

N.C. A&T Clinches Championship



Officers of the North Carolina Central University Foundation met with Robert S. Poole, III, the foundation's new executive director, to review plans for the foundation's activities for the remainder of 1981. From left are Mrs. Carolyn Green, secretary, of Henderson, N.C.; Arthur W. Clark, chairman, of Home Security Life Insurance Company in Durham; Poole; Don T. Carmichael, treasurer, of North Carolina National Bank in Durham; and Gail H. Blackburn, III, vice-chairman, of J.C. Penny Company in Durham.

After only one year's absence, and a second-year new head coach; the NCA&T State University basketball team has again risen to the top in the Mid-Eastern Athletic Conference (MEAC).
Over last weekend, coach Don Corbett and his cast of youngsters defeated Bethune-Cookman 71-65, and Florida A&M 69-63, closed out their league play at 7-3, and clinched the MEAC's regular season championship. They also secured one of the two byes in this year's tournament, scheduled for Winston-Salem on March 6-8.

NCA&T got some unexpected help Saturday night when Delaware State upset Howard 76-74, dropping the defending champion to 5-4, with a game left with those same Hornets February 24. Delaware State brought its family mark to 3-6.
Florida A&M is in a second-place tie with Howard, having downed South Carolina State in overtime Friday, 87-86. Bethune-Cookman (4-5) dropped to fourth after losing to the SC State Bulldogs Saturday 74-60; and the Bulldogs concluded conference action compiling a 4-6 worksheet.

FAMU and Bethune-Cookman will clash in an all-important contest Tuesday night, that will go a long way in shaping the MEAC Tournament pairings.

are not ranked in the state) or other special events. These latter events will be held only at the local level, however.

Entry fees will be \$10 for singles and \$5 per person for each doubles event entered. The North Carolina Heart Association provides all materials free of charge, including trophies, needed to conduct a Heart Fund tournament.

The schedule for this year's tournament is as follows:
By June 7, all local tournaments will have been completed.



Robert S. Poole, III, executive director of the North Carolina Central University Foundation, accepts a contribution to the university's programs from officers of the North Western Bank in Durham. From the left are Poole; Ms. Rosanna Flambeau, marketing manager; John B. Mickle, city executive; and Cicero Green, member of the bank's board of directors and a former member of the NCCU Board of Trustees.

Tennis Plans Announced

Plans for the fifth annual North Carolina Heart Association-Northwestern Bank Statewide Tennis Tournament have been announced by the American Heart Association's North Carolina affiliate. This popular tennis event, which offers players of all ages and

abilities a variety of events in which to compete at local, district, and state levels, also provides participants with the opportunity to contribute, through payment of entry fees, to the work of the Heart Association in North Carolina.
Last year, approximate-

ly 2,200 players entered 80 local tournaments throughout the state; 14 districts hosted play-offs; and nearly 200 district winners competed in the State Heart Championships in Chapel Hill in June. For the third year, The Northwestern Bank, whose headquarters are in North Wilkesboro, has agreed to sponsor the tournament by underwriting expenses. Entry fees collected at local tournaments will help support programs being carried out by local Heart Associations.

Events being offered this year, whose winners and finalists are eligible to advance to district play-offs, are men's and women's singles and doubles, men's and women's 35 and 45 singles and doubles, men's 55 singles and doubles, mixed doubles and mixed 35-and-over doubles. Additionally, local tournaments may host singles and doubles events for "B" players (those who

Bridge Winners

College View Duplicate Bridge Club winners for February 12 were: first place-Curtis and Minnie Norris, second place, Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Young, third place-Mrs. Clara Hunt and Matthew Woollard, fourth place-Mrs. Theresa Jeffries and Dorothy Mewborn.

Volkamenia Club Meeting

The regular meeting of the Volkamenia Literary Club was held February 12 at the home of Mrs. Virginia Alston, president.

Club members were appreciative of the attractive programs and table decorations which carried out the Valentine motif.

Mrs. Julia Harris, in charge of program, prepared an interesting and informative program using the club theme: "Literature of Human Rights" and correlating same with Black History Month.

The presentation consisted of two parts. The first part was a recording entitled: "Adventures in Negro History." The second part was entitled: "The Struggle of Negro Women." All the material in the second part was based on clippings from *The Carolina Times*. Mrs. Harris has made extensive use of the column that appears weekly, under the heading "Things You Should Know." From the earliest struggles of Sojourner Truth and Harriet Tubman, these clippings were arranged and discussed in sequence.

Lerone Bennett, Jr., has said that "Black History is history and must be interpreted historically against the larger backdrop of the unfolding stream of world history."

Thrifty Service Club

The Thrifty Service Club met with Mrs. Milie Williams February 14. Devotions were led by Mrs. Geneva Rogers. Mrs. Beatrice Holman read a Valentine poem entitled "I Love You."

Minutes were read and approved.
The club's decision to buy fuel for a needy family was delivered to the family in the form of a check. Mesdames Vanhook and Davis investigated a family that had been reported in need of fuel. It was confirmed so the club donated the amount needed for this family. A report was given on a gift the club had made at Christmas.

Following the meeting, Mrs. Williams served a delicious dinner to those present, and many gifts were given Mrs. Williams for her birthday.

Others present were Mesdames Pearl Walker, Luna Holman, Queenie Cooper, Rosetta Cobb, Geneva Rogers, Lula Hester, Louise Thompson, Mattie Jones, Willie Mae Jones, Mable Bryant, Vergie Mangum, Bessie Pratt and Retha Core.

The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Geneva Rogers.

Energy Saver

Winter's brutal winds can make you think you're burning money to keep your house warm when the weather turns cold. Heat loss through and around windows and doors can actually account for 30 or even 40 percent of winter home heating costs.



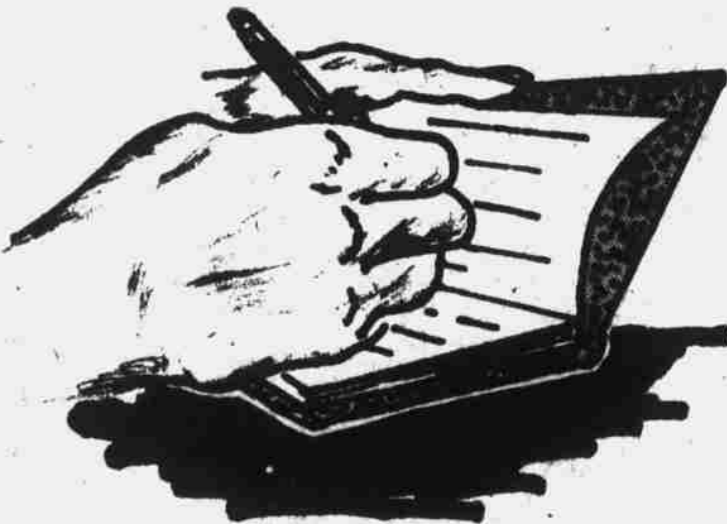
One economical way to beat the cold—without suffering the high costs of storm window and doors—is with Energy Saver, the wire-mesh reinforced plastic from G&B that can be taped, stapled or tacked to the inside or outside of window and door frames, on porches and drafty areas, and around unused entrances to the home.

Available at most hardware stores in 36" x 25' rolls, G&B's Energy Saver costs about \$1 per window and can also be used with existing storm windows to create an additional heat (and money) saving barrier between your warm home and winter's chilling winds.

Most poets need inspiration. Schiller's was the smell of rotten apples, which he always kept on his desk while writing.

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