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THE A&T REGISTER

"COMPLETE AWARENESS FOR COMPLETE COMMITMENT"

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Speech Department

Coordinator Wins Fellowship

By Marv E. Cropps

Soon the Speech and Theatre department will be searching for a new coordinator. Ms. Bernadette Anderson, who presently serves coordinator for the department, has received a fellowship of \$6,620 to do doctoral work at Northwestern University in Evanston. Ms. Anderson, who has been the coordinator since January of this year, will study speech and language pathology at Northwestern. She hopes someday to direct her own speech clinic for minority and low income families.

In addition to the fellowship, Ms. Anderson also received a grant from the Advanced

Institutional Development Program (AIDP). Upon acceptance of this grant, Ms. Anderson said, she would be obligated to return to A&T and teach for at least a year. At the present, Ms. Anderson does intend to return to A&T.

A native of East St. Louis, Illinois, Ms. Anderson came to A&T in 1973. She described her position as department coordinator as "a challenge and very rewarding." "I enjoy it," she said, "and being coordinator has helped bring out some skills I did not know I had."

Ms. Anderson described herself as an opportunist. "I am an opportunist," she explained, "and I believe in taking

opportunities as they come my way." She encourages everybody to become an opportunist and take every good opportunity.

As far as the new chairperson of the department is concerned, Ms. Anderson had no information. She said that the department is recruiting, actively for a new person to chair, head or coordinate the department.



Ms. Bernadette Anderson photo by Lawson

SGA Holds Its Inaugural Ball

By Michael R. Davis

The Student Government Association held its Inaugural Ball last Saturday night in the

Union Ballroom.

Ted Mangum, outgoing president, gave his final address. He remarked that, during his term as president, there was no problem too small or too large to deal with. The structure in various committees was also mentioned.

"The problems between the SGA and the administration, the conditions in Scott Hall and students' reactions to decisions, such as those of the medical school and tuition increase could be improved. Students could take an active part in reacting to situations," he said.

Mangum stated further, "These problems are not just Ted Mangum's problems, but they will remain when I leave."

Dr. L.C. Dowdy, chancellor, made brief remarks. "I hope the

work Ted has done with the student court system will allow it to operate smoothly in the future. In Ted we have had an excellent administration and I predict he will someday be the president of the United States."

President elect, Tony Tyson, who was inaugurated, replied, "This is my first policy, short and to the point. This year Aggies are going to make bigger strides and greater contributions than ever. This is going to be the best year in the history of A&T."

He continued, "It is my intention to bring understanding and its assets to a new high this year by promoting better relations between the SGA and the administration through communication. Unity does conquer all!"

Students Hold Trustees Hostage

ATLANTA AP - After spending almost 26 hours as captives in a board meeting room, Spelman College trustees agreed Saturday to consider demands for the appointment of a Black woman to head the predominantly Black women's school.

Fourteen trustees of the 18-member board were freed Friday night after being roped into a meeting room without toilet facilities and with only cereal, milk, juice and water available.

The students locked them in Thursday after they learned that Dr. Donald Stewart, a 37-year-old Black dean at the University of Pennsylvania, had been named to succeed Dr. Albert E. Manley, a Black who retires as president of the 1,200 student June 30.

Stewart said Friday he has decided to reconsider his earlier commitment to the trustees to take the post.

Students demanded that the captive trustees, seven men and seven women, involve students, faculty, and alumni in a new search for a qualified Black woman president.

"We did this in our own best interests and the best interests of Spelman," said Jeta Edwards, a Spelman philosophy major and a leader of the protest. "They've given us a written agreement that they will talk to us, so we don't have to worry; they will."

A faculty spokesman estimated that 500 to 600 students participated in a vigil Thursday night in the halls outside the conference room.

Black leaders, including businessman Jesse Hill, Public Safety Commissioner Reginald Eaves and the Rev. Martin Luther King, Sr., went to the college Friday in an effort to resolve the conflict.

Two attorneys called in to represent students, faculty and staff members conferred earlier Friday with Rep. Andrew Young, D-Ala., to assess the legal implications of the protest.



It looks like the gym is on its way.

photo by Lawson

Junior Nursing Majors Receive Caps Sunday

By Maxine McNeill

On Sunday, April 25, the annual capping ceremony for A&T's junior nursing majors was held in the Paul Robeson Little Theatre. Fifty-five potential nurses were capped during the ceremony.

The presentation of awards preceded the capping ceremony. It was noted that seven of the nursing majors received awards. The speaker for this historical

festivity was introduced to the audience afterwards by Deborah Shamberger, a senior nursing major. Deborah Boyette, the speaker, presented a very informative and interesting speech to the audience. Her speech was concerning the Black nurses' contributions to the field of nursing.

She told them that the

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A&T Is A Part Of You

It is the end of the year and if you're one of the 811 graduating seniors you no doubt have already started celebrating. The other day I recall seeing one senior so engrossed with the idea of graduating that he walked around wearing his graduation cap on his head. I'm sure that incident won't be the craziest one to occur between now and Sunday.

I've heard a number of seniors say they intend to stop the graduation ceremony with a shout or holler. At any rate, I'd like the audience to be prepared for anything extraordinary that might take place Sunday at the graduation.

All I can think of to say to the graduating seniors is congratulations, and good luck in the future. Also, keep your head to the sky, but never forget where you came from.

Although a number of you have said that you plan to forget A&T exists after you graduate, I don't think it is possible. A&T is a part of you. If you deny it, you will also be denying yourself and your Blackness.

Do you remember when the veterinary school was awarded to North Carolina State instead of A&T? The student body of A&T became very much concerned and upset.

How about the more recent incident concerning A&T's nursing school accreditation? The senior nursing majors I'm sure will never forget the way they stormed Dr. Dowdy's house.

If neither of those incidents touched you, maybe the thought of leaving all your newly acquired friends will. Those of you who pledged a fraternity or sorority know what I'm speaking of. You will never forget your line brothers or sisters. They are and always will be a part of you.

If you didn't pledge a Greek or social organization, you pledged something just as significant. That, of course, was A&T. You were on line from the day you first came here. This former line prepared you for the world better than any of the other lines did. So, you can say anything you please but everyone, even you, knows A&T will always be a part of you.

By Maxine McNeill

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FINAL EXAMINATION SCHEDULE, SPRING SEMESTER 1976

Course Sequence	Time of Examination
8:00a.m.-MWF	Tuesday, May 4, 8:00-10:00a.m.
9:00a.m.-MWF	Friday, May 7, 8:00-10:00a.m.
10:00a.m.-MWF	Wednesday, May 5, 12:00-2:00p.m.
11:00a.m.-MWF	Thursday, May 6, 8:00-10:00a.m.
12:00 Noon-MWF	Thursday, May 6, 2:00-4:00p.m.
1:00p.m.-MWF	Friday, May 7, 10:00-12:00 Noon
2:00p.m.-MWF	Tuesday, May 4, 10:00-12:00 Noon
3:00p.m.-MWF	Thursday, May 6, 12:00-2:00p.m.
4:00p.m.-MWF	Wednesday, May 5, 10:00-12:00 Noon
5:00p.m.-MWF	Thursday, May 6, 4:00-6:00p.m.
6:00p.m.-MWF	Thursday, May 6, 6:00-8:00p.m.
7:00p.m.-MWF	Friday, May 7, 4:00-6:00p.m.
8:00a.m.-TuTh*	Tuesday, May 4, 2:00-4:00p.m.
9:00a.m.-TuTh	Wednesday, May 5, 8:00-10:00a.m.
10:00a.m.-TuTh	Friday, May 7, 12:00-2:00p.m.
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3:00p.m.-TuTh	Wednesday, May 5, 4:00-6:00p.m.
4:00p.m.-TuTh	Friday, May 7, 6:00-8:00p.m.
5:00p.m.-TuTh	Saturday, May 8, 8:00-11:00a.m.
6:00p.m.-TuTh	Saturday, May 8, 10:00-12:00 Noon
7:00p.m.-TuTh	Tuesday, May 4, 4:00-6:00p.m.

Look Back And Re-evaluate

By Mary E. Cropps

As this semester rapidly draws to an end, now is a good time for A&T students to look back over the past year and re-evaluate exactly where their heads are. It seems that students on this campus just do not care about anything anymore. There was a time at this school that, when something did not sit well with the students, they voiced their discontent. Now all students do is complain to each other.

Everyday we go into the dining hall and are faced with almost inedible food and we complain to each other. We go back to our rooms and complain about the conditions in the dorms. We go to the library and can not find what we want and we complain to our neighbor again. Each semester we face long lines at registration and we stand in line and complain to the person in front of us or behind us.

Remember the sit-ins of the 1960's? That was a time when A&T students knew what the issues were. They became involved. Now the issues may not be so political but we still have an obligation to ourselves. We may not have to picket for the right to eat at Woolworth, but we can do something about the food in the dining hall. We all know that sometimes the food is inedible and contains some unidentified objects. Together we can do something about the dormitory conditions and the condition of our library.

This is supposed to be a state institution of higher learning. I think one thing that we should be learning here is how to get involved with the world around us. We should work together to change some things around here. Think about it before next year and come back ready for a change.

U.S. Labor Party

Group Uses Disruptive Tactics

Editor's Note: The following article is the first of a two-part series on the actions of the U.S. Labor Party in the Greensboro community.

For the past year or so a group of wild-acting folk have been disseminating petitions and leaflets on campus and around the community. In the past these people call themselves the U.S. Labor Party; in other areas they are known as the National Caucus of Labor Committees or (NCLC).

In the past these people have been simply dismissed as a group of crazy acting white folk, which is what they would like people to think, and for very deliberate and clear-cut reasons.

Because of their recent intensification of activities on our campus; it has become very important that people become hip as to who these people really are, why they behave the way they do, who it is they are working for, and why they represent a serious danger.

On campus you see these people as those white folk in front of the new dining hall and Brown Hall passing out leaflets, selling their newspaper (New Solidarity), calling people Moaist scum, and talking about Rockefeller. This is not all they do though. The following is a list of some of the things they've

done:

(1) USLP members have gotten into fist fights with A&T students who refused to listen to them.

(2) In New York, Detroit, and Philadelphia, U.S. Labor Party members showed up armed and in force to attack a meeting of the Communist Party U.S.A. and the Young Workers Liberation League (YWLL), the CP youth affiliate.

(3) In Detroit USLP members attempted to disrupt a meeting of municipal employees.

(4) Also in Detroit, the USLP disrupted a union meeting of mostly Black nurses at Children's Hospital.

(5) In Springfield, Mass., USLP members from Boston, disrupted a rank-and-file union meetings.

(6) Here in Greensboro in March, Marion Porter, the USLP's candidate for Congress, stormed into City Council chambers and slapped a councilman.

(7) Also here in Greensboro USLP members tried to disrupt a forum program on Angola sponsored by the Pan African Students Organization in the Americas (PASOA).

(8) Physically attack people, as they did on Morgan State's campus and other places.

The activities of the USLP are also known in other countries and the list is much, much longer.

The USLP say they are a left-wing organization; they say that they are a communist organization; they say they are working in the interest of oppressed people. Yet, it is clear that the USLP attacks anybody that may be considered a part of the left movement. It appears to be a basis pattern that whatever position any left group takes on particular issues, the USLP takes the opposite position. It is also clear that those people have constantly harassed and tried to discredit people who in fact are working in the interest of oppressed people.

The USLP's activity had violent beginnings and has continued in this fashion over the last three years. To USLP watchers, it is evident that their hysterical approach to left groups is an attempt to factionalize and ultimately destroy an already divided movement for social change.

The question most often asked by those who have been harassed by the USLP is where do they get the money to pay for an international telex system, print their twice weekly newspaper, a monthly magazine, numerous leaflets, and to have well-dressed, well-fed members run for public office without any visible means of support.

Once we answer these questions the covers gradually begin to be pulled off the USLP. Once these questions are answered, the true color of this group begins to show through. Once we answer these questions it becomes clear that the sole purpose of the USLP is to destroy any body or any movement that truly works in the interest of oppressed people.

It is difficult to cover all the inconsistencies, gaps, lies, and contradictions in the USLP.

By A Concerned Student
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Campus Haps

The A&T Dance Company will present its annual spring dance concert in the Paul Robeson Little Theatre April 29-30 at 7:30p.m. The title of the concert is "Aware" and admission is free.

Howard Lee's Campaign Rally will be held on Wednesday, April 28, 1976, at 4:00 p.m. in Holland Bowl. There will be music so come on out.

Dr. John Moore, herbologist, will speak in Harrison Auditorium at 8:00 p.m. Tuesday

The A&T Register will be conducting a meeting of all staff members and other interested persons wishing to join this organization on Wednesday, April 28, at 7:30 p.m.

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Representative Burke Says

Americans Are Not Rich

WASHINGTON AP-One of the reasons more isn't done to help the poor is the fallacy that Americans are affluent, Rep. Yvonne Braithwaite Burke, D-Calif., said Sunday.

Mrs. Burke, chairwoman of the Congressional Black Caucus, said it is difficult to organize Blacks now because they no longer have the major civil rights issues of the 1960s, but their issues now are economic ones.

Asked on CBS, "Face the Nation" why there had not been more congressional efforts to aid the poor and battle unemployment, she said, "I think there's a great fallacy among American people generally that Americans are

affluent. That happens not to be true; one half of the families in the United States earn less than \$13,000 a year. But we're brain-washed, we believe that we're affluent, and as a result there has been a polarization and a lack of identification of all American people with the problems of the lower half."

She said full employment efforts will be the No. 1 issue in this year's campaign.

Next week the Conference of Black Democrats will be meeting in Charlotte, N.C., and she said she hopes that they will produce a "Marshall Plan for the problems of poor people."

Her reference to a Marshall Plan is to the system of

American assistance which was used to help rebuild Europe following the World War II. On other topics: Although she had praise for California Gov. Edmund Brown, Jr., Mrs. Burke declined to endorse any presidential candidate.

She feels Secretary of State Henry A. Kissinger's current trip to Africa is very important to Blacks.

There has been no commitment on the part of the administration to providing equal employment opportunity,

Black General Speaks At Banquet

A Black Air Force general, who believes in working within the system, is seeking more ways to get young Blacks involved in the military.

"Despite faults of our system," said Brig. Gen. William E. Brown, "there is no other that works any better, and our military system is exceptionally strong."

Brown is one of just five Black generals in the U.S. Air Force. He was in the area over the weekend to participate in the annual Army/Air Force ROTC banquet and ball of A&T State University.

He addressed the cadets and their guests at the Top of the

Mart in High Point, and told them not to be afraid to seek new challenges. "Education is never complete," he said, "and there are enormous opportunities wherever you go."

In an interview, Brown, who commands the 1st Composite Wing at Andrews Air Force Base in Washington, said one of his concerns is to increase the number of Blacks.

"Right now, minorities are washing out in flight school at twice the rate of the white candidates," said Brown. He said the washout rate for white candidates is about 25 percent.

"That's why I am glad they have assigned to me a training

command," he added, "so I can become involved in this problem."

Brown is a distinguished pilot himself, having flown 125 combat missions over Korea and 100 combat missions in Southeast Asia

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Friday*

Girl's Team Takes Loss In Graham Tournament

By Dennis Bryant

On last Friday and Saturday, the state softball tournament in Graham was played. The Aggiettes lost 10-8 to Winston-Salem State and 14-13 to Methodist. The Aggiettes got out to a very good start but their defense was weak.

Against Winston-Salem's, the Aggiettes picked up four first inning runs. The big bat was Diantah Smith's two-run homer.

In the second inning, the Aggiettes' defense was at a poor stance as the Rams scored five runs. The Aggiettes made numerous errors.

With the score 8-4, Diantah Smith again blasted her second two-run homer. From there on, the defense gave up completely.

The Aggiettes went completely cold afterwards. The only sparkle was Peggy Capehart's homer in the seventh inning. The team played below standard, with the exception of a few players.

The final score was 10-8. The Aggiettes out hit the Rams 19-16, with Peggy Capehart going 4 for 4 and Audrey Hines, 3 for 4. Diantah Smith added some great power hitting.

In game two on Saturday, the Aggiettes' fielding was down considerably. Several errors were made en route to a 14-13 loss to Methodist College.

After leading 4-0, the Aggiettes gave up seven second inning runs. Five of these runs were unearned. The Aggiettes had leads of 11-7 and 13-11, but blew them from the lack of defense.

Black Nurses Have Many Responsibilities

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contributions of the Black nurses had been forgotten but in the past Black nurses did play a vital role in the saving of lives.

Deborah told them that today, Black nurses have many responsibilities and functions. Their most important function is that of nursing, added Deborah.

The Nightingale Pledge was recited by the nursing class of 1977 after the speaker finished.

A prayer was said by the president of the Auxiliary of the Gideons, International, Mrs. Brenda Beck. Mrs. Beck also said that the Auxiliary would present each girl with a copy of the New Testament.

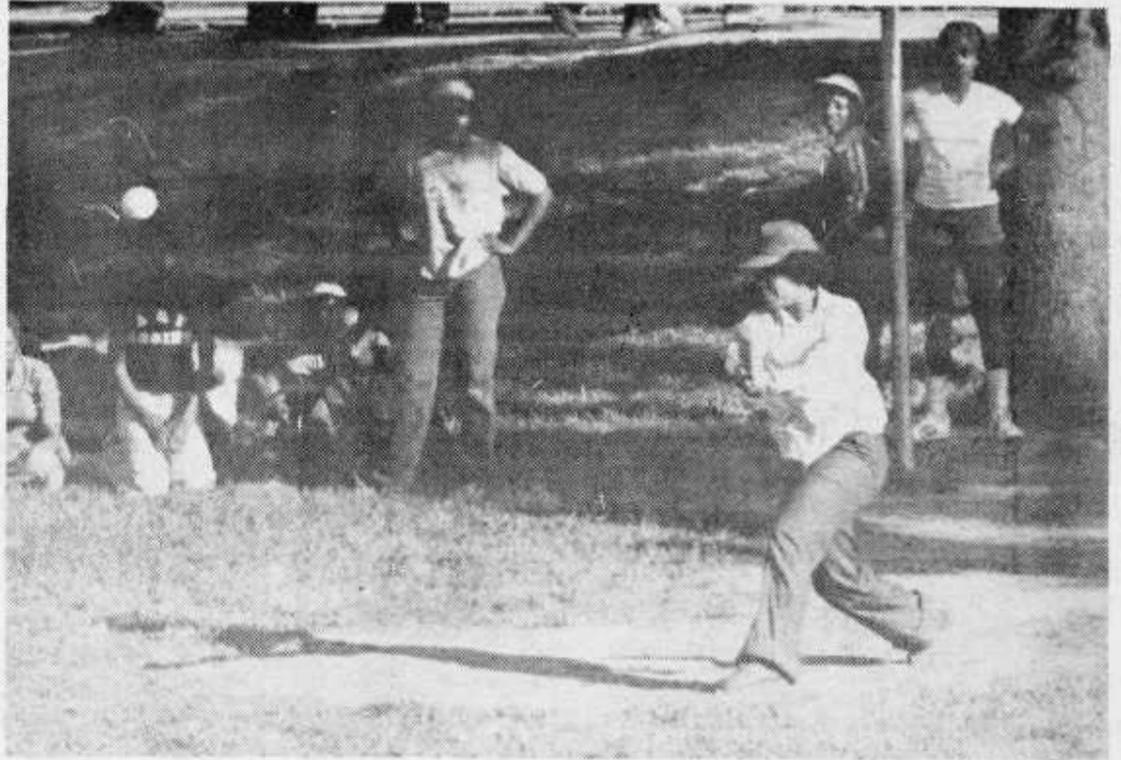
WEATHER

Extended Forecast
Wednesday through Friday:
Fair through the period. Highs
in the mid 60s to low 70s
Wednesday and Thursday.
Warming to the 70s Friday.
Lows in the 40s with low 50s
along the coast Wednesday
and Thursday. Warming to the
50s Friday.

The Aggiettes gave up an incredible twenty-seven hits. The outfield failed to respond to the balls hit to them. The defense gave up; and, as a result, Methodist won easily.

There were three homers from the Aggiettes by Annette Radcliffe, Peggy Capehart, and Alice Lyons. The leading hitters were Annette Radcliffe, Alice Lyons, Gayla Kelly, Debra Clements, and Calamity Lewis. All went 3 for 4. For Methodist, Miles hit 5 for 5 and smashed two homers. The Aggiettes' record is 6-10.

The Aggiettes will face North Carolina State Tuesday afternoon at 2:00 in Greensboro. NCSU, the Division I champs, defeated the Aggiettes earlier in the year twice.



Vickie Blount of Holland Hall shows them how to swing!

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