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VOLUME XLI NUMBER 35 NORTH CAROLINA AGRICULTURAL AND TECHNICAL STATE UNIVERSITY GREENSBORO NC FEBRUARY 15, 1980 FRIDAY



The MS III Cadets of A&T State University prepares for summer camp.

Solar Home Opens In March

other energy conservation up to eight students at a time. measures may be practical for use in the average home of the with future, but what about the effects of these measures on occupants of the home?

That is the question which. will be examined in a longterm energy research project to get underway soon at A&T State University.

Researchers at the university have been engaged in solar research for some time; but, in March, a demonstration home will be opened to test some effects of imposed energy changes on humans.

Mrs. Carolyn Turner, a professor of home economics at A&T, and Dr. Yogi Goswami, a professor of mechanical engineering, are directors of the cooperative project.

For their laboratory, they will use the Garrett House, the "We want to provide them on-hand living



Carolyn Turner

experience," said Mrs. Turner. "We are going to impose on them six different ways of saving energy in the home and then measure the students' reactions to these measures. "We have no idea what we are going to find out," said Mrs. Turner, "but we want to study the students' reaction to see if the use of solar energy and other measures affect their liftestyle." In addition to Mrs. Turner's tests. Goswami will monitor by computer how much actual energy is being used in the He also hopes to home. develop an index of consumer acceptability.

The use of solar energy and She said the house accommodates North Carolina Energy Institute.

The S&H Company is in complete charge of the interior decorating of the home and will furnish furniture and carpeting. Other companies will provide lighting, wallpaper and fabrics.

The Energy Institute has provided funding of more than \$23,000 for the project.

Goswami said he is convinced that many existing homes can be converted to the use of energy saving measures with only a minimum cost. He said the measures employed in the A&T home will cost only about \$1,400.

"Most solar houses cost an arm and a leg," he said, "but not this one.'

Dowdy Speaks Out On

Construction On Stadium Underway After Delays

Construction of a new \$2.8 million football stadium complex is now underway at A&T State University after several untimely delays.

Contract for construction of the new 17,000-seat facility on the A&T campus was awarded to the J.H. Allen Construction Company in Asheboro,

Immediately after the Christmas holidays, the construction company moved its equipment onto the A&T campus and started construction. The construction contract calls for the stadium to be completed in 15 months. Dr. Albert E. Smith, vice chancellor for development and university relations, said it is expected that the facility will be ready for full use by April 1981.

"However, the contractor has stated that with extremely good luck, meaning acceptable weather conditions and the timely shipment of building materials, it is possible that one or two football games could be played in the new stadium toward the end of the

1980 football season. Again, we must caution that this will depend on ideal conditions," said Smith.

Because of the extreme increase in cost of steel, concrete and other building materials during 1979, it was necessary for the original stadium to be revised, according to Smith. As a result, the architect, W.

Edward Jenkins, made changes in the plans to bring the total project in line with A&T's construction budget.

The revised plans reduced the amount of concrete to be used in the facility, as well as eliminating some features that had originally been included. As presently designed, the new facility will include a 400 meter eight lane track, team rooms, stadium club and press box.

Upon reviewing the revised plan, Chancellor Lewis C. Dowdy said, "In view of the escalation in costs of building materials, I feel we are fortunate to be able to get our new plans in line with the funds we have available. Although initially our stadium will only seat 17,000, I am extremely pleased at the fact that the design we are using will allow for unlimited future expansion. I am certain that our students, alumni and many friends will be pleased and proud of the stadium facility once it is completed."

Housing Deposit Fee Due In March

By Elois Vinson

There will be a \$50 housing deposit fee for the 1980-81 school year. Students must pay this fee in the cashier's office in the Dudley Building.

Students who wish to be occupants of the same room are to turn in their fees March 11. Students who wish to live in other residence dormitories are to pay fees March 12-14.

Staff members of the esidence halls will inspect the validated deposit slips and issue the housing assignment to the depositor.

university's home management house, which is being converted into a solar demonstration facility.

The five-bedroom brick home on the campus is being fitted with such devices as solar panels on the roof to collect heat for the home's hot water heating system, a solar greenhouse, and a wood burning stove to supplement the house's existing gas heat. Mrs. Turner said that, when

the home is completed in March, A&T home economics majors will spend varying amounts of time livng there.

A&T will be joined in the project by the Sperry & Hutchinson Company and the

BIACK Perspective

By Andrew McCorkle

Speaking Thursday night at an event sponsored by the Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Dr. Lewis C. Dowdy, chancellor of A&T State University, said that he believed in two "Black perspectives, one you can follow and get somewhere. The other you can follow and think you're getting somewhere."

Speaking in the Memorial Student Union, Chancellor

Dowdy told the group that Blacks should stop "fighting and undercutting" each other and strive for solidarity. He said it is a traditional ploy of whites to "divide and conquer."

Garbed in a conservative three-piece suit, Dowdy told the Alphas "to become involved in community affairs. Start wherever you can and work your way straight up. Leadership comes (See Dowdy, Page 2)

After March 14, if all of the rooms have been filled, there will be a waiting list for students who have not paid their housing deposits.

Students must fill out an application form for the rooms that they wish to receive for the fall and spring semester of 1980-81.

If a person wishes to have a specific roommate, the requests must be mutual and they must send in applications immediately.

Dowdy Condemns Alcohol 'No Need For A Crutch'

(Continued From Page 1) from selling yourself to the people.

"The advancement of Blacks in this country will come from having money. 1 don't apologize for having some property, some money and some wealth," said Dowdy.

Dowdy condemned those who consume alcohol. "They think they have to have a crutch. I went all the way through college without ever

Anthropologists **To Speak Here** Monday at 1 p.m.

Dr. Frank Cancian, a noted anthropologist and a professor at the School of Social Sciences, the University of California at Irvine, will address a seminar on Monday at 1 p.m. in Room 212 of the Memorial Student Union at A&T State University.

Cancian, who has taught at Stanford, Cornell and Harvard universities, will speak on "The Innovator's Situation: New Technology and Upper-middle Class Conservatism in Agriculture Communities." The lecture is open to the public.

Cancian's talk is being sponsored by the A&T Department of Agricultural Economics and Rural Sociology

Cancian has written four books in the area of sociology and economics and published more than 30 articles in professional journals.

Cancian holds degrees from Wesleyan University and Harvard University. He has conducted a number of research studies on small farmers and agricultural innovation.

Correction

The article "Friday Orders All Cooking Items Removed From Dorms" which appeared in 'he January 25, 1980 edition of The A&T Register incorrectly stated that UNC President William Friday "ordered that all cooking appliances be taken out of the esidence (halls) of A&T STate Jniversity by February 1." An administrative memorandum from Dr. Friday to the 16 campuses actually included among other "Action Items," the following: "Regulation of hot plates in dormitory rooms is a local responsibility, and should be addressed promptly."

drinking a drop of liquor," explained the chancellor.

"You can't assist in the improvement of Black America unless you know what you're talking about," said Dowdy.

Dowdy told the sparse crowd of a corporation he proposed with the board of directors made up of students. This company would sell shares to Black students across. the country for \$12.50 a semester. Product manufacturing, distribution and the construction of retail sales outlets would be handeled by Blacks. Dowdy company would have five million dollars to invest."

Dowdy added, the company would contract Black farmers to produce vegetables and other needed crops.

Professor **Speaks** On **Black English**

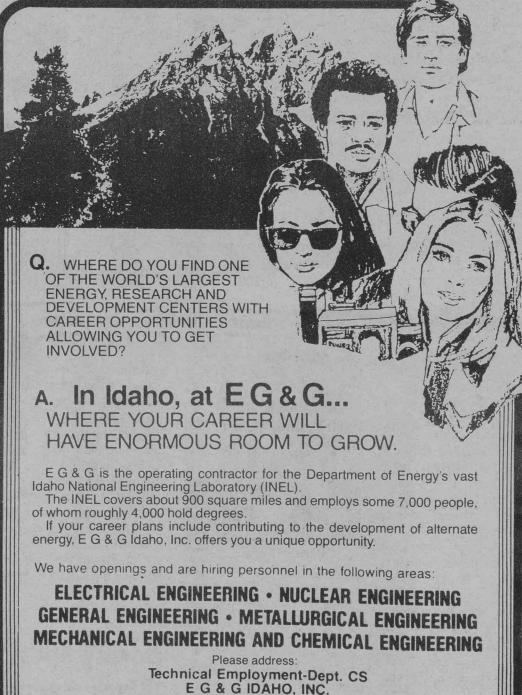
By Polly Williams

Dr. Norman G. Jarrard, an English instructor at A&T State University, spoke Tuesday night, February 12, in the Memorial Union. His topic was "Teaching Speakers of Black English to Read and Write Standard English".

Dr. Jarrard has had an interest in dialectology since the early 1960's. He began extensive research in Black American dialect four consecutive NDEA institutes in applied linguistics here at A&T from 1968 to 1972. He is now serving as a member of the executive Committee of North and South Carolina Association linguistics. He is also a member of the NCTE, Committee to evaluate the language component of English textbooks.

Dr. Jarrard has most recently been involved in studying the state high school competency test. As an opponent of the present test being administered, he has been instrumental





establishing a committee from the Civil Liberties Union to evaluate this.

Dr. Jarrard briefly stated that, if someone teaches nonstandard English, he is performing educational malpractice. He also stated that about 80 percent of Black Americans speak nonstandard English, and are the majority who fail the competency test.

"There is no way that the Black dialect could be accepted. We need retrained reading and writing teachers. Our students come first."

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CAMPUS INTERVIEWS, FEBRUARY 26th NORTH CAROLINA A&T MR. F. HOBBS



All May Graduates planning to participate in the Commencement Exercise, May 1980, please pay for regalia at the Cashier's Office and bring your receipt to the Bookstore for your measurements to be taken. Your regalia will be ordered and available for commencement. You may order your announcements for graduation at the same time. Deadline for application is March 1, 1980. Bachelor cap and gown are \$11.50, Master cap, gown and hood is \$23.50, Faculty Dr. Cap, gown and hood are \$37.00.

The Charlotte Club will meet Tuesday, February 19, at 8 p.m in the new gym in Rm. 102 or 103. It is important that last semester members and any person from Charlotte be present. The meeting will deal with the laying out of activities for the spring semester. All new members are welcome

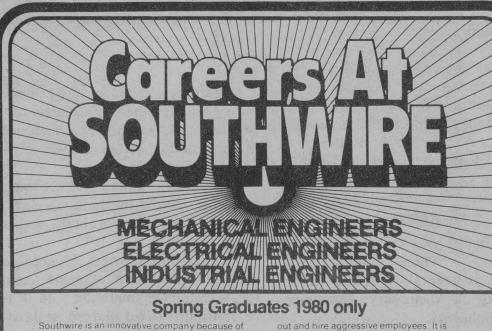
Prospective and Transfer Members of Toastmasters International will meet Tuesday, February 19, 5-6 p.m., Room 315, Merrick Hall. The purpose of this meeting is to process the application for establishing a student Toastmasters Chapter at A&T, elect officers, establish committees, and make plans for the first formal program. Your attendance is essential to the success of this endeavor. If you would like to join but cannot attend this meeting, please call 379-7657. We will personally contact you.

The NAACP will hold its meeting Wednesday, February 20, at 8 p.m. in Room 212 of the Student Union. Please come out and support your college chapter.

The A&T Animal Science Department will hold its annual spring beef taste on Tuesday, February 19, and Thursday, February 21. The affair will be held in Carver Hall Auditorium at 11:30 a.m. both days. The public is cordially invited to attend.

The OBS is meeting Monday, February 18, at 6 p.m. in Room 328, Crosby Hall. Dues of \$4 are due.

Student Alumni Council will meet Saturday, February 16. Will all members please attend this meeting at the Student Union, Room 200, at 2:30 p.m.



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Some magazines have monthly contests, annual contests only, and some have information on including your poetry in anthologies which are usually collections of poetry only or poetry, essays; and short stories combined in one volume. Other magazines are exclusively poetry magazines.

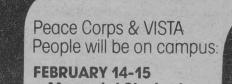
Some monthly and quarterly magazines are Journal of Afro-American Writing, listed. Blackberry Press, P.O. Box 9405, Baltimore, MD 21228 wants poetry, essays, and articles related to Black life.

Poetry Buffs, a quarterly exchange, is addressed to Box 7082, Amarillo, TX 79109. Ram, a monthly, is addressed to F. Ramirez, 430 4th. St., Brooklyn, NY 11215

If you would like your poetry critiqued, send \$3.50 for information to WIM, Box 5037, Inglewood, CA 90310.

Poetry contests, Flying Colors Anthology is accepting poems for annual anthology. Submission fee: \$1 for 3 poems. You are eligible to win \$100. Contact: Anthology at 41 Crescent Ave., San Francisco, CA 94110. Deadline is Feb. 29. Realities has a monthly contest, contact publication at 2408 Escalonia, San Jose, CA 95121. New Worlds Unlimited is accepting poetry for annual anthology, P.O. Box 556-W, Saddle Brook, NJ 07662.

If you are interested in any publications, be sure to send a SASE (a self-addressed stamped envelope) No.10 business envelope . These publishers and editors may be delighted to receive your submission; but a SASE shows professionalism on your part.



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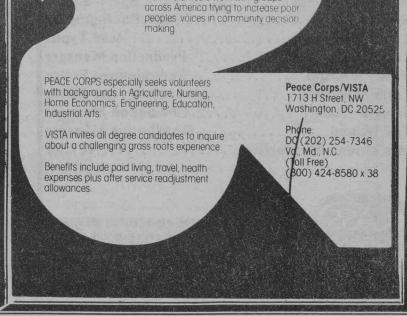
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'Snowballin'

By Thomas E. Harris

Another cold hard winter is upon us. Along with this season, the weather phenomenon of snow has beautified Greensboro and surrounding areas. The white blanket of precipitation should be enjoyed and appreciated by everyone. But this is not so, especially on A&T's campus.

Students, particularly females, dread waking up seeing snow outside. Women on campus know there is a great probability that they will be bombarded with snow balls by big, husky guys who hang in crowds like hungry wolves.

The scene is typical on a snowy day at the cafeteria, the sidewalk between Scott B and Laurel Street. The motive behind the act is uncertain. Do the men get some type of sadistic pleasure out of this?

Playing is all right. One should enjoy snow. But, when actual physical harm or abuse is inflicted, that is something else.

One particular incident can be readily cited. A student walking by Scott got hit with a snowbal immediately about twenty guys joined in throwing (all at this one student). In his fruitless retaliation attempt, he was given a running block that would stun the average college linesman.

He tried to get up, but was knocked down again, and again, constantly being snowballed. This scene ended in an elbow drop by the same person responsible for knocking him down.

Students, you do not have to take punishment like this. If a similar incident happens to you, remember the person(s), face(s) and try to find the name(s).

You have a right to report them to the police. In a situation similar to the one mentioned above, the young man was guilty of assault and battery. Until victims of these imbeciles start taking legal actions against the assailant(s), the situation will continue to exist.

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Bluford Haunted?

By Michael Fairley

England owns several castles that she could not give away if she tried. The reason behind this is ghosts.

Those mischievous creatures from Halloween rattle chains and scream continuously, making habitation of these stone cottages impossible.

F.D. Bluford Library (our neighborhood castle) has its share of spirits and hobgoblins, but they practice a more subtle form of mischief.

The fruit of their labor is visible on the book shelves and magazine racks. Students spend numerous hours in the card catalogue only to discover that the book they want is missing in action.

The ghosts are also notorious for leaving books piled on shelves instead of in their proper upright position.

However, premeditated vandalism is the specialty of these heartless culprits. Dictionaries and encyclopedias are missing complete pages.

Other pages are severed beyond recognition. These villians enjoy watching students' reaction upon discovering a dictionary containing only 13 alphabets.

The ghosts also pride themselves on

their ability to dissect newspapers. After arranging the sections in a confused manner, they carry the sports page to their bungalow in the sky, probably to use as a lining for their pets' cages.

The creatures are enjoying themselves at the expense of others. Humans cannot see their shadowy figures at work, making detection quite difficult.

But we can attempt to resolve the chaos and disorder bred by them. If you see a newspaper that resembles an unfolded paper plane, take a few minutes and restore it to its original form.

Report any strange movement of books or magazines immediately to the librarian. This action will discourage the hobgoblins as they perpetrate their crimes against education.

Any books found idly arranged should be placed on the book carts so the librarians can properly reshelve them.

The learning process is needlessly delayed each time students cannot locate reference material. It is our responsibility to rid Bluford castle of its unholy, unnoble ghosts.



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IN OBSERVANCE OF BLACK HISTORY MONTH

Who was the founder of the American Association for the Study of Afro-American Life and History?

answer: Carter G. Woodson

Aggie Voices Concern For Voter Registration

Editor of the Register:

Fellow Aggies, as chairman of the A&T student government's voter for the necessity of the registration of potentially young Black voters. With election year upon us, it is our young Black obligation, our young Black duty, and our young Black right to be registered now, and to vote in the upcoming elections and every election thereafter. Can we wait? No!

The introduction of the text "Why We Can't Wait" by Dr. Martin Luther King Jr., tells a story of a young Negro man growing up in Harlem and the injustices he encountered in the early sixties. These injustices included degradated housing, unemployment and underemployment, miseducated young people, and broken family ties.

The same story tells of a young Negro woman growing up in Birmingham and the injustices she encountered.

> Memorial Services



Gbodey Badom

A memorial service in honor of the late Gbodey Badom will be observed Sunday, Feb. 17, at 2:00 p.m. in Harrison Auditorium.

The late Badom, a native of

These injustices included inadequate health facilities, department stores that served Negroes at every counter registration committee, I except the sone that served food, would like to voice a concern and non-elevating job positions for Negroes. "It was the summer of 1963, the onehundreth anniversary of our freedom. Was emancipation a fact? Was freedom a force?"

The story continues to describe how the young Negro woman arose. Though they were separated by the stretching miles, they joined

hands, looked toward heaven and took a firm step forward.

"It was a step that rocked the richest and most powerful nation to its foundation. This was a story of why we can't wait."

Fellow Aggies, we can not afford to wait any longer to register to vote. This story was symbolic of the ironies we, as a people, have faced, are facing, and will continue to face unless we join together and work together. We must join together to implement a

massive voter registration drive on campus. Accomplishing this will initially develop a force to strengthen us politically and to allow us the opportunity to be a model for other schools to follow, once again making A&T number one.

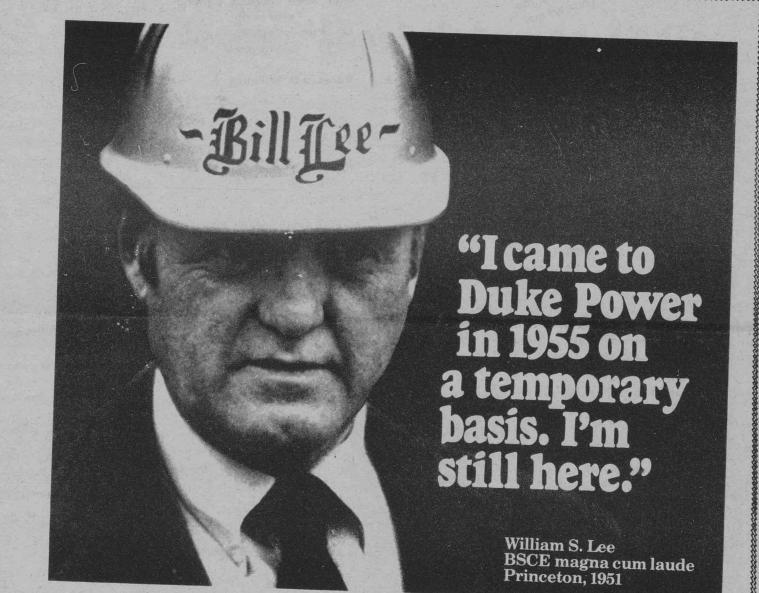
If four A&T freshmen could start a national movement in the sixties, certainly 5,000 A&T students can start a movement in the eighties.

Any concerned students interested in helping to

organize a campus-wide voter registration drive, take a firm step foward and attend an important planning meeting Sunday, February 17, in the S.G.A. office, Student Union, second floor. If you can't attend this meeting, leave your name and address in the S.G.A. office before Tuesday, February 19.

Take your rightful stand now! Why? Because we can't wait!

Michael Murphy



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hydro generation for our system and impound Lake Norman, with its 550-mile shoreline. It's the cooling pond for Plant Marshall, our world-beating, high-efficiency

year-round golf and tennis. Or fishing for the big ones (in Lake Norman, of course).

Want to know more? Tell me what you're after, and enclose a

Ogoni in the Rivers State of Nigeria, came to A&T August, 1975. He was in the School of Business. After graduating from A&T in Dec. 1978, he proceeded to AGSIM in Glendale, Arizona, for a Masters' Degree program which he successfully completed in Dec. 1979, even on his sick bed.

His body, which is now in Nigeria, will be buried this weekend. All friends are invited to attend his memorial service on Sunday.

For additional information contact K.O. Isangedighi, (E.E. Dept.) and G.A. Abara, (Chemistry Dept.).

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As long as forever

m) love will be true For as long as you love me

To: Keyin

From:

Happy Valentine's Day

Bunny

"For My Love of Music"

You light up my life

As I concentrate on you.

From Trudy

We both deserve each other's

Like love and happiness

That make you a special part

Once, twice, three times-

Love's in the air, For you're all I need To find myself reminiscing.

HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY

to all A&T Aggies From 'THE WINSTON GANG'

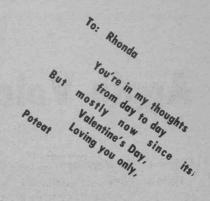
To Derek

Like an everlasting force,

Because you needed me-

Now it's you and me.

To The Brothers of Groove **Phi Groove Social Fellowship** From The Sisters of Swing Phi Swing Social Fellowship. We love you, Happy Valentine's Day.



My Love

My love for you will never die Now let me tell you the reason why. loved you then, I love you now, I'll love you forever and here is how I'll kiss you, hold you all day and all night. I'll love you endlessly with all my might. And when there is nothing else to do I'll happily spend my life loving you.

Vanessa D. Williams

The Brothers of Beta Epsilon Chapter of Alpha Phi Alpha would like to wish all the ladies of A&T a Happy Valentine's Day and we love you all.

To all the 'children' at A&T: A Happy Valentine's Day!

HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY To the AKAs and DSTs and SGRs and Zetas

From the Alphas

Happy Valentine's Day to Alpha Kappa Mu and Alpha Chi National Honor Societies.

Happy Valentine's Day to Margo. From Love.

er hold ben!

YOU ARE MY LOVER

Love is not a Valentine With words you like to hear. With words you like to merely

With words you the to near in merely its But on carring

for someone who is dear.

Nor is love a fading smile

You spread across your horns

ou spread actoss your heart. But a feeling in your heart. That cannot lose its place.

And love is not as life

And love is not as me That holds a certain end.

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By Charles Conrad Jr.

Dedicated to all

But the gold bloom again!

You are my lover, Not only my physical lover, But the lover of me as an individual, a person With my own desires and ideas. You are my superior I can go to you for sound advice, a shoulder to cry upon Someone to share my joys and fears. You are my equal. You respect me, my feelings, my body, my ambition, My thoughts. You are my partner I can depend on you to walk side by side with me Through the terrible as well as glorious days of my life. You are my friend. I can relate to you, communicate with you, and have fun with you You are my idol I want to do things so you will be proud of meand You will have reason to look up to me as I do you. You are my angel Your kisses are sweet, your caresses gentle, Your touch divine and your love heavenly. You are my love You have captured my heart completely and all the Love possible I want to give you. You are my lover physically, For while making love you become superior leading the way. You respect me if I can't play. You are my partner; we become united in love. You are my idol, I worship your body. You are my angel, you fill me with heavenly bliss. You are my love, for I love you.

And Not

I find no words can ever hold The love I feel within, For care flows throughout emotions And not a fountain pen!

Charles Conrad Jr.

HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY FROM THE A&T REGISTER

To: Dozier

From: Gail

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There will be tournaments two consecutive weekends in the Ellis F. Corbett Sports Center. This Friday and Saturday, N.C.A&T's wrestling team will host the Mid-Eastern Athletic Conference (MEAC) wrestling tournament.

A&T is 8-7-1 and it had a big win earlier this season over the top team competing in NCAA Division II wrestling Morgan State, who will be on hand for the tournament.

Also coming will be NCCU, who are the Aggies arch-rivals. Anytime these teams meet whether tournaments or duel match, anything can happen.

N.C.A&T's women's basketball team, coached by Joyce Spruill, will host the annual NCAIAW Division II basketball championship February 20-23 in Corbett Sports Center. Twelve of the 23 teams will be eligible to compete in the annual tournament. The Aggiettes are currently ranked sixth in the Dunkel ratings.

The Aggiettes picked up a pair of wins this week, raising their record to 16-9.

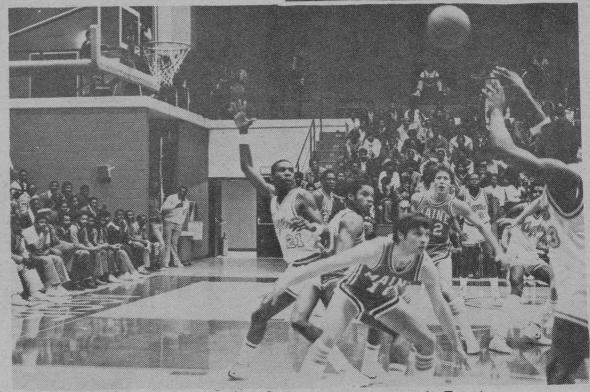
Their latest was a 63-60 come-from-behind victory over NCCU.

Lillie Pratt was the Aggiettes' star Wednesday night as the talented senior from High Point tossed in an impressive 33 points.

Every night it's a different star from A&T. One night it's Charlene Henderson, then Wanda Austin, or maybe Marsha Simmons, Gloria Johnson, Shirley Hall, and so forth. This is the most talented team Coach Spruill has coached at N.C.A&T. They're just one big girl away from being a powerhouse. If Spruill can recruit a 6-1 or 6-2 center, the Aggiettes will be even stronger next year.

Sooner or later the laws of averages are going to catch up with the men's basketball team. How many pulled down 11 rebounds and close games can one team lose? It has been dished out seven assists in a traditinally stated that it's the mark of a good team to win the close games. Could it be the Aggies lose the close games because they are indeed a bad basketball team? I don't think so.

In each close A&T loss there were different to-man defense. But A&T



Royster receives the ball to set up for two more Aggie points (Photo by Tyson)

Maine 'Shocks' Aggies 77-76

By Raymond Moody

If N.C. A&T's basketball team expects to be in contention for the MEAC basketball tournament, it had better start gaining some momentum by winning more games.

It wasn't a very good week for the Aggies. Monday night the University of Maine came to town and shocked A&T 77-76.

A&T can't seem to win the close games this year. While A&T scored three more field goals, the Black Bears connected on 25 of 29 free throws to A&T's 18 of 26. Free throws again were one key to the Aggies' one-point loss.

Maine entered Monday's game with one of the nation's leading scorers in Rufus Harris. Harris proved to be too much for the Aggie defense. While scoring 30 points, including 12-12 from the charity stripe, Harris super one-man performance.

The game started with Maine in control. A&T couldn't seem to handle the Black Bears' aggressive man-

Wednesday the Aggies traveled to Campbell University attempting to avenge a Christmas tournament loss to the Camels.

But A&T fell as Campbell University received excellent scoring form Darrell Mauldin, Tony Britto, and Fred Whitfield who scored 18, 17, and 15 points for the winners.

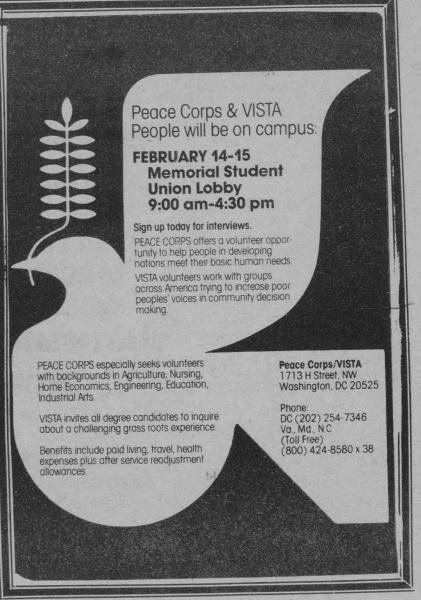
Foul trouble plagued four A&T starters in the second Brawner, Gaines, half. Boddie, and Craft were the four who watched a good portion of the second half on the sidelines.

A&T was led by Harold Royster and Joe Brawner's 24 and 23 points. Royster also pulled down a game-high 10 rebounds.

A&T played brilliantly most of the first half. Brawner was the spark plug as he scored seven of nine A&T points that gave the Aggies a 27-20 lead.

The Camels, however, outscored A&T 13-6 to finish the first half tied at 33.

After the Campbell loss, A&T's record dropped to A&T travels to 8-14. Washington, D.C. Saturday to meet MEAC foe Howard.



obstacles causing the losses. There have been missed foul shots, turnovers, illegal timeouts, and even some controversial officiating. Good, mature, experienced teams don't make these mistakes often; but good, inexperienced teams do. It's only a matter of time before A&T's team jells into a solid Division I powerhouse.

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The MEAC tournament is two weeks away. S.C. State and Howard appear to be the two teams vying for the chance of dethroning N.C.A&T.

A&T travels to the nation's capital Saturday to try to avenge a 66-62 loss earlier to Howard. A win continued in the close games against Howard would certainly give A&T some much needed momentum.

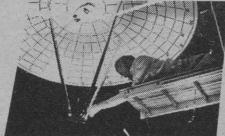
used its home court advantage to cut Maine's lead; and, at the half, the score was tied, 35-

In the second half the score see-sawed back and forth with Maine building a five-to-seven point lead only to have A&T come back to tie.

Behind by a 63-54 score with just over six minutes remaining, A&T on Royster's free throws took the lead 76-75 with 1:10 left.

But the Aggies' misfortune as Maine guard Jim Mercer sank two foul shots to win for Maine.

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