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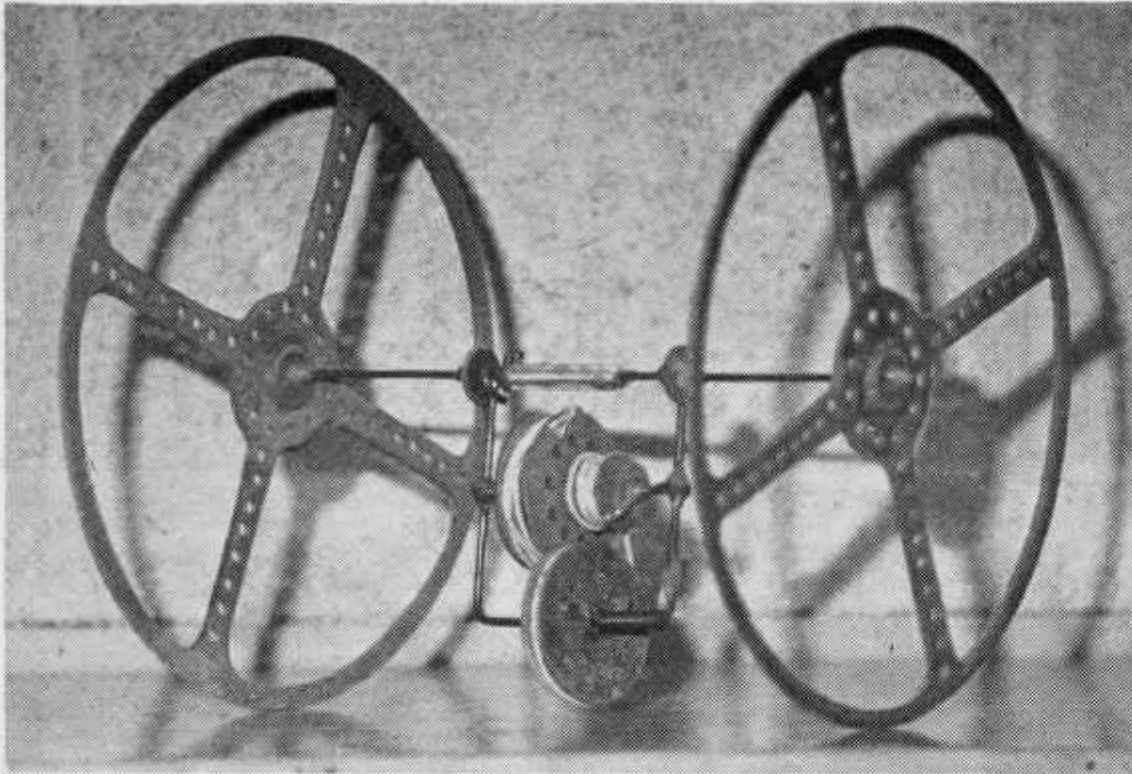


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The mouse trap car, an example of summer pre-engineering students final project.

Transportation Institute Grants Students Stipends

The Transportation Institute announced that six student stipends of \$2,200 are available for the 1978-79 academic year. Applications for these grants are available in Room 302, Merrick Hall.

Students must be sophomores, juniors, or seniors with high academic ratings and a commitment to transportation as a career to qualify for a stipend. Each selected student will be assigned as an assistant to a faculty member to help conduct transportation research or training projects. Approximately 10 hours of work per week will be expected of stu-

dent assistants. Hours and work assignments will be worked out with the faculty member in charge of the project.

Student assistants will be required to complete at least two courses in transportation per year. They may not hold any other jobs on or off campus during the academic year except during school vacations.

Previous academic performance, previous applicable experience, and faculty recommendations will also be taken under consideration in awarding these stipends.

Student assistants will participate in many of the Transportation Institute's activities including field trips and conferences as well as their assigned projects. In addition to the substantial financial benefits, the student assistants will have an opportunity to obtain valuable work experience in the field of transportation.

There are many exciting and rewarding job opportunities in the transportation industry. Employers seeking students with a background in transportation include mass transit operators, transportation consultants, railroad and trucking firms and local, state and federal agencies concerned with transportation.

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Heritage Center Plans Unity Day

The African Heritage Center will sponsor a University Unity Day celebration Saturday beginning at 10 a.m.

The initial activity will be an open house of the museum's offerings. This will be followed by the presentation of a play, "Roots, Bubbling, Reason," by a group of high school students from Reidsville, and at 1 p.m., the presentation of an original outdoor pageant, "A Man Named Moses."

The pageant will be presented free on the grounds adjacent to the Heritage Center.

"A Man Named Moses," a biography epic drama, was written by Mildred Bright Payton and features a cast of nearly 20 persons.

The play is the story of a Chatham County slave who could neither read nor write when he began selling love poems to University of North Carolina students.

The slave, George Moses Horton, composed lyrics to order and emotional love poems.

He later published "The Hope of Liberty," "Poetical Works" and "Naked Genius"

after he was freed by the Union soldiers.

The Unity Day celebration, which also features activities in the various departments and a dinner in the front of the

Gordon States

SGA Positions Available

By Catherine Speller

The Student Government president for the 1978-79 school year, Richard Gordon, has 13 available positions in his presidential cabinet.

Gordon stated that the positions are all appointed positions and that any student who has at least a 2.00 point grade point average (GPA) can apply. He also said that the GPA won't extend to freshmen.

To apply for the following positions, you must go to the Student Government Association (SGA) office and fill out an application.

The cabinet positions are: Program Director, Attorney General, Public Relations Director, Secretary of Transportation, Secretary of

Williams cafeteria, is being coordinated by the Student Government Association.

The Student Government Association hopes that each department will conduct an

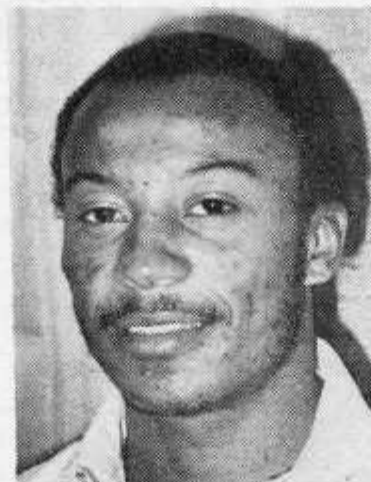
open house and set up displays and distribute literature.

There will also be musical entertainment, games volleyball, softball, horse shoes, and card playing.

Academic Affairs, Secretary of Student Aid, Secretary of Organizations, Liaison and Development, Secretary of Female Housing Affairs,

Secretary of Male Housing Affairs, Secretary of Community Affairs, Secretary of Town

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Richard Gordon

Freshmen Experience Excitement, Confusion

By Larry L. Jenkins

Excitement, confusion, and frustration were experienced by the approximately 1100 freshmen, readmitted, and transfer students as they arrived on campus last Sunday.

The students were welcomed in their respective dormitories and given assistance by student counselors. The counselors are a part of

Counseling Services located in Murphy Hall.

Monday, at the Freshman General Assembly, the students were welcomed by Dr. Lewis Dowdy, chancellor of A&T. Dowdy warned the students that it was all right to study in "girlology" and "boyology" as long as they did not major in it.

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Administrators, Staff Meet Incoming Aggies

Other administrators and faculty members were introduced to the new Aggies.

Registration began Monday afternoon after the newly-arrived students met with their school deans. Special assistance was given to those students

with undecided majors.

Frustration hampered those who did not have housing accommodation and whose financial aid had not yet arrived.

All freshmen were required to take the Nelson-Denny Reading Test and a study behavior test administered by the Counseling Services.

In an effort to inform the students about campus living, rules, and regulations, training sessions were held in Crosby and Merrick Halls Sunday, thru Tuesday. These orientation sessions were conducted by the student counselors.

Classes will begin Monday, August 28.



Smile ; you're on Aggie Camera.

Photo By Person

Stipends Available To Students

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These stipends are made available through grants from the Urban Mass Transportation Administrators, the United States Department of Transportation, Sea-Land Services and the United Parcel Services.

Prof. Arthur Saltzman, director of the Transportation Institute, stated that "the grants will be awarded to students in a number of academic departments based upon a competitive application procedure". He further stated that "there is a national commitment to train and educate more students for careers in transportation and we are proud that A&T continues to support students with these grants".

Juniors, Seniors To Dine In Brown Hall

By Catherine Speller

Junior and senior boarding students will dine in Brown Hall cafeteria during the 1978-79 school year. Williams will continue to serve the freshman and sophomore dining area.

The division by classes will help to alleviate the overcrowding and long lines in Williams Cafeteria.

Mrs. Laura Thornton, director of food services, said, "Years ago, when Brown Hall was new, it was designated as the junior and senior hall because Murphy Hall was too small to accommodate A&T's increasing enrollment."

Brown Hall was recently renovated and other additions

will continue to be made throughout the year.

"It's kitchen facilities are better than those in Williams and it's a pretty building," stated Mrs. Thornton

Brown Hall will be closed on weekends and for breakfast; therefore, all students will eat breakfast and all weekend meals in Williams Dining Hall.

Only athletes in season will eat in Brown Hall. For example, only athletes who play football will eat in Brown Hall now.

In Williams cafeteria, a sandwich line will be added to the regular hot lunches about September 30.

This year students won't be

allowed to bring any food or fresh fruit out of the dining halls, and there will also be at least one special holiday meal a month.

New plates and silverware have been purchased for both cafeterias, a brown pattern for Williams and a blue and gold pattern for Brown Hall.

Supervisors for Brown Hall will be Mrs. Horne, Mrs. A.

Isaac, and Mrs. B. Jones, and the head chef will be Alfred Bost.

The head chef of Williams cafeteria is Mrs. Ann Stuart and the supervisors are Mrs. M. Deveriane, Ms. R. Marshall, and Ms. A. Wise.

"If you have any problems in either cafeteria please contact one of the supervisors," said Mrs. Thornton, "but my door is always open."

Sports

Solar Energy Project Initiates New Goal

If two current energy projects are successful, A&T State University could be much nearer its goal of initiating a center for solar studies, according to Dr. Suresh Chandra, dean of the school of engineering.

Chandra announced that A&T has received a grant from the U.S. Department of Energy for \$99,550 to develop a solar collector test facility. He said the funds will also be used to prepare a solar radiation design handbook for North Carolina.

A&T has already received a \$24,000 grant to develop and test the economy of heating a home with solar energy, from the North Carolina Energy Institute.

Dr. D. Klett, holds a Ph. D. heat transfer and Thermodynamics from the University of Florida, said the test facility would be the only one in the state, with the nearest

one being at the Virginia Polytechnic Institute.

He added that the solar collector test facility will be used to perform efficiency certification tests on commercially manufactured solar collectors Dry Goswami who hold a Ph. D degree from Auburn University in solar energy and transfer, said the Garrett House at A&T will be used as the demonstration house. The house, already used by the Department of Home Economics for consumer studies, will be outfitted with a solar system for space heating and hot water needs.

William A. Streat, Jr., chairman of the architectural Engineering Department, will direct the project over the next year. Streat, a graduate of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, says attention will be given to the design of economical solar collectors, to provide energy for space and water heating.

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Dr. Zaloom Heads Industrial Engineering Dept.

The Industrial Engineering Department at A&T, one of the newest academic programs, will be headed by Dr. Victor Anthony Zaloom, a teacher with wide research and industrial experience.

Zaloom, formerly a professor at Auburn University in Alabama, has become chairman of the Department of Industrial engineering at A&T.

A native of Patterson, New

Jersey, Zaloom formerly was senior operations analyst for General Dynamics at Fort Worth, Tex. He also taught at the University of Houston and Texas Christian University.

Zaloom has been associated with the Air Force Logistics Management Center, the NASA Marshall Space Flight

Center, and the J.H. Miller Medical Center at the University of Florida.

He holds the B.S. and M.S. degrees from the University of Florida and the Ph.D. degree in industrial and systems engineering from the University of Houston.

Zaloom is a member of the National Society of Profes-

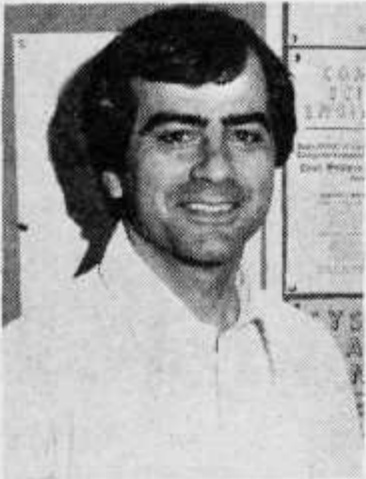
sional Engineers, American Institute of Industrial Engineers, American Society for Engineering Education; and the Institute of Management Science.

He is married to the former Linda Moore. They have five children.

A&T is the only predominantly Black universi-

ty in the nation with an undergraduate degree program in industrial engineering.

The School of Engineering also offers degrees in architectural engineering, mechanical and electrical engineering and in engineering physics and mathematics. The school also has a graduate program in engineering.



Dr. Anthony Zaloom

20 Students Attend Radio Workshop

By Lanita Ledbetter

Twenty students of A&T attended a radio broadcast workshop August 9 to the 23 to learn the basic skills of radio broadcast operations.

The workshop was divided into two divisions of radio media, news and announcing.

Gary Flanigan, the new coordinator of the Mass Media program conducted the announcing clinic for students expressing an interest in that area.

Paul Vangdergrift of Shaw University assisted Flanigan and directed the news clinic. Students in the clinic learned basic foundations of newswriting and some technical aspects of radio.

Examinations were given Tuesday to see how well the students had retained the information presented to them over the three prior days.

Commencement was held Wednesday morning and students were later informed of their responsibilities for the new upcoming radio station WNAA.

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On every paper that you fill out at this institution there's a space for your social security number; and, if your social security number is wrong, there's a chance that your grades might get mixed up with someone else's.

Before you are allowed to enter any home game or any other campus activities, you must show your I.D.

During registration you received three stickers, and that's three other numbers that you will be known by and should remember.

Without your I.D. you can't check books out of Bluford Library or receive medical attention or medicines from the infirmary or even eat in the cafeterias.

Your I.D. is just as much of value, as your charge slips, copies of class schedules, permits to register or any other official document received from A&T.

Your I.D. can be of value to you off campus also because you can use it to aid in cashing checks

and to gain entrance in various clubs in the city.

If your I.D. is lost it will not be replaced free by the university, there will be a charge.

Many students find it convenient to put their I.D. on the same chain with their keys; others place it on a chain and wear it around their necks

Wherever you decide to keep your I.D., please keep up with it because without it your name alone won't gain you access to many facilities on campus.



Welcome To An Experience

By Sheila Williams

Our task of welcoming everyone back this semester, the freshmen as well as the upperclassmen, is one of the most rewarding experiences that we will ever encounter.

Making one feel welcome in new surroundings gives the student just enough feeling of security to erase the nervousness from the initial shock of campus life.

After everyone makes you feel at home and students have taken their daily stroll around campus to see who has and who has not returned, then we

must realize that it's time to get back to the old drawing board. It's back to the books and the midnight oil.

This year, fellow Aggies, the staff hopes you will set out to achieve your goals with a new determination. Sure there are changes being made at this university, but one should take these changes in stride and use them as a new outlook for a "University on the Move".

This columnist hopes that the fall semester for each student will be a memorable but rewarding experience.

Radio Station Brings Change

By Lanita Ledbetter

Another school year has approached and so has another year of changes. One positive change we, the students, faculty, and members of the community, have to look forward to is WNAA. WNAA has been a long (W-A-N-T) wanted station that would hopefully bring some black perspective to our campus and surrounding community.

The new radio station is scheduled to be on the air 19 hours a day and it is

be centered around "Blues" and soul, but also: it will be a station of community awareness, cultural enlightenment, and educational purposes as well.

The new and different type of station is not what many of us are used to, but realize education is primarily the broadening of one's horizons and we never stop learning. This could prove to be a very rewarding experience and moreso one we can be proud of as Aggies.

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FALL Elections for the following positions are going to be held September 7th. Any person running for these positions should come by the SGA office in rooms 217 & 218 of the student union, by August 29th.

- The following positions are open:
- Student Government Treasurer
 - Freshman Class--President, Vice-President, Treasurer, Secretary & Queen.
 - Sophomore Class--Secretary & Treasurer
 - Junior Class--Secretary
 - Senior Class--Secretary & Treasurer
 - Student Judiciary Council

For further information contact The Student Government Office.

Omega Psi Phi presents "JAM OMEGA STYLE PART II" at the Cosmos I from 9-2 a.m. Admission

will be \$2.00 for everyone. If you liked Part I you'll be crazy, absolutely crazy over Part II.

The Aggie Express Pep Club has a very important meeting Mon., Aug 28, in the Student Union, Rm. 212 at 7 p.m. Interested persons are invited to attend.

The Student Government Association (SGA) will sponsor two (2) buses to the Winston-Salem game Saturday, September 2nd. Tickets for the bus are \$1.00 and can be purchased from the SGA office or the information desk in the student union. Tickets for the game can be purchased for \$4.00 from Campbell Hall. The buses will leave for Winston-Salem at 5:30 p.m. and return to Greensboro at 10:30 p.m. September 2.

There will be a **Men Inclined Alpha (MIA)** meeting Aug. 30, in Hines Hall at 7:30 p.m.

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RICKY'S NOTES
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By Richard B. Steele
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I would like to take this opportunity to welcome all the new freshmen to the almighty Aggield and our world of entertainment. If any of you are entertainment-minded, stop by The Register office and share your ideas with us.

The first big event this fall in the way of entertainment is the big freak getdown concert coming up this Saturday night. The main attractions are Roy Ayers coming at you with the sounds from his latest album, 'Send It Out', with the single cut 'Freaky Deaky'. The remaining groups include 'Sun' with the singles 'You're The One', 'I Made A Choice', and 'Sun Is Here'. Cameo still 'knows who they are' with cuts from their album such as 'It's Over', 'It's Serious', and 'Why Have I Lst You'. It's all for 'YOU' when the McCrays come into the spotlight. This looks like the makings of a dynamite show. Tickets are on sale throughout Greensboro and at the coliseum for \$5. Tickets are \$6 the day of the show. See you **h e r e**.

The first on-campus jam is in the making for Saturday night so practice your dodge, rock, spunk, swing, and warm as the discos begin.

The Queen of Soul, Aretha Franklin's 'Almighty Fire' LP is climbing the charts as the Princess of Soul; Natalie Cole charms us with 'Natalie Cole Live'. Queen of the Disco, Donna Summer's 'Last Dance' has blown the lid off discos across the nation, but the High Priestess of Soul, Sister Millie Jackson's 'Get It Outcha System' is on its way to becoming gold.

'Roots: The Next Generation' will be aired as an 'ABC Novel For Television' during the 1978-79 season. The 12 to 14 hour drama is a continuation of Alex Haley's epic saga of the triumph of a Black American family. James Earl Jones is to portray Haley in the flick. Other cast to appear in the production include [in alphabetical order]; Georg Stanford Brown, Ossie Davis, Ruby Dee, Olivia De Havilland, Ja'net DuBois, Henry Fonda, Dorian Harewood, Kene Holliday, Lynne Moody, Harry Morgan, Greg Morris, Stan Shaw, Marc Singer, Richard Thomas, and George Voskovec.

'Roots: The Next Generation' is a David L. Wolper production in association with Warner Bros.

Gordon States

SGA Seeks Candidates

Students, Secretary of Religious Affairs and Secretary of Auxiliary Services.

"These positions were set up in an effort to involve more students directly in the SGA," replied Gordon.

The SGA hopes to accomplish with the help of the student body, a greater sense of

campus and community pride which will involve ending campus vandalism, littering and all acts of immaturity," said Gordon.

Other plans for the year include revisions in the registration process, establishing a better grading system, a faculty evaluation program, a better

Marching Band Innovative

By Wilbert T. Ingram

Dr. Johnny Hodge, a graduate of American University and assistant band director here, is pleased with the present initiative of the Blue and Gold Marching Machine.

Hodge who is a native of Henderson received his undergraduate degree from N.C. Central University and his masters from UNC-Greensboro.

"This year's marching band will be innovative," commented Hodge.

"We think that it will be a very good group," stated Hodge. "The students have a good attitude about what they're doing," he added.

Dr. Hodge said that the upper-classmen are very helpful as far as showing the freshmen and new band members how and what to do.

Hodge has been involved in music for 16 years. He has taught at Smith High school, and at Greensboro College. He also taught in the Montgomery County Public School

System in Maryland; and in 1973, he was assistant band director at A&T.

Hodge stated that he is making plans for a mini tour to be taken by the Symphony Band.

"On the tour we plan to present former music majors as soloists," said Hodge. "We

also plan to play more upgraded music this year," he added.

He commented on the marching band by saying that the quality of the group was more important than the number of participants. He did add that the band would be representative of A&T.

Students Operate A&T's Educational Station

A student-operated 10-watt educational FM radio station is expected to be on the air at A&T State University by the end of September.

The new station, already given the call letter, WNAA-FM, is the outgrowth of a now defunct carrier current station which was operated for several years and was aired only on campus.

According to Gary Flanigan, recently appointed general manager of the station, WNAA will probably be received in a 10-mile radius of the campus.

The station was being plan-

ned for nearly two years, but A&T has now received authorization from the Federal Communications Commission to proceed with broadcast operations.

The station will be licensed to the A&T board of trustees, who approved the original plan to operate a station.

Officials at A&T view the station as another teaching and learning facility, especially for students in the university's new mass communications program.

Dr. Frank White, dean of the School of Arts and Sciences where the station will be housed, said participation in the station will be available to all students.

"This station will be concerned with providing alternative programming, cultural, educational and public affairs for the Greensboro community," said White.

Flanigan, formerly manager of a student station at Clark College in Atlanta, said WNAA's initial staff will consist of about 25 students.

"Everything we do will be of an educational nature," he said. "Even our music will be not only entertaining, but also informative."

He said the music will be basically jazz, with educational features pertaining to other music forms such as the blues and even some classical music.

Flanigan said the station's other fare will include community and public affairs programs, news and a lot of educational programming.

Welcome

Back

Irving Relinquishes Athletic Position

Cal Irvin, athletic director since 1971, announced recently that he was relinquishing his post but he would remain here at the University as an associate professor of physical education.

In a press conference, Dr. Albert E. Smith, vice chancellor for development and university relations, announced that Jim McKinley, head football coach, would become acting athletic director until a new director is ap-

pointed.

"I advised our administration here sometime ago that I felt that the time would come when it would be in the best interest of the university and

myself to step down as athletic director," said Irvin.

"Therefore, I feel that now is the appropriate time. I have submitted my resignation to be effective immediately," stated Irvin.

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co-ed visitation policy, and a well-rounded program of activities.

"The only way these things can be accomplished is through the administrator working with the student body both working together rather than working as two opposing forces" said Gordon.

Sports Notebook

By Dennis Bryant



The Aggies prepare for the opener against Winston-Salem Sept. 2, at Winston-Salem. Photo By Love

Welcome freshmen, transfer students, and upperclassmen. You are now in Aggieland. Now just sit back and enjoy the world of sports.

The football season begins on September 2, and coach Jim McKinley expects a year of excitement and fun.

With the offense returning standout lineman Wheeler Brown and newcomer full back Charles Sutton, the speedster from Eastern North Carolina, look for some gunning scoring.

As you may or may not remember, the Aggie gridders lost their first three games last season before turning into one of the hottest teams in the state. A 7-4 record after a 0-3 start isn't bad at all.

The first opposition to the Aggies is Winston-Salem State. Winston scored a 33-14 victory over the Aggies en route to an 11-0 season. So don't look for just revenge. Quarterback Kermit Blount of Winston returns for another promising season.

The defense of Coach McKinley returns all-MEAC defensive lineman Dwaine "Pee Wee" Board. Board was one of the key players in the turn around last season.

Football season is here, so all you Aggies in Aggieland, spread your Aggie-Fever.

In the previous NBA draft, James "The Bird" Sparrow was drafted in the fourth round. Many of you are still asking if Sparrow is going to the pros. Well, so far only one thing can be said. And that is, "let's just wait and see."

In women's athletics, Coach Joyce Spruill is entering her fourth year as co-ordinator. Let's support the Aggiettes. They are a part of our team also.

McKinley Succeeds Irvin

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Irvin also served as head basketball coach at A&T for 18 years, during which time his teams compiled a 348-105 record. His overall college coaching record was 401-132.

Irvin's A&T teams won five CIAA basketball tournaments and visitation championships, and one tournament and visitation title in the new Mid-Eastern Athletic Conference (MEAC).

His outstanding players included Al Attles, now coach and general manager of the Golden State Warriors, and Hugh Evans, an NBA basketball official.

Irvin coached four years at Johnson C. Smith and two years at Atkins High School in

Winston-Salem.

McKinley, Irvin's successor, came to A&T as head football coach last year.

"I am honored that Dr. Dowdy and the University have selected me to direct this outstanding athletic program," said McKinley. "This is certainly an opportunity and a challenge to continue moving the program forward as Cal Irvin and his staff did."

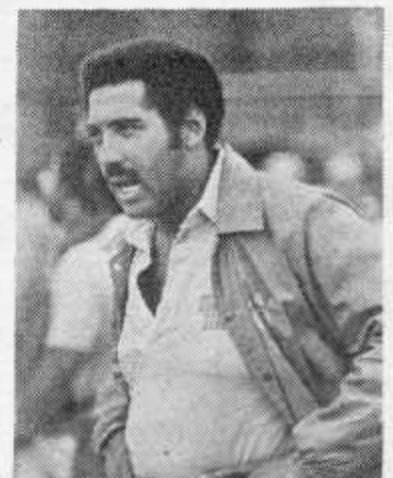
McKinley, 33, is a native of Kalamazoo, Michigan. He came to A&T after serving as head coach at Central State University.

Dr. Lewis C. Dowdy, chancellor of A&T, called Irvin, "one of the nation's outstanding coaches and administrator. We reluctantly accepted his resignation, but we respect his wishes and wish him well in the future. I am confident that Jim McKinley will continue the quest for excellence in athletics which we have at A&T."

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SEPT. 2	Winston-Salem State	7:30 P.M.	Away	*
SEPT. 9	University of Maryland E.S.	7:30 P.M.	Home	*
SEPT. 16	South Carolina State	7:30 P.M.	Home	*
SEPT. 23	Bethune Cookman	7:30 P.M.	Home	*
SEPT. 30	Johnson C. Smith	8:00 P.M.	Away	*
OCT. 7	Norfolk State	7:30 P.M.	Home	*
OCT. 14	University of Delaware	1:30 P.M.	Away	*
OCT. 21	Howard University	1:30 P.M.	Away	*
OCT. 28	Morgan State*	1:30 P.M.	Home	*
NOV. 4	Open			*
NOV. 11	Delaware State	1:30 P.M.	Home	*
NOV. 18	North Carolina Central	1:30 P.M.	Away	*
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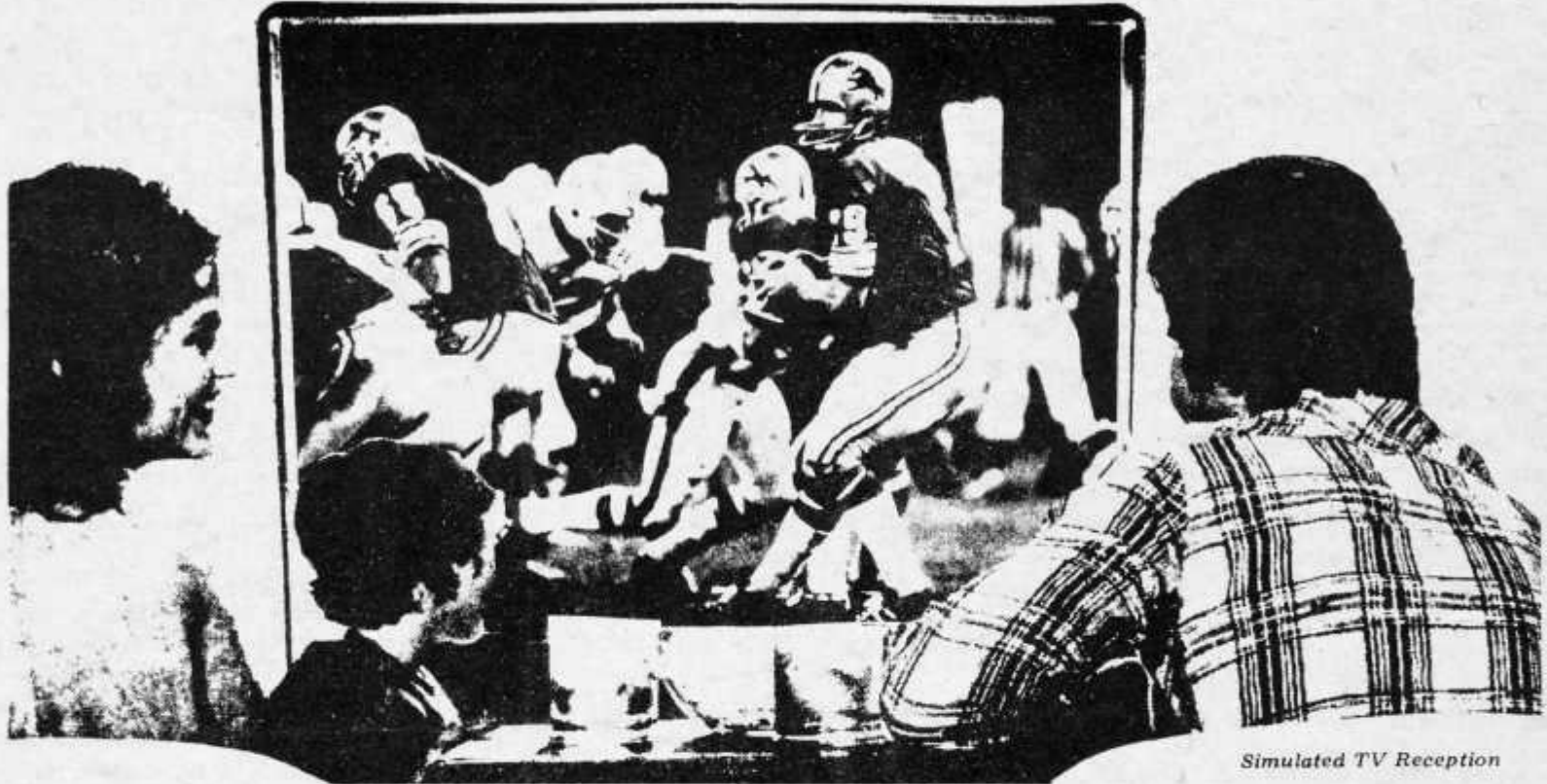


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