

**Question 27 is based on the following fact situation.**

Sissy Seagull and her boyfriend, Lex Laker, went to the movies to see *Blue Velvet*, a picture starring Dennis Hopper. Neither Sissy nor Lex particularly liked the film. About half-way through the movie, they went to the lobby and purchased some popcorn and soda. As they were walking back inside to their seats, Lex turned to Sissy and said, "You know this movie stinks...let's just leave." Sissy responded, "O.K., but let's have some fun first. After we go back inside, why don't you scream 'FIRE.' It'll be fun to see everyone run for their lives."

Lex and Sissy then returned to their seats. A few minutes later, Lex lit a match inside the theatre and threw it down the aisle. As he did so, Lex stood up and screamed, "FIRE! FIRE!" This caused a panic as everyone rushed for the exits. During the stampede that followed, Hilda Hilton, one of the moviegoers, got crushed in the human wave trying to leave the theatre. She suffered a broken leg and multiple abrasions. A subsequent police investigation revealed that the match thrown by Lex blackened the floor of the theatre.

27. Based upon the given facts, Sissy and Lex should be found guilty of
- (A) arson
  - (B) battery
  - (C) conspiracy to commit battery
  - (D) battery and conspiracy to commit battery