

North Carolina Agricultural and Technical State University
Aggie Digital Collections and Scholarship

NCAT Student Newspapers

Digital Collections

3-31-1989

The Register, 1989-03-31

North Carolina Agricultural and Technical State University

Follow this and additional works at: <https://digital.library.ncat.edu/atregister>

Recommended Citation

North Carolina Agricultural and Technical State University, "The Register, 1989-03-31" (1989). *NCAT Student Newspapers*. 1116.

<https://digital.library.ncat.edu/atregister/1116>

This Book is brought to you for free and open access by the Digital Collections at Aggie Digital Collections and Scholarship. It has been accepted for inclusion in NCAT Student Newspapers by an authorized administrator of Aggie Digital Collections and Scholarship. For more information, please contact iyanna@ncat.edu.



THE A&T REGISTER

The Light of the University

Volume LX Number 19 NORTH CAROLINA AGRICULTURAL AND TECHNICAL STATE UNIVERSITY, GREENSBORO

Friday, March 31, 1989

Miller, Crawley Win Big in SGA Elections

LaVonne McIver
News Editor
and
Sherry Rogers
Associate News Editor

After all the votes were in and tallied, David James Miller, Vice-President of Internal Af-



Miller

fairs came out on top in his bid for SGA president for the 1989-90 school year. After three weeks of rigid campaigning Miller says he is still very "shocked" about the victory.

"I felt confident all day yesterday about it," the 22-year old business education major said. "I am very pleased that I won."

Miller, while sitting in his office absorbing the victory said that while he is excited about winning he is also "concerned with serving out his term as Vice-President of Internal Affairs."

"I would like to thank you, (the student body) for supporting me and I am eager to continue to serve the student body," he said. "It's Miller time," he jokingly added.

He was not the only one engrossed in the thrill of victory, Michele Crawley was elected Miss A&T 1989-1990.

Crawley was honored twice in one night. During the announcement of the election results, Miss Crawley, was being inducted into the National Accounting Fraternity.

After being informed of the news by the reigning Miss A&T, Monee' McGuire, Crawley said she literally "cried for joy".

"After hearing the news I was



Crawley

so happy all I could do was cry," said Crawley.

The Virginia native said that she felt that the speeches were a great influence but not the determining factor in the elections.

"Most of the people had an idea of who they wanted to vote for before the speeches, but it [speeches] didn't hurt," she giggled.

Miss Crawley says that she is

cont. on pg. 8

4,500 Grant Awarded for Minority Research

The University has been awarded a \$4,500 grant by the National Institutes of Health, a division of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, to provide summer research experiences for local minority high school students.

The grant, titled "The Minority High School Student Research Apprentice Program," is designed to stimulate an interest among minority high school students in pursuing careers in biomedical research and the health professions. Dr. Alex N. Williamson, Associate

Professor of Chemistry, is the program Director.

This award represents the second such grant in two years. Last year's student participants were Sean K. Daughtry, Brian H. Derrickson, and Kimberly D. Scales, from Dudley High; Jessica Mathewson, from Page High and Kabirah A. McGregor, Grimsley High.

Four ten-week research apprenticeships, with stipends of \$750.00 each, will be available for qualifying students. Minority high school juniors and seniors who have completed at least one

course in biology and one course in either chemistry or physics are encouraged to apply. Graduating seniors will be considered. Program participants will be assigned to investigators involved in health-related research who are committed to developing in the high school students both understanding to the research in which they participate and the technical skills involved. Further information and applications will be sent to local high school counselors.

Persons interested in applying for a grant are asked to contact Williamson at 334-7565.

University Rejects Housing Proposal

Sherry Rogers
Associate News Editor

The University has rejected a proposal that would allow students to lease apartments in Market Place Gardens which is still under construction directly from the university.

According to Vice Chancellor for Student Affairs Dr. Roland Buck, it was in the best interest of the student body to reconsider the business transaction.

"My interest lies in what's best for the students. It would be less expensive and less complicated for students if they simply leased directly from the owner," said Dr. Buck.

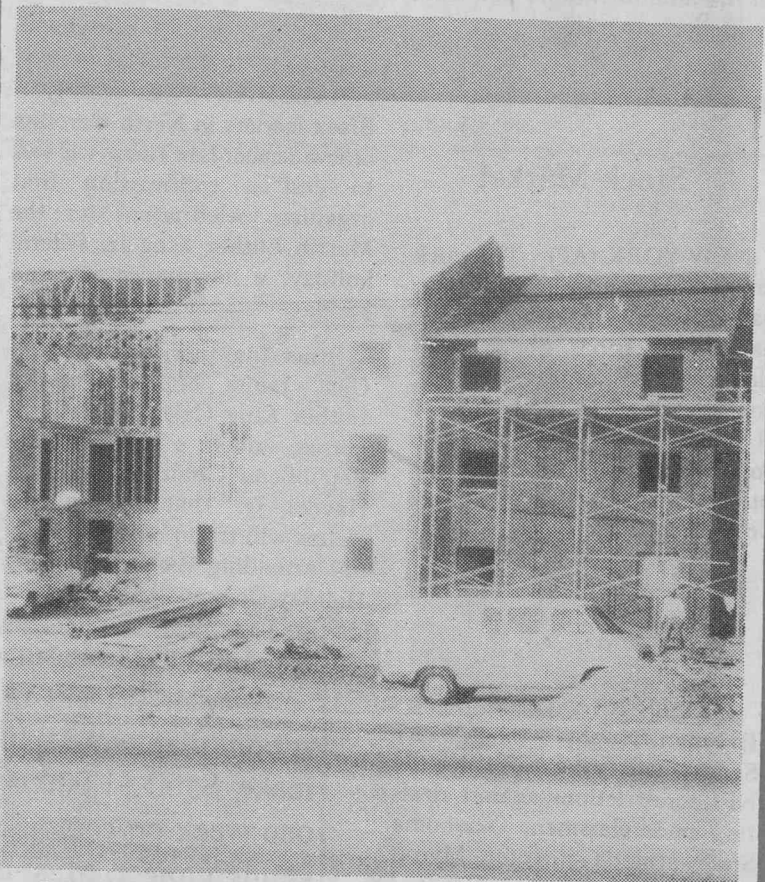
Market Place Gardens located

on the corner of Benbow and East Market Streets, will include a total of 240 units.

The 120 units currently under construction will be completed by May 1. The second phase of the two-part project, including 120 units, will be completed by the fall.

According to Buck there are other housing projects in mind for the future, including a special dormitory for those students who have excelled academically.

"In the future I'm hoping that our University will have an honor's dormitory for those students who maintain at least maybe a 3.6 or 3.7 GPA



Market Place Gardens, located on Benbow Road and Market Street, was rejected by University officials for future housing for the University.

NEWSBRIEFS

Chicago and Philadelphia Newspapers Receive Pulitzer Prizes

NEW YORK (AP) - The Chicago Tribune and the Philadelphia Inquirer each won two 1989 Pulitzer Prizes in journalism Thursday, and the Anchorage Daily News won the public-service gold medal for a series on alcoholism and suicide among native Alaskans. Wendy Wasserstein's "The Heidi Chronicles" won best play, Anne Tyler's "Breathing Lessons" won best fiction, and the non-fiction prize went to "A Bright Shining Lie: John Paul Vann and America in Vietnam," by Neil Sheehan.

\$10 billion

MOSCOW (AP) - A group of American and Soviet businessmen said Thursday they have signed an agreement that could create joint ventures worth up to \$10 billion over the next two decades. Difficult issues such as ways to repatriate profits earned in the Soviet Union had been resolved "in principle" by the agreement.

Kabul

KABUL, Afghanistan (AP) - Moslem Guerrillas appear to be increasing operations closer to the capital after failing to dislodge government forces from the eastern city of Jalabad, sources said Thursday. One report reaching Kabul said government troops and tanks came under heavy fire Wednesday along the Salang Highway north of the city. Kabul itself has been generally quiet.

RALEIGH, N.C. (UPI) - Black leaders in North Carolina believe Senator Jesse Helms will seek to end a commission that organizes celebrations for the Martin Luther King Jr. federal holiday, a newspaper reported Sunday.

Bruce Lightner, a member of Gov. James Martin's Martin Luther King Celebration Committee, said in a letter to state Republican Chairman R. Jack Hawke Jr. that he believes Helms will try to block a Senate bill extending the federal King Holiday Commission.

Looking for a fraternity, sorority or student organization that would like to make \$500-\$1,000 for a one week on-campus marketing project. Must be organized and hardworking. Call Jill or Corine at 1-800-592-2121.

"It has come to our attention that when the bill is formally introduced on the floor of the Senate, the Honorable Jesse Helms of North Carolina may initiate a one-man filibuster," said the letter quoted in *The News and Observer of Raleigh*.

"We trust that you concur that a filibuster by Mr. Helms on this bill will cast a dark shadow on the party's current efforts to recruit citizens from all ethnic backgrounds," said Lightner.

Helms, R-N.C., could not be reached for comment, but his spokeswoman, Barbara Lukens, said she had "no idea" whether he would filibuster the bill, sponsored by Sen. Sam Nunn, D-Ga.

The late FBI director J. Edgar Hoover during the 1960's authorized wire taps on King, ostensibly because Hoover wanted to know about the civil rights leader's ties with communists.

But the files - which remain sealed for national security reasons - purportedly include evidence King may have had extramarital sexual relations.

Lightner urged Hawke to distance the state Republican Party from any possible filibuster by Helms against the Nunn bill, which would authorize a five-year extension of the commission which organizes King holiday celebrations. The measure calls for

\$300,000 to fund the commission.

"This may possibly influence Mr. Helms not to try and hold up this important piece of social legislation," said Lightner.

Hawke declined to say what stance he might take on the matter.

"I don't know anything about the bill or what Senator Helms' position is," he said.

In 1983, Helms attracted headlines with his fight against the federal holiday that now honors King. That battle was not successful, but the publicity it generated may have enhanced Helms' Senate Campaign against former Gov. James B. Hunt Jr.

Helms is up for re-election
cont. on pg. 8

Debt

WASHINGTON (AP) - As officials from 151 nations began arriving for pivotal discussions on Third World debt, Secretary of State James A. Baker III warned Latin American leaders Thursday that they must make economic reforms to participate in the administration's new debt reduction program.

Stock Market

NEW YORK (AP) - The stock market was mixed Thursday, pausing after their fall of the past three sessions. Share prices closed sharply lower on the London Exchange, while stocks set at a new high in Tokyo. The dollar fell against all the major currencies in European trading. Gold prices rose.

Pro

OKLAHOMA CITY (AP) - Heisman Trophy winner Barry Sanders will turn pro, testing the NFL's restrictions against drafting underclassmen, Oklahoma State athletic director Myron Broderick said Thursday.

YOUR CAREER WHAT ARE YOU DOING THIS SUMMER TO PREPARE FOR IT?

FIND OUT
WHY IBM, XEROX, PROCTOR &
GAMBLE, UPJOHN AND HUNDREDS OF
OTHERS WANT STUDENTS WHO HAVE
WORKED WITH US. FOR AN INTERVIEW

CALL:

370-2162

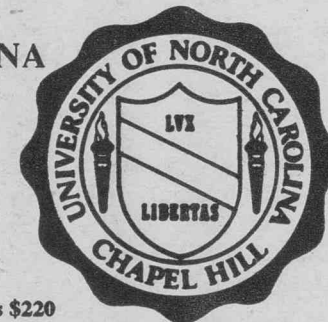
WE ARE LOOKING FOR A FEW HARD WORKERS!

1989 SUMMER SCHOOL THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA AT CHAPEL HILL

Academic Calendar

Session I: May 22 - June 27

Session II: June 29 - August 4



Tuition and Fees: (NC Resident) Undergraduate 1-5 hrs \$157; 6-8 hrs \$220

UNC-CH offers, during two 5-1/2 week terms, one of the largest summer programs in the United States. Over 800 courses are scheduled in 40 disciplines. A typical course load per term is two classes of three semester hours each.

Students from any college or university, teachers, rising high school seniors, and others who are not enrolled at UNC-CH may apply as Visiting Summer Students.

For details, please request a catalog:

Name _____
Street _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Mail to: The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Summer School CB # 3340, 200 Pettigrew Hall, Chapel Hill, NC 27599-3340. Phone: (919) 962-1009.

(AA/EBO Institution)

12

ON CAMPUS

Mallik Elected to IIE Position

Dr. Arup K. Mallik, Chairman of North Carolina A&T State University's Industrial Engineering Department has been elected Director of the Energy, Environment and Plant Engineering Division of the Institute of Industrial Engineers. Dr. Mallik will assume responsibility on April 1, 1989 for one year.



According to Mallik, "the Division's objectives are to assist members to provide state-of-art information on energy resource management to enhance competitiveness, conserve scarce energy resources, applying industrial engineering approach to environmental problems through resource recovery,

waste minimization and to design, installation, management of plant facilities".

Mallik, a senior member of the Institute of Industrial Engineers, received his Ph.D. from NCSU and joined NC A&T

SU as professor and chairman of the Industrial Engineering Department in 1983. He is also responsible for creating the A&T Energy Analysis and Diagnostic Center (EADC) and the Center for Energy Research and Training (CERT), both funded by the U.S. Department of Energy. The EADC has served over 125 small and medium size manufacturing plants saving over \$4.2 million in energy costs. The CERT provides assistance to the faculty in stimulating energy related research activities and to the communities in energy technology transfer. The students at A&T are benefitting from hands-on industrial experience.

Students Commemorate Freedom School

Twenty-five years ago, 800 students underwent training at Western College for Women in Oxford for the Mississippi Summer Project, an effort to help Blacks vote. Days after they left, two of them were murdered.

A commemoration of the "Freedom School" at Western College was held Friday and Saturday at Miami University in Oxford. Western College became a part of Miami in 1974.

"Everyone figured that they were dead," Arthur F. Miller,

one of a group of Oxford citizens who donated money to support the civil rights workers, said Thursday.

"There was always fear but there was more fear after (they) were missing," he said. "Everyone realized they were going to Mississippi and Mississippi was like going into a war zone."

The bodies of the two volunteers, Michael Schwerner and Andrew Goodman, and James Chaney of Mississippi,

were found in an earthen dam about two months after the first wave of students left Oxford. Seven people were convicted of federal conspiracy charges in their deaths after Mississippi authorities refused to bring charges.

The deaths were portrayed in

the fictionalized 1988 movie, "Mississippi Burning."

The project mobilized students from across the country for training sessions in June 1964 at Western College, where they learned about non-violent reaction to arrest and what to expect in Mississippi.

cont. from pg. 6

Show, the best show award was won by Champion: (a) Royal Tudor's Wild as the Wind, Doberman pinscher; (b) Rowell's Solo Moon Rising, a pug; (c) Kaplar's Jiminey Cricket, a cocker spaniel.

ANSWERS: 1.b 2.c 3.a 4.a 5.b 6.a 7.a 8.b 9.a 10.a.

Tutoring Sessions Set

Tutoring sessions for the National Teacher Exam (NTE), the Graduate Record Exam (GRE), and other standardized exams (GMAT, LSAT, MCAT, MAT) continue to be held twice a week throughout the Spring 1989 semester on Mondays from 5-6 P.M. and on Wednesdays from 4-5 P.M. in Crosby 201. The Monday session is conducted by Dr. Robert Levine and the Wednesday session by Dr. SallyAnn Ferguson. These tutoring sessions are sponsored by the English Department.

The tutoring sessions are being supported by a \$428 grant from the A&T Industry Cluster. The project director for the

grant is Dr. Levine and the assistant project director is Dr.

Ferguson. With the grant money, the following materials have been purchased for use in tutoring sessions: preparation books and preparation software for the Graduate Record Exam, preparation books and preparation software for the Graduate Management Admission Test, and preparation books for the National Teacher Examination. Thanks to the grant this year and grants in previous years from the A&T Industry Cluster, the English Department has been able to acquire the most up-to-date preparation materials.

Devane Chosen as Outstanding Student

Kabirah Shabazz
President of Pi Mu Epsilon
Mathematics Honor Fraternity

Mrs. Wanda Hill Devane, a Mathematics Education major at North Carolina Agricultural and Technical State University was recognized by the North Carolina Council of Teachers of Mathematics as outstanding Mathematics Education student for the 1988-89 school year.

Devane, a junior from Wilmington, North Carolina maintained an overall grade point average of 3.93 and a major grade point average of 4.0 while maintaining a family and working as an instructor at Greensboro's Sylvan Learning Center. Devane has worked with the Greensboro Area Mathematics and Science

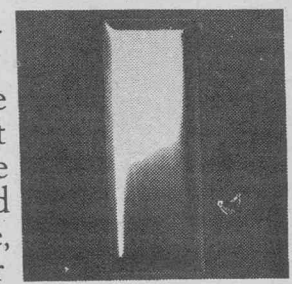
Education Center and has held a variety of leadership roles in a number of organizations which include the Digit Circle Math and Computer Science Club, A&T's Supplemental Instruction Program, the North Carolina Council of Teachers of Mathematics (NCCTM), and Pi Mu Epsilon Mathematics Honor Fraternity.

Devane received a plaque from NCCTM acknowledging her achievements along with a \$100 stipend. NCCTM will present a special award to N.C.A&T State University, to be permanently displayed in the Department of Mathematics and Computer Science, in recognition of Devane as Outstanding Mathematics Education Student for 1988-89.

THERE ARE TWO SIDES TO BECOMING A NURSE IN THE ARMY.



And they're both represented by the insignia you wear as a member of the Army Nurse Corps. The caduceus on the left means you're part of a health care system in which educational and career advancement are the rule, not the exception. The gold bar



on the right means you command respect as an Army officer. If you're earning a BSN, write: Army Nurse Opportunities, P.O. Box 7713, Clifton, NJ 07015. Or call toll free 1-800-USA-ARMY.

ARMY NURSE CORPS. BE ALL YOU CAN BE.

FOCUS

Congratulations

Juan Cherry
Features Editor

The Student Government Association elections for the office of president in my opinion were the most competitive of my career at A&T. The four men that ran for the office are to be respected no matter what the outcome. We had a man who had been president of his class for the past three years. A man who is a proved leader by organizing marches and speeches and other campus related events. A man who is very visible and respected by his peers and in my opinion is very well capable of holding the position. And a man who out of a willingness to serve and a desire to see change cast his hat into the campaigning circle.

The candidates' speeches contained a variety of approaches from a chanting 'Too Black, too strong, we've waited too long,' to a humbling song that does away with campaigning promises by saying, 'My thoughts may change and my words they'll pass, but only what I do is going to last'. I agree with the candidate who said that all of the candidates were qualified and I felt privileged to have had four men sacrifice their time and money to campaign for an office that seemingly never gets the credit it deserves. So I offer my appreciation and support of Barry, David, Derick and David and to all who participated in making this year's campaign truly competitive. To each of you, I say thank you and God bless you. To Lee

Christian, SGA president 1988-89, I congratulate you for being a positive role model and a man of great moral standards. I wish all of God's best for you in the future.

Congratulations, David Miller for being elected SGA president 1989-90!

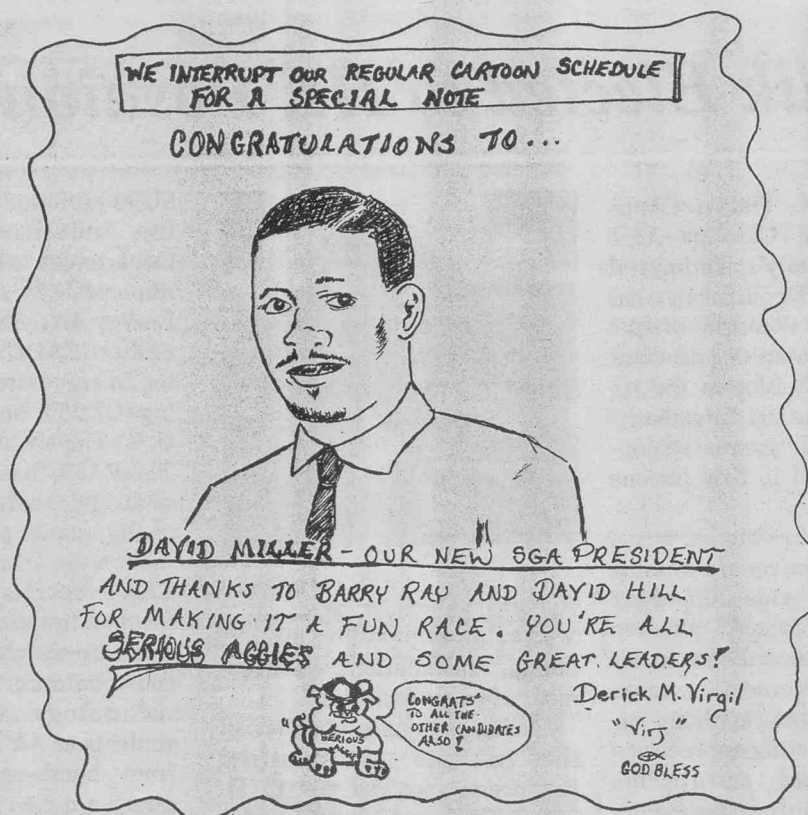
The lead column on the opinion page is written by the editor-in chief of The A&T Register. It does not carry a byline. None of the columns on this page necessarily reflect the opinion of the entire staff.

Published weekly during the school year by students of North Carolina Agricultural and Technical State University.

To receive The A&T Register, send \$10.50 for one year or \$18 for two years to: The A&T Register, Box E-25, North Carolina A&T State University, Greensboro, NC 27411.

Interim Editor-in-Chief.....	J.R. Williams
Managing Editor.....	Paula Hamilton
News Editor.....	LaVonne McIver
Associate News Editor.....	Sherry Rogers
Business Manager.....	Cynthia Roberts
Features Editor.....	Juan Cherry
Advertising Manager.....	Kim Hines
Head Typist.....	Jini Davis
Entertainment Editor.....	Tammi Williams
Sports Editor.....	Cedric Bryant
Art Editor.....	Derick Virgil
Chief Photographer.....	Sherry Montgomery
Circulation Manager.....	Stephanie Moore
Distribution Manager.....	Sylvia Moore
Adviser.....	Benjamin Forbes

Represented For National Advertising By
Communication Advertising Services
for Students (CASS)



Cafeteria Construction Explained

Letter to the Editor:

Dear Students:

This letter is in reference to the construction of offices on the second floor of Williams Cafeteria. Since the construction began, several students and others have expressed concerns regarding it and the amount of space it consumes.

In an effort to clear up this matter and bring closure to it, permit me to address the following:

1. The Role of Auxiliary Administration

The Auxiliary Administration Office has administrative responsibilities for this student supported enterprise. This includes planning for improvements in the facility and services in a quality, cost effective manner.

2. Available Management on Dining Level

The need for management on the floor is due to problems of

distribution, food fights and excessive lost and missing articles. At the present time, temporary Security Officers are on the floor during certain meal hours, this additional cost is borne by you, the student, and plans are being made to install a video security system. The construction of the office will also provide additional management personnel on the dining level for the purpose of observing and maintaining order. It is highly possible

cont. on pg. 8

History Club Battles the Issues

Letter to the Editor:

I am writing this piece to inform the student body about one of the events we, the History Club at A&T, have been recently involved in.

The History Club takes issue with the monuments commemorating one of the Confederacy's battles. The monuments, which are in the African (African-American, Black, etc...) community, should be moved. Why? Because the issue is not really the monuments but, the more important racist mentality behind

the monuments. The south fought the North because the South wanted to keep us in physical slavery. The mind set was Africans (African-Americans, Blacks, etc...) then were human beings and because there aren't now, let's commemorate our ancestors those people who fought and died to keep Africans (African-Americans, Blacks, etc...) on the plantation.

It is because we are not taken seriously; as a people that the state would give N.C. State 50 million plus an additional 20

million dollars in funds while our school receives not one cent. By the way that's your tax money and my tax money that N.C. State received.

On April 12 there will be a meeting of the Parks and Recreation Department. All organizational heads are encouraged to attend and give the History Club and the community what is needed.

One last point, would you find a statue of Hitler in a Jewish community.

Glen Wilson

LIFESTYLES

Nursing Student Takes on Many Different Roles

Yolanda Davis
Staff Writer

The piercingly haunting sounds of an ambulance siren would trigger feelings of urgency in many, but for one former emergency medical technician, the sound presents trauma, uncertainty, tension and pain.

Glen Avery, 38, a former Maryland EMT turned, emergency room nurse, now working at Moses Cone Hospital in Greensboro, says he decided on a career in nursing because it was the next logical advancement in the medical field.

"Since I liked being a paramedic, nursing was the next step," he said. There's a little bit more to do than what I was doing in the back of an ambulance, so you might say I went through the emergency room at the hospital to get a job."

Avery, a nursing student at North Carolina A&T, working on a Bachelor of Science degree, earned his associate degree in nursing at Delaware Technical Community College in 1984, but his educational goals go beyond just the minimum requirements.

"In completing my BS here, I'll be moving on to probably Chapel Hill where they offer a master's degree in health administration, and from that

point I'm not sure where I'll go then. Wherever a Ph. D takes me I guess," he said with a smile.

Although Avery is an A&T nursing student, he does not characteristically resemble his female counterparts. Unlike many of his classmates who carry the title of, "student only" on a daily basis, Avery takes on many different roles. A registered nurse, husband and father of three children, Avery says he treats time as a scarce commodity.

"My time schedule is kinda rough. Finding time to study is the hardest part, said Avery, who works second shift and therefore keeps late study hours ranging anywhere from midnight to 3 am.

Though his schedule causes him to be somewhat of a time mungler, Avery says he doesn't regret, his new hectic lifestyle or leaving northern California, for a more, "conducive" child-raising environment.

Because of prevalent gang and drug wars plaguing the city streets of his former home, Avery and his family moved to the quaint residential area of Summerfield. There, amid the cozy clutter of toys, and medical literature, of their split-level

home, Avery finds a more relaxed, peaceful environment for his children, Chris, 16, John, 8 and Patricia 11.

"The type of neighborhoods that we were in, were not really conducive to raising children," he said. "Where as we have a big yard here, our yard back there, (California), was maybe half of a 9X12 room."

Other considerations that lead him to the triad area and moreover A&T, were the university's caring professors in the nursing department and the triad's employment opportunities in trauma care.

"The professors I've met here are equal to the ones I had when I first went to college to get my associate degree," he said while shifting his weight on a rickety antique chair. "Their attitude in helping you get through it, is outstanding."

Since male nursing makes up such a small percentage of the work force, about one percent nationally, patients and doctors alike have mixed feelings towards Avery.

"Some feel that I'm a doctor and some of the doctors look at me and don't realize that I'm nurse...so I'm kind of an oddity," he said while cuddling

a five inch, furry, teddybear of a hamster of the same uninspired name.

With any job there comes some extent of frustration and stress and nursing is high on the list of career oriented stress, but Avery has somewhat of an advantage over other nurses in that his wife Dee, a former nurse herself, can easily relate to some of the stressful situations Avery is confronted with daily.

"A lot of nurses 'burnout' because they try to keep everything inside, we talk about what went on that day because it's not good to keep it all bottled inside," he said.

One of Avery's long term goals

is to become a hospital administrator in the next five years, and he thinks his experience will be a great asset to his future profession.

"I think nurses make better hospital administrators, than somebody just coming straight out of college that just has head knowledge on hospital administration, because they don't know how to deal with people that are in the nursing profession," Avery said.

Avery and his wife plan to start their own mobile consulting agency in the future, and hope their small effort will benefit and improve the nursing and medical profession in all areas.

Blacks in Bad Health, says Report

WASHINGTON (UPI)—Overall American life expectancy continues to rise, now at nearly 75 years, but the future is still shorter for blacks than whites, a government health report showed.

In releasing the latest report on the nation's health, the Public Health Service also noted that while deaths from heart disease and stroke are down significantly nationwide, homicides, suicides and fatal auto accidents are up.

The 13th annual health report "documents record level of good health in this country but the news is not all good," said Health Secretary Louis Sullivan in his first new briefing at the Health and Human Service Department.

"This report shows, as have others for as long as they have been issued, that there is a disparity between the health of our white and black populations," Sullivan noted. "These data point us in the direction of expanding our agenda in the upcoming decade to include a greater focus on such critical health areas as prevention of AIDS, unintentional injuries, homicide and suicide."

Among highlights of the report:

Life expectancy at birth increased from 74.7 years to 74.8 years for the overall population between 1985 and 1986, the most recent figures available; that represents more than a full year's increase since 1980. But for blacks, life expectancy dropped from 69.5 years to 69.4 years from 1985 to 1986.

The infant mortality rate declined 2 percent between 1985 and 1986, reaching 10.4 deaths per 1,000 live births for the lowest rate since 1965. Here again, however, the black rate of deaths per 1,000 live births remained twice as high as the rate for white infants, 8.9 deaths per 1,000.

Heart disease remained the leading cause of death across the country but the percentage of fatalities has dropped 31 percent from 1970. Fatal strokes among people age 55 to 74 were down 53 percent from 1970, but again, the strokes death rate in that age group was 89 percent higher for black males than for white males and 76 percent higher for black females than for white females.

EARN CASH

UP TO \$135/ MONTH-DONATE PLASMA
THE PLASMA CENTER
224 N. ELM STREET (Downtown)
273-3429

Look for the striped awning

M-W 6-5
F 6-3

T-TH 8-5

NEW DONORS M-W-F 8-12:30

BRING THIS AD FOR A \$5 BONUS ON YOUR FIRST VISIT

Test Your News I.Q. with News Quiz

EDITOR'S NOTE: How much do you remember about the stories that have been in the news recently? If you score fewer than five correct answers, you have been spending too much time playing computer games. If you get eight or more right you rate an "A".

1. The presidents of five Central American countries announced an agreement under which; (a) there would be direct negotiations between the U.S. backed Contra rebels and the Nicaraguan government; (b) Contra bases in Honduras would

be closed in return for open elections in Nicaragua; (c) El Salvador offered asylum to Contras, while U.N. mediation took place.

2. Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini called for the death of Salman Rushdie, author of "The Satanic Verses," which is: (a) a long poem, vilifying the Koran; (b) an unauthorized biography of the prophet Mohammed; (c) a novel incorporating dream sequences and supernatural happenings.

3. To avoid the possible appearance of conflict of interest in his State role. Secretary of State James A. Baker 3d said he: (a) had put all his family shares in a blind trust; (b) would resign as chairman of a family corporation he'd served while on the government payroll; (c) had decided to sell all his stocks.

4. After nine years the Soviets finally withdrew from Afghanistan, and the last soldier to leave was the commander of Soviet forces there, Lt. Gen.: (a) Boris Gromov; (b) Boris Gromyko; (c) Boris Godunov.

5. As a compensation for victims of the 1984 toxic gas leak at Bhopal, the Indian Supreme Court ordered the Union Carbide Corp. to pay damages of: (a) \$3 billion over three years; (b) \$470 million before March 23; (c) \$650 million, plus results of many civil suits in process.

6. Polls commissioned by Health Management Quarterly showed that the proportion of Americans who believe the nation's health care system needs a major overhaul is: (a) 89 percent; (b) 18 percent; (c) 43 percent.

7. A federal appeals court in Philadelphia ordered the Department of Transportation to require authorities around the country to equip new buses with: (a) wheelchair lifts; (b) air conditioning; (c) sealed fare

deposit boxes.

8. In an election in Sri Lanka marked by violence that left more than 1,000 dead, President Ramasinghe Premadasa's United Party: (a) increased its majority, winning 178 of the 225 parliamentary seats; (b) won the election, but with a reduced majority; (c) lost to a coalition of the Freedom Party and a variety of other small parties.

9. The Commerce Department said that in January housing starts had: (a) shot up, making their biggest monthly gain in a year; (b) dropped to their lowest levels in six years; (c) moved up slightly to recover ground lost the month before.

10. At the Westminster Dog **cont. on pg. 3**

Dreamgirls Set as Finale

The long-awaited area premiere of DREAMGIRLS will be the season finale for the Richard B. Harrison Players. Winner of six Tony Awards in 1982, the show features a book of lyrics by Tom Eyen with a score composed by Henry Krieger. The production is limited to a special engagement of only 5 performances-April 27, 28, 30 and May 1. Curtain times are 8:00 each evening with a 3:00 matinee on Sunday.

DREAMGIRLS is a musical saga that exposes the truth about showbusiness. Loosely based on

the meteoric rise to success of Diana Ross and the Supremes, the show tells the bittersweet story of three young black girls from Chicago who begin their rise to fame and fortune as backup singers for a James Brown-like rhythm and blues singer. They are guided by an ambitious and unscrupulous manager, Curtis Taylor, Jr. into pop music stardom but not without a price. Effie White, who is both his lover and the group's best singer is replaced by Denna Jones as the Dreams' lead singer. She is then ousted entirely from the

trio by Curtis, who not only has a new more svelte Dream in costume to replace Effie on stage, but he has also chosen another Dream to replace her in his bed. The conniving Taylor then tries to thwart Effie's solo career comeback with a payola scheme that backfires.

The general admission fare to DREAMGIRLS is \$10, \$6 for A&T students. Special group discounts are available. Tickets can be purchased by mail order by coming to the Paul Robeson Theatre box office. For more information, please call 334-7852.

Carowinds Opens for 17th Season

CHARLOTTE-Carowinds theme park officially opened for its 17th season of operation March 18.

The 83-acre theme park's opening day celebration included the Carowinds Varsity Cheerleaders Championship, an evening fireworks extravaganza, and a party for thousands of Carowinds Season Pass holders.

This season Carowinds spent \$3.75 million in park improvements and new attractions, including the new six-acre water-themed area, Rip Tide Reef.

The 14th annual cheerleading championship brought over 40 cheerleading squads and their fans to the park to compete for trophies and prizes.

This season, Carowinds introduced its tenth themed area, Rip Tide Reef, which includes two speed slides (racing rivers), two tube slides (Carolina Pipeline), a 700,000 gallon wave pool (TideWater Bay) and a mini themed area with slides and water attractions for children (Waterworks).

Rip Tide Reef includes shower and changing facilities and is part of Carowinds. There is no separate admission for entrance to the Rip Tide Reef.

Carowinds has also introduced a new two-day ticket in 1989 because of the addition of the Rip Tide Reef is expected to expand multi-day visits to the theme park.

Carowinds spring season (Saturdays and Sundays only)

runs through June 4. Carowinds will also be open Friday, May 26 and Memorial Day, May 29.

Carowinds will be open daily (closed Fridays) June 5-August 17 and will be open Friday, July 7. In the Fall, Carowinds is open weekends only again from August 19-October 8, plus Labor Day Monday, September 4.

Admission to Carowinds is \$17.95 for ages seven-59, \$8.95 for ages four to six and senior citizens (60+). Children three and under are admitted free. Carowinds two-day admission is \$24.95 (Must be used on consecutive days). Carowinds personal and family season tickets are also available. Carowinds is located off I-77 (exit 90) 10 miles south of Charlotte, and 12 miles north of Rock Hill, S.C.

Patti to Perform

Inspirational singer, Sandi Patti, will perform Friday, April 7th at 7:30 p.m. in the Greensboro Coliseum. Tickets are still available at the Greensboro Coliseum Box Office and all Ticketron locations.

In the nine short years since she first burst into the limelight, Sandi Patti has recorded a string

of best selling albums, sold out concert halls across the country, and has even been honored with no less than sixteen prestigious Dove awards, four gold albums, and four coveted Grammy awards.

Tickets are priced at \$11.50 and \$12.50. To charge call 1-800-543-3041.



AGGIE SPORTS

Baseball Team has Chance at MEAC Title after Slow Start

Terrell King
Special to the Register

It's taken a while, but the N.C. A&T baseball team is showing improvement after a slow start.

For the first time in years the Aggies (3-5-1) have won three games early in their schedule.

"It has usually taken the Aggie baseball team the whole season just to get a win, if we got that," said first baseman Walter Johnson. "And now we have already won three games."

Johnson, a three year starter, said the team is finally beginning to look like a real organization.

"The Aggie baseball organization had been struggling,"

Johnson said. "There was a problem in trying to find the right coach for the job after the retirement of Coach Groomes."

The Aggies landed a great replacement for the vacancy in new head coach Calvin Lang.

Lang, an A&T graduate and former Aggie baseball star, has an optimistic outlook for the team.

"The Aggie baseball team is going to be all right," said Lang. "All this organization needed was someone to show these group of guys some leadership and discipline."

Lang added that if the players continue to improve, they might have a good chance of winning the MEAC tournament.

Softball Team Young but Willing

David Pickens
Special to the Register

The women's softball team may be young and inexperienced, but they have the will to learn the game, according to their head coach.

In his first season as coach, Michael Ferguson knew that the season would be a learning process for him as well as the players.

"It's learning as you play," said Ferguson. "It is all a new experience."

Currently the team has a record of 1-4 with all losses to St. Augustine College and one victory over crosstown rival Greensboro College.

"We learned a lot from those losses," said Ferguson. "I am pleased with the progress that the team has made up to this point in the season."

With only three seniors on the roster leadership, will be a very important factor in the success of the team.

Ferguson said that senior Lawanda Sullivan has accepted the role of team leader and added that she is the player-coach of the team.

"Our team is young on experience but we have a good attitude that will help in learning the game," said Sullivan.

Ferguson said he is also pleased with play of pitcher Valdenia Reeves and shortstop Beverly Hooker.

Coaching a team for the first time is a great responsibility and assistant coach Paul Stokes realized this and has volunteered his time to the team.

"He's (Stokes) a good helper to the team," said Ferguson.

Coaching takes a lot of hard work and Ferguson's players respect him for his efforts.

"He is very dedicated and devoted to the team even though he has other responsibilities," said junior Sylvia Ward.

HELLO GRADUATING SENIORS!

DO YOU SEE GRADUATE EDUCATION IN YOUR FUTURE?
ARE YOU LOOKING FOR A QUALITY GRADUATE PROGRAM?
WOULD YOU LIKE TO LEARN MORE ABOUT HUMAN DISEASES?
ARE YOU INTERESTED IN NEW RESEARCH TECHNOLOGIES?

THEN, YOU SHOULD CONSIDER APPLYING TO THE

GRADUATE PROGRAM IN PATHOLOGY
UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA AT CHAPEL HILL

Research on the origins and mechanisms of diseases involves structural analyses, chemistry of blood fluids, gene cloning and expression, somatic cell genetics, study of oncogenes, transgenic animals, targeted mutagenesis, molecular modeling, genetic stability, etc. Students interested in biology, chemistry, biochemistry, molecular biology, genetics, physiology, toxicology, biotechnology, immunology, etc. are encouraged to apply.

Please contact Dr. Marila Cordeiro-Stone, Director of Graduate Studies and Admissions, Pathology Department, C.B.# 7525 Chapel Hill, N.C. 27599. Phone: (919) 966-1396 or 1397.

Tennis Teams Look Forward to Season

Anthony J. Newkirk
Special to the Register

The men's and women's tennis teams of A&T State University are looking forward to a promising season, according to their new head coach.

"They're starting off on a good track," said coach Kitty Maddox.

The men's tennis team played their first game Wednesday, March 15, against Greensboro College and were defeated 5-4.

"It showed me what we need to do as far as preparing for the season," Maddox said. "It was a learning experience."

Coach Maddox said that the team has improved a lot from last year.

The men's team has four members on the team: Andrew Makenete, freshman; Darren Haley, junior; Donald Boggs, freshman and Bruce Collins, senior.

The women's tennis team has had to reschedule matches because of rain but planned to play their first game Tuesday, March 21 against Greensboro College.

The women also have three

cont. on pg. 8

AIM HIGH

Move up in the world.
Join Air Force ROTC.

Registering for college? Great! You could also register for a tremendous start on your career by joining Air Force ROTC. You'll get the training to become an Air Force officer. And your career will take off immediately. Aim high with Air Force.

CAPT KIM JONES
334-7707

AIR FORCE
ROTC

Cafeteria

cont. from pg. 4

that once this space is operational, the need for temporary security personnel will no longer exist. The management personnel will be immediately available to students, easily identified and can respond to specific concerns on the spot. Space is also provided for issuing student meal cards during the

non-service hours. The seating formally in the area has been relocated throughout the cafeteria, thereby maintaining the same level of seating capacity.

3. Improvements in Communication

It was never the intent of this administration to keep students

in the dark regarding the construction or to disrupt the meal hour with construction activities. Disruptive construction activities during the meal hour ceased as soon as it was brought to our attention. Contractor's schedule were rearranged and the project is approximately 90 percent complete. The initial plan was to have completed this construction during the semester break in December, however, it

was delayed.

One part of a plan of action to improve communications and make sure that all of the University is aware of these kinds of activities, will be to insure that students participate in the Auxiliary Enterprise planning process. This process will provide the long range strategic plan for improvements and expansions of the Auxiliary Enterprises. Active student participation with this

group will assure non-recurrence of these kinds of concerns and will provide student involvement, knowledge and input.

For any inconvenience caused by this construction and/or misunderstandings, we apologize and we look forward to a continued and improved relationship.

Andre' James
Director of Auxiliary Services.

King

cont. from pg. 2

next year and Lightner, who served as state director for Jesse Jackson's presidential campaign last year, said unnamed Washington sources told him the senator plans a similar tactic this year.

As recently as three years ago Helms exchanged letters with King's wife, Coretta Scott King, who sought his support for the holiday honoring her husband. He replied that he would support the holiday, but only if she would use her influence to get the FBI to declassify all of its files about King.

Tennis

cont. from pg. 7

new freshmen members: Charletta Carter, Kelly Welborn and Kathy Welborn.

Maddox said she encourages both teams to "go out and have fun" and learn as much as they can about the game.

Maddox, a 1978 graduate of A&T, came to the athletic department last year and also worked for the first time with the women. This is her first year coaching the men.

Maddox was in the American Tennis Association and played for the Blue Ribbons of Durham, NC from 1974-77.

"I'm looking forward to this season and helping toward the growth of and development of the players," she concluded.

Elections

cont. from pg. 1

still very excited about the victory and extremely grateful to all of her supporters.

"I want to thank everyone for the encouraging words and overwhelming support throughout the campaign," said Crawley. I especially want to thank my opponents for such a friendly and exciting election race," she added.

“Mom says the house just isn't the same without me, even though it's a lot cleaner.”



Liz Corsini • Boston University • Class of 1990

Just because your Mom is far away, doesn't mean you can't be close. You can still share the love and laughter on AT&T Long Distance Service.

It costs less than you think to hear that she likes the peace and quiet, but she misses you. So go ahead, give your Mom a call. You can clean your room later. Reach out and touch someone®.



AT&T

The right choice.