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# THE A&T REGISTER

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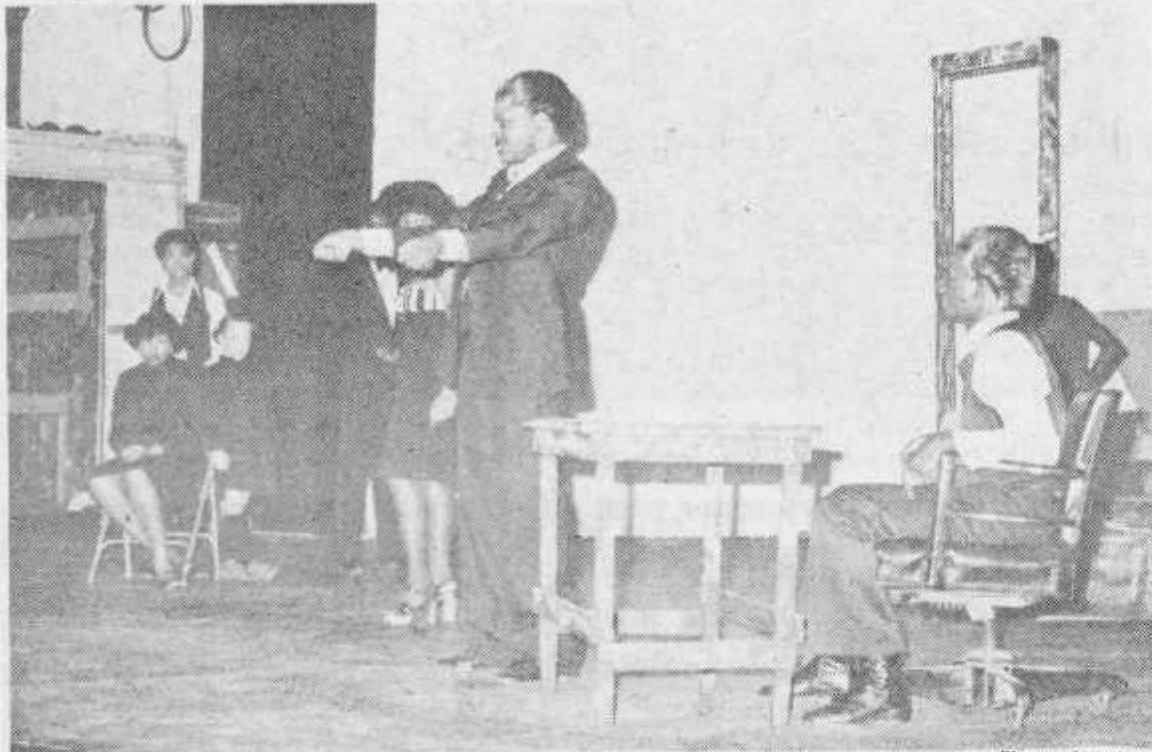


Photo by Love

Through Saturday, November 19, "Six Characters in Search of an Author" will be presented in the Paul Robeson Theatre. The play starts at 8:15p.m.

## Paul Robeson Theater Runs Three-Act Play

By Lanita Ledbetter

"Six Characters in Search of an Author" is being presented in the Paul Robeson Theatre, through Saturday, November 19.

The casts includes students from A&T as well as Afrika Kilimajara, a second grader and March Pinkney, a ninth grader from area schools.

It is a three act play, portraying a family of six and fine actors. The family has come to a local theatre in order to perform their drama. The manager of the Theatre seems to be the ideal person whom the six characters are searching for.

The realism of the play is

not that drama really exists, but that the characters have been created into individuals.

The plot deals with a family consisting of parents, and four children of which three are illegitimate.

All the characters have a certain degree of spite for one another. The father sleeps with his step daughter, who is working at a prostitution house; the daughter feels contempt for her mother under the guidance of Madame Pace, the head of the prostitution house.

The mother is dead in a sense and the two younger children are no longer speaking. The older son is there but not of his own will.

## Fellows Develops Leaders

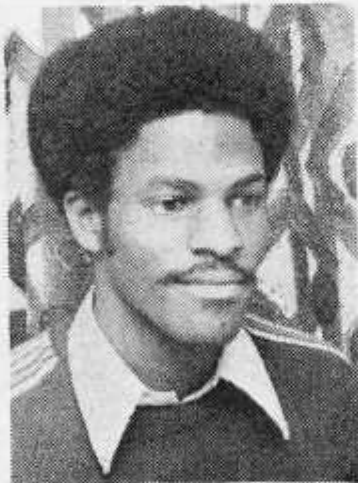
By Larry Jenkins

"The purpose of the North Carolina Fellows is to provide selected students with the opportunity to develop themselves professionally and socially," stated Sherwood Harris, president of the North Carolina Fellows.

The Fellows originated in 1970 on A&T's campus. It is designed to select and develop future leaders in education, business, government and other professional fields.

Harris stated that all students can apply to join the North Carolina Fellows. However, those students who are advanced freshmen and have a high grade point average, who participated in high school activities and attained a score of 800 or above on the SAT will receive an invitation.

Of all applicants, only 25 will be selected for inter-



Sherwood Harris

views. "The applicants will have approximately 25 interviews and five group discussions," stated Harris. Only fifteen will be chosen as North Carolina Fellows.

North Carolina A&T is the only Black university that has a Fellows program. Other universities that have this program are North Carolina State, Davidson

College, and UNC-CH.

North Carolina Fellows is a "self-development organization." Harris believes in order to produce leaders one must be exposed themselves to leaders. The Fellows have attended the Democratic National Convention, the Presidential Inauguration, and conferences aimed at developing leadership skills and qualities.

North Carolina Fellows are funded by the Smith Richardson Foundation. It has an advisory board of 25 members. These members are professional oriented people that assist the Fellows.

Members of the Fellows (See N. C. Fellows, Page 5)

### Against Lawsuits

## UNC-System Seeks Protection

Chapel Hill - A rash of lawsuits against college officials has University of North Carolina system trustees worried. They want protection.

The trustees have authorized UNC President William C. Friday to take out liability insurance for members of the Board of Governors, boards of trustees of the system's 16 campuses and university employees.

One company has offered

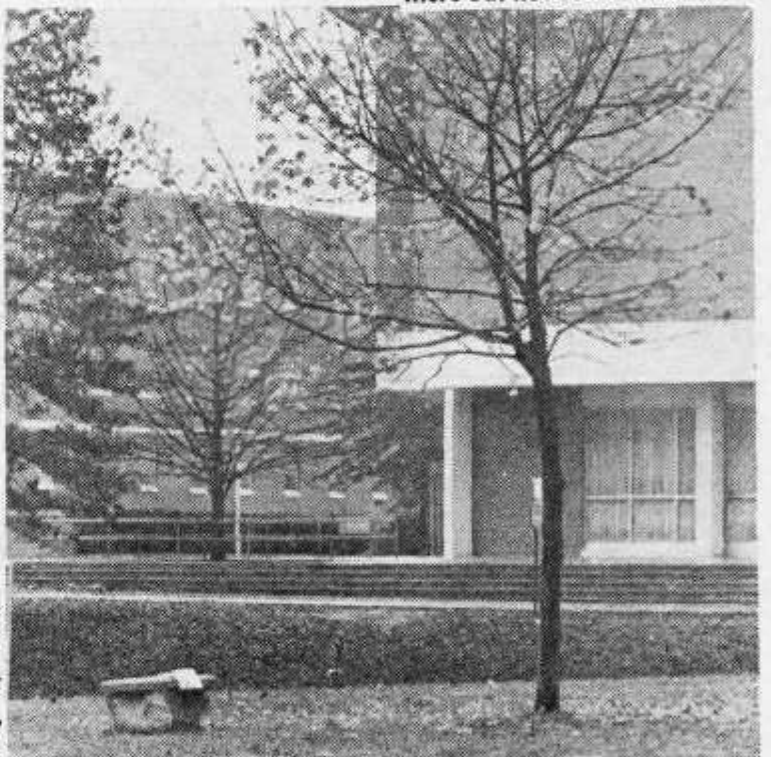


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With the coming of winter come bare trees and cold weather.

## National Competition To Recognize Students

The National Student Educational Fund is sponsoring a national competition to recognize college students who produce the best informational materials for other students.

\$12,000 in scholarships

will be awarded in this national competition called the Better Information Project: Prizes in Education (BIP-PIE).

Individual students or student groups are eligible to (See Students May, Page 6)

for \$4 8,000 a year to provide \$2 million worth of coverage on all actions except bodily injury and property damage. The policy would be \$25,000 deductible and would not cover legal costs of defending against claims.

Friday's office was checking this week to determine whether the first \$25,000 of any judgments could be picked up by the state and whether the attorney general's office could act as

defense attorneys for university employees.

William Johnson of Lillington, chairman of the UNC Board of Governors, raised the insurance question in a workshop for trustees here last week. He noted "an increasing disposition on the part of students, sometimes parents, athletes, even disgruntled faculty members" to sue.

Richard Robinson, an aide (See Friday, Page 5)

## Armed Services Of Today Undergo Liberal Changes

By Rudi Noble

The Armed Services of today have undergone many changes since the strict organization of its earlier days. Branches of the service such as the Army and Air Force are more liberal in their ideas today than in the past.

A close look at these services brings one face to face with the Army and Air Force ROTC detachment units here on campus.

One of the most obvious changes is that of the women in uniform. In the midst of the women's lib movement and other such awakenings it is interesting to see how today's woman feels about her role in the military.

Michelle Lewis, a freshman animal science major, is in the Air Force ROTC. She feels that the Air Force teaches self respect, leadership, and responsibility. "It offers a guaranteed job both inside and out," Michelle said.

Cynthia Coley, a sophomore history major, feels that the role of women in the Air Force is a positive one. "The Air Force teaches respect, discipline and responsibility."

Captain L.M. Dula said

### Barnes Hall Recruiting Place For Biology Club

By Donald Graves

Barnes Hall is your nearest recruiting office for members of the Biology Club. "The strict requirements are that you are willing to participate and enjoy the great adventures of the club," said Nate Brown, president of the club.

Although a draft is indeed needed, the Biology Club welcomes new members. The club is at its all time lowest in members and wishes to rebuild the club with intelligent rookies. Nate Brown, club president, emphasized that there must be an increase in membership and that the present members need to improve their attendance.

The future holds great things for the "Club." Brown states that various field trips are being planned to increase the club's morale. For example, a trip to the Smithsonian Institute is scheduled for late January.

Unaware to many students is that the Biology Club gives tutoring sessions to those who have problems in the biology field. These sessions are free. Biology majors usually conduct the sessions.

that out of 21 seniors, seven are women and out of 10 juniors five are women. Capt. Dula feels that the women represent a very positive image for the Air Force.

Major Lazelle Free, the enrollment officer and assistant professor of military science in the Army ROTC detachment, said there are 34 women students enrolled in the program and also the women are very competitive and eager. "The novelty of getting into the ROTC has worn off. The Army is learning to appreciate the ingenious quality that women bring with them."



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Not like it was years ago, the armed services have become more liberal in their ideas.

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Thursday night, in Harrison Auditorium, the Music Department presented an Ensembles Concert.

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Entertainment

# The Leach Line

By Albert J. Leach

Aggies, I have received four new albums from Casablanca this week, which are predicted to be top sounds soon.

The release of "Alive II" from Kiss comes just as previously released albums "Love Gun," "Rock and Roll Over," and their first live set "Alive."

Their fifth album "Destroyer" has been certified platinum, and a hit single, "Beth," has become a million seller for Kiss also.

The "Love Gun" release marked the first time that all four Kiss members were featured in the lead vocal position and "Alive II" maintains that diversity.

"Alive II" contains such singles as "Detroit Rock City," "I Stole Your Love," "Beth," "God of Thunder," and many more.

If you decide to buy the Kiss album, make sure you check out the singles "Beth," "Rockin' in the USA," "Christine Sixteen," and "Makin' Love."

Then there is Donna Summer's new two album set "Once Upon A Time." This is the third album released by Donna Summer and it is expected to rise to the top of the charts just like her first two.

Donna Summer's second album "Four Seasons of Love" was the number one album in both London and the United States.

"Once Upon A Time," contains such singles as the title tune "Once Upon A Time," which blends into the second selection on the album "Faster and Faster To Nowhere."

Other singles on the album that should be checked into are "Now I Need You," "(Theme) Once Upon A Time," and "Rumour Has It."

Then there is a news group called Masekela, which has released its first album entitled "You Told Your Mama Not To Worry."

The words and music for the album was arranged by Hugh Masekela who is also the piano player for the group.

Other instrumentalist are Ernie Baiddoo, Bass guitar; Frank Todd, drums; Stanley Todd, guitar and Paulinho Da Costa, percussions.

Tunes on the album include the title song "You Told Your Mama Not To Worry," "Hangover," "Black Beauty," "The Mandingo Man," and many more.

The last album is by Margaret Singana entitled "Tribal Fence."

Margaret Singana's album was recorded in Johannesburg, South Africa. Instrumentalists the album include lead and bass guitars, drums, organs and an elka.

Tunes on the album include "Body Rhythm," "Why Did You Do It?," "It's A Man's, Man's Man's World," and many more.

These are four albums I think you might want to check out.

Greensboro Record Center Top 20

1. Back In Love Again..... L.T.D.
2. Just For Your Love..... The Memphis Horns
3. I Just Want To Be The One..... Waters
4. Brick House..... The Commodores
5. A Star In The Ghetto..... A.W.B. & Ben E. King
6. Running Away..... Roy Ayers
7. Serpentine Fire..... Earth, Wind & Fire
8. Boogie Nights..... Heatwave
9. You Can't Turn Me Off..... High Energy
10. Don't Ask My Neighbor..... The Emotions

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## Ensembles Give Concert

By Maxine McNeill

In front of a sparse but enthusiastic crowd, the Music Department presented an Ensembles Concert in Harrison Auditorium Thursday night. The concert lasted approximately two hours.

The program was divided into four sections. The first piece was performed by the brass ensemble under the direction of Johnny B. Hodge. The selection "Toccato for Percussion" was composed by Carlos Chaves in 1942. The rhythmic drum beats held the audience's attention.

Not enough can be said about the second part of the program in which all male singers serenaded the au-

dience with four selections. Included in the selections was J. S. Bach's "Now Let Every Tongue Adore Thee." This piece is an excerpt from the Cantata, "Sleepers, Awake." The males were directed by Howard T. Pear-sall.

Gerald Fried's "Roots" and Victor Ewald and R. King's "Symphony for Brass Choir, Opus 5" was presented by the percussion ensemble during the third section of the concert. This

ensemble was directed by Jimmie J. Williams.

In the fourth section, the woodwind ensemble thrilled the audience by performing the tones of such composers as Keith Wilson, William Spencer Johnson and others. William C. Smiley conducted the woodwind ensemble.

The participants in this concert in a serious and professional-like manner presented a well rehearsed program to its attentive audience.

## Floaters Sax Player Hails From Monroe

By Albert Leach  
For those of you that at-

tended the New Birth concert last Friday, you may remember the saxophone player that introduced the Floaters.

Bobby Sax, alto saxophone player for the Floaters, is also a native of Monroe, North Carolina.

Before Sax joined the Floaters, he had his own group called Bobby Sax and the Housekeepers. The group recorded several records and a disco album entitled "Caribbean Disco."

Sax joined the Floaters in the early part of 1977, where he now introduces the group, and also plays the lead to the instrumental part of the Floater number one single "Float On."

Sax will soon be moving to Detroit, Michigan, where he can keep close to his family and the group at one time.

Also attending the concert Friday night was his mother, Mrs. E. R. Hughes, and his two sons Kevin and George.



Bobby Sax, an alto saxophone player for the Floaters, is also a native of Monroe, North Carolina.

Photo by Person

# The Do Nothings

What is the Senior class doing?

It appears as though the senior class and SGA is at a competitive stage to see which can have the fewest meetings. In three-fourth of a semester, I've only heard of two class meetings.

Is this what we elected the officers of the senior class for. In answer to the question, what is the senior class doing, the answer is nothing.

There have been complaints about the small amount of activities that the campus offers students.

This can only be adjusted if the senior work to help the SGA out in sponsoring activities for students.

This class, if we can be called a class of 1978, would be better suited if it was called the do nothing class of 1978 because that is exactly what we have done in four years. We have only a semester left to put forth some kind of an effort to contribute to this university.

Last year's SGA president's theme was "Unity Conquers All." As a class, let's unite then. "Unity Will Conquer All."

Charles L. Perry

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# Let's Be Thankful!!

By Margaret Brown

The leaves are falling from trees and they make a beautiful scene for the fall with winter just around the corner. This is a special time of the year, to give praise, and thanks. Many of you will be going home for Thanksgiving.

In going home you will be looking forward to seeing friends, relatives, and a table full of mom's home cooking to top the holiday off.

Although we give thanks to a

heavenly father everyday. Thanksgiving is a special time because this day is set aside to give a formal thanks to God for his divine goodness.

In your prayer of gratitude remember the ones less fortunate than you. If time permits visit someone in the rest home, hospitals on some elderly person in your community. An act of kindness of this nature would brighten their day more than you realize.

# Where Do Values Lie ?

By Catherine Speller

Recently it was brought to this reporter's attention that a person can't come on campus and hold a public lecture without a permit.

This policy is for security purposes and traffic control which is a good practice for the university.

But, like any rule, it's subject to have exceptions and our campus is no exception to the rule.

Last week this reporter saw on the news how the social worker on the cross was forced to leave campus without really giving her or the students observing a reason why.

Later it was rumored that she did not

have a permit to speak.

Then last Friday the popular music group New Birth, appeared on campus riding on horses to promote their new album "Behold The Mighty Army."

This reporter can't understand why the music group was allowed to remain on campus while the Black social worker, on her way to Alabama, wasn't allowed to explain her journey to the students.

Where do your values lie administrative officials? Helping a music group sell an album or helping a young Black to promote racial justice?

# "I May Not Be Back"

By Sheila Williams

"I may not be able to come back next year because I won't be getting any financial aid," said one student. "Next year? I may not be able to come back next semester!"

This is just one of the many such conditions that this reporter heard from a vast majority of students here at A&T. Many students are becoming frustrated with just about everything that is going on around us- the merger, campus life, dorm conditions, and now the icing on the cake, the lack of financial aid.

Many students have to depend on financial aid to attend this university. Financial aid enables them to receive an education so that they can pursue a pro-

fessional career.

Not being able to receive some form of aid will hinder many students from continuing their education. And with the ever increasing cost of tuition not only are financial aid students suffering but also the students who have to pay the full amount without assistance.

This can make one become very frustrated. Even though we are away from home, we should not have to live under additional anxieties.

Maybe that is why there is so much apathy on campus, which is becoming a part of built up frustrations, frustrations which could very easily blow a fuse.



The cool, moist air of the Hawaii Volcanoes National Park helps ferns grow to 40 feet high.

# Media Contest Honors RFK

Next year will mark the 10th anniversary of the death of Robert F. Kennedy. It will also be the 10th anniversary of the journalism awards competition established by his friends in journalism.

As an added tribute to his memory and to underscore the things for which he stood, the Robert F. Kennedy Journalism Awards Committee is making a special effort for the 1978 competition to solicit, from both student and professional journalists, outstanding print, broadcast, and photographic entries dealing with the plight of the disadvantaged in American society.

This year, for the first time since the student category was added in 1972, a three-month summer journalism internship in Washington, D.C., may be awarded to the most outstanding student entry. As in past years, certificates will also be given to honorable mention and citation winners, who will, along with the top award recipient, be invited to an awards presentation ceremony in

## Friday Blames

## Rising Lawsuits

(Cont. From Page 1)

to Friday, said the rising number of lawsuits could be blamed on heightened sensitivity to race and sex discrimination, a U. S. Supreme Court decision which "broadened the base" of individual liability in some suits and "a heck of a lot more law to reckon with."

University officials say the ultimate solution will be a self-insurance plan in which the state will provide a pool of money to pay costs arising from lawsuits against schools, trustees, officers and employees.

## N.C. Fellows Provides Internships

(Cont. From Page 1)

are provided with summer internships in their prospective fields. They also tour different cities to "broaden their scope" and "increase their awareness."

Harris encourages all students to become aware of the North Carolina Fellows and their program. Applications will be available December 10 in Murphy Hall.

Washington in May. Judging the student category this year will be Dr. Robert Knight, of the University of Missouri's School of Journalism, and Ms. Margaret Stevenson, faculty advisor to Washington, D.C.'s Duke Ellington High School Cityscape Magazine.

The deadline for receipt of entries for the 1978 competition is January 28, 1978. For further information and

entry blanks contact Ruth Darmstadter at 1035-30th Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20007.

## Weather

Extended outlook Saturday through Monday - Fair throughout. Highs in the 60s, except 50s in the mountains. Lows in the 30s Saturday, warming to the 40s by Monday, except 10 degrees warmer at all times on the coast.

# The Leach Line

(Continued From Page 3)

11. It's Ecstasy..... Barry White
12. Glad You Could Make It..... Archie Bell
13. If You're Not Back In Love..... Millie J.
14. Do Your Dance Pts. 1 & 2..... Rose Royce
15. Dusic..... Brick
16. I Believe You..... Dorothy Moore
17. Deeper..... New Birth
18. Don't Be Afraid..... Ronnie Dyson
19. The Greatest Love Of All..... George Benson
20. We Never Danced To A Love Song..... The Manhattans

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**After-NCCU-A&T Clash**

# Mother's Finest To Appear

By Albert Leach

This Saturday after the North Carolina Central (NCCU) and A&T game Student Activities will sponsor Mother's Finest and Human Blood in Moore Gym.

If you attended the show last weekend, you should remember Human Blood's performance. Some of the tunes the group performed are the Funkadelics "Cosmic Slop," and Mother's Finest's "Baby Love."

Human Blood is a local group from Winston-Salem, and so far it is performing fairly well. Of course, it must be good to have been invited to Greensboro twice in one month.

Mother's Finest is becoming one of the hottest groups

around, especially since the release of its second album "Another Mother Further."

Some of the songs the group may perform are "Baby Love," "Dis Go Dis Way, Dis Go Dat Way," "Truth'll Set You Free," and "Thank You For Your Love."

Remember Mother's Finest had been scheduled to

come for Homecoming, but the group had to cancel for reasons unknown at this time. Mother's Finest will be here Saturday night.

Tickets will be on sale in the Memorial Student Union

The prices are as follows: Students \$4.00, General Admission \$5.00, and \$6.00 the night of the show.

## F. D. Bluford Library Presents Story Hour

By Anthony Boyd

In keeping with National Children's Book Week, the F. D. Bluford Library

presented a story hour. The hour of story telling and songs was devoted to children of the Child Development Lab here on campus.

The story-teller, Ms. Euthena Newman, said the purpose of the story hour was to introduce the children to different books for children.

"Little Engine Could," was the first story. It was a tale of "die hard determination, and will power." The "Big Elephant," written in the classical children's literary style, told of an elephant with humanistic traits.

The children remained unusually still for such a long time and asked for one last story.

Ms. Newman consented and read, "Whistle for Willie," a story dealing with never giving up, when life has you down.

F. D. Bluford Library also plans a seminar and many other displays during children's Book Week.

## Students Can Get Refunds

### If All Accounts Are Paid

By Karen F. Williams

It seems as though there has been some mixup concerning room deposit refunds. Edgar Sheppard of the administrative office stated that both in-state and out-of-state students are able to pick up their refunds if their accounts are paid.

Students on work study, however, cannot receive their refunds until the end of the semester. This is done to assure that the student works the sufficient amount of time.

The regular work aid checks are on the 15th of each month; therefore, the students should pick them up at that time.

Sheppard urges students to come by and sign other financial aid checks and grants if they have not yet done so. He also stated that he would like for students to

come by the office if they have any questions concerning their financial aid.

"I will be glad to help out in any way possible," stated Sheppard.

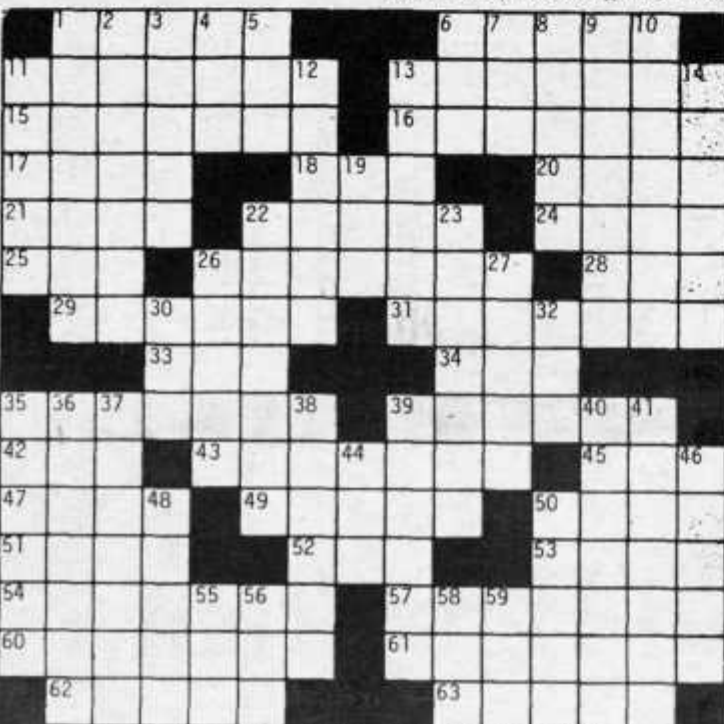
These financial policies be in effect throughout this semester.

## Students May Submit

### Entries

(Cont. From Page 1) submit entries in any media produced during the 1976-77 or 1977-78 academic years. Materials must be aimed at informing fellow students about campus programs, opportunities and experiences.

Application packets and competition rules are available on request from the National Student Educational Fund, 2,000 P St. NW, Suite 305, Washington, D.C.



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## collegiate crossword

- ACROSS**
- 1 — system
  - 6 Disagree with, in law
  - 11 Baseball hall-of-famer, — Baker
  - 13 Reduces in rank
  - 15 Show excessive devotion
  - 16 Learned
  - 17 Govern
  - 18 European country (abbr.)
  - 20 Wallach and Whitney
  - 21 Bed support
  - 22 Lowest point
  - 24 Fine earth
  - 25 Fedora
  - 26 Large grasshopper
  - 28 Zuider —
  - 29 Put on a new book cover
  - 31 What Edmund Hillary conquered
  - 33 No —, ands, or buts
  - 34 Here: Fr.
  - 35 Gave a conceited smile
  - 39 — Delta
  - 42 Faux —
  - 43 In — (behind in payment)
  - 45 Dumbbell
  - 47 Lubricates
  - 49 Neighbor of Turkey
  - 50 — one's time
  - 51 Turkish chamber
  - 52 Snake-like fish
  - 53 Sidekick (abbr.)
  - 54 Newer film versions
  - 57 One TV show
  - 60 Most sarcastic
  - 61 Slanders
  - 62 Aroma
  - 63 Physician of old
  - DOWN**
  - 1 Constructed with standardized units
  - 2 Try to equal or surpass
  - 3 Issue a new lease
  - 4 Mr. Gershwin
  - 5 Famous king
  - 6 — Fuehrer
  - 7 Flightless bird
  - 8 Statistical measures
  - 9 Put into service
  - 10 Puts in a new floor
  - 11 Stern
  - 12 Nullify
  - 13 Ridicule
  - 14 Musical group
  - 19 Miss Williams
  - 22 Former world leader, and family
  - 23 Las Vegas hotel
  - 26 Novelist Franz —
  - 27 Knocks down by punching
  - 30 Abbreviation before a date
  - 32 Dolores Del —
  - 35 Animal tracks
  - 36 Certain race horses
  - 37 Muslim
  - 38 Most arid
  - 39 Dispatched
  - 40 Offensive, as an odor
  - 41 — Purchase
  - 44 Before
  - 46 Celebrations
  - 48 Tree product
  - 50 Fundamental
  - 55 Golfer — Venturi
  - 56 Superlative suffix
  - 58 Slangy throw
  - 59 " — nightingale..."

## Answers To Last Puzzle



## Campus Haps

The Army ROTC cadets are sponsoring a food drive during the Thanksgiving holidays. Contributions of non-perishable items may be placed in distribution boxes located in your dormitory. Please support this worthwhile project.

ICARE is having a clothing and fund drive for the flood victims of Western North Carolina. This drive will begin on Friday, November 18, and last until Thursday, December 15. Boxes will be placed in the lobby of each dorm and in some of the other buildings. Members of ICARE will be soliciting donations. Neighboring campuses are urged to join in the drive. Please support this worthy cause!!

ICARE will be going to the Carolina Nursing Home on Benbow Road on Sunday, November 20, at 2:00 p.m. All members and interested persons, particularly those with automobiles, are asked to meet in the parking lot of Harrison Auditorium at 1:30 Sunday to go to the Nursing Home.

Who's Who pictures are scheduled to be taken for the Yearbook Thursday, December 8, between 2:00 p.m. and 4:00 p.m. Please come to the yearbook office, Room 210 in the Student Union, to meet the photographer. Please note that this is the only day and time that you will have an opportunity to have your picture taken. There will be positively no retakes.

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BEOG recipients must enroll each semester in a minimum of twelve (12) credit hours to receive the full amount of their awards. Students enrolling in nine (9) to eleven (11) credit hours will have their grants reduced to three-fourths (¾) of the dollar amount of the original award. BEOG awards for students who register for only six (6) to eight, (8) credit hours will be reduced to one-half (½) of the original award. BEOG recipients enrolled for less than six (6) semester credit hours will not be eligible for the BEOG Program.

# Sports

## Notebook

By Archie Bass

The 1977 football season has been one of finesse for the Aggies and head-coach Jim McKinley. However, their adroitness and delicacy of performance Saturday afternoon may not be witnessed. Why?

Saturday afternoon, the Aggies will close out this year's campaign with arch-rival North Carolina Central; and, whenever there's an Aggie-Eagle clash, finesse renders itself to blood.

The stage was set last year in Durham, with the Aggies leading 16-14, with less than a minute to play in the game.

Help, officials! Help!

This was the cry from the Eagle bench. And, faster than a speeding bullet, the officials came to their rescue and bailed them out.

With three consecutive pass completions, one of which was vividly incomplete because the receiver had both feet out-of-bounds, marched the Eagles within 16-yards of a field-goal.

Ironically, there was no time remaining on the clock; and, believe it or not, the football did not split the uprights for a successful 3-point field-goal.

There you have it, and this explains why the five seniors say "We want to win this game because they robbed us last year."

Even though first-year coach Jim McKinley is new to the Aggie-Eagle feud, he vouches strong words of pay-back.

We remember very well last year in Durham.

Will McKinley call-off-the-dogs?

Is there blood in the Aggies' eyes?

Tune in Saturday afternoon at Memorial Stadium, and draw your own conclusion.

If last year is any indication of grudge matches which resulted in fist swinging and blood streaming, then this year could be World War III.

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The season has come to an end, and so do predictions. The prediction record of the sports staff this year was 8-2.

Meanwhile, the outcome of Saturday's game shouldn't prevent the final prediction record from being 9-2.

We probably could score 75-points; but, knowing soft-hearted McKinley, the Aggies should win by at least 4-touchdowns.

Eagle stew!

## PREDICTIONS

Dennis Bryant.....A&T

Craig Turner.....A&T

Archie Bass.....A&T

## Homecoming Part II

### Aggies vs Eagles

## In Air Of Revenge

# Aggies To Host NCCU Eagles

An air of revenge will hang over Memorial Stadium this coming Saturday as the Eagles of North Carolina Central invade Greensboro to do battle with A&T before an expected 18,000 fans.

A&T is coming off a 22-7 upset win over eighth ranked Delaware State which propelled the Aggies into second place behind league leading and now conference champion South Carolina State.

On the other hand, NCCU has experienced the worst football season in its history and has been racked with internal strife and one major resignation.

Willie Smith resigned his head coaching post midway through the season claiming personal reasons for his sudden departure. Smith had won one MEAC title for the Eagles in his first year at the helm in 1973 after coming from a successful stint at Maryland-Eastern Shore. Former A&T star "Stonewall" Jackson is now interim coach.

Although the exact outcome of the Eagle problem remains foggy, the 1-9 club does field a representative team, and A&T Coach Jim McKinley has recognized this fact.

"They are a large team but they do have a bit of speed at the corners and in the middle of the linebacking crew. Offensively they'll show you a little bit of pro set, some power I, and some veer. They try to keep you guessing.

"They have a top passing attack and the wide receiver is about as good a player as you would want to see."

He was referring to Reggie Smith (5-6,145) who was the main cog in Central's controversial 17-16 victory of a year ago. The quarterback will be Charles Armwood (6-3,165). His favorite target is Maurice Bassett (6-2,210), the tightend who was All-MEAC a year ago.

Defense is held down by Tyrone Boykin (6-2,210) at end and Walt Odom (6-1,230) at middle linebacker. Ray Irby (6-0,190) is the secondary leader and is a three-year starter.

"This is the first A&T-NCCU game I've been in contact with, and there is a lot of electricity in the air. Everyone I've talked to has told me what this game means. It's like a whole season in one game. I really haven't seen a rivalry this intense," said McKinley.

"It's by far the biggest

game of the season, and we don't plan on holding back. We plan on taking it to them and playing the best possible game. We still need this to clinch second, but I think

mentally just this being Central overshadows a lot of things."

Gametime is set for 1:30 p.m. at Memorial Stadium Saturday afternoon.

## Aggies Open Season With Win Over Ft. Bragg

By Dennis Bryant

The A&T Aggies, led by center Cheryl Armwood and guard Tammy Garner, opened their 1977-78 season with an impressive 64-41 victory over Fort Bragg.

The game opened with a number of turnovers. Down 6-0, the Aggies opened their scoring attack as they outscored Bragg 15-6 to take a 15-12 lead, a lead they never relinquished.

Led by Garner and teammates Mamie Jones and Trina Graves, the guards went to work. The three point guards scored 17 of the team's 34 first-half points. It was their key defensive plays that led the Aggies to a 34-20 halftime score.

The second half was a battle of the turnovers before the Aggies went to work. With the score 50-37, the key once again was the defense. Jones prevented the opponent's guards from driving.

To say the team looked like last year's team would be misleading because they didn't. The Aggies might have to improve in certain places, but there are a lot of areas that need to be worked on.

The freshmen that Coach

Joyce Spruill recruited haven't proved their ability to play. The returnees led the way to victory. These were some bright spots. First of all, the big pivot-persons, LaVerne Williamson, Deborah Williams, and Renee Alfred, controlled the boards.

The team's fast breaks were very consistent. The Aggies led 54-37 at the 6:15 mark. In the last six minutes, they outscored Fort Bragg 10-4 enroute to the victory.

The final score stood 64-41, A&T. The team came out to play; and, for the crowd of close to 2,000, it was a thrilling sight. The girls were able to control their errors and control the tempo of the game.

The Aggies, with a 1-0 record, were led by Cheryl Armwood and Tammy Garner, with 11 and nine points, respectively. Trina Graves added eight with Mamie Jones, Ivy Moody, and Michelle Blanding adding six each.

For Fort Bragg, O. Watson led the attack with ten points and her teammate Williams contributed nine in a losing cause. The Aggies travel to Pfeiffer College on Tuesday.

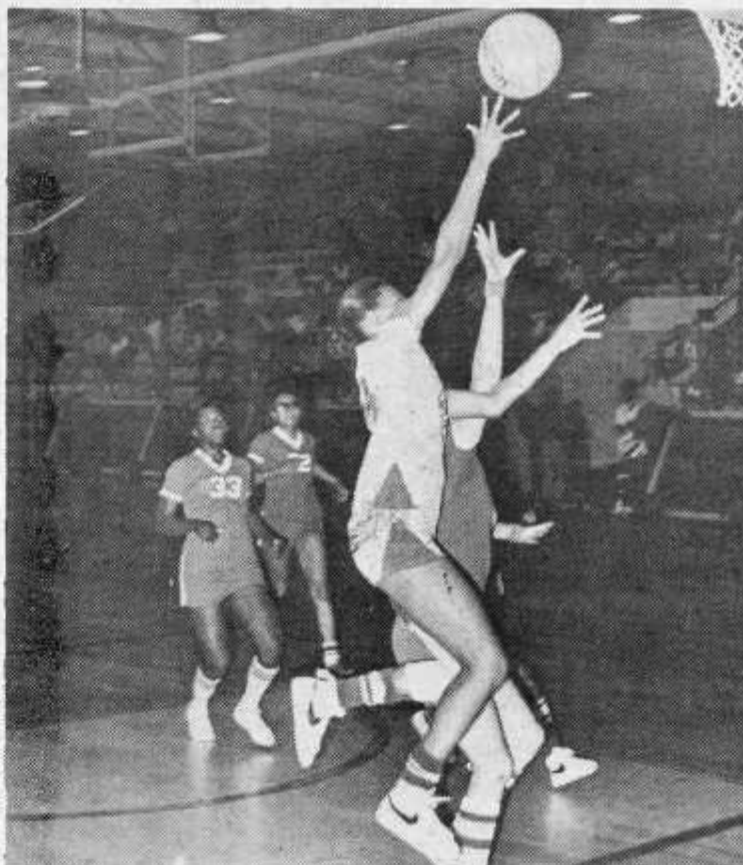


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The A&T Aggies won their first victory over Ft. Bragg. Here Cheryl Armwood goes over a Ft. Bragg player.





**Now comes Miller time.**

