

# Mother's Day

## Malloy Rising Black Writer

by Valerie Beatty

Who is Henry Malloy? Malloy is a native of North Carolina, and a rising black writer. Born in the Sandhills of North Carolina, Malloy started writing some 39 years ago.

Malloy was very active in script writing, acting, and dramatics in junior high, and escalated after he entered Shaw High School in Wagram, North Carolina. There he became editor of the Shaw News, a very exciting point in his life. Not knowing what he really wanted to do in life, Malloy considered many professions.

Upon graduating from high school Malloy moved to Springfield, Massachusetts. After moving to Springfield, Massachusetts, he went to work at Mercy Hospital in the physical therapy department. Still not sure of what he wanted to do, he left the hospital in 1963 and went in the U.S. Army for three years. Not liking

the Army either, Malloy got out and got his first factory job with Milton Bradley. In between layoffs at Milton Bradley, Malloy enrolled at Springfield Technical College on his G.I. Bill. When he had to write a story about his shoe, Malloy received an A on his first assignment. It was then Malloy decided that writing was his first love.

Since then Malloy has written three novels. The first, "Reckonin'," a semi-fiction story of a young newlywed couple. The second "Did You Catch Anything," a novel for children. The third entitled "The Deadly Flights" for both young and old, is a semi-fiction mystery drama.

I guess you can say North Carolina has born and bred a fine writer.

If anyone would like to purchase one of these books or order them, the forms can be found in the News Argus office.

## Bridges Term To End

by Alfreda Smith

What does it mean to be an S.G.A. president? Joy Bridges, a senior Mass Communications major from Greensboro, NC, and S.G.A. president for the 1985-86 school year said that being the S.G.A. president at W.S.S.U. has been truly a rewarding experience. Joy says that she has had the chance to meet a lot of people and participate in activities such as: being a member of the Board of Trustees at W.S.S.U., Vice-president of the National Association of Black Student Government, member of the Inauguration Committee and many more which have been educational and enjoyable.

Her major goal as the S.G.A. president was to bring the university family together.

She used "family" purposely because we should be working together to make this university the most effective and learning environment possible. She also strived to get students more involved in the politics of the university. She feels that the students should let the university know when we are displeased or pleased with the university's accomplishments. Joy stated, "I feel that my goals were accomplished in a small degree, but there is a lot of work to be done to get the apathetic student to wake up and realize that when you express yourself things can be changed if necessary."

In the future Joy would like to advise the newly elected S.G.A. president and his cabinet to stay in touch with the students and administrators. She feels that by working together things will fall into place.

According to Joy she can't accept all of the success for this year because she had very willing workers who were there with her through out the year and it all goes back to unity and working together.

"I feel that there is so much potential in W.S.S.U. which is not being used to its fullest instinct. There are brilliant minded students who are sitting down and letting opportunity pass them by. I feel that once self-confidence and trust is instilled in them this university will be a great place to be," said Joy.

After graduation Joy's ultimate goal is to complete law school with a degree in Corporate/Communication Law.

## Greek Step Show

by Tonia Johnson

Five Greek organizations competed for monetary prizes of \$50, \$25 and \$15 to be awarded in a Step Show sponsored by Budweiser Beer Corp.

The sororities participating in the show were Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Delta Sigma Theta Sorority and Zeta Phi Beta Sorority. The fraternities participating were Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity and Omega Psi Phi Fraternity.

In the sorority category, Delta Sigma Theta placed third, Zeta Phi Beta placed second; Alpha Kappa Alpha was the first place winner.

Omega Psi Phi placed second and Kappa Alpha Psi was the first place winner.

## Freedom Fighters vs. Congress

Ronald Reagan has made it clear he intends for the United States to support democratic forces around the world fighting Marxist-Leninist, pro-Soviet regimes. This vital anti-communist policy is known as the "Reagan Doctrine."

Arrayed against the "Reagan Doctrine" from the beginning have been powerful liberal forces in Congress, the Big Media and even some in the President's own State Department. They have a long list of reasons for not supporting anti-communist forces.

Some liberals say that the Freedom Fighters are really no better than the communists they're trying to defeat. Others claim that American national security interests are not at stake so why risk our money and our prestige. And then there are those liberals who are holding out for "negotiated settlements" that will bring peace and harmony to those now locked in life and death struggles.

But through the power and influence of our President, the "Reagan Doctrine" continues. Contras fighting the communists in Nicaragua did receive \$27 million dollars in humanitarian aid last year. The mujaheddin in Afghanistan did get several million dollars in much needed covert aid. Five million dollars were directed to the anti-Vietnamese forces in Cambodia. And the "Clark Amendment" which prevented us from helping Jonas Savimbi and his UNITA forces in Angola was finally repealed by Congress. These accomplishments can be chalked up to the dogged determination of our President and other concerned people inside and out of government.

That brings us to the current 1987 federal budget battle. Simply put, can the "Reagan Doctrine" survive its inevitable collision with a fainthearted liberal Congress already unnerved by the Gramm-Rudman deficit-cutting axe hanging over its head?

The usual clique of Democratic "pacifists" in Congress including Tip O'Neill, Ted Kennedy, Chris Dodd and Edward Markey are going to actively oppose any help for Freedom Fighters on the grounds it will antagonize the Soviets.

But the Soviets must be challenged. There are more than 100,000 heavily equipped Rus-

sian soldiers in Afghanistan. Marxist Nicaragua has far and away the largest army in Central America and it's being advised and armed by the Soviets, Cubans, East Germans and others. The Soviets have made Angola into a \$2 billion armed camp with 35,000 Cuban mercenaries, two dozen deadly helicopter gunships, 100 MIG jet fighters, 500 tanks and armored vehicles and thousands of Russian and East German line officers who lead the ruling Marxist Angolan army. And let's not forget that a Soviet backed, Vietnamese army occupies Cambodia.

A group of Democrats in Congress who helped President Reagan win aid last year for the Contras in Nicaragua are asking him to withhold further requests for lethal and non-lethal aid until diplomatic efforts to end the Nicaraguan civil war are exhausted. (If you were the communists in Nicaragua wouldn't you pretend to "negotiate" in order to stop U.S. military aid to the anti-communist forces?)

Congress must provide aid for pro-democratic, anti-communist forces around the world. Congress must give real meaning to these words spoken by President Reagan in this year's State of the Union address: "You are not alone, Freedom Fighters. America will support with moral and material assistance your right not just to fight and die for freedom, but to fight and win freedom."

But more than just keeping faith with democratic movements is at stake. The very security of the Free World depends on America, the Arsenal of Democracy, standing up to Soviet aggression, oppression and brutality.

A few years ago guerrilla movements were led only by Marxist-Leninists. The fact that pro-democratic Freedom Fighters exist at all is cause for hope and optimism. President Reagan understands this vital change of momentum and wants to make sure that anti-communist Freedom Fighters are not forsaken. The investment in funds—maybe \$250 million this year—is nothing compared to all the good it could do.

The "Reagan Doctrine"...it sure has a ring to it. It's the sound of freedom and democracy.

Now it's up to Congress to support it.

## Friends of O'Kelly Library

by Mae H. Rodney

Historically, friends of the library organizations have been associated with public libraries. As more and more college and university libraries began to feel the budget squeeze Friends groups have been organized on college and university campuses.

A Friends of O'Kelly Library group has been organized at Winston-Salem State University. This organization will sponsor fund-raising projects. Funds will be used eventually to strengthen the book collection, update equipment, provide more copying services or possibly to purchase modern typewriters for student use. The executive committee of the Friends group is actively seeking members through a membership drive. Invitations have been mailed to 300 alumni, friends, faculty and to approximately 200 Winston-Salem organizations and businesses.

Presently, over 100 individuals have responded positively to the invitations. Students are invited to become members of this organization. Student membership is \$5.00 annually.

Future fund-raising plans include a book sale and possibly a banquet with an after-dinner speaker.

The Friends of the Library is responding to Chancellor Thompson's idea to make Winston-Salem State University an excellent university through contributions from the private sector.

## 1986-87 Class Officers (cont'd)

### New SGA Vice President

by Victor Coffey

What does eating fine foods, playing football, collecting coins and being a special education major have in common? Well these are the things that describe the New Student Government Association Vice-president.

The new SGA vice-president is Edward Lee Singleton, a native of Washington, D.C. Singleton stated "I ran for the office of SGA vice-president because I knew I could help the students of this university to understand the roles and responsibilities of college students." He also stated, "I can contribute more to this university by being an active officer and leader of the student body."

Singleton hopes to accomplish and achieve many goals during the 86-87 school year. "First, he is anticipating a better social life for the students and better activities which will encourage student participation. Second, Singleton wants a successful Co-Ed visitation." He stated, "I would recommend one change for this university, that is the participation of students, faculty and staff members to interact socially and for students to know university personnel as more than workers but as friends."

When asked the question, what do you feel is one good thing about WSSU? Singleton stated, "WSSU produced my fine father who enlightened me about the university and encourage me to attend WSSU noted for its Education Department [and usually graduates in Education receive jobs after graduation from WSSU.]"

Singleton is president of Brown Hall, member of the Metro City Club, Inc. University Choir, Student Alumni Relations Association, Drama Guild, Inter-denominational Youth for Christ Fellowship, Pep Club, CO ED visitation council and a member of Alpha Phi Omega National Fraternity, Inc.

Singleton's hobbies are archery, photography, singing, reading, jogging, listening to music and traveling.