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# A parade, queen and football win: Homecoming '88

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Lee Ann Necessary, a senior broadcast journalism major from Millers Creek, was crowned UNC's 1988 Homecoming Queen at halftime of the UNC-Georgia Tech football game Saturday.

Necessary, who was sponsored by Alpha Delta Pi sorority, is president of the Panhellenic Council, works with the Prejudice Reduction Group of the Campus Y and is a member of the Society of Professional Journalists, Sigma Delta Chi.

It was an honor to be selected from such a prestigious group of women leaders, Necessary said. She hopes to "represent the University whenever asked."

Lisa Ladd, a senior accounting major from Monroe, was named first runner-up. Ladd is president of her sponsor organization, Kappa Alpha Theta sorority. She is a marshal for the senior class and a member of the N.C. Fellows program. Ladd also served as co-director of Freshman Camp.

Ladd said she hopes to assist Necessary, and also hopes to work with the admissions office as a representative of the University.

But homecoming Saturday started long before the queen was crowned. The homecoming parade started at 9:30 a.m. Saturday from Kenan Field House, went up to Franklin Street, and ended at Carmichael Field. Colorfully decorated floats and golf carts were made by the residence halls, Orientation Commissioners

and the Order of the Bell Tower.

Carol Geer, president of the Carolina Athletic Association, said this year's parade had everything. "I think this year is what I would call a credible parade," she said. "I think it went really well. There were six times as many floats, and they were quality floats."

The parade's stars included former UNC football star Charlie Justice, Chapel Hill Town Council member Joe Herzenberg, Student Congress Speaker Neil Riemann, Student Body President Kevin Martin, and Mr. UNC, Cedric Brown.

Yet, the parade also included creative versions of Carolina spirit, including an interpretation of the beautiful Ms. Georgia Tech — a man wearing a wig and overdone makeup. Other floats threw sweets to the crowd or trailed beer cans from behind.

"I think there's a lot of spirit considering how bad we (the football team) are doing," said Sean Rindge, a graduate student who was watching the parade.

The competition was intense between the riders in the golf carts. First prize was awarded to Morrison Residence Hall, while Scott Residence College placed second and Granville Towers earned third place.

The floats were also rated by a panel of judges. The N.C. Teaching Fellows won first place, with the Newman Center placing second and Tau Epsilon Phi fraternity receiving third.



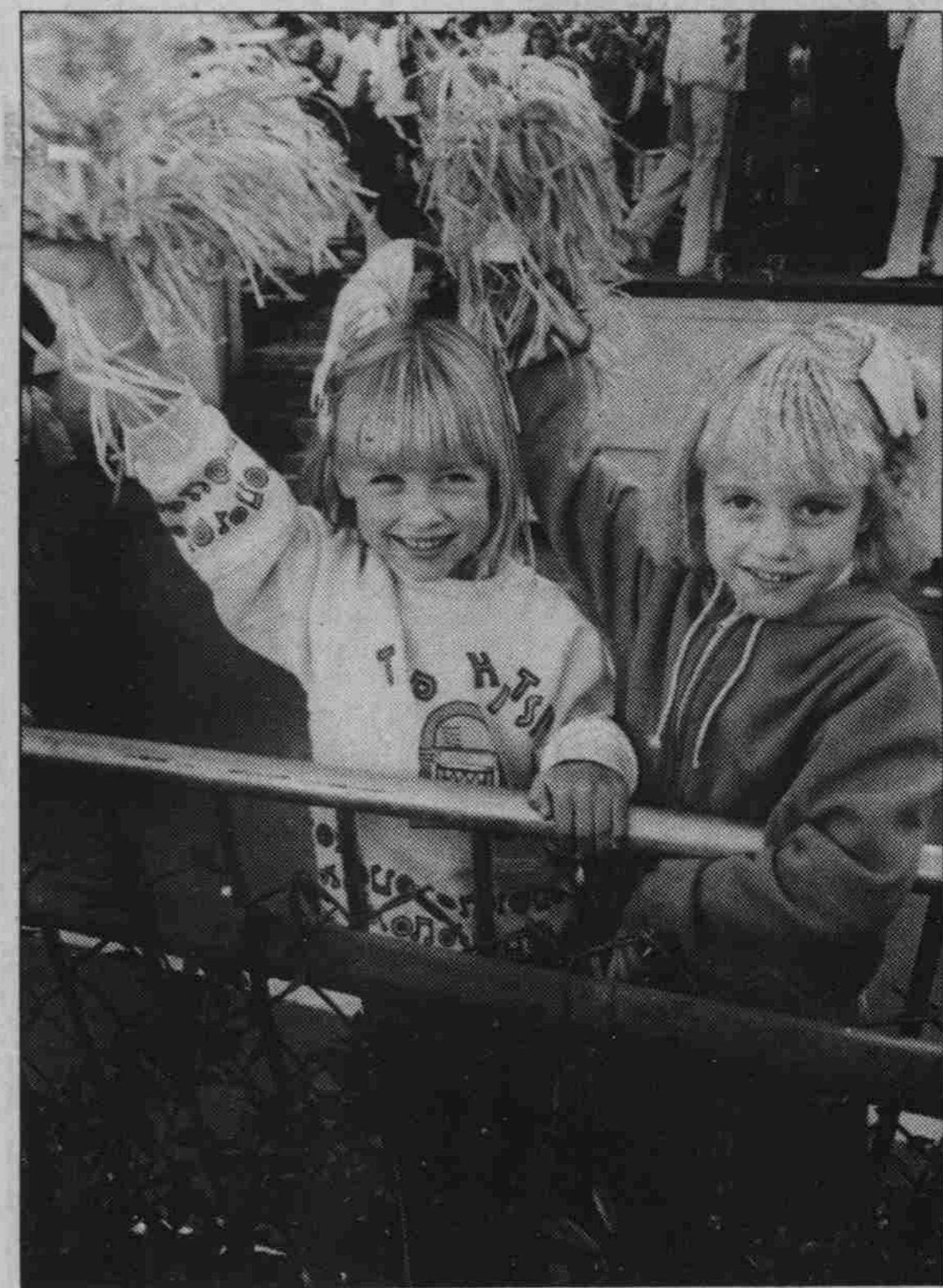
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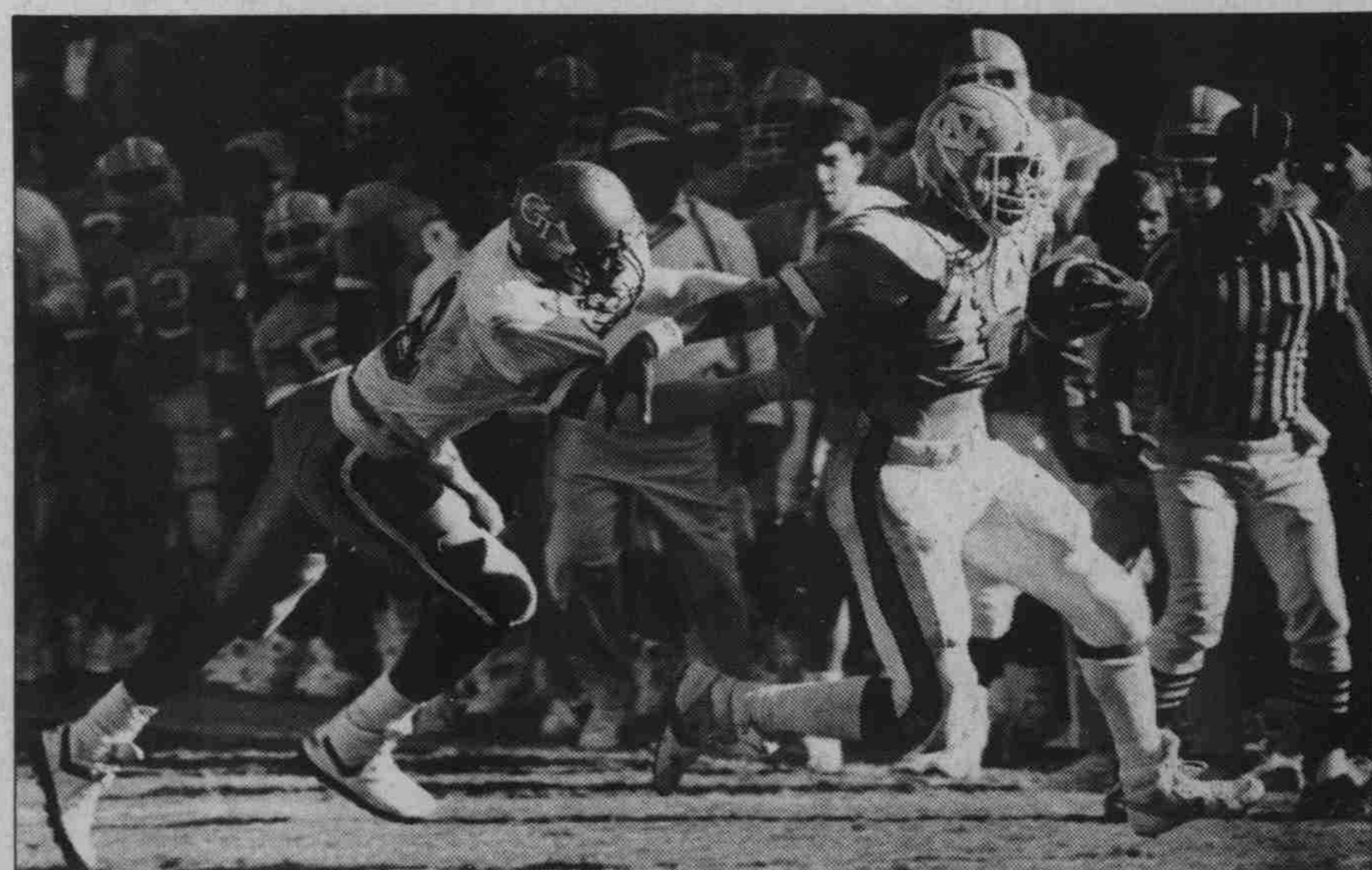
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