Students Want More Say In Curriculum Design

By Linda Merritt and William Johnson

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The following are some comments that A&T students made:

Milton Robinson, a junior Political Science major, said, "The students should have the privilege of making the decision on a particular course including their major if he desires. For instance, I don't feel that there is any need for Home Economics majors to take Biology. I don't see why freshmen, having entered school on a particular set of class requirements, have to make adjustments later. They find that the head of the department changes his mind about the courses that the student in his particular department should have to take. I think that the general courses should not have to be taken."

Mildred McKinley, a junior Business Administration major, stated, "I think that these should be meetings given between the students and instructors to discuss the relevance of taking specific courses for certain majors. I think that a student should know why he is required to take advanced statistics because he is a Business Administration major."

William McPherson, a senior Physical Education major explained, "I think that the chairman and a committee should plan the curriculum. I think that some students should be included in the planning. I think that the general courses such as mathematics, history and English are necessary. They are necessary because in order to work effectively in your major, you will need them. Anything that the committee decides upon should be justified and it must be done to help the majors." Charles Brown, a sophomore English major, commented, "I feel that there are several courses which are not necessary for various majors. For instance, an English major should not have to take psychology and so many hours of foreign language. I think that the students should have something to say about the courses that he takes to fulfill the requirements of his major."

VENEER DISEASE REACHES EPIDEMIC STATE IN NATION

Editor's Note: The material for the following story on venereal disease was extracted and edited from the March 14th edition of The National Observer.

Once upon a time nice people didn't talk about venereal disease. Now VD is increasingly creeping into their conversations — and into their homes too. Except for the flu, venereal disease is the most prevalent communicable illness in the nation, afflicting perhaps one American in every 100.

During the past five years the national VD rate has doubled. The World Health Organization, warned that the VD increase in the United States, Scandinavias, and Britain, says that gonorrhea is "the most widespread." In its forthcoming annual report, the American Social Health Association (ASHA), which has been studying and combating VD for 59 years, cites the "alarming increase in reported cases of infectious syphilis."

Mayor And Judge Are Keynoters

At 2nd Urban Affairs Conference

Presentations by a group of nationally known politicians, educators and social scientists will highlight the second annual Urban Affairs Conference at A&T March 24-26.

Keynoters for the conference will include Municipal Court Judge Benny Harris, first black elected jurist in the South, and Kenneth Gibson, black mayor of Newark, N.J.

Joining A&T in sponsoring the conference are the Greensboro Chamber of Commerce and the United Community Services for the Greater Greensboro Area.

"We expect this project to be a dynamic confrontation around the major problems facing our rapidly growing cities," said Dr. Lewis M. Knebel, cochairman of the conference, "We expect full participation from persons of all walks of life."

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Unequal Treatment

The fact that vast differences in the treatment of CIAA fans and fans of the ACC occurred in Greensboro does not have to be publicized in order for people in the Black as well as the white community to be made aware of this situation. This is not to say, however, that the Black community leader should not have spoken out on this situation, because he should have taken this action to let city officials and business firms know that Blacks are quite aware of this "double standard" and do not take it lightly.

Although the charges made by this Black leader were denied (as they naturally would be), the signs of this difference in treatment was apparent as one moved down the streets, picked up the newspaper or listened to the radio. Unless a person happened to pick up the newspaper and turn to the sports section, he could not tell the CIAA was even in town if he did not know it already. This, of course, was not the case with the ACC, everybody knew this event was in town from the newspaper and radio coverage, the many banners displayed by local businesses welcoming the ACC, and the little red signs on the streets and highways in the area directing ACC fans to theirourney.

After this exhibition of one-sided hospitality by this city in its dealings with the two tournaments, Black people should be even more cautious as to where they schedule their activities. Needless to say, the best method to employ to hurt the white man is through his pocketbook. Although the CIAA fell short of producing a capacity crowd in the Coliseum, the 42,000 people who were here fattened quite a few pocketbooks. If this pocketbook nutrient is taken away, then he begins to become a little more hospitable.

Despite the fact that A&T and a few other schools are leaving the CIAA, this event still promises to bring revenue into this city for a few more years. The new conference A&T is joining could also bring revenue into this city, revenue that will undoubtedly go into another city if unequal treatment continues to exist.

If there exists unequal treatment of the CIAA fans as compared with the ACC fans next year, the white folk will keep on denying such but Black folk will begin to "jet up to better grounds" for their sporting events and other activities.

Glass Shortage

Editor of The Register:

Once again the students of A&T will be deprived of obtaining a higher quality of education. Once again the administration has seen fit to rob us of the most qualified, and competent instructor in his field. I am referring to the termination of Tendai Mutunhu's contract at the end of this semester.

It must be pointed out that Mr. Mutunhu is one of the few instructors, who possess a genuine concern for his students. However, we must not forget that this is a cardinal sin for an instructor at A&T. Instructors at this university are not supposed to be concerned with their students, but must compete to see who can fail the most. After all, many of our so-called instructors still subscribe to the outdated and molded concept of, "I've got mine, and you've got yours to get." I suppose they feel that we pay for and want a second-rate education. I stated previously that Mr. Mutunhu is a capable instructor. Oh, I forgot again. It is not considered to be professional at this university if an instructor is able to make the students understand what he is teaching. After all, their job is to make things as difficult as possible to the student, so that as many as possible can be retained, and not graduate on time.

Ever since Mr. Mutunhu has been here, he has received numerous offers from prestigious white universities to teach at their institutions. They realize the vast contribution that he can make to their Black Studies Departments. However, our administration either fails to understand, or rejects entirely this kind of contribution. They would rather hire someone who is white, regardless of his background, to teach this subject. After all, whites know more about Blackness than Africans.

It is time that we, the students, let the administration know, that we will no longer tolerate this kind of nonsense! We must stand up and demand that Mr. Mutunhu be reinstated for the academic year 1971-1972.

A petition will be circulated soon, and I appeal to all interested and concerned students to express themselves with signatures.
Man Is ‘Betrayed’ By Man In Campus Production

By Janet Jones

"Betrayed" is a synthesis of the present times in its feeling and mood. The adaptation has been in the staging. The words, the dance, the music, combine to form an astonishing and effective theatre piece.

The play is of biblical origin. It deals with the father and his relationship with his eldest son, Lutherford. The father returns to leadership of his eldest son, find his kingdom in an uproar. Thus, Lutherford is cast out of his relationship with his children, and his household. The father sees the downfall of man, persuades Eve to eat from the tree of life. Eve then persuades Adam. Thus, Adam and Eve become aware of good and bad. God returns to

find Adam and Eve in shame. God then punishes them. He condemns Lutherford to hell.

At this point, the play changes time and sequence. Act two takes place in 1971 A.D. in Malakal. The scene has a setting of the Lord’s Last Supper. Jesus shares his bread and wine with his disciples. He tells them that one of them will betray him. Jesus tells them that he must go away to prepare a place for mankind.

At this point, action is focused upon the king. He asks that Jesus be brought to him. The king then abuses Jesus for not speaking up to defend himself. Jesus is then "bribed." Jesus is beaten by his foes in order to make him speak. But he is only humble.

Jesus is then placed upon the cross to die. Mary and Peter enter. Mary asks, "Why must you die in such pain?" "Women weep no more," is Jesus’ reply to Mary. Jesus’ last words are: "God, why have you forsaken me?"

Act three occurs in 3000 A.D. This scene is about Noah and the ark. God, after looking around to see the sin the world was in, decides to destroy what he had created. God considered Noah the only righteous man on earth. Noah was warned about the flood that would soon occur. God told him what to do.

Noah built his ark and gathered male and female animals as he was told. Then the flood began.

After so many days at sea, Noah sends out three birds to find dry land.

At this point, strange things begin to happen. People start eating down (from all directions. From the ceiling, from under the stage, from the front and from the back, they come from nowhere in a rhythmic movement. Then everyone falls asleep as if they are dead. The play is over. God hung him.

This play is very symbolic of life. Man is betrayed by man. God has always been betrayed by man.

The end of the play left the audience in shock, for they did not expect it to end this way.

The play was in its original concept of timely, episodic, colorful, music laden theatrical event.

Twenty-six players combined with voice, beauty and movement to create this extra-ordinary theatrical event.

The play was presented at the Paul Robinson Little Theatre, March 15-20, by the Black Arts Repertory Theatre Company.

Death Of Christ Is Depicted In Scene From Betrayed

By Judy James

The advisor to foreign students, Mrs. Ann Graves, plays an important role working with our foreign brothers and sisters who are attending A&T University.

She was appointed in September of 1970 and was confirmed in November. She began involvement in her work as of the spring semester. Mrs. Graves job is a very busy one in that she works with foreign students during admissions and registration, housing, she works in the community to help foreign students when the University closes down on a holiday, she also finds jobs for the students because they are not offered scholarships nor very little financial aid.

Other areas where Mrs. Graves assists the foreign students go into academics, and problems regarding their physical well being, personal and mental health. Not only does she work with the foreign students but also with the American faculty in matters of immigration.

Temporary office for Mrs. Graves at this time is located in the Afro House. She is working in connection with the Dean of Students Office.

The foreign students are formed in an organization known as the International Students Association. The association consists of fifty foreign students.

In conclusion, Mrs. Graves comments, "with the increasing enrollment of foreign students here at the university, by the next school year it will have doubled." "These students are now concerned about becoming an integral part of the student activities here at the University."

The Association is planning a program of International Seminars. They want to sponsor this program where they will invite the university family to attend. One of these programs includes Multi-Culture Day where various students will introduce the history of their country, social and economic life and education.

Another worthwhile program by the association will be the publication of a newsletter to keep the students abreast on the accomplishments and goals being made by the foreign students.

The foreign student advisor from A&T, Guilford College and UNC-G are planning an International Getting Acquainted Week April 30-May 2 at Piney Lake. This plan includes inviting American students, community officials to come in at that time for purpose of getting to know them and building bonds of friendship.

One of the problems that foreign students encounter is the relationships they have with the American students. They are somewhat left alone... I appeal for establishment of friendship with foreign students. There are very warm and friendly groups of young people.

Commenting on how they feel about American students, community officials, Mrs. Graves comments, "They think A&T is a wonderful university, and take pride in it. They praise the faculty and noted they are not partial at all."

Several foreign student opinions were asked about their feelings of A&T. A first-semester student Raphael Ogbolu from Nigeria stated, "It’s not a bad place to attend school." He feels that one problem is the students here don’t like to mix with foreigners. Sudhir Patadia from India feels that "the students here are very warm, friendly and are willing to help if one is in need."

In conclusion, Mrs. Graves adds, "The students here should extend a hearty welcome to the foreign students here at the university for they are in a new environment. More association with the students will help them to feel at home."

Several projects toward campus improvements have been completed in a program underway that will end with other improvements being added to the list.

Most recent in the completed projects is the erection of a fence completely bordering the west side of the long parking lot across the street from Scott and Cooper Halls. This fence was erected, according to university business manager John Ziegler, to curb the theft of auto batteries and hub caps. Ziegler states that numerous complaints have come to him in the past two years about this problem and that the university finally was able to obtain the money for its erection.

Other improvements in the past two months have been the construction of a concrete wall and handrail between High Rise and Vanstory dormitories. The sidewalk in front of Brown Hall has also been widened to facilitate student convenience.

In regard to the complaints coming from students about insufficient lighting on certain areas of the campus, the business manager disclosed that lights have been received for the areas of High Rise dormitory, and Merrick, Crooby, and Barnes Halls. He mentioned that erection should begin shortly.

Answering the question by many students regarding the paving of the areas around Senior Hall and Crosby Hall and the area around High Rise Dorm, Ziegler explained that bad winter weather shortly after A&T received funds for paving, thus delaying the paving of these areas. He established, however, that if things go favorably, paving should be underway around mid-summer.

$500,000 PROJECT

Another project to begin soon will be the placement of all electrical and telephone wires underground. Ziegler estimated a period of three years as the time it will take to complete this project. He indicated that the contract has been awarded for this project and the first phases of construction should begin before the semester ends. He concluded saying, "This project will tear up the campus as construction progresses, but when it is complete, we will have a better looking A&T."
Renovation Of Scott
In Planning Stage

By George Johnson

Tentative plans are underway for the renovation of Scott Hall this summer. This may in some way reverse or at least limit the number of off-campus male students that has been increasing every year.

Lt. Colonel William Goode, retired, Dean of Men, stated that new recreational equipment has been ordered for the male dormitories. This equipment includes: color television, ping pong tables, cards and card tables, and possibly pool tables. Dean Goode further stated that the Student Union is not large enough to serve the students. Therefore dormitories should provide some type of entertainment. He also feels that if students are placed in favorable living conditions they will strive to maintain those conditions themselves.

The possibility of dividing Scott Hall into three separate dorms along with petitioning off the wash room in the basement for appearance sake has been discussed.

At the present time freshmen students are the only ones required to live on campus. According to a reliable source the university loses approximately $150,000 per year due to students living off campus.

Industrial Tech

Class Visits

G-boro Firm

On March 8, the class in Industrial Technology, Estimating 411, section one, visited the facilities of the Gravely Architectural Firm at 500 Banner Avenue, in the city of Greensboro. The class was greeted by Clinton E. Gravely, and then introduced to the staff as well as being given a guided tour through the firm.

The Gravely building is owned by Gravely, a Black architect. The class was then given the tour to demonstrate the success of a Black man in the field of architecture. This industrial technology class was told that the firm consisted of ten fulltime employees, of which five are architectural draftsmen, two secretaries, two construction supervisors, and Gravely.

This building is of ultra-modern design with a reception area, conference room, lounge, three offices, and a drafting room. The Architecture Firm was only part of the entire Gravely building. It was joined with medical facilities to the west.

Gravely commented on the different types of construction projects in which the firm was involved and elaborated further on the extent of the architectural services which they provided.

Richard Moore To Be Honored At
Annual Headliner Awards Banquet

Richard E. Moore, director of public information at A&T, is one of four representatives of the communications field who will be honored during the 21st annual headliner Awards Banquet to be held Wednesday, March 24 at the Ramada Inn in Jefferson City, Mo.

The event is sponsored by Lincoln University, Moore and three other honorees will receive Citations of Merit, awarded by the Department of Journalism faculty at Lincoln.

The awards are given for journalists who have gained distinction in serving the public or improving human relations, or otherwise made considerable contributions to the field of journalism among Blacks. Each citation award bears the approval of the Lincoln Board of Curators.

Other winners this year are Eddie Madison, community service director of WMAL-TV in Washington, D.C.; and Claude Lewis, correspondent in Nigeria and Israel for the Philadelphia Evening Bulletin.

Saying ‘I Do’ In Fields

Not Too Unusual Today

By Jacqueline Corpening

Fashion Editor

Today’s “I do’s” may be said in country fields and city parks; brides may go barefoot, wear rough of cloths, bridesmaids are a jumpery gown, or a spaghetti, chiffon of chiffon or chiffon of chiffon. The wedding may include: color television, ping pong tables, cards and card tables, and possibly pool tables. Put on your pretty head drawstring blouse and vivid aprons. Put on your pretty head drawstring blouse and vivid aprons. Put on your pretty head drawstring blouse and vivid aprons.

Rabbi Pays Tribute To Whitney Young

NEW YORK - Paying tribute to Whitney M. Young, Jr., who died in Nigeria last Thursday, a prominent Jewish leader has declared that Young "chose the way of persuasion, not confrontation, reason, not flamboyant rhetoric."

Rabbi March H. Tanenbaum, national director of the Interreligious Affairs Department of the American Jewish Committee, speaking over radio station WINS-WESTINGHOUSE, said: "All Americans, Black and white have profound reason to mourn the tragic and untimely death of Whitney Young.

Whitney Young, Rabbi Tanenbaum said, "refused to allow the sweeping generalizations about anti-Semitism in the Black community to be manipulated as a wedge to drive Blacks and Jews apart...He deserved Judaism's highest tributes—he was one of the righteous of the nations of the earth who has merited a place in the world to come."

The most meaningful tribute to Young, Rabbi Tanenbaum said, "will be for all of us, Jew and Christian, Black and white, to rededicate ourselves to what he stood for—a decent life without discrimination, with equality, for all people everywhere."

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Our knowledge is your protection.
Venereal Disease Reaches Epidemic State in Nation

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triple in Dayton, Ohio.

With him was the primary victim. One out of every four VD cases reported in 1970 involved someone under 20 years old. The gonorrhea rate for 15- to 19-year-olds was more than three times the national average. In San Francisco the chances of getting gonorrhea were 1 in 10 for a person between 15 and 24 who was white. The bulk of infectious syphilis cases are 90 percent C
cent in 1969-involves youth 24 and under.

"It used to be somebody else's problem," says Dr. Thomas A. Leonard, who heads Chicago's VD control center. "It's pointed at minority groups, homosexuals, or prostitutes. But today it's the problem of suburbia, teenagers, everybody. It does not discriminate against age, sex, race, or yearly income."

A good example of what Dr. Leonard is talking about has just unfolded here in downstate Illinois. This area (defined as all of Illinois except Chicago) typifies the national VD problem. Its VD rate, like the nation's, has doubled in the past five years.

How VD spreads, and the detecting required to track down the carriers, is illustrated by a recent outbreak of infectious syphilis in a middle-class Illinois suburb of 57,000 people. So far 25 persons have been involved; it was found to be infected. Their ages range from 12 to 34. All are white.

State public-health officials believe the outbreak originated with a 20-year-old machinist who lives in a single-story house on the outskirts of town. The family is the second of names changed to maintain confidentiality, follows. Last October Harry Smith and his wife Ellen, both 24, visited the town where George lives. Harry, whose business is scraping wrecked cars, is a bit of a philanderer. Ellen plays around too, and they get together now and then. Both were found to be infected, and George had been treated for infectious syphilis, but he never told Ellen.

The Smiths returned to Illinois, and a few weeks later Harry visited his doctor to complain of swollen lymph nodes. Harry had no lesions, and his doctor apparently did not suspect syphilis. No blood test was made. Thisrapy has cured Harry's problem as "infected glands" and prescribed oral antibiotics. The symptoms later disappeared.

Last August Harry married Brown, a 24-year-old housewife and friend of the Smiths, was diagnosed as having primary syphilis. Her doctor immediately reported the case to the state Department of Public Health. Within four months after the disease had first appeared in the community, were state VD investigators able to start finding and alerting possible victims.

Ann Brown told investigators she had had intercourse with Harry Smith as well as her husband. Ralph, 34, a gynecologist assistant. Both men subsequently were diagnosed and treated for early latent syphilis. Harry also named two other women he had slept with during the past few months.

As it turned out, Ralph Brown had gone to a doctor in December after a lesion had appeared on his genitals. Curiously, no diagnosis was made, no blood test was taken, and no report was forwarded to the public-health office. Ralph was given antibiotics, but not enough to cure him.

The VD Thrill

From Harry Smith the VD trail led to Susie Green, a 20-year-old waitress who was separated, and Betty Monroe, 20 and separated. Both were found to be infected. Both had other paramours, but only Susie passed on the bug. She admitted sleeping with Betty's boyfriend, John Hove, a 24-year-old freight handler; her estranged husband; and Ralph Brown. In the interim, Ralph had listed four other sexual partners between the ages of 24 and 34. A 14-year-old girl who was eventually located in a juvenile home, her diagnosis is still pending. She also implicated her, "more promiscuous" 15-year-old sister.

"There are groups like this everywhere," says Philip Wotton, a U.S. Public Health Service VD adviser who has been working with state health officials here for the past 10 years. "If a case of VD is introduced into the group, it spreads like wildfire. In this instance we had to go after about 120 people."

this had been left alone for another month, there could be 25 cases now instead of just 11.

False Notions Persist

Many Americans don't weigh their chances of contracting VD as they once did. False notions persist. "She comes from a decent family, so she can't have anything. If you can't see it, you can't catch it," he says. And so on.

A Dodge County VD investigator in Miami notes that youth "is the key to transmission process now. The rise in gonorrhea is reflected in the smiling faces out here every morning," he says, pointing to the county health Department's waiting rooms. "We're seeing a lot more of my neighbors from Coconut Grove. A girl will come in with two or three or four friends she has been with recently. They have a good laugh and nobody too upset about it or anything."

Much current complicity about VD stems from the past success of penicillin treatment. It is cheap and painless, so why worry?

The answer: for all the old reasons, and a few new ones. First, the old ones. Syphilis, if left untreated, kills, cripples, and makes its victims blind and insane. It can destroy the liver and reduce the aorta of the heart to rubery pulp.

Dr. James S. McKenzie-Pollock, director of the ASHA's venereal-disease division, estimates that at least 500,000 Americans have latent syphilis today and don't know it. Half of these will be cured spontaneously, the other half will eventually die of syphilis. One can contrast syphilis and move through the infectious primary and secondary stages and into the lingering latent stage-where permanent damages to nerves, heart, and liver can occur-without ever knowing it. The lucky ones have obvious lesions and rashes that spur medical treatment and diagnosis. The unlucky ones, whose syphilis were not diagnosed until they reached the latent stage, when damage had already occurred. This may take decades.

Gonorrhea And The Pill

Gonorrhea rarely causes death. But if left untreated it can cause sterile, blindness, crippling arthritis, and heart troubles. Gonorrhea signals men. Utration happens quickly. But only 2 in 10 women in 10 know they have it. In syphilis, the symptoms disappear. Then the real damage begins. Quivery. Women are more likely to develop serious complications from gonorrhea, says Dr. Nicholas J. Fenman, professor of communicable diseases.

At Chicago's Northwestern University Medical School, Dr. Edwin De Costa has made a startling discovery. The gynecologist reports that half the women he has examined surgically have exhibited signs of past or present gonorrhea. Medical school patients, many of whom are charity cases, are admittedly atypical, however.

Venerologists nevertheless grasp at such straws of information because better statistics are not available. No one really knows the full extent of serious VD complications. The only comforting figures come from the Public Health Service's Center for Disease Control in Washington. In 1960, 210 deaths were attributed to gonorrhea and syphilis in 46, the latest reporting year. This is down from 7,568 in 1950. But even these figures don't tell the whole story, because many doctors either cannot accurately trace the cause of death to venereal disease or are reluctant to do so.

Diagnosing VD, particularly gonorrhea, can be a big problem. For syphilis there is a blood test, the much-refined Wassermann, first developed in 1906. The flourescent antibody test (FTA) has made it possible to diagnose infected chimpanzees with gonorrhea and a syphilis-related disease, pinta. In May a chimpanzee, "challenged," exposed to gonococcal infections to find out whether it produces syphilis antibodies. If it does, Dr. Norins hopes there will be greater Federal interest in financing the fall of the last research barrier to a vaccine: growing the bacteria artificially.

Within two months Dr. Norins' group also will begin field trials of a gonorrhea blood test. The researchers are using the chimpan's infected blood to calibrate their test, and Dr. Norins hopes by next year to have available a blood test that will be 80 percent accurate for female patients in the early stages. That would be a VD-control breakthrough.

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Penicillin's Shortcomings

A single $10,000-unit injection cured the first gonorrhea patient he treated with penicillin in 1943. Dr. McKenzie-Pollock recalls. Now the U.S. Public Health Service recommends 7,400,000 units for men and 3,000,000 units for women. Twice that amount-5,000,000 units-is the maximum injectable at one time of penicillin for women. If dosage requirements increase, future patients may have to be hospitalized for intravenous treatment.

Penicillin G is already losing its potency against gonococcal infections in Vietnam and other Southeast Asian countries. Still, authorities say penicillin impotency isn't yet a major problem nationally. Here in Illinois, doctors commonly prescribe an oral antibiotic, such as Vibramycin, for difficult cases. Carl Lang, a VD investigator here, recalls only a few failures with this treatment. When penicillin becomes less effective against another antibiotic, Lomine is usually given. Its cure record is perfect so far. Another treatment is oral probenecid, which retards urinary excretion and thus raises the level of penicillin.

Many current complacency about VD stems from the past success of penicillin treatment. It is cheap and painless, so why worry?

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Arts Festival Covers Many Areas - Music, Dance, Drama All Included

By Jacqueline Glisson

The “Right Guard”, a mass media art-display of a right guard, can stand on a stand and the graceful.

Raleigh Groups To Sponsor Commemoration

In commemoration of the 11th anniversary of the slaying of 69 African men, women, and children in Sharpsville, South Africa on March 21, 1960, a march will be held in front of the Student Union at St. Augustine College in Raleigh, at 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, March 20.

AT 12:30 a rally featuring Tendai Muprunhu of Zimbabwe, Jerry Walker, SGA president at N.C.C.U., and Frank Williams of the North Carolina office of the Student Organization For Black Unity will be conducted in the Chavis Park picnic area.

The march and rally are sponsored by the SGA of Augustine College, The Ghetto at Augustine College, and S.O.B.U. all brothers and sisters have been invited to attend and bring their liberation flags.

Crossword Puzzle

By Doris Jackson

Across

1. Kind of Cornbread
2. Preposition
3. Single
4. Above
5. Branch Office (abbrev.)
6. Street (abbrev.)
7. To urge on
8. Infinite period of time
9. To urge on
10. To harvest grain
11. To hold
12. Swellings on the eyes
13. Property resources
14. Branch Office (abbr.)
15. Talented
16. To hold
17. To blot out
18. To hold
19. Of the Navy
20. To hold
21. Talented
22. Single
23. Of it (French)
24. To hold
25. To hold
26. Swellings on the eyes
27. To hold
28. To harvest grain
29. Of ice
30. Of office work
31. Of office work
32. Terminal
33. Scholarly
34. To harvest grain
35. Of office work
36. Of office work
37. Of office work
38. An elevated railway
39. To pull in a fold
40. A Black mother holding her child
41. To respond
42. To harvest grain
43. To harvest grain
44. To harvest grain
45. To harvest grain
46. To harvest grain
47. Grande or de Janeiro
48. To harvest grain
49. To harvest grain
50. Superlative of Much
51. Indochina Kingdom
52. More or less

Down

1. Biblical character
2. Aware of (slang)
3. Pronoun
4. Short (for Nancy)
5. A narrow bed
6. Large cage for birds
7. Small barrels
8. To blow out
9. To urge on
10. To throw about
11. Third person singular of See
12. Of the Navy
13. Principles
14. Of the Navy
15. Principles
16. Principles
17. Principles
18. Principles
19. Principles
20. Principles
21. Principles
22. Besiege
23. Given
24. Given
25. Geometric proof
26. To hold
27. To hold
28. To hold
29. To hold
30. To hold
31. Sign of the Zodiac
32. Scholarly
33. Of the Navy
34. A mistake
35. To respond
36. Region
37. An invitation to a traffic court
38. Nonexistent
39. A poison gas
40. A poison gas
41. To respond
42. A poison gas

Editors Note: The staff of The A&T Register regrets that the fact several errors appeared in last week's crossword puzzle. However, above appear the correct solution. We will attempt to see that this does not happen again.)

This Week In History

March 14
Eli Whitney patented the cotton gin based on ideas and sketches of a Negro slave. 1794.

March 15
Richard H. Boyd, Pioneer Baptist leader and publisher born in Noverhuke County, Mississippi. 1843

March 16

March 18
Publication of Freedom's Journal, first Negro newspaper. 1827.

March 19
Nat Turner led dramatic slave insurrection. 1831.

March 20
British policy of offering freedom to Negroes who enlisted in her army brought about controversial Jay Treaty of 1794.
Pirates Dump Aggies
In Season Opener

By Jerome Witten

The Hampton Institute Pirates exploded for six runs early in the second inning of yesterday's baseball game and coasted to a 9-4 victory over the Aggies. The two o'clock contest played in War Memorial Stadium was the season opener for the host Aggies.

Cummings gained his control in hit and the rally was on. At the batter for Hampton got the same Cummings had control problems steady pace until he was relieved and centerfielder, Larry Francis, rightfielder, Charles Middleton, end of the second inning Neverson led off with a grounder inning. Hampton's David "fumblities" in the second game with three hits and two runs batted in.

The game's home run came late in the ninth inning as Hampton's David Palmer connected with Fletcher's fast ball and sent it over the centerfield wall. This must have dampened the Aggies' spirits for the third and maintained in a steady pace until he was relieved in the seventh inning by freshman pitcher, Samuel Fletcher. Mike "Groove Phi Groove" Farrow lead off in the top of the third inning with a walk, stole second and scored easily on a line drive by first baseman, Greg Hairton.

During the fourth and fifth innings the Aggies were still stymied by errors as the Pirates increased their lead to 8-3. Cummings led the fifth inning with a double that bounced off the leftfield wall and came home on another line drive by Hairton. Hairton finished the game with three hits and two runs batted in.

Judy Loving Fights Off Lannier Bryant and Herbert Moore In Karate Class

By Jacqueline Glisson

A most interesting and yet serious, Japanese-oriented place to visit is East Gym at 6:30 during the week to watch the Karate dojos (club) in action. There are seventy dedicated Karate participants, consisting of 45 beginners and 25 advanced members, who diligently work out and practice on their Karate skills.

Not only do the participants learn the mental and physical involvement of Karate, but they also learn of the Japanese language. In the study of Karate, Ronald McNair, the sensei (instructor) said that all teams and commands they use are Japanese.

In this organization, there are two brown belts, Ronald McNair and Vernon Tapps, plus five green belt members. The rank in order of belts are white, yellow, blue, green, purple, brown, and the black belt.

The organization is open not only to Aggie students but to the general public also. Admission is generally accepted the first two weeks of each semester to beginners when new classes start. No fee is required to join.

The person interested in learning the art of Karate must be serious-minded and willing to gain deep self-discipline. Regular class is held on Tuesday and Wednesday while practice in weekdays at 5:30 and Saturday at 1:30. Sessions generally last one and a half hours.

When entering East Gym, one can immediately feel the serious-minded atmosphere and total self-involvement the Karate members put into this sport. As stated by sensei McNair, "Karate involves the whole body from breath to muscle to mind." Some members are so dedicated they come over to practice on their own as early as 5:30 a.m. on some mornings or workout on their spare time.

On March 27, the Karate Dojo will journey to Asheville to participate individually in the Karate Tournament. Competition will be divided into two divisions; men's, women's, and free-fighting competition.

Eight Teams Advance In Quarterfinals; Week To Determine Champ

By Jacqueline Glisson

The Intramurals Basketball Tournament entitled eight teams in this week's competition to advance to the semi-finals, From Monday night up through Thursday night, Moore Gym's court was the battle of basketball victories and defeats for the 16 teams.

Students witnessed the highest scoring Intramural game yet, when the Niggerbockers unleashed the Demolition Squad in a 80-75 thriller. The game went nip and tuck for the most part of the game, but the Niggerbockers paced hard for the five-margin advantage on their opponents as the final buzzer sounded. It was a tough defeat for the D-Squad with their Euoy Watts scoring an all-time individual Intramurals highest score of 35 dazzling points, while the Niggerbockers' Ray Pettiford was right on Watts' heels with 34 points as his team's high scorer. Two Intramurals basketball records were made in this action-packed game.

BOSS versus Lota Phi Theta was a thrilling battle on the court that resulted in a 104-46 win for BOSS.

The Black and Gold of BOSS dominated the court, as their victory ended the losers' participation in the tourney.

Once again those dynamic nymphs engaged on the court as Porchie and the Roaches whipped the Epicureans in exciting basketball action. Porchie and the Roaches unleashed an awesome display of offensive maneuvering and took a commanding lead to win by 62-33, M. Davis and Charles Porchie led the Roaches with 25 and 13 points were made by E. Crossland to lead the Epicureans' scoring. This eliminates the Epicureans.

The Ghetto versus the K-Town Boys was a hard playing game in which the Ghetto was the victor. In the first half, the (See SEMI-FINALS, Page 8)
NAACP Says CIAA Fans Subjected To Double Standards At Coliseum

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follows:

The Greensboro police allowed ACC fans to park on Chapman Street but had towed away cars parked there during the event.

That city traffic officials posted signs directing ACC patrons to the coliseum but did not do the same for the CIAA.

That a cafeteria for ACC patrons was open for parking on Chapman Street but had towing away cars parked there.

That hotels and motels provided transportation for their guests attending the ACC but not for their guests in town for the CIAA.

That a number of banks and business enterprises entertained ACC officials, coaches, and guests but did not do so for their counterparts with the CIAA.

That some shopping centers hung banners welcoming the ACC although not the CIAA.

That a caterer servicing a Friday night CIAA function sustained financial loss when gatekeepers at the coliseum refused to allow him to enter the grounds.

That the Sandhills Daily News, in its sports coverage of both events, discriminated in favor of the ACC, devoting more than twice as much space to it than to the CIAA.

That Smith Barrister, executive sports editor of the Daily News and Record, does the "hiring and firing" of coliseum scoring personnel - that scorers, statisticians, and, on the basis of this affiliation, that Barrister has a "double interest" in events staged there.

That the Daily News printed an article about the economic impact of the ACC tournament on the city but did not do so for the CIAA.

City officials and persons connected with the coliseum were gravely concerned about the allegations.

John Turner, city manager, declined to comment. However, he did state that he would comment when he received a list of the charges.

The charge of police discrimination in parking was stated to be false by Walter Burch of the Greensboro Police Department who maintained that the charges were not sustained in both tournaments, cars obstructing traffic or blocking driveways were towed away.

Burch stated that during the ACC Tournament Chapman Street was open for parking on Thursday whereas only police supervision when all available parking lots were never filled until Saturday. Therefore, he said, "we didn't open up Ms. Burch's East Bessemer Avenue.

Students Want Some Voice In Planning

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Butch Clinton, a senior History major, said, "I feel that freshmen and sophomores should have a voice about planning the curriculum. In our junior year we should have a voice in planning the curriculum because when we get into our major in our junior year. Many students find themselves guided by one catalogue and then they find they have taken unnecessary courses because the department head has changed the number of required courses." Timothy McMullen, a junior Architectural Engineering major, said, "I think that students should have some voice in planning the curriculum, but the head of the department should have the last decisions. The instructors have experienced things that are needed for that career. They have been exposed to the particular field. I think that there should be optional courses that you can take in place of a course."

Brenda Moore, a freshman Social Science major, replied, "I definitely think that the students should have a voice in planning the curriculum, because many courses that we are taking seem unrelated to our majors. It is a waste of time. I think that we should take the basic courses that we need and leave off a lot of courses that we had in high school." Paulette Siler, a junior English major, explained, "I feel that students should have some role in planning the curriculum, because some students are taking courses that they don't want to take and are not interested in. In your junior and senior years, you should take courses that are going to help you instead of those that the department head suggests."