

SPECIAL GIFTS OF \$145,000 IN 1963 . . .

W. E. Horner Family Gives \$100,000

Mr. W. E. Horner of Sanford and members of his family have provided for a gift of \$100,000 to Methodist College.

Horner is publisher of the SANFORD HERALD, a past president of the North Carolina Press Association and a former member of the N. C. House of Representatives from Lee County.

He was one of the original members of the Board of Trustees of Methodist College and continues to serve as an effective member of the Board. From July 3, 1956, the date of the first meeting of the Board of Trustees, until May, 1959, he served as secretary of the Board.

As one reads the early history of Methodist College he is impressed with the tre-

mendous amount of work done by Mr. Horner as chairman of the original Planning Committee of the Board of Trustees. As such, he had much to do with the shaping of the college in the early days of development.

It is quite fitting that the gift of the Horner family has been directed to the construction of the Administration Building.

Commenting on the gift Dr. L. Stacy Weaver, president of the college, said, "I bespeak my own personal appreciation and that of the entire college community, as well as the Board of Trustees, to this faithful and devoted Trustee for the vision which has led him to see the need and the dedication which has inspired him to make this substantial move toward meeting that need. Mr. Horner, you have placed all of us in your debt and have provided an example of Trusteeship of the highest order."

Two Foundations Contribute \$45,000

During 1963 Methodist College was favored by special gifts from two foundations.

Mary Reynolds Babcock Foundation

The Mary Reynolds Babcock Foundation of Winston-Salem, North Carolina, made a commitment of \$30,000 to be applied toward construction of the library-

Kresge Foundation

The Kresge Foundation of Detroit, Michigan, made a gift of \$15,000 which is also directed toward the library building.

The library is under construction and is scheduled for completion in May of 1964.

Commenting on these gifts President Weaver said, "We appreciate these expressions of interest in our program. These contributions will help us accomplish our goal of the completion of the library at the earliest possible date."

College Approved By Two Official Bodies

The Committee on Standards of the North Carolina College Conference in its report to the annual meeting of the Conference in Durham, November 7-8, reported that Methodist College is operating according to senior college standards in 1963-64. This report was the result of a visit to and inspection of the college by a committee of the Conference in October, 1963.

The visiting committee was high in its praise of the program, organization and progress at Methodist College.

From the very beginning the college has sought to build a strong academic program and provide the necessary requirements for a well-rounded, high quality senior college experience.

The college has also been approved by the University Senate of the Methodist Church for the undergraduate training of pre-ministerial students.



Governor Terry Sanford, left, Chairman of the Board Of Trustees of Methodist College, and Dr. L. Stacy Weaver, right, President of The College, discuss with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Horner of Sanford, North Carolina, their gift of \$100,000.00 to Methodist College.

A GIFT TO METHODIST COLLEGE IS AN INVESTMENT IN THE FUTURE THROUGH THE YOUTH OF TODAY. YOUR GIFT MAY BE UNRESTRICTED OR DIRECTED TO BUILDINGS, ENDOWMENT, EQUIPMENT, SCHOLARSHIPS, OR LOAN FUNDS.



NEW FACULTY MEMBERS pause on campus during faculty orientation at beginning of school year. From left, front row, Elizabeth V. Garthly, Esperanza Escudero, who joined the faculty last year, Addison R. Barker, Jr., Helen Elizabeth Jones, R. Parker Wilson, Joyce E. Porter. Back row, Allen P. Wadsworth, Jr., Gene T. Clayton, George P. Chandler, Carlyle Cross, Dr. Millard P. Burt, Dean of the College, and Alan M. Porter.

The 1963-64 academic year has brought 11 new people to our faculty. These have added academic strength to the total program of the college.

New members of the staff include: Dr. Millard P. Burt, Dean of the College, who came from Atlantic Christian College after serving there as dean for 5 years; Addison R. Barker, Jr., Assistant Professor of English—A. B., High Point College, M. A., University of North Carolina; George P. Chandler, Instructor in Philosophy—A. B., Elon College, B. D., Vanderbilt University, Graduate Study, Emory University; Gene T. Clayton, Instructor in Physical Education—A. B., Catawba College, M. Ed., University of North Carolina; Carlyle Cross, Professor of English—A. B., Mercer University, M. A., Duke University, Ph. D., University of Georgia; Elizabeth V. Garthly, Assistant Professor of Art—B. F. A., University of Pennsylvania, M. S., Temple University, Graduate study, Pennsylvania State University; Helen Elizabeth Jones, Assistant Professor of English—A. B., Harvard University, M. A., University of Wyoming, Graduate study, University of Colorado; Alan M. Porter, Instructor in Voice—B. M., Mt. Union College, M. M., University of Illinois; Joyce E. Porter, Instructor in French—A. B., Mt. Union College, M. A., Duke University, Graduate study, University of Illinois; Allen P. Wadsworth, Jr., Instructor in Sociology—A. B., Howard College, B. D., Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary, M. Ed., University of North Carolina; Robert Parker Wilson, Assistant Professor of History—B. S., Wake Forest College, M. A., Peabody College, Graduate Study, University of North Carolina.

1963-64 First Semester Enrollment 470

The enrollment at Methodist College continues to show a steady climb each year. A total of 470 students were enrolled for the first semester of this year as compared with 345 for the same period last year.

Statistics of this year's enrollment are as follows:

Full-time students	449
Part-time students	21
Occupational interests:	
Teaching	160
Business	33
Church Vocations	23
Medicine	21
Engineering	13
Law	11
Accounting	8
Social Work	7
Others and Undecided	173

Financial Aid:

Number students receiving loans, scholarships, campus work and other aid	166
Amount	\$40,700

Geographical Distribution:

North Carolina	400
Out-of-State	70
(14 States Represented)	

Athletic Program Begins

As a member of the newly organized Dixie Intercollegiate Athletic Conference, Methodist College participates this year for the first time in intercollegiate athletics.

Teams in basketball and bowling are in competition this semester with other teams in the conference.

Other colleges in the conference are Saint Andrews Presbyterian, North Carolina Wesleyan, College of Charleston, Charlotte College, and Lynchburg College.

A unique aspect of this new conference is that no school is permitted to give athletic scholarships. Participation is, therefore, open to all students and not only to a select few.



METHODIST COLLEGE MONARCHS—From left, kneeling, are Jerry Huckabee, Fayetteville; Phil Levine, Charlotte; Herman Britt, Jr., Fayetteville; George Potts, Philadelphia, Pa.; Carson Harmon, Jr., Durham; Don Parsons, Fayetteville; David Altman, Olean, N. Y. Standing, are Coach Ernest Schwarz; Roy Baucom, Fayetteville; Larry Harris, Fayetteville; Guy Beattie, Jr., Raleigh; Walter Turner, Kure Beach; and Manager Eugene Belvin, Elizabeth City. Absent when this picture was taken were Joe Horne, Roseboro, and Assistant Coach Gene Clayton.

**REMEMBER METHODIST COLLEGE
IN YOUR WILL**

The Rev. M. C. Dunn Leaves Scholarship At College

On Wednesday, November 6, 1963, Methodist College lost a real friend—The Reverend Millard C. Dunn.

Mr. Dunn came to the superintendency of the Fayetteville District of the Methodist Church in 1959 with enthusiastic anticipation of being able to make a significant contribution to the growth and progress of Methodist College. This he did, but not as he had hoped. His health became a deterrent to his physical ambitions, but his spirit and enthusiasm never weakened.

On September 21, 1960, at 11:30 a.m., The Reverend Mr. Dunn was the speaker for the first chapel service at the college. During the service he said, "This is one of the greatest moments of my life. I have looked forward to the opening of this college as a little boy looks forward to Santa Claus."



Mr. Dunn Speaking At College's First Chapel Service In 1960

In 1961 Mr. Dunn took the first step in establishing at the college the Lenora Auten and Lloyd Dunn Scholarship in memory of his parents. Even in the face of tremendous personal medical expenses and educational expenses of his own sons, he continued to contribute regularly to the fund. In December, 1962, a number of his friends gave him a gift of money to purchase an air-conditioning unit for his car. But instead of using the money for his own comfort, he chose to put it into the scholarship fund. Since his death numerous contributions have been made to the fund.

Yes, we will miss Mr. Dunn's physical presence, but we will never forget his dedication to Christ and the tremendous spirit of enthusiasm with which he pursued the goals of his ministry. A part of him will continue to live in the lives of those young people who are the recipients of his scholarship—thus he used his life for something which has outlasted it.



THE REVEREND BILL LOWDERMILK, standing, extreme left, Assistant Director of Public Relations at Methodist College and Director of Youth Work for the Fayetteville District of the Methodist Church, meets with the Methodist Youth Fellowship district president and sub-district presidents during the Fall Rally at the college, at which over 400 were in attendance. Mr. Lowdermilk joined the staff of the college in July, 1963, and has been working primarily in the area of student recruitment. From left, seated, Brenda Quick, Snead's Grove, Laurinburg, Walter Peele Sub-district President; Ellen Highsmith, Troy, Fayetteville District President; Charles Brutor, Troy, Moore-Montgomery Sub-District President. Standing are, from left, Martha Duplissey, Autryville, Cumberland Sub-District President; and Ronnie Goodman, Rockingham, Richmond Sub-District President.

High School seniors and Junior College sophomores are reminded of the week-end campus visitations for the following week ends in 1964:

January 10-11

February 7-8

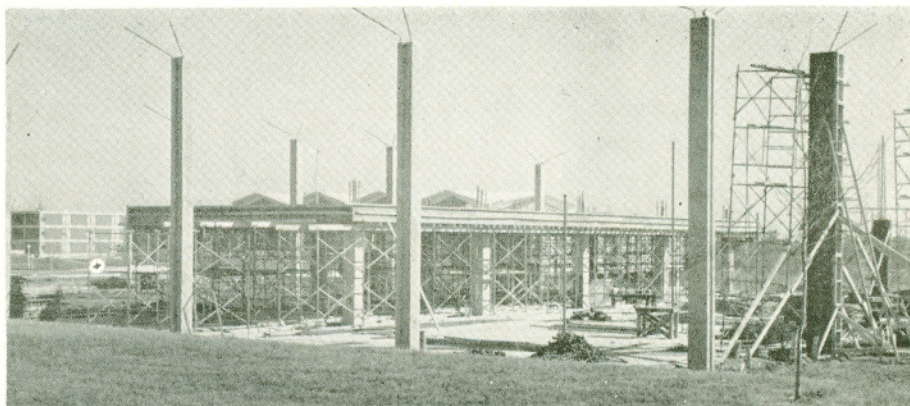
March 14-15

SCHOLARSHIP EXAMINATIONS

January 11

February 8

For Information and Reservations write to Director of Public Relations, Methodist College



LIBRARY CONSTRUCTION progresses on schedule as of December 20, 1963. This facility is scheduled for completion in May of 1964 and will, along with the faculty, become an important resource channel for the high quality academic program which the college is developing.

HANK PERRY NEW DIRECTOR OF FAYETTEVILLE COLLEGE FOUNDATION

The Fayetteville College Foundation, the organization in Fayetteville and Cumberland County giving financial support to Methodist College, has a new executive director in the person of Mr. Hank Perry.



Mr. Perry and Mrs. Hazel Horton, Foundation Office Secretary, Discuss Office Records

Mr. Perry replaces Mr. Frank Jeter, Jr., who served as executive director from May, 1959, to September, 1963. Mr. Jeter resigned to take over publication of the SPRING LAKE TIMES.

Mr. Perry, who is director of Camp Pineacres at Lakewood, near Fayetteville, is a native of Burlington, North Carolina, and a graduate of Elon College.

He came to Fayetteville in 1957 as director of Christian Education and Administration for the First Presbyterian Church. He served in that capacity until last year when he became director of Camp Pineacres for boys and girls.

Perry is president of the Fayetteville Exchange Club and a deacon in the First Presbyterian Church. He is married to the former Sylvia Dismuke of Burlington.

As director of the Foundation Mr. Perry is making a dedicated effort to coordinate and direct the efforts of the Fayetteville community toward a continua-

tion of present support and to discover new channels of support for the college.

Since the college was organized the Fayetteville community has provided a 600-acre site, water and sewer facilities, fire and police protection, \$1,160,862 in cash, numerous scholarships and loan funds, and has expressed its interest and support in many other tangible ways.

Inauguration Of President Weaver Planned For April 10, 1964



THE INAUGURATION COMMITTEE in its first meeting on Tuesday, December 17, 1963, begins making plans for the inauguration of Dr. L. Stacy Weaver as president of Methodist College on April 10, 1964. Committee members present are, from left, seated, F. D. Byrd, Jr., and Joe Tally, Jr., of Fayetteville, Trustees; Dr. Millard P. Burt, Dean of the College and chairman of the committee; The Reverend R. Grady Dawson, New Bern, Trustee. Standing, Alva W. Stewart, Librarian; Frank H. Eason, Comptroller; Grady K. Snyder, Assistant Professor of Mathematics; and Sam R. Edwards, Director of Admissions and Registrar. Photo by Charles K. McAdams, Director of Public Relations, also on the committee. Members of the committee not present for the picture are W. E. Horner, Sanford, Trustee; Dr. Willis C. Gates, Professor of Music; Dr. Charles Ott, Professor of Chemistry; and Dr. Samuel J. Womack, Assistant Professor of Religion and Chaplain of the college.

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