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# **Residence Halls Named for Weaver and Sanford**



Pictured following dedication of a new women's residence hall in President Weaver's honor are, from left: Anna Gail Dixon, Weaver Hall student president; L. Stacy Weaver, Jr.; Mrs. L. Stacy Weaver, Jr.; Dr. Weaver; another son, Dr. Walter Weaver; and Terry Sanford, chairman of the board of trustees. A third son, Dr. Charles Weaver, and Mrs. L. Stacy Weaver, Sr., were unable to attend the dedication.



Shown with a plaque unveiled during dedication ceremonies at Sanford Hall on May 3 are, from the left, Gordon Dixon, student president of Sanford Hall, Dr. L. Stacy Weaver, Mrs. Terry Sanford and Mr. Sanford.

# Dedication Held On Campus May 3

Dedication ceremonies for two new residence halls were held on campus on May 3.

During afternoon exercises in the lounges of the two buildings, plaques were unveiled naming the new women's hall Weaver Hall in honor of President L. Stacy Weaver, and the men's hall Sanford Hall in honor of Terry Sanford, chairman of the board of trustees.

Speaking in response to the dedication, Mr. Sanford recalled that Methodist College only a few years ago was but a "dream in a cotton field." And, "although now a success, no longer a risk or an unknown quantity, it remains a dream." He expressed the hope that "all of us remain determined as we move forward to the fulfillment of that dream."

In exercises at Weaver Hall, Dr. Weaver said that "If men are to have monuments of steel and stone, I know of none more appropriate or more pleasing to me, than a habitation which is alive and vibrant with young people."

In speaking of the generations of young women who will be housed in the dormitory, he said: "Let this building be for them a haven from the storms which so often beset the pathway of youth; a quiet place to refresh body, mind and spirit; a place for opportunity to form lasting friendships, to study and to learn, that they may bring to full fruition all of the potentialities with which nature and nature's God has endowed them."

Also participating in the exercises were the following board members: the Rev. V. E. Queen of Sanford; the Rev. O. L. Hathaway of Durham; the Rev. N. W. Grant of Raleigh; the Rev. B. L. Davidson of Fayetteville; and the Rev. J. W. Page of Rocky Mount.

Student presidents of the two halls, Anna Gail Dixon of Burlington and Gordon Dixon of Mathews, Va., read the scripture lessons.

### Commencement Speakers For 1966 Announced



DR. CHARLES F. CARROLL

Dr. Charles F. Carroll, N. C. state superintendent of public instruction, and Bishop John Owen Smith, resident bishop of the Atlanta Area of the Methodist Church, will be the principal speakers for the third annual commencement exercises at Methodist College.

Bishop Smith will preach the baccalaureate sermon on Sunday, May 29, at 11 a.m. Dr. Carroll will deliver the commencement address at the graduation exercises on May 30 at 10:30 a.m. These exercises will be held on campus in the student union building.

Chief marshal for the Commencement exercise will be Mrs. Claudia Dudley of Fayetteville. Serving as junior class mar-

## Student Teachers Serve Internship

Twenty-five M. C. students have been serving their student teacher internships in Fayetteville and Cumberland County schools since late March, under the direction of Dr. Karl Berns, professor of education and psychology.

These students, all seniors, are required by the State Department of Public Instruction to deliver a minimum of 90 hours of actual classroom instruction before graduation.

All are assigned to elementary schools except for one who is teaching high school biology. Two music majors are working on a rotating schedule under the direction of city music supervisors.



BISHOP JOHN OWEN SMITH

shals will be Jean Hutchinson and Bruce Jones, both also of Fayetteville. The sophomore class will be represented by Jean Barkley of St. Pauls and William Billings of Durham. Freshman marshals will be Gloria Dailey of White Oak and James F. Loschiavo of Fayetteville.

#### College Adopts Minors Program

A program of academic minors is being instituted at Methodist College, effective with the present freshman class. This represents a change from the "related work" concept presently in effect.

Under the "related work" concept, students major in a given subject and then fulfill a certain number of hours of study in other subjects regarded as having some relation to their major. This can involve several different subjects. Areas acceptable as related work are specified by the area chairman according to the student's major. Related work can be in several areas, whereas a minor will be confined to one.

In announcing the decision by the faculty and Board of Trustees to adopt the new program, President Weaver explained that under the new plan minors will be required of all graduates.

Students will be free to choose minors from the following subjects: biology, chemistry, economics, English, French, history, mathematics, music, philosophy, physics, political science, psychology, religion, secondary education, seciology, or Spanish.

## Board Of Trustees Adopts Immediate And Long-Range Development Program

A Trustee Development Program to complete the funding of a \$1,050,000 Fine Arts-Auditorium Building at Methodist College was unanimously approved by the college board of trustees on May 3

Dr. Mott Blair, prominent Methodist layman of Siler City and chairman of the college's Development committee, outlined the plans for this effort during the annual spring board meeting.

In a report to the board, President Weaver said that \$450,000 of the estimated cost is now available. The additional \$600,000 to be raised through the special trustee project, as an extension of the fund-raising efforts of the president's office, is being sought beyond the funds being provided through the organization of the Methodist Church.

Dr. Blair also outlined a Second Decade Development Program which the Board adopted. Plans were immediately set in motion for its implementation.

In other business, Dr. Weaver reported that during the current academic year 866 students have enrolled in the college and that an enrollment of between 925 and 950 students is anticipated for the 1966-67 school year. The college will have reached a plateau, as far as resident students are concerned, in September of this year since, for the first time, all four classes will be housed in permanent dormitories and all dormitories will be filled.

In reporting on academic affairs, Dr. Weaver said the college's Department of Spanish and the Department of Political Science will be expanded to major status with the beginning of the next academic year.

Officers of the Board of Trustees reelected to serve for the next year are: Terry Sanford, Fayetteville, chairman; W. Robert Johnson, Goldsboro, vice chairman; John W. Hensdale, Fayetteville, secretary; Wilson F. Yarborough, Fayetteville, treasurer.

#### MAY COURT SELECTION HIGHLIGHTS FINE ARTS FESTIVAL



Pam Zollars of Fayetteville, 1966 May Queen at Methodist College, is shown with her court during the annual May Dance in the student union. With her, from left, are: Susan Council of Durham, first runner-up; Charlotte Carmine of Richmond, third runner-up; Gwen Pheagin of Gastonia, Maid of Honor; and Beverly Parks of Swanwyck Gardens, Del., second runner-up.

#### **SMALL TALK Elects Staff**



WILLIAM BILLINGS

William Billings, a rising junior from Durham, has been elected editor of the M. C. student newspaper, sMALL TALK, for the 1966-67 academic year.

Other sMALL TALK staff members for next year are: Susan Sharp of Fairfax, Va., news editor; Jean Hutchinson of Fayetteville, feature editor; Kenneth Murray of Fayetteville, editorial assistant; Bryan Caton of Fayetteville, layout editor; Richard Alston of Louisburg, business manager; and Michael Hale of Durham, sports editor.

#### **Summer Session**

Registration for the 1966 summer session at Methodist College will be held Monday, June 6. Classes will begin on June 7 and continue through July 15.

The curriculum provides for 26 courses plus private instruction in voice, violin and viola.

Courses will be offered in: biology, economics, art, English, history, music, political science, religion, psychology, education, French, mathematics and Spanish.

#### First Annual Festival Provides Week Of Varied Activities

The campus was the scene of a weeklong Royal Fine Arts Festival on May 2-8.

The festival—with Fantasia 1966 as its theme — was climaxed by the annual May Dance and the crowning of the May Queen on Saturday night, May 7.

Thoughout the week an outstanding display by Mrs. Elizabeth Garthly's art students was on view in the college library.

Parker Wilson, assistant professor of history, was overall coordinator for the Festival and directed a humorous Faculty Talent Night which highlighted the first day's events. Two melodramas, with plenty of audience participation, were presented by the Green and Gold Masque—Keys on Tuesday and Wednesday nights. Mrs. Joy Jackson, English instructor, was the director.

Other highlights included: a Royal Tournament, sponsored by Campus Intramurals and featuring a softball game between the coeds and the men students; a film and a student discussion group, under the auspices of the Baptist Student Union; a concert sponsored by the Student Government Association; and a Royal Feast after the May Dance, sponsored by the Methodist Student Movement and Garber Hall.

The Festival was concluded with special worship services and a fellowship hour in the student union on Sunday, May 8. Miss Ann Wilkin, instructor in Bible, handled arrangements for the service.



Alice Reynolds, left, Raleigh, and Margaret Eidson, Winston-Salem, view the Art Exhibit during Royal Fine Arts Week.

## STUDENTS ELECT S.G.A. LEADERS FOR 1966-67



Tommy Yow, far right, is shown presenting the gavel to Steve Hopkins, new Student Government Association president, during installation of S. G. A. officers for 1966-67 academic year. Looking on are: left to right, Robert Landsberger, Jean Hutchinson and Bob Nardone.

Stephen Hopkins of Florence, S. C., a rising junior, has been installed as president of the Student Government Association for the 1966-67 academic year.

Hopkins defeated Charlotte Carmine of Richmond, Va., in a spirited political campaign which climaxed in a campuswide election on Friday, April 15.

With a record 85 percent of the student body participating in the voting, campus leaders expressed gratification at the interest shown.

Other SGA officers elected are: vice president—Robert Nardone of Durham; secretary—Jean Hutchinson of Fayetteville; treasurer—Robert Landsberger of Greensboro.

### With The Faculty ...

Dr. Vearl G. McBride, head of the department of education and psychology, has been named consultant for a reading improvement project in the Columbus County (N. C.) school system. The program — a project supported by the federal Elementary and Secondary Education Act at the request of the Columbus County schools — is using a method developed by Dr. McBride.

Mrs. Pauline Longest, assistant professor of biology, is the new president of the college's unit of the N. C. Education Association. O. E. Dowd, dean of students, is vice president and Mrs. Margaret Pool, assistant professor of mathematics, is secretary. Delegates to the NCEA convention in Raleigh on March 24-26 were Mrs. Longest and Comptroller Frank Eason. Mrs. Jean Ishee, music instructor, was guest organist and Dr. Karl Berns, professor of education and psychology, was a luncheon speaker.

Bruce R. Pulliam, assistant professor of social studies, has been awarded a fellowship to attend a summer seminar of the Foundation for Economic Education, Inc., at Irvington-on-Hudson, N. Y. Mr. Pulliam received a similar fellowship in 1965. The seminar is conducted by leaders in the field of social sciences and business world and will be held July 24-30.

George P. Chandler, philosophy instructor, has been named "Rookie of the Year" by the Fayetteville Junior Chamber of Commerce. Mr. Chandler was cited for his leadership on the Easter Sunrise Service and Mayor's Prayer Breakfast committees.

#### **SCHEDULE**

#### THIRD ANNUAL COMMENCEMENT

May 28 — Alumni Banquet 7 P.M.

Speaker, Dr. Karl H. Berns

May 29 — Baccalaureate Service 11 A.M.

Bishop John Owen Smith

May 29 — President's Reception For Seniors and Families, 4 P. M.

May 30 — Graduation Exercises 10:30 A.M.

Dr. Charles F. Carroll

- All Activities To Be Held On Campus -

### Board of College Visitors Makes Annual Visit



Shown discussing developments at Methodist College are members of the Board of College Visitors of the N. C. Conference of the Methodist Church, on campus in March for their annual visit. During the day the board met with the administration, members of the faculty and a group of students. Shown, seated from left, are: the Rev. Ralph Epps of Fairmont; the Rev. Kern Ormond, chairman, of Garner; President Weaver; and the Rev. M. W. Maness of Fayetteville. Standing, from left, are: the Rev. Kermit Wheeler of Burlington; Mr. John Turner of Elizabeth City, and the Rev. W. W. Sherman of Havelock. Another member, the Rev. Arnold Pope of Wilson, also participated but was not present when the picture was made.

## **ALUMNI**

Annual Meeting

May 28, 1966

4 p.m.

### Student Union

#### Alumnews ...

This up-to-date information on Alumni has been received in response to a recent questionnaire. If you haven't already written, let us hear from you in time for more notes in the June issue.

#### CLASS OF 1964

Guy (Bud) Beattie, U.S.S. Taconic (AGC-17), c/o F.P.O. New York, N. Y., is a Navy ensign and expects to be rotated to a different duty station in July or August. Lois Stephenson Cade, Rt. 4, Box 481, Fayetteville, is teaching math at Seventy-First High School. Helen Carter expects to receive her M.S. in library science at U.N.C. in August. She's living at 313 Kenan Hall, Chapel Hill.

Patsy Melvin Cashion, 605 Biscayne Dr., Fayetteville, plans to teach third grade at College Lakes School next year. She's enthusiastic about a trip she and her husband made to Niagara Falls and the World's Fair last summer. Louise Council, White Oak, is teaching seventh grade math and science at Alexander Graham Junior High. John Downing, Rt. 2, Box 311, Fayetteville, is teaching at Stedman High and writing a newspaper column.

Dixie Godwin, Rt. 1, Linden, is teaching at College Lakes Elementary School. Jack Hunter, Box 31, Stedman, is pastor of Cokesbury Methodist Church in Stedman. He's doing graduate study on his B. D. program on a part-time basis at Southeastern. James Johnson, Box 464, Dunn, and wife Charlotte are parents of a daughter, Donna Marie, born Sept. 16, 1965. Jimmy is still teaching history at Erwin High School and is doing some part-time ministerial work as well.

Virginia Kern, 5302 Walnut Drive, Fayetteville, is still teaching in Cumberland County Schools but plans to move to California in June. Robert Lapke, 123 DeVane St., is working as an accountant, has received a diploma from the International Accounting Society and is looking toward CPA exam. Lula Ritter Marley and husband, Charles, Rt. 2, Robbins, report the birth of a son, Daniel Lee, in November 1965.

Adella Smith, 812 Sandalwood Dr., Fayetteville, is teaching special class for mentally retarded at Seventy-First Elementary School. She plans to continue graduate work in Mental Retardation at Western Carolina College this summer. Barbetta Smith, 1301 Stansfield Dr., Fayetteville, is teaching freshman English at Pine Forest High School. Harriett Smith married Raymond K. Ussery, Jr., in August 1965 and is living in the Faculty Apartments at Methodist College. William Wolfe, Hill Hall, Music Department, U. N.C., Chapel Hill, is doing graduate assistant-student work. Jerry Wood, 907-B Laurel St., Fayetteville, is teaching at Seventy-First. He and wife Jane are expecting a baby in June.



BANQUET SPEAKER — Dr. Karl H. Berns, for 20 years the assistant executive secretary of the National Education Association, Washington, D. C., will be the Alumni Banquet speaker. In his work with the N. E. A. he traveled in Europe, Asia, Australia, Africa and in every state of the U. S. A. Since September 1965 he has been professor of education and psychology at Methodist College.

## ALUMNI Annual Banquet May 28, 1966

7 p.m.

## Dining Hall

Class of 1965

Ensign Dave Altman, Naval Damage Control Training Center, Philadelphia, reports aboard the U.S.S. Telfair APA-210 on July 10, with home port in Norfolk. Paul Brill, 1224 Dixie Trail, Raleigh, was married in December to Judith Anne Bergesen of Mountain Lakes, N.J. He's a teaching assistant at N.C. State while studying for his Master's in chemistry. Joyce Stewart Bullock, Rt. 1, Godwin, is teaching sixth grade at Clement School in Autryville. Patricia J. Canady, Rt. 1, Box 533, Hope Mills, is teaching second grade at Montclair Elementary School. She and husband Douglas have a daughter, Dori Ann, now nine months

Helen Fox Lee, 507 Martine Rd., was married in November, 1965, to James M. Carter, Jr., and is teaching at Westlawn Elementary School. Jerry Daughtry and wife Phyllis live at 4421 N. Blvd., Raleigh. He's with Nationwide Insurance. Mary Lynn McBryde, 6026 Amberwood Rd., Baltimore, Md., was married in June 1965 to Keith Fraser, now a senior at Johns Hopkins Medical School. She is a caseworker in the children's division of the Baltimore Dept. of Public Welfare.

Edmund Grady, 1421 Morganton Rd., Fayetteville, is a special representative for Pilot Life Insurance. He and wife Bettye are parents of a daughter, Kathleen, born in September 1965. Gary Graham, 4817 Murchison Rd., Fayetteville, expects to report to Fort Jackson, S. C., in May to begin an Army officer training program. David Herring, 500 W. Poplar St., Carrboro, expects to receive his Master's in business administration at U. N. C. in June.

Barbara Holmes, 207 N. Water St., Boone, is a graduate student-assistant at

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Appalachian State Teachers College in the junior college teacher program, majoring in music. J. Glenwood Jones and wife Janice live at N. Forsyth Mobile Homes Park, 2544 Bethabara Rd., Winston-Salem. He's an organic chemist but expects to join the Air Force for four years. DeWitt Lancaster, 2503 Southern Avenue, Apt. 202, Washington, D. C., sends glowing report of teaching situation in Prince George's County (Md.) schools. He's teaching 8th grade math at Surrattsville Jr. High. Judy Lee, 402 Law Rd., Fayetteville, also is a teacher.

Nancy Spivey Matthews, 527 Farmview Dr., Fayetteville, is teaching fourth grade at College Lakes. Jane McCown McKinney, 137 Overbrook Circle, Spartanburg, S. C., and husband John report "we got out of the Army in August 1965." They're parents of a daughter, Sara Graham, born in April 1965. Loche McLean, 809 Ethelored St., Fayetteville, is doing graduate work in library science at U.N.C. Patricia Moore, 2112 Harlee St., Fayetteville, is teaching this year. She plans to be married on Aug. 7.

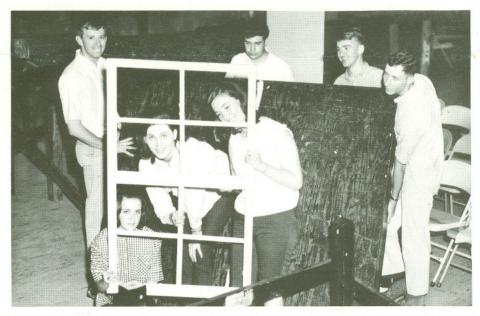
Edra Overby Nease and husband Walter, 4404 Blanton Dr., Fayetteville, report birth of son in Sept. 1965. She's helping with the music in a neighborhood church. Jerry Norris, 131 N. Main St., Spring Lake, has been accepted for O. C. S., following completion of 8 weeks of basic training at Fort Jackson. Kermit Norris, 105 Main St., Saugus, Mass., has been serving as pastor of Center Methodist Church in Saugus while studying at Boston University School of Theology. He is to be ordained Deacon and admitted to on-trial status in the New England Conference of the Methodist Church at its June meeting.

George Potts, BOW 1451-107 N.A.A.S. Whiting Fld., Milton, Fla., expects to have his "wings" by Christmas 1966. He plans to marry Helen Park of Fayetteville on July 3. Suzanne Rouse, 1017 Arsenal Ave., Fayetteville, now teaching first grade at Ramsey Street School, expects to change to a teaching job in Hampton, Va. Doris Rulnick, 2301 Westdale Dr., Fayetteville, is teaching at Alexander Graham Junior High. Ann Kendall Scribner, Box 121, Lewiston, and husband Don report birth of Marcia Kim Scribner in Sept. 1965. Ann plans to teach next year.

Rebecca Stone Starling, 5416 Park Rd.,

A-6, Charlotte, is team teaching the fifth grade at Cotswold School. Cynthia Walker, Rt. 3, Box 162A, Henderson, is teaching high school math. She says her summer address will be Rt. 2, Box 345, Pleasant Green Rd., Durham.

Henry Warren, 1204 Clifton Rd., Jacksonville, is working as a revenue collector for the state. Roger Williams, 3213 Copley Dr., Raleigh, is a sales representative for Dept. Chas Pfizer & Co., Inc., Pfizer Diagnostics. Fran Abell Zeigler, 130 E. Wood Ave., Fayetteville, was married in June 1965 to James M. Zeigler. She is working as a caseworker for the Cumberland County welfare department.



Green and Gold Masque-Keys members are shown preparing for the two melodramas presented as a part of the Royal Fine Arts Festival. Boys, from left, are: Jack Kerr of Buffalo, N. Y., Bill Doolittle of Rockingham, Bill Blalock of Fayetteville, and Lewis Weisiger of Goldsboro. Girls, from left, are: Marsha Henry of Charlotte, Diane Reidenbaugh of Carlisle, Pa., and Connie Thomas of Buffalo, S. C.

