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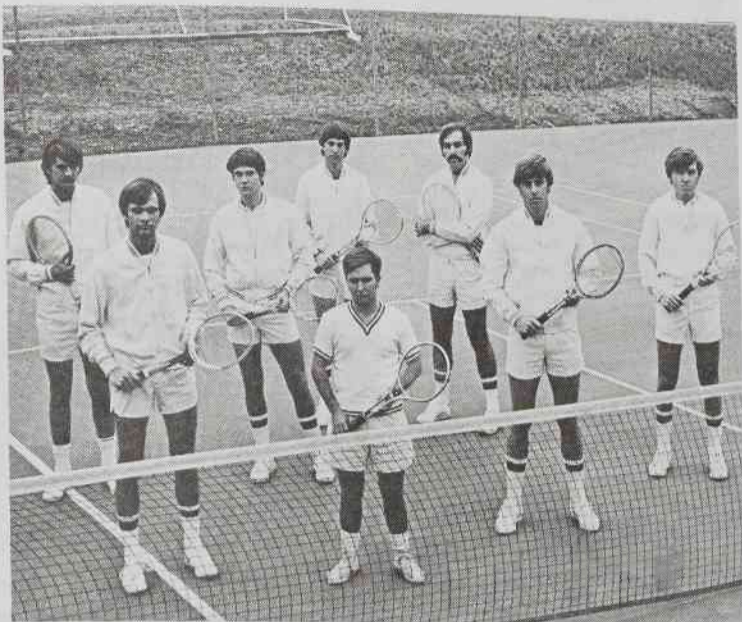
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Team Adds Honors



Color this team formidable opposition. Ask any team that encountered them in the Carolinas Conference of District 29. The team will be representing AC at the NAIA National finals June 7-12.

Jeff Harrell of Campbell. Harrell won the toss and was seeded number one.

To make his way into the finals, Thompson had to meet Harrell in the semifinals and had no trouble with him. Thompson defeated Harrell 6-4, 6-2.

Kenny Rand advanced to the finals after downing teammate David Hale, the number five man on the AC squad, 6-4, 7-5. Hale was able to advance into the semifinals by dumping Campbell's Ron Staples 6-2, 4-6, 2-0 retired.

As stated earlier, Rand and Thompson met in the finals and Thompson won the title.

In doubles competition, Rand and Thompson teamed up to capture the doubles championship for the second time in as many years. The AC duo smashed Campbell's combination of Harrell-Staples 5-3, 7-5.

Harrell-Staples made it into the finals by defeating the AC duo of David Hale-Charles Wickizer in the quarter finals

and by defeating the defending doubles runners-up combination of Jim Adcox-Danny Phillips.

Adcox and Wickizer were the only two AC players to be eliminated by someone other than players from their own team.

Recapping the Bulldog's accomplishments, the Dogs have compiled a 17-2 with the only losses coming at the hand of the NC State Wolfpack. The Dogs are undefeated in both the Carolinas Conference and District 29 competition. This is the second year that the team has swept the District as well as the Conference. The team won the Campbell Invitational Tennis Tournament this year for the fourth time.

The Dogs will be in Kansas City June 7-12 at the Rock Hill Tennis Club.

This will be the last matches that Jim Adcox and Kenny Rand will play, both will graduate in May. The Dogs still look strong for next year.



ACC AWARD RECIPIENTS: Among those named award recipients at a special Honors Convocation held on the Atlantic Christian College campus Tuesday were, left to right, David Wayne Cox, Susan Jacquith, Whit Nelson Neville Jr., Joyce Ann Copeland, David Ellison, Elizabeth Braswell, Ronnie Norfolk, Susan Tyndall and Elmer Duke Whedbee.

Outstanding Students

A number of outstanding students at Atlantic Christian College were named award recipients Tuesday at a special Honors Convocation held on the college campus. Presiding was Dan Hensley Jr., chairman of the ACC Convocation Coordinating Council.

The Wilson Daily Times Publication Award was presented to Miss Joyce Ann Copeland of Hertford, editor of the campus newspaper The Collegiate. The award is made annually to the student who shows the greatest promise in and made the most outstanding contribution to the field of publication.

The Wilson Chamber of Commerce Award was presented to Whit Nelson Neville Jr. of Littleton. The award is presented annually to the most outstanding senior student of business.

The Dutchess Trophy was awarded to Charles David Ellison of Goldsboro. It is awarded to students who have most effectively furnished participation in dramatics on the campus.

The Denny Cup for Creative Writing was presented to Elmer Duke Whedbee Jr. of Ahsokie. The cup is awarded for the best creative writing by a student.

The Elaine Waters Memorial Award was presented to Susan Dianne Jacquith of Silver Spring, Md. The award is presented to the student who has shown the greatest interest in enlarging the religious life of the campus.

The David and Charlotte Blackwood Memorial Award was presented to David Wayne Cox of Walstonburg. The award, a cash gift, is presented annually to the most outstanding pre-theological graduate planning to enter a seminary.

Rotary Cup awards were presented to Susan Lynn Tyndall of Maysville, Ronnie Lee Norfolk of Wilson and Elizabeth Braswell of Goldsboro. The award is presented each spring to the student who earned the highest scholastic average for the previous fall and spring semesters. Three cups were presented because of a tie in grades.

The Kiwanis Cup Award was presented to Clifton Black of Tarboro. The award is given each year to the best all-around

athlete. The objective of the award is the fostering of clean sport in athletics. Recognized as members of the Carolinas Conference All Academic team were Bryan Lee Chalk of Rockingham, and Joseph Charles Jeffcoat (third year) of Plymouth. Recognized as a member of the All-District NAIA District 29 team was Clifton Black of Tarboro.

Members of the All-District Tennis team were Danny Thompson of Burlington as the singles champion. Recognized as doubles champions for the district were Kenny Rand of Raleigh, and Danny Thompson.

Anthology



SPoon RIVER ANTHOLOGY, a play based on the poems of Edgar Lee Masters, will be presented by Stage and Script tonight in Howard Chapel, and on May 14, 15. Curtain time for performances will be 8 p.m. The play concerns itself with the different lives of several townspeople of Spoon River at the turn of the century. The characters are dead and talk of their lives. Having lived in a small town they are mostly regretful they did not live differently. The picture above shows, Fran Mercer, one of the female members of the cast, in a setting typical of the tempo of the production. Mike Raper and Cynde Mercer add zest and atmosphere with their folk songs.

Athletes Honored

For the second time in as many years, Cliff Black has been named the Most Outstanding Athlete On Campus. Black was selected by his fellow athletes at AC from a list of candidates made up of one member nominated from each sport. Carson Davis from baseball, Black from basketball, Bill Corbin from golf, Kenny Rand from tennis and John Liles

from track were the nominees.

This is only the latest in a number of honors that Black has received this year. Black has made the all Carolinas Conference team, the All-District team and was an Honorable Mention for the NAIA All America team. Black is co-captain of the basketball team and was the team's leading scorer.

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Tell It

With the few days remaining before many seniors will finish their college careers, we asked them what thoughts or plans they had for the future.

MKB: I plan to do as much as I can with a college education.

JTC: I hope to be an elementary teacher...at the moment unemployed.

DKH: Hope to get a job.

SLA: Teach elementary school in Fayetteville, N.C.

JLW: I'm getting married and hope to teach elementary school.

LAC: Seek employment in Virginia Beach.

MB: Go to Puerto Rico to find a job.

MAC: Bum around the country this year and try to get into graduate school or try to be a playboy bunny.

RAS: Try to find a job teaching physical education...anywhere at this point.

MBE: Get married and teach. BAW: Teach in the primary anywhere.

KTA: I plan to become president, make a few grand.

PD: Get married and teach the 2nd grade.

JKA: Teach probably and find a man.

GFW: Teach business education

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Standing left to right: Kenny Rand, Danny Thompson both honored for winning District 29 Doubles Championship (Thompson also won the Singles Championship) Cliff Black, Most Outstanding Athlete On Campus, Joe Jeffcoat and Bryan Chalk both honored for making the All-Academic team.