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Serenading President

Atlantic Christian College is blessed with both an efficient Entertainment Committee and Concert and Lecture Committee which provide her students with a wide spectrum of musical talent. Although few attend the majority of concerts, those who do attend certainly enjoy themselves. The institution's students, however, were treated to a rare moment of classical talent Tuesday when they were serenaded, not by a college chorus or choir, but by their student government president, Byron Wyndham.

Now Mr. Wyndham may be a good student body president skilled in the art of parliamentary procedure and convocation leadership (after all, he knew there were more aye's than nay's when we could not distinguish between their numbers)—but a singer, he is not.

Nevertheless, let it be said that the student body must have enjoyed his performance for few joined in singing the "pep" song to help drown out his voice. Consequently, our wrath is not bent on our nightingale president, but on the students who apparently care nothing of school spirit. Perhaps, had Campbell College followed our example last year, the great "insult" incident would not have taken place.

Throughout our collegiate life, we have surmized that it cannot be said that the ACC student body is going to the dogs. We don't go to them during home games and we don't attend their "away" battles. Of the number who do attend home games, only a minority seem to get anywhere near enthusiastic and even a smaller number really come out and cheer the Bulldogs on. And when some do cheer loudly, they are often labeled as drunkards.

We are constantly hearing students complain that only if ACC had a football team, there would be bountiful enthusiasm for our intercollegiate athletic program. We are among those who enjoy football more than basketball, but we also feel that the Bulldog Five is our team and we should enthusiastically support it.

Perhaps, one day in the future our student government president will not have to solo through several performances of the same pep song—we sincerely hope so for the sake of those ears which will follow us on our campus.

Election Crisis

A crisis struck our student government Tuesday when for some reason the ballots from the cheerleader elections were cast into what we have been informed appeared to be a wastebasket. Of course this action occurred only after the ballots were counted.

According to the "Student Handbook: Atlantic Christian College," which we have on our desk, a candidate in an election has the right to challenge the results of that election in which he was participating within three days after the election results are announced. It seems only proper, therefore, that the ballots should be kept for at least the duration of that period.

This provision is housed in Section Five, "Elections," which is included in Article One, "Officers of the Cooperative Association," in the "By-Laws of Student Government Association of Atlantic Christian College."

Some might argue that this section deals only with the officers of the Executive Board; yet, it is found under an article which identifies its concern as that of the officers of the Cooperative Association. And it should be noted that the cheerleaders are a budgetary organization of the Student Government Association. (Article Three, Section Two)

It would seem that the Elections Committee, a standing committee of the Executive Board, should have the responsibility of counting and preserving the ballots of each election.

If this procedure were followed, a future crisis might be avoided; and the Elections Committee would have the ballots to present in the event a contestation were made of a particular election. Our constitution creates a committee to deal with elections—it should be used towards an efficient end.

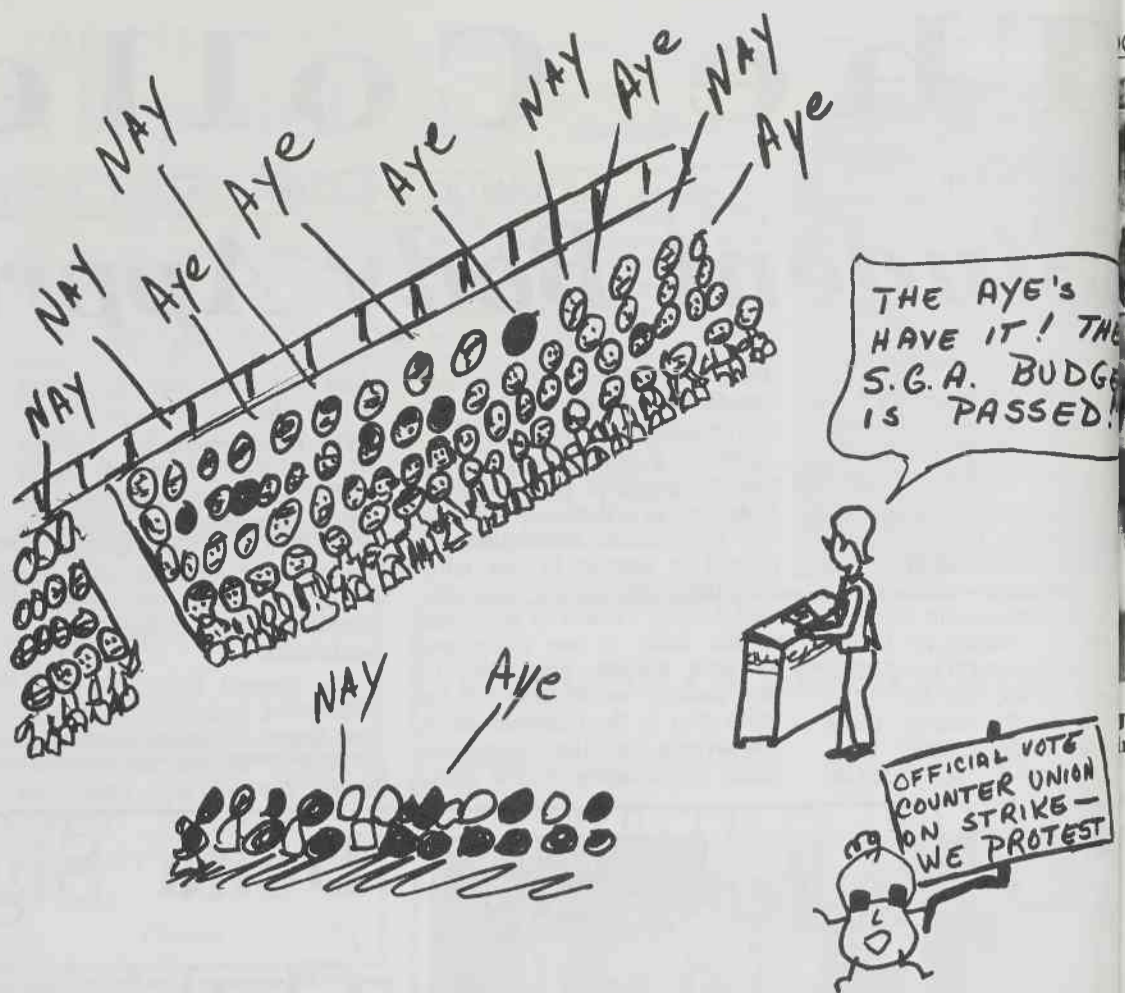
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Bookworm Crawlings

By WIGGLER

Wiggler has lost himself in the bliss of love. Wiggler has lost the God-given ability to crawl like a reptile, now he merrily drifts through daily happenings. The power of reason which separates him from the lowly bookworm has been dissolved by that level of bliss which transports worms to the loftiest of matrimonies. Wiggler is engaged.

Wiggler this week was indeed honored to interview Charlie Brown, Lucy, Linus, and Snoopy of Peanuts fame. These acclaimed celebrities are visiting the campus bookstore in preparation for the upcoming lecture of Robert Short, author of "The Gospel According to Peanuts." It is interesting to note some of their observations. It seems that they are most startled by the wide and varied range of intellectual curiosities found in browsing in the campus bookstore. Vivacious Bookworm has toiled many hours to select reading interest common to all ACC students. Wiggler was about to wade into a description of these individuals and the material available to them but he leaves this up to those propagandists associated with the special orders department of the bookstore.

Wiggler found it surprising that Lucy was quite pleased with her stay in Wilson except for her

failure to be elected as an honorary member of the ACC cheerleading squad. She lost to a write-in candidate, the current

and most illustrious president of our student body, Barren von Windmill. Upon hearing of this atrocity in the democratic voting system of SGA (Student Government Association or Sigma Gamma Alpha Fraternity of Bureaucrats) Lucy was spontaneously thrust into a fit of rage and her most able supporters, Charlie Brown, Snoopy, Linus, and even the Blanket all searched intensely for the causes of this gross

malady, injustice. Only because of the campus garbagemen was one of their wildcat strikes. The Sigma Gamma Alpha had to find the still warm ballots in circular files. Behold, Lucy lost Barren von Windmill, but Red Baron, Baron of the SGA, was a flambouyant dress hair style. After learning she had been felled by her personality, Lucy recovered poise and continued to do the habits and customs of intellectual curiosities browsing the bookstore.



Words can't portray the diversity of visitors to the bookstore. All have the privilege of entering into a state of enlightenment. How you gonn'a keep 'em down on the farm after they've browsed the bookstore's stock... of intellectual curiosities.

Free Tickets Are Available

Free tickets are available for student use to the Friends of the College Concert Series at N.C. State and to the Artists Series at East Carolina University according to Dr. James Cobb. Students desiring to use these tickets must sign up for them at the information desk of Hackney Music Building. Requests should be made one week prior to each concert.

Raleigh concerts include: Leontyne Crice, Oct. 22, 25; Orchestre De Paris, Nov. 1, 2; Yehudi and Hephzibah Menuhin, Nov. 18, 19; The American Ballet Theatre, Feb. 13, 14, 15; The Boston Symphony, March 10, 11; and Arthur Fielder in a Pops Concert, March 20, 21.

The Greenville schedule includes: the Robert Wagner Chorale, Nov. 6; Robert Merrill, Dec. 10; Andreas Segovia, Jan. 27; The Detroit Symphony, Feb. 5; and Van Cliburn, March 14.

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Gallery House Art By Clower

A new exhibition in the gallery of Case Art Building features a collection of drawings by Joseph B. Clower III, a former member at the University of Colorado.

Clower attended Hampton University and received his F.A. degree from the University of Georgia. He was awarded his M.F.A. degree by the University of Colorado. Prior to his appointment he was a member of the faculty at Chicago Institute. He is known as a painter as well as a draftsman. His work has been widely exhibited.