## Tennis Team; Young But Successful

What started on a losing note at Davidson College on Wednesday ended in a winning effort Sunday against Virginia Tech as the Guilford College Quaker tennis team won its third match in five straight days of action 5-4 over the Gobblers. Guilford dropped an 8-1 match to Davidson, followed by a 6-0 loss to Carolina, but followed with wins over Pfeiffer and Western Carolina to run the season's record to 7-3.

Mark Solomon and Smith Anderson provided Sunday's clincher at No. 2 doubles with a three-set victory after the match had been tied at 4-4 after a split in singles and No. 1 and No. 3 doubles. Anderson, a freshman from High Point, freshman Waylong Dudley of Winston-Salem, and Jesus Ceron, a freshman from Mexico, provided the singles wins, while Dudley and freshman Pekka Kilpio got the other doubles victory at No. 1 doubles

The Quakers have also downed Johnson C. Smith Belmont Abbey, and Morehead State, in addition to a snow-shortened match with West Virginia University. The other loss was a season-opener to East Carolina University.

"I have been pleased with the progress we have made, both individually and as a team," offered coach Ray Alley. "We are very young with five freshmen, two sophomores and one senior on the squad, and we should continue to improve as the season progresses. Our goal is to be competitive by the conference and district tournaments."

Guilford will travel to Elon on Tuesday and then host intersectional matches against St. Lawrence University of New York on Thursday and East Stroudsburg State of Pennsylvania on Friday.



Mark Gunther crosses home plate after hitting a 330foot home run down the third base line during last Thursday's game.

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## **Guilford Lacrosse**

By DANIEL FAYEN

On Monday, March 20, Guilford's lacrosse team coached by Bob Malm travelled to Raleigh to face North Carolina State University, ranked 15th nationally in the latest poll.

In the first quarter the Wolfpack dominated and pressed all over the field. N.C. State's All-American, Stan Cochran from Ontario, scored three goals. Guilford was able to drive upfield a few times but was unable to score. At half-time State was well ahead with a 19-0 lead.

In the second half, Guilford demonstrated more control of the game with better passing and picking up ground balls. Mark Keavney, winning a majority of his faceoffs, played well. With 7:45 gone into the third quarter Don Thorup scored Guilford's first goal. Guilford's next tally against the tenacious "Pack" was at the end of the third quarter when Mark Keavney scored.

Fourth quarter began with Guilford taking possession of the ball and outscoring State 3-2 in the final minutes. Don Thorup scored his second goal of the game from Dave Rosenzweig's assist. Mac Sheek scored also with an assist from David Woodruff. Mark Keavney drove in the final Guilford score.

The final score: N.C. State 29-Guilford 5.

Wednesday, March 22nd, Guilford College travelled to Elon to play the "Fighting Christians." Guilford played well against the physical Elon team. David Chanley, in the goal, saved numerous shots and Rick Wall led Guilford scores with six goals. Guilford defeated Flon 15-11.

Saturday, March 25, Guilford played Hope College of Michigan, here. Guilford dominated Hope and outscored them 17-2.

Guilford's record thus far stands at 3 wins and 2 losses, with victories against Hope, Elon and Davidson College. The two losses were against much larger Oswego State Univ. (of New York) and N.C. State.

## One on One Championship Up for Grabs

It finally happened. Greg Small, the one-on-one champion of the past two years, was defeated. Last Wednesday, Mike Bradley beat Greg 20-16 to enter the finals against Lon Reeves who upset the favored Hal Heavner. In the consolation bracket, Avery Cutshaw entered the semi-finals by beating David Williams. Avery will next meet Rick Crowder, who defeated David Hotchkiss. (Rick got into the consolation bracket by being defeated by Mike Bradley in the first round.) Congratulations to Mike Bradley, Lon Reeves, Avery Cutshaw, and Rick Crowder who will be vying for their respective one-on-one crowns. Congratulations also to Greg Small for over two years of one-on-one supremecy.

## Bryan, Day Hops, Milner and Cubans Battle

This past week, eighteen teams started in the men's tournament. Four teams now remain: three of which are undefeated.

The tournament started with a game between IMF and Milner 1st South A. latter won the game with key foul shots int he end of the second overtime. Milner 2nd South A (the number one ranked team). First South started off hot, jumping from leads of 6-2 to 18-8 to a halftime lead of 24-12. However, in the second half, Second South proved why they are ranked number one. struggled back and finally gained the lead with only three minutes left in the game. Led by the shooting of Greg Small, Second South pulled the game out in the stretch,

The only real upset of the tournament came when Milner 2nd North A defeated Covington's cowboys. Behind the shooting of Mike Bradley and the "coaching" from Warren Kozak, Second North held onto their slim lead in a very close game. However, second North fell to a powerful Bryan 1st North team led by the inside play of Doug "Deuce" Parker.

The four teams in the semifinals are Crazy Cubans (9-0) vs. Bryan 1st North (9-0), and Day Hops A (8-1) vs. Milner 2nd South A (9-0).

