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Methodist Offers 3-Year Batchelor's Degree

It is now possible to earn a College-Level pass their freshman year.

ket for others.

Methodist College plan is the same subjects and at the same

Examination level. Bachelor of Arts or Bachelor Program (CLEP), adminisof Science degree in three tered on a nationwide basis by years at Methodist College. the College Entrance Exami-Highly-qualified high school nation Board. Some 27 special graduates entering the college subject examinations are alin a new program which be- ready administered through gins this fall may in effect by- CLEP, with others being added continually. Most of the As explained by officials, examinations now offered the new "three-year pro- cover academic courses norgram" can reduce the overall mally undertaken in the freshcollege-education cost by ap- man year of college. CLEP proximately one-fourth. Re- examinations are made up by duction of time spent in the boards of college professors classroom could mean earlier who teach such courses. Exentrance into graduate school amination standards are refor some, or into the job mar- lated directly to scores achieved by students enrolled in Focal point of the new regular college courses in the

new program are offered in more than 59 major cities throughout the U.S. on a once-per-month basis, and in many other locations at varying intervals. Methodist College has applied for approval as a CLEP testing center on a limited basis, officials explained, and many other centers are expected to be opened throughout North Carolina in the near future. (There is already one in operation at the University of North Carolina at Charlotte.)

PROGRAM DETAILS Program details have been

worked out and explained by The examinations for the college officials. Here's how it will operate:

> Any high school graduate who feels that his background already includes some work at the introductory level of undergraduate study, or who feels that he has a special competency in one or more such introductory fields, may for a small fee take one or more CLEP examinations in subjects of his choosing at a CLEP testing center.

> If he wishes to enter Methodist College, he simply requests CLEP to forward his test scores to the College Registrar and submits his application for admission. If he achieved a sufficiently

summer sessions or seek approval for taking more than 16 to 17 semester hours of work during the regular semester in order to bridge the gap and complete a baccalaureate degree program within three academic years.

Since some CLEP examinations are also available at the sophomore level, the exceptional student possibly may complete part of his freshman and part of his sophomore requirements with CLEP examinations. Subject areas in which examinations are now offered include: history, English literature, science, sociology, psychology, education, economics, business and mathematics. Methodist College, in establishing its new

Carolina College Al

Affiliate With Methodist

Methodist College is the new home for the Carolina College Alumnae Association. Carolina College was a Methodist College for women in Maxton, N. C. from 1912 to 1926.

Announcement of the move was made by Mrs. Rhoda Holden McMillan, Carolina College Alumnae president.

Some 100 alumnae voted to Stacy Weaver, Academic Dean affiliate with Methodist Col- Samuel J. Womack and Thomlege at the annual CCAA as S. Yow, 1971-72 president meeting held at Carolina Mili- of the Methodist College Alumtary Academy in Maxton on ni Association. The invitation

with Methodist College was tion. Mrs. McMillan said, extended by Mr. Bill Lowder- "Going to Methodist College milk, Public Relations Direc- is the logical move for us to tor, on behalf of President L. make."

was accepted unanimously by The invitation to affiliate the Carolina College organiza-

> Mrs. Dorothy Collins, Mrs. both of Maxton, and Mrs. Myrtle Swann Bethune of of Lumberton. Mrs. Collins has been made an honorary member of the association in recognition of her efforts in organizing the group five years ago. For the fifty preceding years there had been no organization of alumnae of Carolina College.

> Other officers of the group include Mrs. G. Gaddy Ward, Sr., vice-president; Mrs. Stuart Evans, assistant director; Miss Marguerite McQueen, secretary; and Mrs. Randy Smith, treasurer, Mr. Stuart Evans is an honorary member of the Association and directs the business interest of the group.

A constitution and by-laws committee has been appointed to draw up recommendations to be submitted to the group at their next annual meeting.

tion approved by Methodist College, he will be given academic credit for the course covered, as though he had completed that course by attending college classes. Credits so earned will be counted toward requirements fulfilled for a degree.

Since Methodist College specifies completion of 128 semester hours for a degree, average credits normally earned by any student in a single semester would be 16. One of the first acts of the or one-eighth of the total. In CCAA historical committee the new program, approved has been to move an antique recently by the college faculty hall tree, a display of Caro- and Board of Trustees, any lina College pins and class student entering college for rings, a piece of the college's the first time will be permitsilverware and other memora- ted to complete up to 33 sebilia to Davis Memorial Li- mester hours of CLEP subject brary at Methodist College, examinations to apply toward The committee is composed of his degree total. This would be the virtual equivalent of Sarah Redwine McKinnon, one full year (two semesters) of college work for credit, officials explained.

> The new three-year program does not mean crowding into three years, by use of summer sessions, what the student would normally complete in four full years of regular college work. Successful scores on approved examinations would mean complete by-passing of equivalent courses in the college program, with the same amount of credit attained.

EXCEPTIONAL STUDENT

However, officials pointed out that only the exceptional student will be able to completely by-pass his freshman year via the CLEP route. A larger number of students will be able to pass examinations leading to credits of less than the 33 semester-hour maximum, but such students may either utilize the college's

pian, will be participating in a national program involving some 1,000 colleges and universities.

NOT A SUBSTITUTION

Adoption of the new plan is an addition to the college's present academic program. and not a substitution. Methodist College will continue to offer its basic four-year program leading to Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Science degrees. The three-year program is optional: the brighter student can travel faster, if he desires, and can avoid possible repetition of material in certain fields which he might have already covered in his high school program. In addition, faculty, to some extent, might be freed of introductory assignments and given greater opportunity to work at more advanced instructional

According to Dr. Samuel J. Womack, Academic Dean of Methodist College, "It is hoped that the primary benefit to follow upon adoption of such a program will be the attraction of a greater percentage of students with exceptional qualifications and abilities. The program should also eliminate the problem of the 'turned-off' freshman who becomes bored in his introductory classes." Dean Womack coordinated plans for the three-year program, which was developed by faculty committees and area staffs.

The time-shortened degree program is not "academic speed in a breeze." A student must meet more advanced academic demands and put in longer study hours. In many cases there might be less time for athletics, extracurricular events and socialization on campus.



Dean Womack and Mrs. Rhoda McMillan, president of the Carolina College Alumnae Association, discuss plans for a display of Carolina College items, which will include a hall tree (visible in photo) recently moved to Methodist College.

1972 Graduates Challenged To 'Mission Imperative'

Degrees were awarded May 15 to 141 graduates. Challenging recipients to undertake "not a "mission impossible," but a mission imperative," Dr. R. Wright Spears, president of Columbia College (S.C.), addressed commencement participants in Reeves Auditorium.

Dr. Spears reminded graduates of their responsibility "to become actively involved in the spiritual awakening moving across the lanc..." Hegurged them to respond affirmatively to their mission by "... contributing to world peace, helping others through human relationships and living a life of personal purity. We need to dream the imperative dream," he said.

James Allen Raupach, a retired U.S. Army major and native of Pittsburgh, Pa., was a "magna cum laude" graduate. Nine "cum laude" honor graduates were: Deborah Bright of Elizabeth City, Judith Carroll of Cary, Jo-Ann Merritt of Wilmington, Jose-

Foundation Passes \$120,000 Mark

The Methodist College Foundation reports total cash in the amount of \$102,913.85, as of May 31. The figure shows an increase of \$23,168.35 over the amount received by the same date in 1971.

Dr. Karl H. Berns, executive secretary of the Founda-

lyn Evans of Graham and Fayetteville residents Capt. Benjamin Esquibel, Mrs. Christina Garratt, Patsy Hall, James Ledford and Mrs. Elizabeth Mason.

Larry Edward Lugar of Wilson received the ninth Lucius Stacy Weaver Award. Lugar is the fifth male recipient of the annual award established to honor the college's first president. It is awarded to the graduating senior who best exemplifies the educational philosophy of President Weaver, in academic excellence, spiritual development, leadership and service.

On Sunday, May 14, Dr. Wilson O. Weldon, editor of "The Upper Room" delivered the baccalaureate sermon, "Reaching for the Highest." He said, "Without sacrifice you have not got the real meaning of the gift of life ... the greatest people who have lived have been called upon to deal with the struggle of humanity. Sometimes it takes the difficult to pull from us the response that shows that we are reaching for and striving for the highest What-



LARRY LUGAR

ever honors you have achieved, unless you have a commitment of achieving the highest of dreams, the meaning of life will not be found," Dr. Weldon said.

Seven Bachelor of Science degrees and 134 Bachelor of Arts degrees were awarded. Seventy-one graduates were from Fayetteville and Cumberland County. Three popular majors for the class of 1972 were economics and business administration, with 37 majors; elementary teacher education, 24 majors; and sociology, 21 majors.



Lowdermilk Cited For Service To Alumni

"Bill" Lowdermilk is the first honorary alumnus to receive the Outstanding Alumni Service Award, presented annually by the Alumni Association for service that goes beyond the call of duty.

According to the Association's By-Laws, the award is to be made annually by unanimous consent of the Board of Directors for "outstanding loyalty and dedication in service to the Association."

The Reverend William Pfeiffer Lowdermilk has been employed at Methodist College since June 20, 1963, when he was appointed Assistant Director of Public Relations. In 1968 he was named Director of Public Relations, succeeding Mr. Charles K. McAdams.

A native of Norman, N. C., Bill is a graduate of Ellerbe High School and holds an A.B. degree from Emory University and a B.D. degree from the Divinity School of Duke University. He served five years as pastor of the Culbreth Memorial Methodist Church of Fayetteville. He has been very active in the youth program of the United Methodist Church. He served three years as district director of youth work



BILL LOWDERMILK

may be considered "public relations." As an admissions counselor, he recruited many students who are now alumni. He attends nearly every college-related function and knows more history and current events about the college than most people realize.

As Director of the Public Relations Office, he coordinates conferences held during the summer, keeps track of graduates and their accomplishments, coordinates notification of alumni plans and events, greets campus visitors, plans advertising for the college, and "censors" publications and publicity written by the Assistant Director.

The man-behind-thescenes, he is vital in the ceived from the citizens of the Fayetteville-Cumberland County area has enabled us to exceed our goal of \$120,000."

(Over \$20,000.00 in pledges has been received.)

New Foundation officers recently named were C. C. Ingram, president; Norman Suttles, past president; J. Scott McFadyen, Jr., first vice president; Benjamin Allen, second vice president; Mrs. L. Stacy Weaver, Jr., secretary; and Woodrow P. Bass, treasurer.

Students Win Honors

Various awards were made on campus at end-of-the-year ceremonies. Students who excelled in respective pursuits are listed below.

ACADEMICS

Maurine Davidson of Raleigh, Mrs. Linda Cherrix Stevens of Snow Hill, Md., and Robert W. Erwin of Fayetteville, Methodist College Scholars.

Larry Edward Lugar of Wilson, Lucius Stacy Weaver Award.

Maurine Davidson of Raleigh and Tommy Smith of Sandston, Va., Outstanding Senior Awards of the S.G.A. Senate.

Wesley Brown of Kinston, Ficken Award to a Junior.

Robin Morrison of Fayetteille, Ott-Cooper Science Award. Jim Ledford of Fayetteville, Marie C. Fox Philosophy Award.

James Raupach of Fayetteville, Grace Tobler Award in Political Science.

Sarah Brady of Fayetteville, George and Lillian Miller History Award.

Ken Williams of Fayetteville, Balaez-Ambrose Mathe-



President Weaver and Kaye Corbin of Dunn, chief marshal, talk with Dr. Wilson O. Weldon, editor of "The Upper Room" and baccalaureate speaker, prior to exercises in Reeves Auditorium on May 14.

matics Award.

Maurine Davidson of Raleigh, Edna L. Contardi English Award.

Mrs. Shirley Thompson of Fayettevlle, Yolanda M. Cowley Award in Spanish.

Jo-Ann Merritt of Wilmington, Knott-Plyler Religion Award.

ATHLETICS

Phil Mullen of Raleigh, Most Valuable Player in Baseball.

Eiton Stanley of Shallotte, Most Valuable Player in Basketball.

Steve Edwards of Fayetteville, Most Valuable Player in Bowling.

Chris Schanck of Keyport, N. J., Most Valuable Player in Cross Country.

Ron Bremer of Fayetteville, Most Valuable Player in Golf. Vaughn John of WinstonSalem, Most Valuable Player in Tennis.

Buster Sanderford of Zebulon, Outstanding Senior Award in Baseball.

Mark Wilson of Zebulon, Outstanding Senior Award in Basketball.

John Conwell of Petersburg, Va., Outstanding Performer, 1968-72.

Virginia Aydlett of Elizabeth City, Sherry Sellers Cheerleading Award.

MARSHALS

Chief: Kaye Corbin of Dunn.
Juniors: Patricia Abernathy of
Fuquay - Varina and Ken
Williams of Fayetteville.

Sophomores: June West of Fayetteville and Albert Vandervort of Fayetteville.

Freshmen: Mary Anne Martin of Hope Mills and Gary Ferrell of Huntersville.



Monarch Coach Bruce Shelley is shown with senior cocaptains Dick McInnis of Fayetteville (left) and Buster Sanderford of Zebulon (right).

Assembly at Duke University, and as counselor for the Cumberland County Sub-district Methodist Youth Fellowship. A mason and a member of the Order of St. Luke, he is listed in "Who's Who in the Methodist Church."

Bill's role at Methodist College is all-inclusive since everything that concerns Methodist College into the weekends — often goes unnoticed, perhaps because of his humility. He always has time to smile and chat with associates and acquaintances. Those who have worked with him closest and who know him best realize that he is a deserving recipient of the Oustanding Alumni Service Award.

-Jean Hutchinson

Shelley And Team Collect DIAC Titles

The Methodist College Baseball Team captured the Dixie Intercollegiate Athletic Conference Championship, May 1, in a 3-0 battle against Lynchburg College. The 10-2 DIAC record earned them a playoff berth in NAIA District 29. In that tournament they won third place, finishing 15-10 overall.

Coach and club racked up several end-of-season honors. Shelley was voted DIAC and NAIA "Baseball Coach of the Year." Six of nine DIAC All-Conference players were Monarchs: Buster Sanderford, senior catcher from Zebulon; Jerry Neal, first base from Durham; Larry Philpott, third base from Norfolk, Va.; Phil Mullen, pitcher from Raleigh; Fletcher Poulk, outfield from Stedman; and Frank Layton, outfield from Rocky Mount. Layton also won All-District honors. Mullen won honorable mention for the All-District team.

Shelley said eight of the ten losses were to nationally-ranked clubs. Losing senior co-captains Sanderford and Mc-Innis, the Coach hopes to recruit other stars to clinch the 1973 District Championship. Progress of the four-year-old club indicates the mission is possible, although the Coach insists, "the boys made it all possible."

Shelley launched the Methodist baseball program in 1969 with no ball park. With the help of students, a corn field became a baseball field. All the progress since has been remarkable.

In its first baseball season in 1969, Methodist won one game. The next year it captured three. Last year the Monarchs won seven, then surged to 15 wins this year. Shelley said, "What helped us more than anything else was bringing in four junior college transfers (Mullen, Layton, Sanderford and Philpott)."

Summer means no vacation for Coach Shelley, who has been reworking the outfield of the Methodist College baseball park with a tractor. "We hope to extend our park's fence and eventually add bleachers," he said. Progress continues.

Alumni CLASSified DATA By Bill Lowdermilk

ANN WATSON CIMAGLIA, Rt. 11, Box 201-K, Fayetteville, N. C. 28304 is an English teacher at Hope Mills High School, Ann plans to teach at Southview High School next year, and she has been accepted in the Tulane U. Graduate School. PATSY MELVIN CASHION and husband Hilton, 605 Biscayne Dr., Fayetteville, N. C. 28301 have two sons-Hilton E., Jr. (8-1-68) and William J. (4-21-70).

PAUL J. GORSKI has been transferred from Rialto, California to Pope Air Force Base, N. C. Paul and Diana expect to be in N.C. by the end of May.

SANDRA H. HOLT (ng), 1117 W. Rowan St., Apt. 1, Fayetteville, N. C. 28305, was married in March to Neill MacLeod, Jr.

VIRGINIA KNOX KERN, 1432 Calle Primera, Lompoc, Calif. 93436 received the M.A. degree in Education from Chapman College, Orange, Calif. on February 27. DOUGLAS R. PARRISH (ng) was married to Bonnie Gail Henry in February.

LOUIS SPILMAN, JR., 632 McPherson Church Rd., Fayetteville, N. C. 28304, was elected a member of the State Democratic Executive Committee at the recent Cumberland County Democratic Convention. He was also a candidate for the N. C. House of Representatives in the May primary.

JERRY C. WOOD and his wife Jane, 6405 Tarbert Ave., Fayetteville, N. C. 28304. announce the birth of a son James Carlton (3-6-72).

JOHN AVENGER, 813 Green Bay Trail, Myrtle Beach, S. C. 29577, was married on April 16. John is vice president of the Piggly Wiggly Store in Conway.

JOHN W. HAMILTON, 1541 West Poplar St., Griffin, Georgia 30223 has received his M.Ed. degree in Guidance and Counseling from West Georgia College (1969) and the Ed.S. degree in the same subject area from the U. of Ga. (1971). His brother Bobby is a M.C. 1972 graduate.

LT. ORRIN B. POWELL, 222 St. Cedd Ave., Pensacola, Fla. 32503, is assistant flight training officer for Chief of Naval Air Training. Orrin and his wife Irene have two children.

WALTER R. TURNER, 3310 Edwards Rd., Apt. 304, Cincinnati, Ohio 45209 is a community organizer for Seven Hills Neighborhood Houses, Inc. Walter is a member of the Board of Directors of Independent Voters of Ohio and Nat'l. Assoc. of Social Workers.

RENA YATES WILLIAMS was married to Robert Jones in May, 1972.

BARBARA HAUSER BRYAN and husband Norwood, Jr. announce the birth of twin sons-Callan Hauser and Russ Carrol (3-8-72). N. Eason was born 7-10-70. Norwood was recently re-elected to the N. C. House of Representatives.

GAIL EILEEN HARRISON, 13111/2-D Morningside Dr., Kinston, N. C. 28501, is employed at Caswell Center. She received her M.A. in Social Work from U.N.C.-

JUDITH ANN MASON (ng), 923 Graham St., Burlington, N. C. 27215, is executive secretary and bookkeeper for Richard Love-Real Estate Co., Investment Co. and Construction Corp.

I. RICHARD MEISSNER, JR., 210 East Salisbury St., Asheboro, N. C. 27203, toured Spain and England last summer. He is vice president of Carolina Dramatic Association (1971-72).

CAPT. and MRS. CURTIS E. STEWART now reside at 145 Rhodes Ave., Shaw A.F.B., South Carolina 29152. Curtis had previously served in Korea.

CAROL STUART, 926 Nottingham Dr., Charlotte, N. C. 28211 is working with Stuart Specialty Co., Inc.-wholesale golf equipment.

JOAN HOBBS GRAY, 2112 Broad St., B-17, Durham, N. C. 27705, was married to

soloist in Duke Chapel Choir and with husband, Jesse, served as a dormitory counselor in York House (co-ed). Duke University ('71-'72).

WOODROW W. WELLS, JR., 1803 House Ave., Apt. 4-A, Durham, N. C. 27707, graduated from Duke Divinity School in May.

HOWARD B. ARDEN, 9 Crane Rd., Scarsdale, N. Y. 10583, and LYNN S. SEA-CORD, 54 Fayette Rd., Scarsdale, N. Y. 10583, are to be married August 19, 1972. ANN DUVAL BLALOCK and husband BENTON reside at 718 Brown Ave., Albemarle, N. C. 28001. Benton is employed with World Book.

KATHRYN (KATHY) CARLSON, Cambridge Arms, 11f, Fayetteville, N. C. 28303, was married to Stephen LeRoy Corbet on April 1, 1972. Kathy has been teaching 4th grade at Cashwell Elem. School.

MARY NELL DARDEN, (ng), 5218 Kerley Road, Apt. 4, Durham, N. C. 27705, will receive her B.A. degree from U.N.C.-CH in August.

GEORGENA H. CLAYTON received the M.S. degree in Gerontology from U.N.C.-

JAMES ANDREW GARDNER, 17 Balmoray, Apt. 7, Durham, N. C. 27707, was married to Randal Lyn Dickinson, February 19, 1972.

ROBERT L. GIANNINI III, 12414 Dunks Ferry Rd., Philadelphia, Pa. 19154, is a museum technician at Independence Nat'l. Historical Park, museum division. Bob is working toward an assistant Curator position. One of his main concerns is having Independence Hall ready by the nation's birthday in '76.

ANN YOUNG HAMPTON and husband Tom reside at 1501 E. 191st St., J-142, Euclid Ohio 44117

CHARLES FREEMAN JONES, 2913 Arendell St., Morehead City, N. C. 28557, was married to Cheryl Ann Gillikin last April.

HARRISON LEE HINSON, 1810 Harvard Blvd., Dayton, Ohio 45406, married Constance Walton on 8-21-71, Both are attending United Theological Seminary specializing in team ministry and dualcareers.

EDWARD T. KEIL, 5004 Coltfield Ct., Apt. 202, Virginia Beach, Va. 23455, reports that Cherry, his wife, is a May '72 "cum laude" graduate from O.D.U.

JAN CRANFORD KENNEDY and husband Garry, 119 Earl St., Rocky Mount, N. C. 27801, announce the birth of a daughter Julie Elizabeth, 2-7-72.

LINDA BURNS LINGERFELDT, 1216 Hillview Rd., Chapel Hill, N. C. 27514, is teaching a 2/3 combination grade in Chatham County, Her husband Ted is completing his Pharmacy work at UNC-CH this spring.

LINDA C. McPHAIL, 1620 W. First St., Apt. 66, Winston-Salem, N. C. 27104, will receive her master's degree in Biochemistry from Bowman Gray School of Medicine in August.

THOMAS FRANCIS MIRIELLO, 204 Marlowe Dr., Dunn, N. C. 28334, was married to Bonnie Delores Spence in March.

JAMES D. POOLE, JR., 59 Sheridan Dr. N.E., Apt. 9, Atlanta, Ga. 30305, is singing professionally in Atlanta.

JOHN POWELL, 811 Green St., Durham, N. C. 27701, is a Certified Public Accountant (MC's first to the best of our knowledge) and is employed by Thomas, Knight, Trent, King and Company in Durham, John married Barbara Bailey on April 22, 1972.

DIANE QUALLIOTINE married Donald McClellan Mann, Jr. on May 20. Diane has received her master's degree in Biochemistry from Bowman Gray School of Medicine and will work at the medical school as a research assistant. Diane's new address is 721 Summit Street, Winston-Salem, N. C. 27101.

JESSE C. STATON, JR., P. O. Box 5559, Duke Station, Durham, N. C. 27706, is attending Duke Divinity School and is interim pastor (until June) of Middlehurg



MRS. YANG-CHA STANG

Feat Accomplished By Yang Stang

Graduation was an extraordinary occasion for Mrs. Yang-Cha Stang. A Pusan, Korea native. Yang said, "I never thought I'd make it because of my English handicap."

Yang was awarded a Bachelor of Arts degree in Sociology, May 15, from Methodist College. A transfer student from Ewha Women's University in Seoul, Korea, she earned a degree from a local business school before deciding to complete her liberal arts degree.

"Very often I stayed up all night studying," Yang said. For courses which required extensive reading and research she made frequent use of American and Korean dictionaries. "In English 322 (American Renaissance), I foundant kan washulaning

LESLIE and BRENDA MOORE ('68) MENGEL reside at 1414 W. Santa Gertrudis Apt. 303, Kingsville, Texas 78363. Brenda teaches Biology at King High School, Kingsville, Texas. Les is working on a M.S. degree in Biology at Texas A&M University. Last Easter they spent 8 days on the west coast of Mexico on a marine invertebrate collecting mission.

GEORGE W. PARKER (ng), Rt. 9, Apt. 25, Jefferson Manor, Sanford, N. C. 27330, is chief pilot and Southeastern sales representative for Fedderah Spinning Corp. George received the B.S. degree in Biology from ECU. He will marry Sally Moir Gravely, Martinsville, Va. on June 17.

(Other information on the members of the Class of '67 is contained in a directory prepared for their fifth year reunion and mailed to each member of the class who did not attend the reunion. If others would like a copy of the directory, we shall be happy to mail it to you on a first-come, first-served basis—only a limited number are available.)

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CARROLL L. DAVIS, P. O. Box 171, Mt. Pleasant, S. C. 29464, has been promoted from Assistant Principal of Andrews High School, Andrews, S. C. to Assistant Principal of General William Moultrie High School, Mt. Pleasant, S. C.

DONNA MARIE DAVIS, 4505 Leesville Rd., Raleigh, N. C. was married to Rev. Paul A. Sandusky on February 5, 1972.

CAPT. JOHN H. GARDNER (ng), 30-381-f Cherry Dr., APO Seattle, Washington 98742 has been named Outstanding Supply Officer of the Year.

ROBERT and AMELIA HARPER reside at 2431-H Wesville Ct., Raleigh, N. C. 27607. Robert plans to receive his Ph.D. in biochemistry on Sept. 1. Daughter April was born 1-17-72.

J. STEWART HUMPHREY, Rt. 2, Box 15A, Middlesex, N. C. 27557, is now Director of Campus Life at the Free Will Baptist Children's Home in Midlesex, N. C.

ARTHUR GENE BELLIS (ng), 1000 Goodwin Rd., Burton, S. C. 29902, was married to Merrie Anne Ulmer in February.

WILLIAM W. BLALOCK, JR. resides at Villa de Veneto #102, 3159 North Portland, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73112. Bill is an Administrator of Builders Specialty, Inc., a division of U.S. Acoustics.

STEVE BLANCHARD, Bell Rd., Rt. 1, Statesville, N. C. 28679, has been named manager of The Jewel Box in Statesville. Son Greyson Dryw was born on May 8. JO ANNA CHERRY, 3233 Marlborough Rd., Charlotte, N. C. 28208, is self-employed—Carolina Made Products, Inc.

JAMES B. DARDEN, 5218 Kerley Road, Apt. 4, Durham, N. C. 27705, has received his M.Ed. in Science Education from Duke University.

WYATT S. and CAROLE SUTTON ('68) DAVIS reside at Rt. 1, Box 36, Reidsville, Ga. 30453 after having been in Houston, Texas. Wyatt is with M. W. Kellogg Construction Co. and is a piping engineer on the Baxley, Ga. nuclear power plant. John Wyatt was born 12-9-71.

SANDY WHEELER HEINEMANN, 5375 Duke St., #115, Alexandria, Va. 22304, was married to Robert on Sept. 18, 1971.

S/SGT. A. G. MASON DIRICKSON, P. O. Box 269, Oscoda, Michigan 48750, has been recognized for helping his Strategic Air Command wing at Wurtsmith AFB earn the U.S.A.F. Outstanding Unit Award. Mason is a procurement specialist.

K. COURTNEY R. DRAKE, 3837 St. Barnabas Rd. #201, Marlowe Heights, Maryland 20023, is a Dept. Manager (Management Reserve Group) with Montgomery Ward, Courtney married Betty Marie Knebel, 9-17-71.

REGINA KEETER HALL and husband James, Rt. 1, Box 248, Morehead City,

N. C. 28558, announce the birth of James Shelton, Jr. on 2-7-72.

PAT McCALLUM LIVINGSTON, 800 Lee Street, Manhattan, Kansas 66502, was

JAMES F. LOSCHIAVO, 27 Canterbury Sq., Apt. 302, Alexandria, Va. 22304, was promoted to GS-11 on 2-20-72. He is superisory mathematician, U.S. General Accounting Office.

J. LARRY NESBITT and wife NANCY live at 608f Hardee St., Apt. 6, Durham, N. C. 27703. Larry is field representative for Reliance Ins. Company of Philadelphia, Pa. The Nesbitts will move to Asheville in the near future.

CARLOS and MARTI McCRACKEN reside at 2002 #7, Centerwood Dr., Charlotte, N. C. 28213, Carlos is Assistant Div. Mgr. of N.C. with the Wear-Ever and Certo Div. of Alcoa. Marti is teaching 7th grade at Our Lady of Assumption Catholic School.

SHEILA RAGLAND was recently married to James Binger.

BYRD EUBANK STATON, P. O. Box 5559, Duke Station, Durham, N. C. 27706, is

JANET STEPHENS, 5421 Portree Place, Apt. 5, Raleigh, N. C. 27606, was married to John B. Davis III on March 11.

HILMA D. WILLIFORD, 4425 East Chapel Dr., Apt. 114, Columbia, S. C. 29205, was married to Dafford W. Maness, Jr. on 3-11-72.

HARVEY THOMAS and MARY FERMANIDES ('68) WRIGHT II reside at 421 Deweese Ave., Rockingham, N. C. 28399. Tommy is employed by the Belk store there.

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CATHY BUTLER ALKIS, 4002 Rosehill Road, Fayetteville, N. C. 28301, has been accepted into the Duke University graduate school of education for the 1972 fall semester.

JAMES C. CUTLER, 6795 Dartmouth Road, Crestview Apts., Richmond, Va. 23226, married Betty Hardy Suddreth ('74 ng) on April 22, '72. Jim is an Administrative Assistant, United Virginia Bank, Richmond.

BILL and HARRIET FLOWERS, 3281 Twin Gables Dr., Apt. 1, Fayetteville, N. C. 28301, toured Nice, France in addition to Italy and Monaco, Jan. 16-23. Bill teaches at Washington Drive Jr. H.S., and Harriet teaches at John S. Spivey Jr. H.S.

JENNIFER LEGGETTE, 3108-B Avent Ferry Road, Ammonford Village Apts., Raleigh, N. C. 27606, is a psychiatric social worker at Dorothea Dix Hospital.

MARY HELEN PEARSALL, 203 Whitehead, UNC-CH, Chapel Hill, N. C. 27510, is working on her M.Ed. degree in Guidance and Counseling.

RAYMOND and MARGIE ('69) ROOLF reside at 6242 Deer Valley, San Antonio, Texas 78242. Bus is a Logistics Specialist-Management Intern with the Air Force Logistics Command. Margie is teaching 5½-year-olds in a pre-school program. JUDY L. SMITH, Rt. 1, Linden, N. C. 28356, was married to David E. Gregg in April. She teaches at Long Hill Elementary School in Cumberland Co.

TERRY SELF SWAIN, Apt. G-11, 1155 York Rd., Warminster, Pa. 18974, plans to be in Pa. for 3 years, where husband Stephen is stationed at Willow Grove Naval Air Station.

ROSALIND C. THOMPSON, 3108-B Avent Ferry Road, Ammonford Village Apts., Raleigh, N. C. 27606, is a psychiatric social worker at Dorothea Dix Hospital. BERNICE PHILLIPS WATKINS, 427 Sorrel Rd., Cary, N. C. 27511, was married to Rachel Thompson Herring in March.

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VIRGINIA D. ALEXANDER (ng), South Main St., Scotland Neck, N. C. 27824 was married to Wayne Tillman Barber in January.

JULIA BLACKBURN ANDERSON, 145-36-0304, HHC 2nd S&T Bn., 2nd Inf. Div.,

APO San Francisco 96224, is tutoring Koreans in English while husband Ken is
serving in the Army in Korea.

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THOMAS BARTH (ng), 330 Bushnell, Box 10, San Antonio, Texas 78284, graduated from Trinity U. in August and will attend Northwestern U. English Graduate school in fall of '73. From Aug. '72-Dec. '72 he will tour Europe.

BEN A. CAVIN, JR. and MARY G. JEPSEN were married on May 20, 1972. They reside at 744-D Sedgefield Dr., Charlotte, N. C. 28209. Ben is employed with Cavin Business Products.

GEORGE COX worked at a ski lodge in Va. until the season ended. He now lives in Charlotte.

JOHN BRIAN GOAD (ng) was married to Sallie Amanda Jackson in March.

RAY GOOCH is working during the summer on the Duke Endowment program at East Bend, N. C. He wil! enter Duke Divinity School this fall.

DORY M. KESTNER, 3711 Wyatt St., Fayetteville, N. C. was married to Robert Anderson on June 17, 1972.

LARRY E. LUGAR and SHARON L. ST. CLAIR were married on May 27. They reside in Rocky Mount, N.C.

LINDA MIDWOOD McWATTY (ng), 463 Albemarle Dr., Fayetteville, N. C. 28302, is working with N. C. Nat'l. Bank.

JOE H. ROBERTS, 120 E. Columbus St., Whiteville, N. C. 28472, is teaching the 7th grade at Boys' Home, Lake Waccamaw. Joe recently married Mary Lee James. MIKE SAFLEY is working during the summer on the Duke Endowment program at Oriental, N. C. He will enter Duke Divinity School this fall.

SP/S ALAN WAYNE THAGARD (ng), HHC 3rd Bn., 6th U.S. Inf., Medical Platoon, Berlin Brigade, APO New York 09742, was married to Donna Jean Milo in April.

VIOLA LOUISE WILGUS (ng), Box 1598, Campbell College, Buies Creek, N. C. 27506, is now attending college there.

EDITOR'S NOTE: We welcome and seek information from alumni. Send us your CLASSified DATA now.

lievable! One time I counted for one page of writing in the text, I consulted the dictionary thirty times," she said.

"If there weren't a close faculty-student relationship at Methodist College, I would never have made it. I could count on my teachers to give me extra help," Yang said.

Housework, pregnancy, Red Cross social work and a part-time job made Yang's three semesters at Methodist more challenging. "I studied very hard at Methodist," she said. But her name appeared on the Dean's List twice. "At Ewha I was a tutor for a sixth-grader and rarely had time or took time to study."

Yang left Ewha to marry Green Beret M/Sgt. Herbert Stang, a native of Germany, in 1966 and has since lived in America.

"Americans have unlimited educational opportunities," Yang said. "I have made many friends, and there are few evidences of prejudice in my experiences here."

Her experiences in Korea and America have made Yang a sagacious student of life. A conversation with her quickly reflects deep philosophies and an exceptional sense of humor... plus an extensive vocabulary.

An optimistic, ultra-mod American lady, Yang runs the gamut of talent: artist, seamstress, cook, gardener, musician, dancer and athlete. A visitor might overhear her singing "God Bless America" while she tends her rose garden at home.

Yang teaches Korean parttime at the Education Center at Fort Bragg, N. C. She hopes eventually to enter an area of social work and to travel extensively.

Miss Walker Named President Of MCAA

Miss Cynthia A. Walker has been elected president of the Methodist College Alumni Association for 1972-73. A 1965 graduate. she is a librarian in the Vance County public school system and the first woman to hold the MCAA presidency. O. David Hatchell, Jr. '69, was re-elected vice president, and Linda C. Mc-Phail '70, a recent graduate student at Bowman Gray School of Medicine, was elected secretary.

Elected to 1972-75 terms on the Board of Directors were: John W. Brown '71,

of Winston-Salem: F. Milo McBryde '68, of Fayetteville; and Mrs. Gwen P. Sykes '68, of Fayetteville.

Jim Darden '69, chairman of the balloting committee, announced the winners at the Alumni Day program on May 13. MCAA president Tommy Yow introduced winners to alumni and guests and asked Miss Walker for comments on her expectations for the 1972-73 year. She expressed appreciation for 1971 - 72 accomplishments and requested the help, support and ideas of all alumni.

Alumni Day---'Different'

ent. The social committee made plans for varied happenings - "something for everyone."

Sports events scheduled for the morning and afternoon included golf, basketball, bridge, ping pong-and a nature walk Chris Drew '72, was the phofor the less energetic.

In keeping with the "casual occasion" theme, children were invited and casual attire was encouraged. No formal speeches, no banquet was scheduled. Alumni almost got a thorough campus re-tour; events were held in different places.

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Alumni Day '72 was differ- Lowdermilk, Director of Public Relations and alumni affairs coordinator.

> Another first took place on May 13. Alumni saw the "premier" showing of a ten-minute, color P.R. - Recruitment film, entitled "M.C. tographer and editor; Bill Billings '68, was sound coordinator. Drew made the movie -his first-during his last semester at Methodist College, using his own equipment, at no expense to the college.

Special guests of the evening were members of the Fayetteville jazz group, the Par Codmington Quartet Bal-

Howard Arden shows an Indian artifact to an M.C. student.

Alumni Fund Breaks Records

The Alumni Association's Loyalty Fund on June 1 showed contributions totaling \$3,380.00, an increase of almost \$500.00 over the amount received by the same date last year. Designations tagged \$1,416.50 for the athletic department and \$1,963.50 for the operating budget of the college. The finance committee had set a \$1,000.00 goal in

Campus Was 'Site Of Ancient Indian Village'



Methodist College is the site of an ancient Indian village, according to Howard Bion Arden, Class of '70.

Arden's hobby of collecting arrowheads while at Methodist College led him to his conclusion. He has generously contributed an Indian artifact collection of some 250 items to Davis Memorial Library on campus.

"It's not a generous gesture," Arden said. "It's the only practical thing to do. It is more beneficial to leave the collection where it was found for the enjoyment of students and people of this area." He presented his gift before graduation in 1970.

Arden and many other students collected arrowheads and other items assumed to have been left by Indians in the campus vicinity. After checking library references on habits of Indians who settled in North Carolina, Arden identified some of his rock finds as Indian tools. Various sizes and shapes of the rocks indicate their uses as spear and arrow points used to kill different birds and game, scrapers used to skin and clean animal carcasses, and knives, hatchets and hammers. Bits of pottery are also in the display.

Arden's collection is an incomplete one, by his own admission. Many items are chipped or broken. But the collection brought N. C. Indian culture alive for the Scarsdale, New York native. He explains his hobby and the history of the collection with enthusiasm—telling how centuries ago different rocks were brought from other places into an area devoid of natural minerals, how arrowheads were shaped by squaws, how challenging survival in the wilderness was for natives, and how the Indians' artifacts give clues to their migration patterns and cultural status. He said some artifacts date back to 250-300 years B.C.

Arden feels not enough research has been done on the Indians native to North Carolina. And he believes there is an Indian burial ground somewhere near the campus.

A political science major, Arden attended Stetson Law School before joining the Methodist College staff as a recruiter in the fall of 1971. He recently returned to New York to attend graduate school.

has been a wonderful housemother. She has outstanding

was almost cancelled by rain (which fell instead during Monday's commencement exercises). Several children (prospective M.C. students?) of alumni toddled around the grounds.

Guests gathered in the J. W. Hensdale Chapel for a brief business meeting when President-elect Cynthia Walker and her officers were recognized. Following remarks on the college by President L. Stacy Weaver, Tommy Yow presented the Outstanding Alumni Service Award to Mr. Bill

drums; and Ray Codrington, trumpet. Comments made by alumni indicated selections presented were "our kind of music." Several alumni requested the Quartet's return for the next gathering on Mrs. Scott Retires campus.

Following chat-time at a coffee hour, the class of '67 met for a brief reunion. Members present were Beverly Parks Honeycutt, Mickey Benton, Bob Nardone, Danny Wemyss, Teresa Zahran Ingland, Pat Ball O'Quinn and Jean Hutchinson.

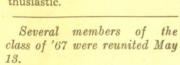
largest class contribution of the year, \$402.50. The class of '69 led all other classes in the total number of contributors-

Mrs. Pauline C. Scott has retired as housemother of Cumberland Hall, When men in the dorm gave her a farewell party, May 10, she was completely surprised and utterly speechless.

Chet Makowski, president of Cumberland, said, "Mrs. Scott

very special-and she is to a lot of people."

A \$500.00 check was presented to Mrs. Scott, who plans to live near Methodist College with her sister. Many alumni who lived in Cumberland Hall helped contribute to the farewell gift-fund. Coordinators of the project said the response from graduates contacted was generous and enthusiastic.





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