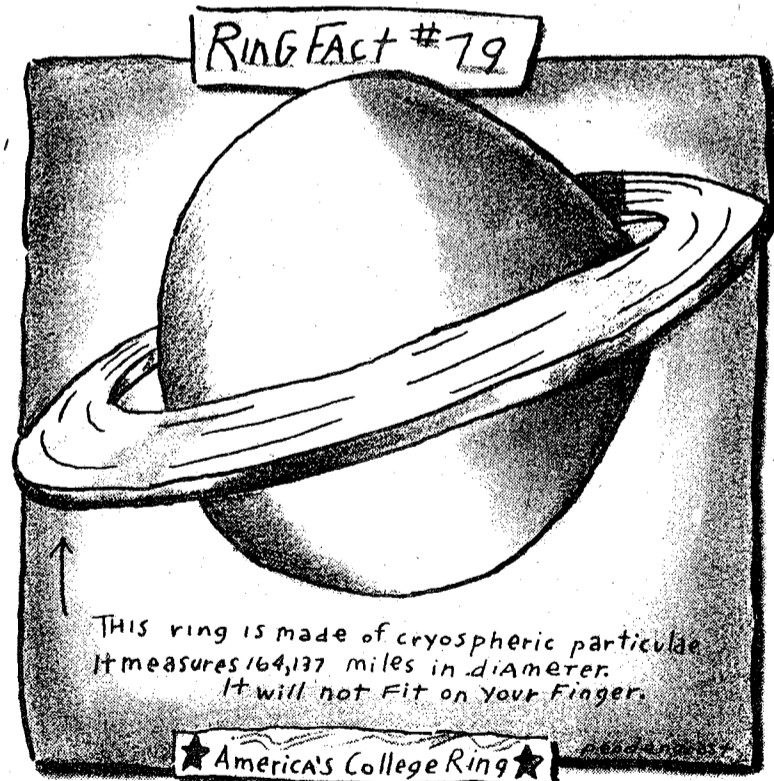
A Spaghetti eating contest sponsored by ARA was held at the End of the Bridge Restaurant last night as part of the Health and Safety week activities. Senior Xerxes Oshidar was the big winner, taking home \$50 in cash. He was followed by Ken Flickstein, Tom Retmanski, and in fourth place, the only female contestant, Opal Thomas. Congratulations to all the winners!

Vandals Arrested

Thanks to community involvement, University Police were able to apprehend three individuals who were allegedly vandalizing lockers in the male locker room in the Indoor Sports Complex on Tuesday night. Jim Cronin, director of special events for the Indoor Sports Complex, made a report to University Police that he had witnessed three individuals vandalizing lockers.

University Police responded and apprehended the individuals in question within the vicinity of the Sports Complex. Thadeus Simpson, 23, of Huntington was arrested and charged with 3rd degree Criminal Trespass and 4th degree Criminal Mischief. Calvin M. White, 18, also of Huntington, was arrested and charged with Criminal Trespass and Criminal Possession of Stolen Property. The third individual, Rony P. Compere, 21, of Greenlawn, was arrested and charged with Criminal Trespass and Resisting Arrest. All three individuals were given field appearance tickets and released.

The arresting officers were Susan Fantell, Petra Ottenbriet, George Rieu-Sicart, Rafael Cepeda, and other officers assisted. University Police Spokesperson Lt. Doug Little said, "We appreciate the fact that members of the community contacted us. This definitely helped lead to this arrest." —Richard D. Cole



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Hope To See You At The FAIR!!!

Crossing The Line Of Good Taste

GOOD TASTE IS HARD TO come by, since no one can really define it. Did you ever wonder why one form of entertainment is in good taste, while the other form is vulgar? What is good taste and who defines it? Why is Howard Stern in bad taste, while Oprah and the like are acceptable forms of entertainment? The whole moral of this vignette is that taste is selective, so there are a couple of people who think Roseanne is funny.



DRAW THE LINE
ARY ROSENBAUM

I have to admit it, my column at various times crosses the line of good taste, as we all do. You may write off my column as worthless preaching or you may deify me, it's your choice, it depends on your taste. My column is to enlighten myself, as well as you, the readers. Some people are glorified in this column, some are vilified, it's all just part of the game. The greatest compliment I have ever got for this column was when the project coordinator of NYPIRG said I am fair. Is she right or wrong? Like almost everything in this great country, it's your choice.

A Little Bias in the Media

Emily Rooney, an executive in charge of ABC's World News Tonight admitted that the myth of a liberal-dominated media is actually true. Rooney's admission is nothing really new, except that it totally verifies what I've been saying for the past couple of years. On the whole, the media is biased in favor of the liberal persuasion.

The media is supposed to be fair, it should be at an equilibrium, basically it should be balanced and have no bias.

Being a former political operative and a current writer for *Statesman*, I realize that it is quite easy to be biased in reporting if one chooses to do so. Most people that accuse reporters are full of hot air. On this campus, many of those complaining were Polity officials

who felt that they were portrayed in a negative light, despite the fact that they did something wrong and it was reported that way. If you can't face the consequences, don't do the crime.

Media outside of campus is biased when it comes to electoral politics. The media, at times, tends to slant the news in favor of the candidate that they support. It's well known that many of the editors at *Newsday* despise Al D'Amato. During the 1992 Senatorial elections there were some new

allegations concerning D'Amato's ethics. All the other dailies buried the story near the back of the news section, *Newsday* put the allegations about D'Amato on the front page. The 1992 elections were perfect examples of media bias. Most experts agreed that the media was biased in favor of Clinton. The media was so biased that the Bush campaign printed up bumper stickers that read, "Annoy the Media, Re-Elect Bush."

The New York Post devoted a number of editorials and columns to the spread of political correctness of the newsroom. Also, a number of polls has shown that a disproportionately high amount of newspaper reporters identify themselves as liberal. You should expect that media is fair and we should demand media without a partisan bias.

What's Up, Suicide Doc?

There are thousands of criminals on the streets committing all sorts of crime. At the same time, the state of Michigan has decided that Dr. Jack Kevorkian is a menace to society and should be put behind bars. Kevorkian's mere crime is assisting the suicides of the terminally ill. Kevorkian simply assisted the suicides of people who want to die and end their suffering.

As a society, we frown upon

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AIDS Drama Opens Minds at Stony Brook ⁹

By Richard D.Cole

Statesman Staff Writer

The first thing one noticed walking into the theatre were the signs hanging on the wall: "5,000 Infected with HIV Each Day, Possible Increase 4x by End of the Decade... A Condom is Not a Cure... Two Million Americans are Infected..." In addition to these signs were lists of people who have died due to the AIDS virus. These signs sum up the point of the production "Facts + Figures: An AIDS Drama" written and produced by Steven S. Mazzola.

The play, which was put on by *Autonomy Productions, Inc.* and was sponsored by Stony Brook's Lesbian Gay Bisexual Alliance, dealt with the many misconceptions about who can get AIDS and how one can get it. It gives realistic depictions of the grief and sorrow brought on by this devastating epidemic.

At the start of the play people were not sure what to expect; what exactly this "AIDS Drama" was going to portray. As the performance continued more and more sobs could be heard throughout the room. One member of the audience said, "[The drama] was very scary because it made you think of reality... It makes you think about your own life." Another member of the audience said with tears running down her cheeks, "It told the story of so many people who couldn't speak for themselves."

Mazzola, a recent graduate of Vassar College and sociology major said, "The point of the play is to make people hear voices that were lost... It's all about voices, that's why the characters had no names."

Dean Markadakis, co-chair of LGBA, said, "I feel the play has sparked dialog on campus. Students have started talking about AIDS as an epidemic that affects

people, not just an ongoing accumulation of numbers and statistics. The play has given AIDS a human face." Markadakis expressed concern that there is no AIDS

testing available to students here on campus. Maryann Walsh, a member of the nursing staff at Student Health Services, confirmed that no testing was

available to students but said that, "most of the nursing staff is qualified in pre and post testing, and we refer people to 385-AIDS for information."

AIDS: What Everyone Should Know

The following is taken from a pamphlet distributed by the Long Island Association for AIDS Care, Inc.

WHAT IS AIDS?

AIDS: is the name for a viral condition in which your body slowly loses its ability to fight off disease.

Acquired: Means you have to get the virus which causes AIDS. You don't have it naturally.

Immuno: Means that the virus affects your immune system. Your immune system is the system in your body that fights off disease causing germs.

Deficiency: Your immune system breaks down and does not respond normally to infection.

Syndrome: Means that when you have AIDS you get a series of diseases, not just one.

Corrections of some common myths about the contraction of AIDS:

- What won't give you HIV
- Donating blood

- A cough or a sneeze
- Kissing someone
- Shaking hands or hugging someone with HIV

- Sharing glasses, dishes, utensils or from eating in restaurants

- Sharing soap or towels
- Touching toilets or doorknobs
- Bug bites, mosquitoes, ticks, bees
- Swimming pools

Keep hugging and touching people with HIV. Don't add isolation to the pain of disease.

10 FACTS

YOU SHOULD KNOW ABOUT AIDS

1. AIDS, Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome, is a fatal disorder for which there is presently no cure.

2. AIDS is caused by a virus carried in the blood, semen, vaginal fluid and other body secretions of an infected person.

3. AIDS is *not* spread by casual contact, such as sharing meals, restrooms or drinking fountains, shaking hands or hugging; it is *not* spread by donating blood, or being in school or at work with someone who has AIDS.

4. AIDS is spread by having sex with an

infected person, or by shooting drugs with a needle, syringe or "works" that has been used by an infected person.

5. A woman with the AIDS virus can give it to her unborn baby if she becomes pregnant.

6. A person infected with the AIDS virus even 10 years ago can look and feel healthy, but still be able to spread the virus by sexual contact and needle-sharing. Estimates of infected New Yorkers range from 300,000 to 500,000.

7. Having sex with multiple partners increases the risk of AIDS and other sexually transmitted diseases.

8. Using a condom during sex can reduce the risk of AIDS since it minimizes direct exposure to body secretions.

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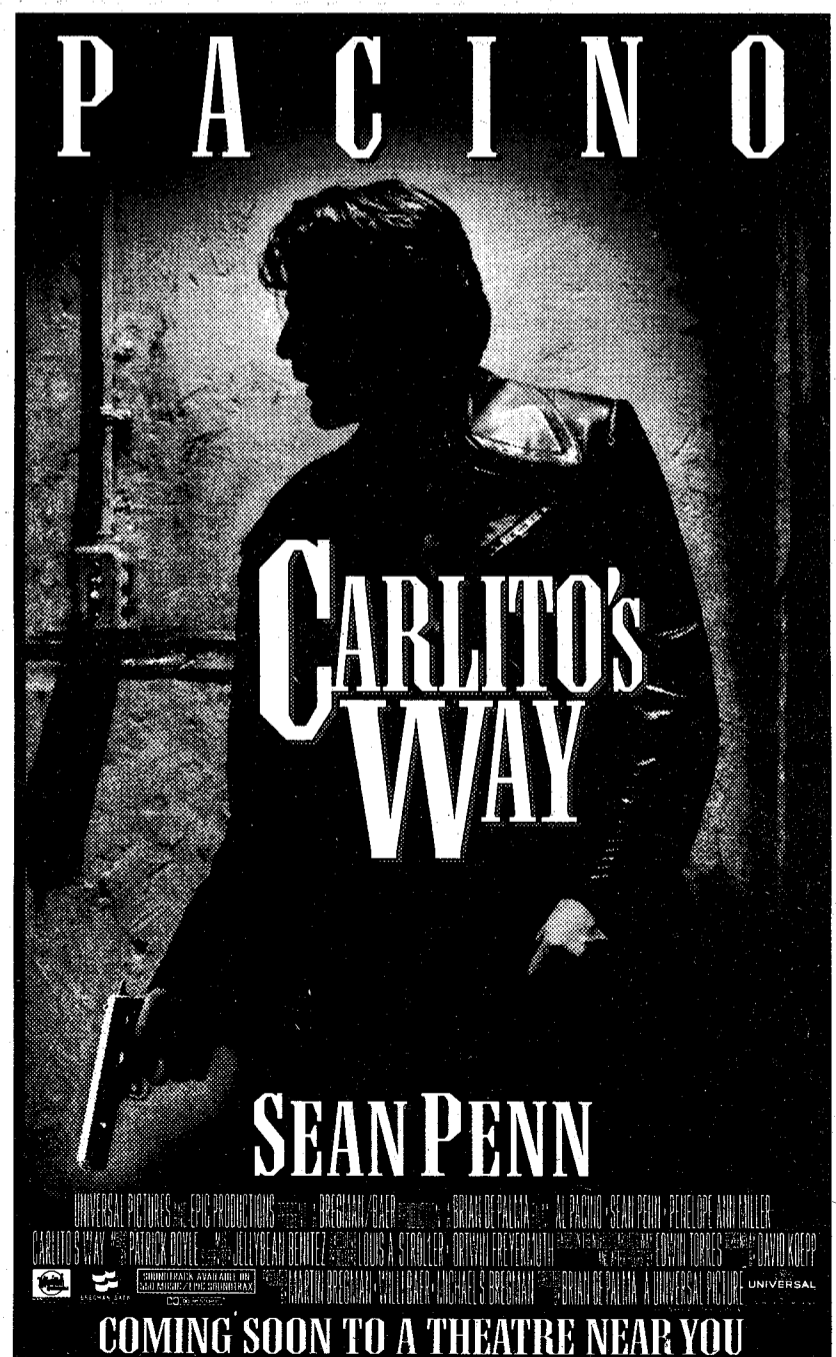
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Editorial

Can You Spare a Parking Space?

This issue has been harped on a thousand times before in these editorial pages, but it would seem that no one is listening. As great as the demand is for additional parking spaces, there seems to be a great reluctance on the part of the administration to provide some.

Normally the parking situation is bad enough with the limited parking spaces already available, but now the emergency dirt lot is also closed off. Granted, the area is closed off to make more parking spaces, but in the meantime, parking is even more limited than before. The signs at the lot say construction was to begin on November 8th, but all that seems to be getting done are huge dirt mounds to prevent people from parking there.

While the administration finds no qualms about curtailing parking spaces, they should be able to find at least some alternative. They wouldn't even

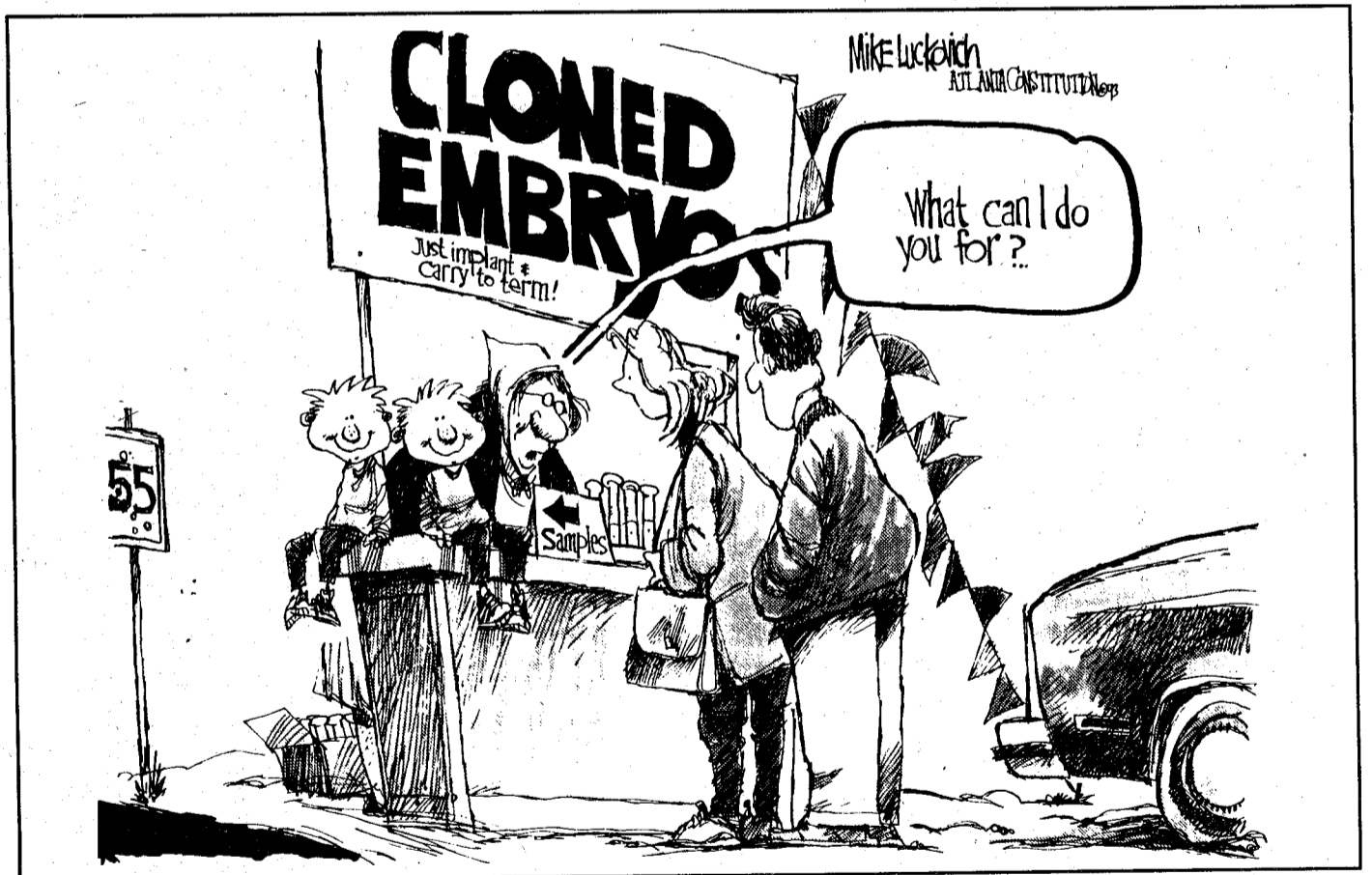
give second thoughts to an amnesty program for the metered lots for the duration of the construction. Nor did anyone apparently think of postponing the construction until the winter recess when the demand for parking is at an all time low. Perhaps it would have been a better idea to close off only half the lot at a time.

But even with the additional spaces provided in the new and improved dirt lot, the parking situation before this construction was nothing to brag about. By paving over one section where there was parking before, there is no increase in the number of parking spaces.

As stated before, the parking crisis is nothing new. Then why keep running this editorial, you might ask. The reason is that no matter how many editorials have been run, columnists who have complained or stories written, the administration is unresponsive to the needs of

students in this critical area of student life. The only way that they are going to respond is if they think that there are more people concerned with the issue than the Statesman editorial board. How can we let them know, you ask? Very easy. Either you can let your voice be heard publicly throughout Stony Brook by writing a letter to the editor here at Statesman. Address your letters to Statesman, 075 Stony Brook Union, SUNY Stony Brook, Stony Brook, NY 11794-3200. Or you can go right to the source and write to the President of the University at President's Office, 310 Administration, SUNY Stony Brook, Stony Brook, NY 11794-3200. The phone number at the President's office is 632-6265.

This editorial page is our way of letting the student body know how we feel about an issue. All students should use every available means to let the administration and other students know how they feel.



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Letters

NYPIRG's 20th Anniversary Worth Celebrating To The Editor:

Last weekend, I attended the celebration of NYPIRG 20th year anniversary at Binghamton University. At the convention 290 students from schools all over New York participated to show their support for NYPIRG.

During the course of the weekend, students and faculty took part in different workshops discussing the many issues involved with NYPIRG, such as toxic waste, the environment, budget cuts for Higher Education, lead poisoning, and small claims court. The weekend was both educational and a lot of fun. I met many people and created friendships that will last a lifetime.

Being a freshman it was nice to see all ethnic groups come together to fight for a good cause. I felt good to know that there are people who still care. Looking at all past accomplishments of NYPIRG made me feel that we, the students, can make a difference if we all band together to fight injustices brought upon us and society. At the workshops, I learned about the problems facing the country and ways in which I can make a difference. Going to this conference made a change in me that is very rewarding. I

only wish that more students from Stony Brook would come to the NYPIRG fall conference and experience the same feelings I felt. We had twelve people from Stony Brook to represent our school and I hope in the coming conferences we will have more participation.

At the end of the weekend, all students and faculty from the schools present joined together for the closing session. For once I felt as if I was part of a united group. We were all members of NYPIRG and being from different schools just didn't matter.

At the closing session, all schools posted their banners representing the progress of NYPIRG over twenty years. It was great to see how much effort was put into making the banners.

I was really impressed with the way students, us, came together as one united group. I would like to encourage more students to come down to the NYPIRG office and participate in our issues.

Nikki Lopez

God Save the Turkeys

To The Editor:

The upcoming Thanksgiving Day had its beginning with turkey farmers who simply wanted to sell more turkeys, not unlike Christmas that was begun by merchants, and preachers who lobbied Congress to put "In God We Trust" on our money. That's what happens in a society without any integrity.

But wait! There is integrity in God's Plan of Destruction for the world (Isaiah 3:6,22) because it has shown that it's not possible for the human race to survive without His absolute laws, to wit, either one deserves to live or not. That's my latter day mission, to set forth the absolute laws of heaven.

So, as we wait for the release of the turkeys from their cells to be taken to the slaughter, sinners may visualize their own freedom coming later when their spirits leave their corpses to be recycled into a lower life form by God, "For all have sinned, and come short of the glory of God." Rom/Rev 3:6,22

The Christian churches have always carried Isaiah 1:18 as their Cross, "Though your sins be as scarlet, they shall be as white as snow." But those sins are mine in using every possible ploy to establish the (John 16:11/Jude 16,11) 1611 King James Bible as Man-Kinds salvation. Revelation 1:1,8,18.

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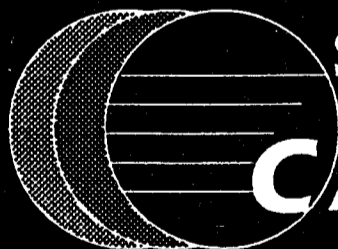
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Crossing The Line Of Good Taste

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suicide. Ending one's life is not considered admirable because many of us feel it's an easy way out. For a 17 year old who is suddenly depressed, most people agree that suicide is the easy way out. For a 70 year old with terminal cancer, is it better they die quickly or let the cancer slowly kill off their body and then their mind. But the question remains, who are we to judge? Suicide is considered a crime, a victimless crime because the only victim is the one attempting it. While some of us may condemn Dr. Kevorkian, he certainly is not a criminal.

Easy Enough To Swallow

There are some times I take controversial stands that most students disagree with, but there is a time I have to when I'm right. In my "worthless" opinion, I believe that ARA is a very good food service. Their food may not always be appetizing, but institutional food can't be as good as your mom's home cooking. It's an old tradition for students to complain about cafeteria food.

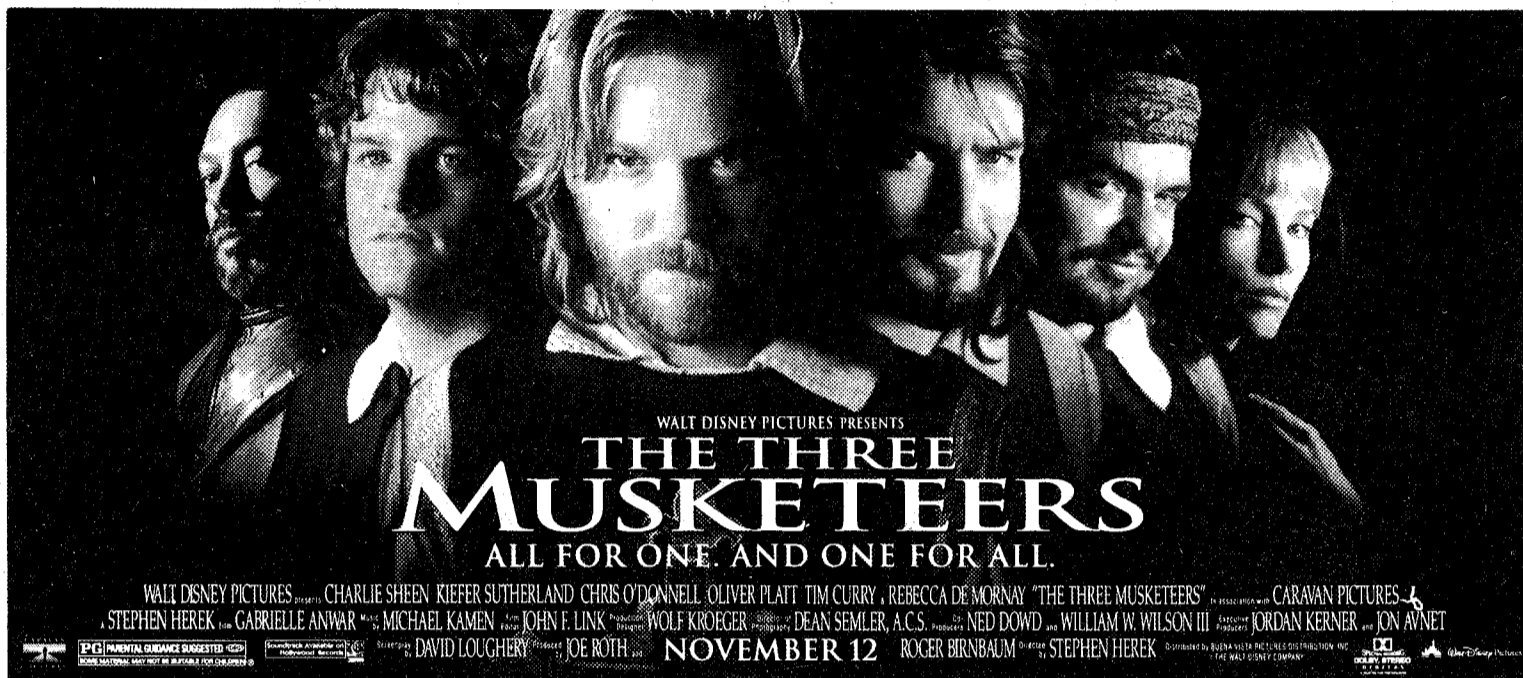
I think ARA is great simply because they listen to student comments and advice. When students have complaints or comments, ARA listens. When a number of cultural groups wanted their cultural food served, ARA gladly agreed to serve it. When traditional meal plan

students wanted to use meal equivalency at the campus Burger King, ARA agreed. ARA also shows initiative, they added a Burger King to the campus and proposed to add Taco Bell in the former location of the Union's Rainy Night House.

At times, ARA complains that the student media always writes negatively of the food service. But, ARA should know that they have at least one person in the student media who thinks they do a good job.

Quote of The Week

"We all make mistakes in life, but it takes a great man or woman to admit it".



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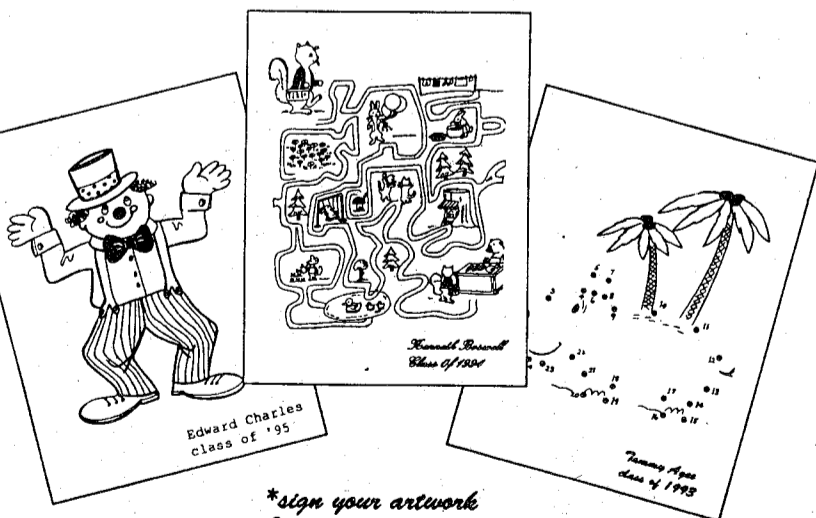
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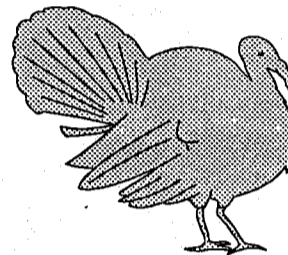
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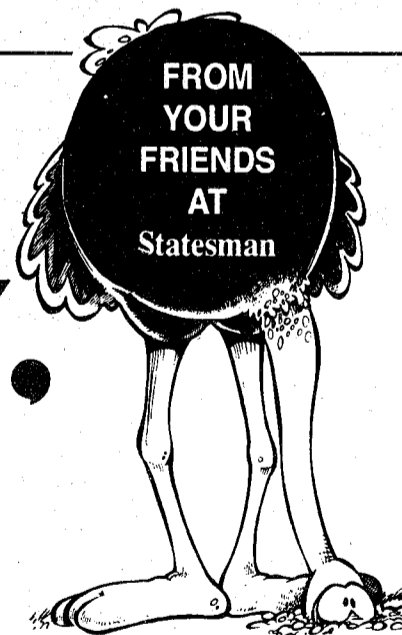
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ATHLETE OF THE WEEK

Pessoni Leads USB In State Championships

By Mark Peterson
Special to Statesman

Senior Jill Pessoni helped the Lady Patriot volleyball team capture the consolation bracket at the New York Women's Collegiate Athletic this past weekend. Following two losses, Pessoni's 16 kills sparked Stony Brook to a 2-0 win over Binghamton on Friday night and propelled the team to wins Buffalo State, Elmira and St. John Fisher on Saturday. During the tournament, Pessoni recorded 53 kills and 50 digs over the six games. For her effort, Pessoni was named the VIP Club Athlete of the Week.

"Jill really turned it on this weekend," said Stony Brook head coach Teri Tiso. "She is definitely the heart and soul of our team in terms of intensity and defense. She played at last year's level and brought the team up with her."

Last year is what Pessoni would like to duplicate, when the Lady Patriots advanced to the Final Four of the N C A A

Championships. But, this year they is a much different team. "With only two starters back from last season, we've done extremely well," said Pessoni. "We get along great off the court, but when we get on the court, we show some of our inexperience. We have been up and down this season, but we've really played well since those losses [at the state tournament]."

"There has been a lot of pressure on Jill and Denise [Rehor], the two returning starters," said Tiso. "They have accepted

their role and done well. Jill had been a little inconsistent at times, but she has really come together."

Opposing coaches have also noticed. Pessoni, who has averaged 3.02 kills and 3.81 digs per game, was named the NCAA Division III All-Region Team which will be announced on Thursday. She also will get another chance to compete in the NCAA tournament. Stony Brook hosted



Cortland in the first round of the NCAA's last night. The Lady Patriots split their two matches with Cortland this season, winning the first 2-0 while losing the second 3-2.

"Last time we took them five games without Denise [Rehor]," said Pessoni. "As a team, we got over the newness of playing in the state tournament, and we've come together. I think we should do well. But being here [the NCAA's], is the icing on the cake."

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Patriots Set Out to Scalp Chiefs

By Thomas Masse

Statesman Assistant Sports Editor

There is only one question that really needs to be answered this weekend when the Brook travels north to UMass-Lowell: will the **Stony Brook Patriots** roll over and die or will they rise above the disappointment of last week's loss and play like a team that has already won six games this season?

PREVIEW

"Good football teams rebound after losses," said Patriot head coach Sam Kornhauser. "This will be a good indication if we are a good football team." Last week, the Brook (6-1-1) suffered its first football loss of the year to Plymouth State, 26-9. "Everyone is disappointed because we didn't play well," said Kornhauser. Defensive Coordinator Dave Caldiero agreed. "Last week, we had a long bus trip, bad weather, and our first road overnightr...but that's not an excuse," he said.

Both coaches think last week's road experience will benefit the team this week. "We're a lot more familiar with the [overnight] situation than we were last week," said Caldiero. Kornhauser added, "We'll be more adapted to the situation...last week's trip will make this week's trip easier to cope with."

The coaching staff has been down playing the significance of last week's loss, which for all intent and purpose has knocked the Brook out of playoff and Freedom Football Conference

championship contention. "All year long we've said 'this game is the important one'," said Caldiero. "We want to go 1-0 on Saturday."

Coach Kornhauser also pointed out that this game is also important to UMass-Lowell (4-5). "Lowell is looking at this as a revenge game. It's their last game of the season, and it's a game for them to get to .500," he said.

For those who remember last year's match-up (the first between these two teams), Stony Brook came back to win the game in the last few seconds. The Chiefs were not all that happy. "UMass-Lowell is going to be hell-bent on winning this game," said Caldiero.

Another factor this week is the condition of starting quarterback junior Timm Schroeder, who injured his ankle in last Saturday's game. He was on crutches earlier this week, but is now walking around under his own power. "We have all the confidence in the world in Kevin Walsh and Jason Woolsey," said Kornhauser of his two back-up QBs. "We need to have someone that is ready and capable to step in, and we're confident that Walsh can do that." Schroeder has not been ruled out for this weekend, but is listed as questionable. If he is healthy, he will play.

As for the game plan, neither coach, understandably, is willing to reveal any specifics. But they have been watching tapes of the Chiefs performances this season and have seen some changes. "They have really improved as the year went on," said Kornhauser. "Their defense is one we haven't seen yet this year. We will have to adjust accordingly." Coach Kornhauser

also said that his team will have to play "with more emotion and enthusiasm" compared to last week.

Defensively, "we have to be more physical than our opponent," said coach Caldiero. "Not just in this game, but in every game." He went on to say that he thinks Stony Brook definitely has the better team. "If we invited Lowell to come down and lock both teams in a room, I think our players have no doubt who will come out." By this, Caldiero is not intending to provoke "extra-curricular" violence on the field. "If that's the way it was, we wouldn't have to play the game. That's what makes football, football," he said.

Coach Kornhauser pointed out that this year's team has accomplished a lot this season. "We've won games almost every way possible. We've been able to pull

victory from the jaws of defeat. And we've blown teams away," he said. Kornhauser said that every facet of the team has improved over the course of the season. "When all our weapons are clicking, we're very difficult to beat."

The Brook's record stands at 6-1-1. The players need to realize that a team does not accumulate that kind of record through luck alone. Stony Brook has a good football team. This week they have to forget about Plymouth State and remember how they got to where they are now. They have beaten two nationally ranked Division III teams.

Is Stony Brook going to win? "Yes, we are going to win," said Kornhauser.

Don't look for the Patriots to roll over and die.

The team travels to Cawley Stadium in Lowell for Saturday's game at 1:00 p.m.

SPORTS TRIVIA OF THE WEEK

Last week's trivia contest was not won by anyone.

Two answers to last week's question would have been accepted. The question was "Who played in Stony Brook first 'Homecoming' game and who won?"

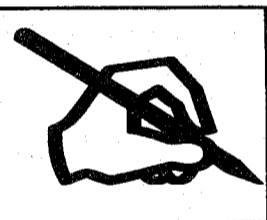
Before "Homecoming" was a term used at Stony Brook, autumn's festivities were known as "Phall In" then as "Fall Fest." "Homecoming" became the official title of autumn's activities in 1981 when Stony Brook beat Rutgers at Newark 18-6. Stony Brook's first Homecoming as a member of the NCAA

was 1984 when the Brook downed Fordham in a defensive battle 3-0.

THIS WEEK'S QUESTION

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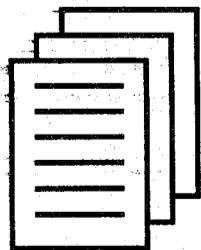
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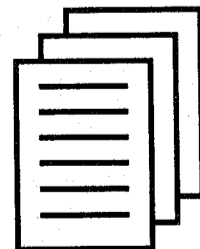
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Lady Patriots Drowns Queens

By Chris Meek
Assistant Sports Editor

In its first meet of the season the Stony Brook women's swim team defeated Queens College. The win was the first in three years, 167-129.

There were many stars in the meet but the three

WOMEN'S SWIMMING

standouts were Kristin Bernard, Mary Angelina and Corrine Jones.

Bernard came in first place in four events, the 50 yard freestyle, 100 yard freestyle, 200 yard free style, and contributed to the 200 yard medley relay. She contributed 30 points to the overall score of the team. Angelina won both diving events of the evening, the one meter required dive and the one meter optional dive. She accounted for 18 points.

Corrine Jones won three events, the 100 yard butterfly, the 200 yard individual medley and contributed to the 200 yard medley relay for a total of 21 points.

Points in swimming events are awarded for coming in first or second. First place accounts for nine points in individual events eleven points relay. In the diving competitions, there are certain dives that are required by the rules. In the optional dives competition, the dives have a higher degree of difficulty and are more creative.

The Lady swimmers are in action this Saturday at the Women's Metropolitan Relay Carnival at Iona College.

THE PRO ZONE

See-Sawing Continues For NY Football

As the leaves gradually fall off of the trees, the Jets are making some noise in the AFC. The Giants seem to be making noise of its own, but in a different respect. As the Jets are on its second two game winning streak, the Giants are on a two game skid.

The Jets seemed to have used the Giant win to inspire its play while the Giants have done just the opposite. Sunday, the Giants had its most lackadaisical performance of the year. Chris Calloway's reception down the left sideline typified the Giants afternoon. If he would have just run straight, he had an apparent touchdown. Instead, he ran straight into a Cowboy defensive back. And as in the Jet disaster, costly penalties at the goal line nullified another Jet touchdown. The scoring drought continued as they went without a TD for the second straight game. Three David Treadwell field goals were all the points they could muster. Even worse, the once vaunted rushing game has been stagnant in the last two games.

The bad news continues for the Giants on the defensive side of the pigskin, where the Cowboys downright embarrassed them. Emmitt Smith ran over and through the defense as if it wasn't even there. Alvin Harper tore up an injury-plagued secondary that was a man short

from the beginning. Phillip Sparks, one of the Giants' starting corner backs, missed Sunday's game and Mark Collins left the game with a back injury. Ironically, he was trying to tackle Smith on the play. While Collins' injury isn't as serious as first thought, he might miss a game costing the Giants, who were already thin in that area. This might be an even bigger factor when they crash helmets with division rival Washington. The Redskins have lightening fast receivers, including the emerging Desmond Howard.

As the injured list grows, so do concerns about how the Giants will fill these voids. Lawrence Taylor nurses his hamstring and Collins and Sparks will probably watch the game from the sideline along with Mike Sherrard, who is out for the season. Jessie Armstead, a former University of Miami standout, has excepted the role of someday replacing L.T. But where will the Giants find corner backs to keep up with the rest of the league? The Giants need to find a receiver quickly.

Turning to recent Giant acquisitions, is this team transforming into the New York Broncos? It seems like the entire special teams is complete. First, the release of Matt Bahr and then the additions of Treadwell and kick off specialist Brad Dalusio. Both are former Broncos. And in a shocking move by the franchise, who used to have one of the best special teams in the league, the Giants released All-Pro punter Sean Landeta. Why? The exit of Reyna Thompson, Landeta, and others has dropped the Giants from the elite of special teams. Coach Dan Reeves has completely metamorphosed the special

teams to the Broncos after they signed Mike Horan as the new punter. Special teams are 1/3 of a football game, and the Giants are no longer part of the elite.

Speaking of Landeta, maybe the Jets should invest in his All-Pro leg. Louie Aguiar is, by far, the worst kicker in the league. Why don't the Jets upgrade this part of their game as they have done in so many aspects. The Jets enter the second half as a .500 team. They enter what many see as its easy stretch of games. But don't forget that the Jets have lost seven out of the last nine games against the Colts. They also face the Patriots, who many think the Jets will walk all over. Earlier this season, the Jets handed Bill Parcell his worst loss ever as a head coach. Teams remember these things and playing in New England always haunts the Jets. The Bengals, who always know the Jets' number, will also be faced. To close out the stretch is the Redskins, who have also been hit hard by injuries but those players will be back in time to play the Jets. After these games the Oilers, the Cowboys, and the Bills wait to play this so called playoff team.

Football Notes...

After just eight games this season, the Jets have scored as many touchdowns as they did all of last year—21. Bills coach Marv Levy said trading for Esiason was their best off season move.

The Giants also cut long snapper Steve DeOssie. Watch for the Broncos long snapper to be signed soon.

Other Vet cuts include Bernie Kosar, Steve Deberg, and William "Refrigerator" Perry.

Marist Overpowers The Patriot Icemen

By Lou Megna
Statesman Staff Writer

The Stony Brook hockey team, coming off a tough loss on opening night to the Hofstra Dutchmen, looked to rebound in its next game on the road Saturday night.

Unfortunately for the Pats the Mid-Hudson Civic Center, home of the Marist Red Foxes, proved to be a bad place to start a winning streak.

The raucous Marist fans, 14 power play opportunities against, and the slick skating Foxes out did the Pats, 9-4, dropping their record to 0-2.

Fortune has not been on the side of the Pats thus far, as the team has battled against tough competition and even tougher luck early this year. Its first two opponents, Hofstra and Marist, reached the Final Four of the MCHC last year and many of the Stony Brook players had to shake off early season jitters and rust against these elite teams.

Also, the Pats entered the game Saturday without its captain and most mobile defenseman, Mike Stillwagon, who will not play for at least a month, due to a knee injury. In spite of the adversity, the team's play early on proves they'll make

no excuses, as it has been competitive against superior programs twice through relentless effort and determination.

The Pats needed a great effort to get back into the Marist game after they had surrendered a natural hat trick to Marist's Pat Closinski, and trailed 3-0 by the 18:50 mark of the first. Sophomore Chris Garofalo scored with just 13 seconds left in the first and again just 6:26 into the second. Senior Brian Karp, the new captain of the team, scored to tie the game at 7:19, and cause the wild crowd to worry about an upset.

The Foxes would pump in four consecutive goals to up 7-3, aided greatly by favorable calls by the officials and a power play that finished the game with six goals on 14 opportunities. Karp would get the Pats within three with his second goal with 1:10 to go in the third, but Marist tacked on two third period goals to clinch the win.

Standing out for the Pats were goalie Chris Livingston, who has gone without a win despite two great performances, and Karp, who had two goals and two assists. Forwards Brian Johnson and Lou Megna each chipped in two assists, and defenseman Anthony Sciotino earned his first point as a Patriot with an assist on Garofalo's first goal.

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Sweet Sixteen!

Lady Patriots Beat Cortland to Advance to 2nd Round of NCAA Championship

By Thomas Masse

Statesman Assistant Sports Editor

Cortland's final serve went long by only a few inches during the rally point fifth game to give the Stony Brook volleyball team a victory in the first round of the NCAA Division III volleyball tournament. The Brook earned their victory against the Red Dragons in five games, 15-5, 10-15, 13-15, 15-7, 15-11.

"We worked so hard for this," said a very excited junior middle hitter Betty Develus. "I'm shaking all over." Many of the players hardly could contain their happiness as they rushed out onto the court to celebrate after the final serve dropped just over the endline. A home crowd of over three hundred was on its feet cheering on the Lady Pats during the last two points and erupted when the victory was sealed.

Stony Brook and Cortland split their season series at one match apiece. Head coach Teri Tiso said that the two teams always give each other a tough time. "They're a good, well-coached team. We can never take them lightly," he said.

The momentum of the match changed numerous times during the course of play, and for a while, chances of a victory looked slim. "My stomach was doing flip-flops after the third game," said Tiso. The

Brook had a pretty easy time winning the first game, holding off two brief spurts by the Red Dragons, 15-5.

Cortland came back at the start of game two, jumping to a 4-0 lead before the Lady Patriots reeled off eight straight on the serving of sophomore outside hitter Maura Gormley, who had a serve ace during the run. But the momentum switched again and a few close calls led to Cortland battling back to take the second game 10-15.

Yet, once again, Stony Brook took control and burst out to a 13-2 lead before everything fell apart. The Lady Pats dropped thirteen straight points to lose the third game 13-15. At this point, momentum was clearly on the side of Cortland, but destiny belonged to Stony Brook.

Lead by the serving of Gormley, and ignited by a selfless diving dig by senior outside hitter Jill Pessoni, the team scorched Cortland for eight points to open game four. And though Cortland picked a few points along the way, the Brook kept enough composure to hold on, 15-7, to even the match at two.

The final game is scored using the rally point system. In this system, a point is awarded on every serve, no matter which team serves. "It's a great system for the fans - it makes it exciting, but it's terrible for the teams," said an unidentified volleyball fan.

"The teams fight for four games and rally point is a tough way to lose." The action is fast and momentum is difficult to establish. In fact, the fifth game lasted about fifteen minutes of the two-hour match.

The final game was tied four times before Stony Brook took a decisive advantage, even though Cortland picked up a couple points at the end. Joan Sitterly, head coach of Cortland, said "You can't keep digging holes for yourselves against a team like Stony

freshman Irma "Sparky" Munoz, who seems to be breaking her own personal slump. "I'm very happy with the play of our freshmen," said Tiso.

Previous to the NCAA Tournament, the Lady Patriots had been mired in a two-week slump. During Homecoming weekend, the Lady Pats travelled to the Elizabethtown Halloween Classic. Though they came away with a winning 3-2 record for the tournament, Tiso was not pleased. "We definitely did not play up to our capabilities. I'm very disappointed."

To start the tournament, the Brook destroyed host Elizabethtown (1-20), 15-2, 15-2. This brief victory was followed by a heart-breaking loss to 24-10 West Maryland 12-15, 16-18. "We showed a lot of character coming from behind in that one, but we played poorly overall," said Tiso. "We made way to many errors, and there's no excuse for it."

Stony Brook regained their poise to gain two consecutive victories against Mary Washington (21-19), 9-15, 15-9, 15-2 and Allegheny (21-18), 19-17, 15-7. Unfortunately, the Lady Pats fell apart again in a tough loss to Gettysburg (38-10), 15-12, 13-15, 13-15. "If we put the ball on the ground we win," said Tiso. "When you have eleven serve errors, you don't deserve a win." According to Tiso, Gettysburg was one of the season's low points. "We didn't do anything right. It was very frustrating."

There were, however, a few bright spots that weekend, including Pessoni who was named to the All-Tournament team.

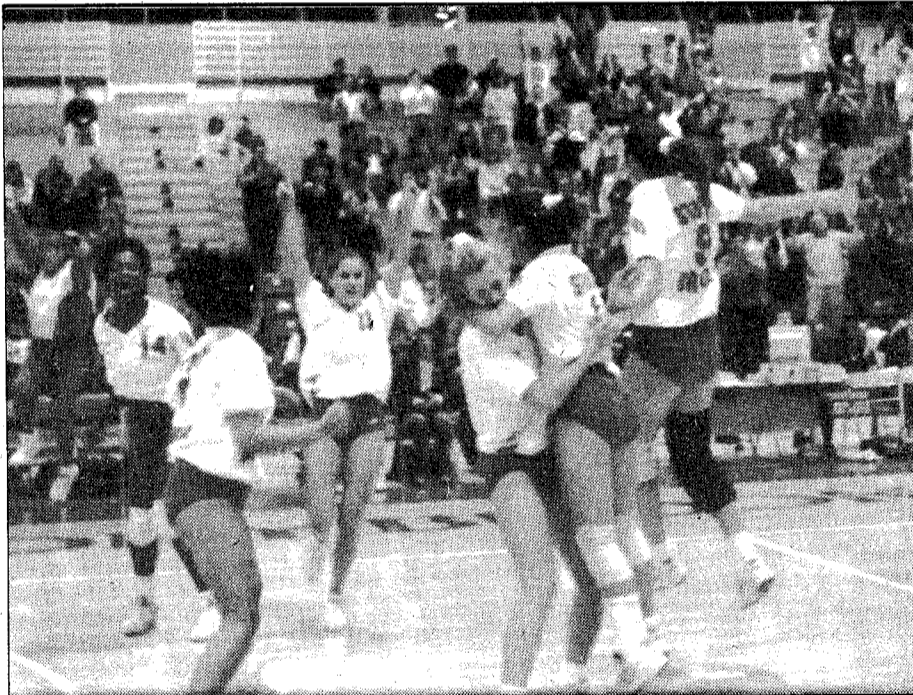
Last weekend was another tough one for the Lady Patriots, but indications began to appear that the team was returning to their previous form. Stony Brook came away from the New York State Women's Collegiate Athletic Association Championships at Ithaca with a 4-2 weekend record, winning the consolation round.

The Brook dropped their first two matches to Vassar and University of Rochester, but then beat Binghamton, St. John Fisher, Elmira, and Buffalo State, defeating each team two games to none. Coach Tiso earned her 500th career victory in the win over Elmira on Saturday.

The Lady Patriots volleyball team ended their season with a 31-12 record.

Looking ahead, Stony Brook will face the University of Rochester on Friday. The match will be played at Rochester Institute of Technology. Stony Brook split their season series with URochester one game apiece, with the Brook dropping the most recent match last weekend 10-15, 7-15.

"We can't play like we played tonight and expect to win," said Tiso. "We have the ability. We just have to go and do it."



Lady Pats deserve to celebrate their win last night.

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Brook and hope to come back every time." The Brook had good leads in every game, but Cortland always seemed to come back. "They're a very good team. They never gave up," said Tiso. "But neither did we."

A turning point in the game came during the break between the third and fourth games. According to Tiso, senior setter Denise Rehor said "this is embarrassing." "After that, they just went out and did it," said Tiso. Pessoni also noted that a change of attitude overcame the team. "Everyone was mad because we lost that 13-2 lead," she said.

It was then that the team began to encourage each other and get fired up. The home crowd was behind them all the way.

On the evening, Rehor had 59 of the team's 64 assists and 21 digs, Gormley had 31 kills, 3 serve aces, and 18 digs, and Pessoni had 16 kills, 2 serve aces, and 27 digs. Other fine performances were given by junior Tina Salak, freshman Jolie Ward, and

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