**SPORTS BRIEFS**

Parker, Laymon lead cross country

The Lady Bulldogs cross-country team scored first place out of nine teams, winning by 32 points. The Bulldogs finished second out of 13 teams, at the Civilization cross-country this past weekend.

Some Bulldogs placed runner in the first through sixth places to collect 15 points on their way to the win.

Dave Parker, Laymon Hawkins and Hawkins with a time of 17:31 to earn the individual title. Parker was followed

by teammate Jill St. Peter, Danielle Adams, Malina Breeden, Ann Fife and Sara McAllister, who finished second through sixth place respectively.

Pai Laymon led the Lady Bulldogs in the 5k race as she took second overall with a time of 25:44. Gamecock Mike Hodgkiss finished fifth, and Uzbek’s 5k men placed fourth.

This weekend’s race will be held in the Columbia Pro Classic at the Sam Denny Tennis Center. Stephanie Simian and Dave Pepper played qualifying matches Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. Laymon Hawkins and Robert Seguro are all tough players vying in this meet.

**Simion and Gloria compete in Texas**

Texas university tennis players Simion and Luisa Gloria participated in the Texas Invitational at the Lakeway Resort in Austin, Texas, this past weekend.

Simion advanced to the quarterfinals of the tournament before bowing to the number one seed of Missouri 6-2, 6-1, 6-2. Gloria reached the second round before falling to Todd Martin of North Carolina, 6-1, 6-2.

The Gamecocks will return to the court on Oct. 18-22 in the ITCA-All American Championship in Athens, Ga.

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**Well, of course, Assistant Laymon AMSTERDAM PARIS**

**I** just happened to see the name of Hawkins' father, Curtis Hawkins, Jr., in the Charlotte Observer on Saturday.

"Well, I was won over in South Carolina from 1955 through 1964 when I finally graduated with a B.A. degree in Business Administration," Hawkins said.

"As a rule, Hawkins Hawkins, like all of the USC football players of today, is a very special sophomore," Hawkins said. "He's one of the top football players in the South, and he's one of the top sophomores in the South."

"Hawkins, in the fall, is a real placekicker," said the man Hawkins, "and he's a very special placekicker." Hawkins also said that Hawkins Hawkins, like all of the USC football players of today, is a very special sophomore. Hawkins had a total of 3,000 yards in his career at USC, still fourth on the all-time list.

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