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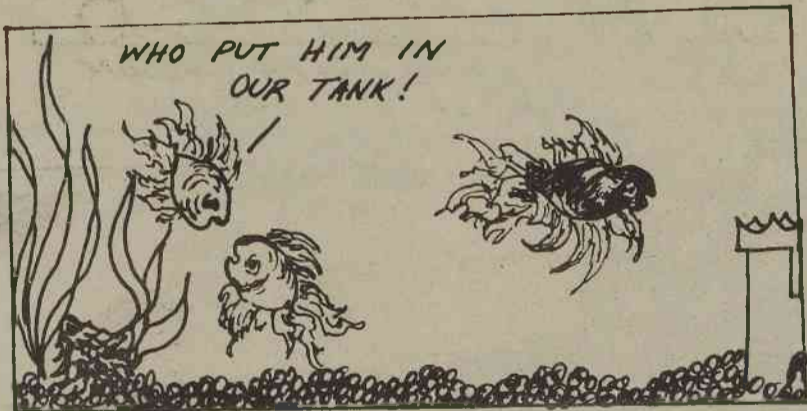
"And Then There Was Light"

At first there was darkness and there was you and I. We lived, loved laughed and cried together. Neither had any idea what the others facial features looked like but we knew that however the inside looked it was beautiful. We had faith in each other. We never tried to keep each other down but worked in unison so we would both excel. Life was wonderful in those days.

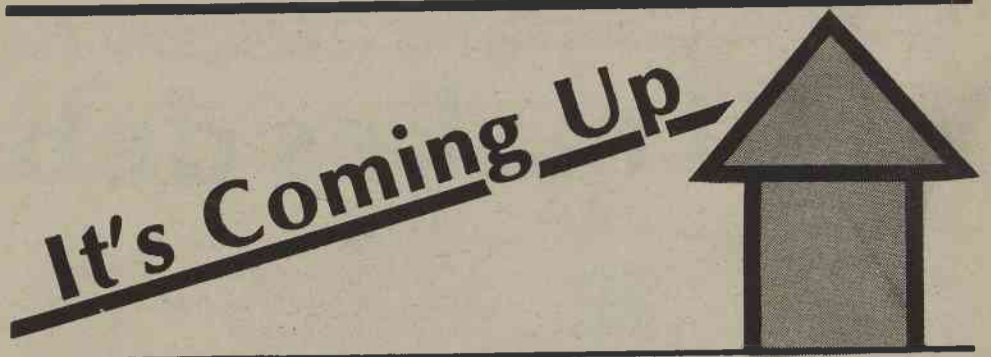
One day light appeared and we could see each other. We were the same people only now there was a visible difference. My skin was not the same as yours and you looked at me as though I were a stranger and you treated me even worse. Finally you drew away from me and never returned. The bonds that had held us together melted as suddenly as the light appeared.

The saddest part is, we could see better in total darkness.

Patricia Ann Holmes



RITA COLSON



CAROLINA CONCERT SERIES SEPT. 25

Pianist Leon Bates will perform on Sunday, Sept. 25, in Memorial Hall at 4 p.m. A member of the University of Delaware music department faculty, Bates has established himself as one of the leading musicians in America today.

Tickets are \$6.50. For ticket information, call (919) 962-1449, noon-6 p.m. weekdays.

ACKLAND ART MUSEUM

The Ackland Art Museum will celebrate its 25th anniversary this season. A special anniversary exhibition, composed of works that were already at the University when the museum opened its doors, will be shown Sept. 20-Nov. 6.

To commemorate the event, a free, public reception will be held 3-5 p.m. on Sept. 25.

ASSOCIATION OF WOMEN STUDENTS

The AWS will be sponsoring a film entitled "Killing Us Softly." The film discusses the image of women in advertising. There will be a discussion following the film. Film will be shown Sept. 26 at 8:30 p.m. in the Carolina Union.

JAMES BALDWIN

James Baldwin, novelist, playwright and civil rights advocate, will give the sixth Martin Luther King Jr. Memorial Lecture on Wednesday, Sept. 28 at UNC.

The free, public lecture will be at 8 p.m. in Memorial Hall. It is sponsored by the Chancellor's Committee on Established Lectures.

SHIRLEY CHISHOLM

Shirley Chisholm will speak on "Strategies for Minorities and Women in the Political Arena." Her appearance will be Sept. 29 at 8 p.m. in Memorial Hall for \$1. The event is sponsored by the AWS.

WOMEN'S DAY IN THE PIT

AWS will sponsor on Oct. 10 a "Women's Day in the Pit." Between 11 a.m. and 2 p.m. there will be an exhibition of various female artists, reknown storyteller Louise Kessel and music.

FILM

"Taking Our Bodies Back," a film about women's health will be shown Oct. 17 at 7:30 p.m. in the Carolina Union. The event is sponsored by AWS.

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