

# Track Team Wins First Conference Title

Behind individual firsts by John Doney, Jake Jacobs, Don "Rook" Rookard and "Iceman" Wall (2 for Rookard and Jacobs) the Knights rolled to their first track conference title. The Knights' talent and depth were too much for other conference hopefuls. The meet was, however, by no means a runaway as the final tally saw S.A. with 70, up the road rival Methodist with 61, Christopher Newport College with 32, and struggling Averett with 19.

The Knights started strong with another impressive victory in the 440 yd. relay (Owens, Herculson, Jacobs, Wall). Conference rival Methodist could not make up the lost distance in the final legs attained by Owens and Herculson. In the 100 yd. dash, Jake Jacobs and Bill "Fayssoux" Owens took first and third respectively. The 220 yd. dash also had Jacobs and "Fayssoux" finishing first and third with the "Iceman" finishing fourth (23.2, 23.5, 23.5). The "Iceman" came psyched and rearing to go as he took first in the 400 yd. dash. Mike Herculson took a third in that event also. Turning to the distance events Jim "Ryun" Sommerville placed third in the mile (4:40) and second in the three mile (16:25). Dr. Spann somehow managed fourths in both the mile and three mile. In the hurdles, practice paid off for "Rook" Rookard as he took first in the highs with a gracious looking effort (15.7). His timing and style were not very far from perfect. "Rook" also placed first in the 440 intermediates (59.6)

while George Calhoun placed fourth in that event.

Focusing attention on the field events, the effort of John Doney was nothing short of remarkable. Placing first with a vault of 10'6" Doney had not landed a first all year long. Bob Carter added insurance with a third place finish 9'6" Bob Carter also placed second in the high jump 6'0" while A.J. Jones finished third. Mike Cestrone, a consistent performer, placed fourth in the shot, fourth in the discuss and third in the javelin. Also in the javelin "Rook" Rookard took a second while Tim Griggs attained a fourth.

To end the meet the mile relay team again performed spectacularly falling short of the school record by one second for the third time this year. Houge, in his last running event as a collegian, ran a sound first leg to open up a mild lead. Jacobs and Herculson stretched it out somewhat and the "Iceman" once again brought it in to seal the victory.

Track this year has been a huge success. Although the overall record may not be overwhelming, the Knights were often pitted against state and other scholarship competition. Coach Blackwell should be commended for instilling pride and leadership among track team members. He should be a shoe-in for Coach of the Year honors in the DIAC. Next year the Knights will return with these same horses minus Co-Captain Jacob Houge, Bob Carter, "Fuzzy Face" Richardson, Tim Griggs, and Don "Rook" Rookard.



## GOLF

# Golfers Finish Fourth

Two weeks ago Tuesday, St. Andrews' Golf team closed the season at 7-6, becoming the second winning team of the 76-77 sports year, finishing fourth in the DIAC conference. At first glance, it would seem to be just another average season in spring sports, but several things make this golf season stand out from last year.

To begin with, it was a winning year. Admittedly, just barely so, but winning all the same. Only the track team can claim that this year, and women's volleyball was the only winning team last year. Another interesting aspect of this year is that sophomore Jim Musante held at least a share of the lead in every match or tournament this year, except one; the opening round of the conference tournament. Prior to the tournament, he had shared the lead twice with Bob Pelon. This was also the first year in quite some time that the same St. Andrews player held low honors for the entire match, with Musante doing so against Greensboro

at Scotch Meadows on March 18, and then six days later against Averett, also at Scotch Meadows. His scores were 80, 79 respectively.

Interestingly enough, all of the other golfers except one finished second at least once, proving that the players were all more or less evenly matched.

But this poor performance during the season didn't really bother most people, for everyone swore to shoot better when it really mattered. And no one improved more than the team captain, David Niblock. His opening round score of 81 led S.A., being the only time Musante didn't at least share the lead. The next day, playing the last 18 holes of his college golf career, he skipped to an 83, and Musante led for the day with an 80. Niblock's disastrous triple bogie on the seventeenth hole prevented him from leading St. Andrews and landing a coveted spot on the all-conference team. As it was, Niblock and Musante shared

the lead for the tournament with a pair of matching bogies missing all-conference by 10 strokes. Second for S.A. was Pelon, followed by freshman Will Haselden. The scores proved the second day of every S.A. golfer, enabling them to take second place that day.

## Baseball (cont.)

their defensive play. The outfield was finally stabilized toward the end of the season with Rick Gault in left, Chris East, and freshman, in center, and Arthur "B" in right. A freshman that didn't start all the games for the Knights, Tony Odom will be seeking position next year.

Coach Betts should not be forgotten because he was an influence on the ball team. His enthusiasm carried over to some of the players. The field was helped considerably by his coaching. Coach Betts is looking forward to a season with the aid of Coach Betts and an improving coaching staff.

The ball club was blessed with the presence of a full-time manager this year thanks to Marion Bowles. His was a big help to the team.

## PIRG Activities

son, a Chapel Hill, North Carolina junior majoring in environmental studies. Long active in PIRG, Swanson was chosen in March and confirmed last week.

Elected treasurer was another junior, Knight Chamberlain, a politics major from Woodbridge, Virginia. Chamberlain has also been active in PIRG for some time.

Elected chairman was a new member of the board Lin Thompson, a junior majoring in politics from Shelby, North Carolina. "(Outgoing chairman) Elizabeth Scott is a hard act to follow," Thompson told THE LANCE. Asked about

plans for next year, he said that the board hadn't really made any commitments as yet, but that he hoped PIRG would be able to keep a higher profile in campus affairs. "People too often are asking what their money is going for," he said.

Other new members of the PIRG board are John Patton, Cathy Davidson, Carol Wall, and Peg Kays.

NC-PIRG is a public interest research and lobby group run and financed by some 10,000 student members at St. Andrews, Duke University, Wake Forest University, Elon College and Davidson College.

## WOMEN'S TENNIS

The St. Andrews women's tennis team closed their season May 3rd on a brighter note with a shut out against Sandhills Community College. St. Andrews had defeated Sandhills earlier in the season and was also victorious over Wingate. The Knights succumbed to Methodist, Pembroke (twice), Campbell (twice), and Francis Marion. This brings the years record to three wins and six losses. St. Andrews attended the Division II tournament with Kim Powell and Vivian Bikulege each winning one match.

Coach Jo Ann Williams

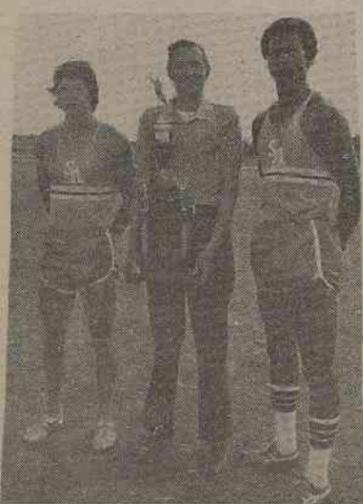
## A Good Year

stated that this year's team was inexperienced with only Karen Clarke having played intercollegiate tennis before. "Competition is getting tougher all the time," she said. "We mainly play schools offering athletic scholarships", and adding that "we won over those schools not offering them."

Holding down the number one position on the team is Diane Dominocovich. The number two place is played by Claire Pearson and three is Karen Clarke. Kim Powell plays number four and Vivian Bikulege is five. The number six position is held by Louise

Kitti and the alternate consists of Susan Motley, Phelps, Connie Bucher, Kathryn Beach, and Houben.

Next year five of the top players are returning. Karen Clarke, who is graduating, is the only member who will not be with us. The more experienced team should prove to be a winning one for S.A.



## WSAP

Festival, U.S.A.", a weekly series following folk music festivals across the country, "Options"; a 60 minutes-type magazine show, and "Jazz Revisited", a University of Michigan series dealing with recorded jazz music between 1917 and 1947.

An increase in station-produced special programs are included in next year's plans as well, Thompson said, but specific areas of effort have not yet been identified.

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