

METHODIST COLLEGE NEWS AND VIEWS

By: Charles K. McAdams, Director
Public Relations and Development

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Included with the catalogue as it is distributed is the official Application for Admission Form for prospective students.

Screening of applications will begin immediately; therefore, all those applicants for admission should complete these forms and return them to the Registrar immediately.

The catalogue and application form is being mailed to all those who have requested this material. To date more than 200 requests have been received for catalogue and application information. The new college will accept about 200 students the first year. Prospective students interested in having a catalogue and application form are requested to write to the Registrar, Methodist College, Post Office Box 592, Fayetteville, North Carolina.

COMPTROLLER ASSUMES DUTIES

On January 1, 1960, Frank H. Eason assumed the duties of Comptroller of Methodist College.

Prior to this assignment, Mr. Eason had, since 1951, been Superintendent of Schools in Franklinton, North Carolina. Prior to becoming Superintendent of Franklinton School, he was Principal of Littleton High School in Warren County and teacher and coach in the Fuquay Springs High School and the John Graham High School in Warrenton, North Carolina.

Mr. Eason attended Duke University and Wake Forest College and received the B. S. degree from Wake Forest College. He received the M. A. degree from East Carolina College.

As Comptroller, Mr. Eason will have custody of all property of the College and be responsible for all matters pertaining to the business and fiscal affairs of the

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NORTH CAROLINA CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE

Methodist College

Fayetteville, N. C.

By: Charles K. McAdams, Director Public Relations and Development

On Monday, January 23, history was again made when the Fayetteville District Conference became the first official body of the Methodist Church to meet on the new campus at Methodist College.

Approximately 250 delegates and visitors just about filled the lecture hall of the Science Building as they heard Dr. L. Stacy Weaver, President of the College, welcome the Conference to the new campus. In his welcome, Dr. Weaver suggested that those present and others of our Methodist constituency use the facilities of Methodist College at any time when they can serve the best interest of the Church. He called attention to the fact that with dormitories completed by September, the College will enroll resident students next year and ask the assistance of those present in referring students to Methodist College.

In responding to President Weaver's welcome, Clyde Upchurch, Jr. of Raeford expressed appreciation for the warm and sincere welcome and commented on the beautiful and functional buildings now completed on the new campus. He reminded those in attendance of their good fortune in having the facilities of Methodist College in this area of the North Carolina Conference. He challenged everyone present to join hands and hearts in helping to make Methodist College the type of institution which will be in keeping with the highest hopes and aspirations of all who desire to make the College one of the finest in this area.

One of the unusual aspects of this District Conference was the fact that every segment of the schedule ran either on time or ahead of schedule. This was due to the efficient planning and leadership of the Reverend Millard G. Dunn, District Superintendent. The various committees and commissions gave their reports with each lifting up the accomplishments for the first part of the year and projecting goals and ambitions for the future. The Reverend Mr. Dunn out-

lined the quadrennial emphases for the Methodist Church for 1960-64 pointing out that the main emphasis will be "Jesus Christ is Lord". He stated that the primary concern in the Fayetteville District will be to establish outpost Sunday Schools from organized churches.

Reverend C. Freeman Heath, Executive Director of the Conference Board of Evangelism, was the inspirational speaker prior to the lunch hour. He stressed "concern for others in preaching to win people for Christ". He called for "people with fervor" as he cited the need for prayer, worship and scripture reading to receive "power from on high".

During the noon hour the visitors and delegates were served lunch in the beautiful new dining hall in the Student Union. Following the lunch hour the visitors anxiously toured the other buildings and facilities on the campus. One person was overheard remarking, "This is one of the greatest things that has happened in many years for the advancement of the Kingdom and the Methodist Church."

The highlight for the closing of this Conference was the Consecration Service for the newly licensed preachers.

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Methodist College, Fayetteville, N. C.
Charles K. McAdams, Director of Public Relations

A new Worship Center was formally opened on the Methodist College campus Friday morning, April 7, during the regular chapel hour.

The service was prepared and presided over by Dr. Sam Womack, Chaplain and Professor of Bible at the College. Dr. Womack also led the Litany of Dedication. Organist for the service was Mrs. Marjorie Ostborg, assistant in English.

Charles K. McAdams, Director of Public Relations and Development, read the scripture lesson; and the dedicatory address was given by Dr. L. Stacy Weaver, President of the College.

Dr. Weaver pointed out in his address that a college has many responsibilities.

"It must help build strong physical bodies; but it is a great tragedy when some colleges or universities spend a half million dollars training the physical bodies of 50 students and neglect another 5,000. Any educational institution which fails to really educate the mind also creates a great crime.

"The spiritual side of the individual must also be educated," continued Weaver. He pointed out that this may possibly be done in a purely secular setting but not as well as in forms of worship and in places specially provided.

"This room," continued Weaver, "we have set aside as a tangible place in which to educate the intangibles--the mind and the spirit. This will be a place of meditation where one may sit and be still and know that God is.

"Despite all the other things we may do in the church, the primary purpose of religion is to bring a person into the proper relationship with his God. Meditation and prayer are two channels through which this may come about. Let this room be so used," said Weaver.

The new Center is located in one of the vacant classrooms in the main academic

building. An oak-finished altar with appropriate brass appointments set in front of a maroon dossal cloth forms the focal point at the front of the room. An old-fashioned pedal type organ provides the musical setting for services of worship and accompaniment for singing.

Approximately 50 folding chairs provide seating facilities. Along the back of the room are literature racks containing pamphlets, books, leaflets, magazines and other materials for devotional, meditative and educational reading.

The Worship Center, established at the request of the students, will provide temporary facilities until the College Chapel is built.

Methodist College
Fayetteville, N. C.
April 22, 1960

By: Charles K. McAdams, Director
Public Relations and Development

Harold Junior Teague, 2017 Progress Street, Fayetteville, N. C. has been awarded the Terry Sanford Scholarship at Methodist College for the school year 1960-61

Harold will graduate from the Massey Hill High School in June and at the time of his application for admission to Methodist College ranked first in his graduating class of eighty-three. During his four years of high school he has maintained a very outstanding record both in scholarship and in extra curricular activities. His extra curricular activities have consisted of membership in the Science Club, Monogram Club, Key Club, Beta Club of which he has served as President during his junior year and Future Teachers of America. He has played baseball for four years and football for three years. He served as Vice President of his junior class and President of his senior class and was selected during his senior year as the Best All Around Boy and was one of the nominees for the Morehead Scholarship. He has served as President of his Sunday School Class and church usher.

In 1958 he was chosen as the Student of the Year at the Massey Hill High School and was Chief Marshall during his junior year.

In making application to Methodist College Harold writes: "In my opinion a person couldn't have the inward happiness and self-satisfaction necessary for a successful future without a college education. I believe once Methodist College begins operation there will be no better institution of higher education in North Carolina. It would be a great thrill to me to be a member of its first graduating class."

The Terry Sanford Scholarship award of \$500 annually was established at Methodist College by Mrs. Tom McLean of Fayetteville, a member of the Board of Directors of the Methodist College Foundation which was established

in honor of Mr. Terry Sanford who is still serving as the first and only Chairman of the College Board of Trustees. Mr. Teague will be one of those fortunate members of the first freshman class at Methodist College which will be enrolled on September 15, 1960.

THE FAYETTEVILLE OBSERVER

Methodist College, Fayetteville, N. C.

By: Charles K. McAdams, Director of Public Relations

Alex Bethune, prominent farmer and insurance executive of Linden, has established an endowed scholarship at Methodist College.

The scholarship will be known as the Alex Bethune Scholarship and will provide an endowment of at least \$10,000. From the interest on this amount a scholarship of \$400 will be provided for one or more students each year at the College according to the following priority: (1) Linden community, (2) Pine Forest High School, (3) Cumberland County. The scholarships will be awarded on the basis of need, scholarship, and citizenship, and may be renewed for three additional years at the discretion of the scholarship committee.

Bethune is a native of Harnett County but has lived in Cumberland County since 1936. He has served as chairman of the Cumberland County District One school board for the past ten years and is a member of the Official Board of Parker's Grove Methodist Church and president of the Linden Ruritan Club.

Dr. Stacy Weaver, Methodist College President, commenting on this new scholarship, said, "We appreciate very much this interest shown in Methodist College and our future students by Mr. Bethune. Gifts such as this will enable our college to build a strong endowment program and through the years will provide scholarship assistance to students who otherwise would be unable to attend college."

Bert Ishee, president of the Fayetteville College Foundation, said: "This is wonderful! It's the sort of thing we need to establish and maintain the caliber of student body which Methodist College needs and deserves."

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THE FAYETTEVILLE OBSERVER

Methodist College

By: Charles K. McAdams, Director of Public Relations

Another indication of the interest of the Fayetteville community in Methodist College is to be found in the establishment of a new \$500 annual scholarship at the College by the Belk-Hensdale Company of Fayetteville.

The scholarship is designed to stimulate an interest in the retail profession among young people.

The scholarship will be awarded annually to one or more students from Cumberland County on the basis of need, citizenship, and academic achievement.

The following priorities will be observed in awarding the scholarship: (1) male applicants interested in the retail profession (2) applicants with Belk-Hensdale Company connections (3) students planning to enter a full-time church vocation. (4) any student from Cumberland County, meeting the scholarship requirements.

* In announcing this new scholarship, Charles K. McAdams, Director of Public Relations at the College said, "We are deeply grateful to the management of the Belk-Hensdale Company for this expression of interest and confidence in Methodist College. In addition to helping many young people in the future, this scholarship fund will help focus attention on our major in Economic and Business in which considerable interest has been shown by present and prospective students."

This scholarship fund is available for the school year 1962-63.

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By: Charles K. McAdams, Director
Public Relations and Development
May 26, 1960

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Terry Sanford of Fayetteville was re-elected Chairman of the Board of Trustees of Methodist College, Fayetteville, at the annual spring meeting Tuesday in the Prince Charles Hotel.

Mrs. Earl W. Brian of Raleigh was re-elected Vice Chairman and presided in the absence of Sanford.

The Rev. J. W. Page and Frank McBryde of Fayetteville were elected secretary and treasurer respectively. Other executive Committee members elected were Lenox G. Cooper, Wilmington; J. O. Tally, Jr., Gen. John R. Hodge, John M. Wilson, Fayetteville; and the Rev. W. L. Clegg, Raleigh.

Nello L. Terr, Sr., prominent contractor of Durham was elected as a new member of the Board of Trustees, subject to confirmation by the Board of Education of the North Carolina Conference of The Methodist Church.

Dr. L. Stacy Weaver, Sr., President, reported on the status of progress as the College prepares for its initial opening on September 15, 1960. He stated that the Classroom Building is complete; the Science Building, Student Union-Cafeteria and heating plant will all be complete in a matter of a few weeks. All of these buildings will be ready for the September opening.

Weaver reported also that the faculty appointments necessary for the opening of the College have virtually been completed.

Committee appointments from the Board of Trustees for the year 1960-61 were as follows: Academic Affairs--The Rev. Virgil E. Queen, Elizabeth City, Chairman; Mrs. E. L. Hillman, Durham; Dr. William Spence, Elizabeth City and J. O. Tally, Jr., Fayetteville.

Finance--J. M. Wilson, Chairman; W. Ed Fleishman, Frank McBryde and Gen. John R. Hodge, Fayetteville. Buildings and Grounds--Dr. R. L. Pittman, Chairman; The Rev. Allen P. Brantley, Burlington; F. D. Byrd, Fayetteville; Nello L. Teer, Sr., Durham; and Wilson F. Yarborough, Fayetteville. Development--Lenox G. Cooper, Wilmington, Chairman; J. Nelson Gibson, Jr., Gibson; The Rev. O. L. Hathaway, Raleigh; W. Robert Johnson, Goldsboro; The Rev. W. L. Clegg, Raleigh; and W. E. Horner, Sanford. Student Affairs--Mrs. Earl W. Brian, Raleigh, Chairman; The Rev. J. W. Page, Fayetteville; The Rev. W. A. Crow, Franklinton; and The Rev. Graham S. Eubank, Raleigh.

The Rev. Paul Carruth, Executive Secretary of the Commission on Higher Education of the North Carolina Conference of The Methodist Church reported that the Church is ahead of schedule on actual cash collections toward its two million dollar pledge for the building of Methodist College.

The official colors for the College were selected following recommendations by the Committee headed by Mrs. Brian. Green and Gold were the chosen colors.

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Methodist College
P. O. Box 592, Fayetteville, N. C.
June 17, 1960

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

By: Charles K. McAdams, Director
Public Relations and Development

Radio Station W.I.D.U., Fayetteville, N. C. has established a \$500.00 scholarship at Methodist College according to an announcement made today by Charles K. McAdams, Director of Public Relations and Development for the College.

The scholarship is to be available to one or more students at Methodist College beginning with the first freshman class, and will be administered by the scholarship committee of the College. No geographical or course of study limitations have been placed on the scholarship. W.I.D.U. Broadcasters, Inc. has stressed the fact that the scholarship should be available to anyone eligible or qualified for admission to the College.

In announcing the scholarship McAdams stated "We are deeply grateful to W.I.D.U. Broadcasters, Inc. for this expression of interest in Methodist College and for their desire to help provide the incentive and opportunity for some of our youth to obtain a college education. Such expressions as this will help to strengthen the effectiveness and broaden the outreach of Methodist College." This is the twelfth scholarship to be established at the College.

Officers of W.I.D.U. Broadcasters, Inc. are Fred Owen, President, Ted Ellis Leeper, Vice President; and Bill Belche, station manager.

Anyone interested in applying for this scholarship should write to the Director of Admissions, Methodist College, Post Office Box 592, Fayetteville.

McAdams also announces that a check for \$300.00 has just been received from the Cumberland County Chapter of The North Carolina Society of Crippled Children and Adults as full payment of their first year's commitment to provide two scholarships at Methodist College for students interested in careers in nursing, physical therapy, medicine and related fields. The recipient of this scholarship is yet to be chosen.

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Methodist College
Fayetteville, North Carolina
By: Charles K. McAdams, Director
Public Relations and Development

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Miss Patricia Jackson of Hope Mills, North Carolina has been named by the Scholarship Committee of Methodist College as the first recipient of the J. Warren Pate Scholarship.

The Scholarship provides \$300.00 for a graduating senior of the Hope Mills High School and is renewable for two years.

Miss Jackson, who has been awarded this scholarship, will graduate from the Hope Mills High School in May and was one of the first seven students to be accepted for admission to Methodist College. She has a very excellent high school record which includes an "A" average for her four years plus extensive activities in extra curricular affairs.

She has been active in the following organizations: Vice President of the Beta Club, Vice President of the Glee Club, a member of the Future Teachers of America, Future Homemakers of America and Dramatic Club. She has served on the staff of the school newspaper and as assistant in the school office. She served as Marshall during her Junior year and was selected as the most courteous student in the Senior Class.

Miss Jackson has served as Sunday School Teacher, assistant Church Pianist and sings in the Church Choir at the Cotton Methodist Church, Hope Mills.

She has received the Marshall Award for having the second best grades in her school, the Gregg Shorthand Award and the Salesmanship Award.

The J. Warren Pate Scholarship is made available by Mrs. J. W. Pate, J. W. Pate, Jr. and John C. Pate of Fayetteville

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Fayetteville, N. C.

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Public Relations and Development

July 15, 1960

Hilda Grey Cashwell, Route 1, Autryville, has been awarded the \$250.00 scholarship at Methodist College established by the Fayetteville Lions Club. The announcement of this award was made by Woddie Bass, Chairman of the Lions Club Scholarship Committee at the meeting of the Club Thursday evening.

Miss Cashwell graduated in June from the Stedman High School with an outstanding record for four years. At the time of graduation she ranked seventh in her graduating class of eighty-one. She was a member of the Monogram Club, Beta Club and Future Homemakers of America, each of her four years in high school. She was Chief Marshall during her Junior year and was selected by the Senior Class as the "Student Most Likely to Succeed" and was selected by the class as a speaker for the graduation exercises.

She plans to become a teacher of English and in her application for admission to the College, Hilda wrote, "I wish to become an English teacher so that I may help educate the generations of tomorrow; thus, they will be ready for the world of tomorrow."

Miss Cashwell was chosen from a group of applications submitted from the high schools of the county. The final selection was made by the Lions Club Scholarship Committee working in conjunction with the Methodist College Scholarship Committee.

Charles K. McAdams, Director of Public Relations and Development for the College Friday stated: "We at Methodist College are deeply grateful for this scholarship which has been established by the Lions Club and for the excellent choice which was made in selecting Miss Cashwell as the recipient.

Such an expression as this will become a living memorial to the Club's interest in the youth of this community and their concern for the developing of Methodist College which will help meet their needs and desires for higher education.

Miss Cashwell is employed this summer as a secretary for the Commercial Credit Corporation and this fall on September 15, will be enrolled as one of the "Founding Freshman" of Methodist College.

METHODIST COLLEGE

By: C. K. McAdams, Director of Public Relations

METHODIST COLLEGE REPORTS

Samuel R. Edwards, director of admissions and registrar has been appointed acting Dean of the faculty until a successor to Dr. Clarence E. Ficken is announced and available.

Frank H. Eason, comptroller, was the speaker for the 11 o'clock service at Princeton Methodist Church Sunday, August 19.

Charles K. McAdams, director of public relations preached at Chestnut Street Methodist Church, Lumberton, August 19; and at the Peace Presbyterian Church, Fayetteville, August 26. He also conducted the devotional period for the pre-school orientation meeting of Cumberland County school teachers and administrators on Monday, August 27.

Dr. S. J. Womack, chaplain and professor of Religion preached at Haymount Methodist Church, Fayetteville, August 12, and was the guest for homecoming at Hoffman Methodist Church, August 19.

Applications continue to come in for the fall semester. The men's dormitories are filled with a waiting list. There are still a few vacancies in the women's dormitory.

Progress continues on the new dormitories and the physical educational building.

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THE NORTH CAROLINA CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE

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Dr. L. Stacy Weaver, President of Methodist College, Fayetteville, N. C. has been elected Chairman of the Committee on Education of the Southeastern Jurisdictional Council of The Methodist Church.

The election took place at the meeting of the Jurisdictional Council in Atlanta, Georgia August 23-24, at which Dr. Weaver was in attendance.

Dr. Weaver was one of three laymen elected to the Jurisdictional Council at the June meeting of the North Carolina Conference of The Methodist Church.

The Southeastern Jurisdiction is comprised of North Carolina, Virginia, South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Alabama, Mississippi, Tennessee, Kentucky, and The Republic of Cuba.

Dr. Weaver will serve for four years in the capacity to which he was elected.

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

The first Chapel Service at Methodist College, Fayetteville, N. C. was held Wednesday morning, September 21, with The Reverend Millard C. Dunn as guest speaker.

Mr. Dunn, who is the District Superintendent of The Fayetteville District of the Methodist Church stated that he was a former school teacher, a preacher for the past 27 years, the father of t three fine boys, and had traveled over the world, but said Dunn, "this has been one of the greatest weeks of my life, and this is the greatest moment of my life to have the opportunity of being the speaker for the first Chapel Service at Methodist College." Dunn said that he had looked forward to the opening of this institution "as a little boy looks forward to Santa Claus."

In his message to those assembled Dunn said, "The Church would like for you to discover some things, and four of these are:

"1. You have a definite purpose in life---there will never be another you.

"2. Never lose faith in mankind. People will at times hurt you---instead of holding a grudge, try to understand the other person.

"3. The greatest power in the world is love. It may be difficult for you to see it at times because the wicked puts on such a show. Hitler made a great show of might in Germany, and one night a young boy came home and told his parents that he had joined the Hitler Youth Movement. Questioned as to why, he said, 'Hitler seems so strong and Christ seems so weak'. But now," said Dunn, "the Church in Germany is stronger than before Hitler was born; and not one of you can tell me the birthday of Adolph Hitler.

"4. Never judge eternity by the present moment. When Nero was on the throne, he was a mighty power, and there was a preacher by the name of Paul who was mighty weak; but now, 2000 years later, we name our sons Paul and puppy dogs Nero."

The first Chapel Service was arranged and presided over by The Reverend Sam Womack, Instructor in Bible and Chaplain of The College.

Chapel services are scheduled at the new College from 11:30 to 11:50 Monday, Wednesday, and Friday of each week, at which time there will be student and faculty participation and occasional guest speakers.

THE NORTH CAROLINA CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE

Methodist College, Fayetteville, N. C.
By C. K. McAdams, Director Public Relations

At the close of the official registration period at Methodist College, there were 132 students registered for the first semester according to the figures released by Sam R. Edwards, Registrar and Director of Admissions.

President L. Stacy Weaver expressed considerable satisfaction at this response "especially when one considers that these are all non-resident students. If one multiplies this figure by four, he observes that in four years we would have a student body of over 500 without resident students."

The Trustees of the College have authorized the building of resident facilities as soon as possible. President Weaver states that plans are being projected to construct these facilities prior to the next school year. These will not be the dormitories which are projected in the basic campus plans, but will be smaller units, one for men and one for women, which may be converted later into apartments for faculty or married students. The availability of these facilities will enable the College to begin accepting student applications from anywhere in or beyond North Carolina.

The geographical representation in the first semester registration at Methodist College is as follows: Fayetteville 84, Hope Mills 6, Fort Bragg 6, Roseboro 5, Linden 3, St. Pauls 2, Spring Lake 4, Erwin 2, Stedman 2, Parkton 2, Dunn 2, and one each from Autryville, Lexington, White Oak, Clinton, Robbins, Whiteville, Elizabethtown, Carthage, Garland, Salemburg, Benson, and Wallace. There are two out-of-state students--- one from St. Joseph, Michigan and one from New Castle, Pennsylvania.

Members of the faculty have expressed real pleasure in finding such a large percentage of high quality students in this first class of the new College.

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In the very first year of her infancy the quality of work being done by Methodist College at Fayetteville has been given noteworthy recognition in educational circles.

Three new courses being offered in the second semester at Methodist College were approved on February 2, by the North Carolina State Board of Education as courses acceptable for certificate renewal for public school teachers.

The approved courses are Physical Science Survey, Introduction to Philosophy and Religions of the World.

State regulations normally require that a college must be accredited before it can offer courses for renewal of teaching certificates. "But the only reason Methodist College is not accredited is that it isn't old enough to have served its probationary period", said Dallas Herring, Chairman of the State Board of Education.

In making application to the State Board of Education for approval of these courses, Dr. L. Stacy Weaver, president of the College, pointed out that "as a four year College of liberal arts, we select faculty members who are fully qualified to develop and carry on a four year program. The three instructors concerned in teaching the proposed courses in which public school teachers have expressed an interest all have a Ph.D. degree in the appropriate field".

Dr. Charles N. Ott, professor of Chemistry who has a doctorate from the University of Iowa will be instructor for the Physical Science course. He has taught a similar course under the auspices of the National Science Foundation. Dr. Marie C. Fox, professor of history and holding a doctorate in Philosophy from Cornell University will be the instructor for the Philosophy course. Dr. Sam J. Womack, Jr., Chaplain and instructor in Bible at the College, will teach the course in Religions of the World. Womack has completed all requirements for the doctorate which will be awarded by Duke University at the June commencement.

In addition to providing certificate renewal, these courses may also serve to up-grade substandard certificates toward Class "A".

Commenting on the action of the State Board of Education, Dr. Clarence E. Ficken, Dean of the College, said, "We are delighted at the opportunity which this brings to Methodist College to begin serving the educational needs of this area and particularly those of our public school teachers. As the College progresses, we hope to offer comparable courses adapted to the special needs and interests of various other groups."

December 16, 1960

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

THE NEWS JOURNAL, Raeford, N. C.

Methodist College, Fayetteville, N. C.

From: Charles K. McAdams, Director of Public Relations and Development

The R. A. Matheson, M. D., Scholarship Fund at Methodist College, Fayetteville has now reached a total of \$690.02 according to an announcement by Charles K. McAdams, Director of Development at the new college.

Following Dr. Matheson's death last spring his family stated that persons wishing to make a memorial gift in his memory might do so by contributing to such a fund. Numerous friends from across this state and from out of state have contributed to the fund which continues to grow.

McAdams expressed the hope that the fund might grow to the point of providing a substantial permanently endowed scholarship at Methodist College in memory of Dr. Matheson who served the people of Raeford and Hoke County so faithfully for 32 years.

The fund is currently being held by the college and is deposited in a separate interest bearing savings account until such time as it is designated for scholarship purposes

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During these days of the Advent Season we are constantly reminded of that glorious event which brought to the world a saviour, and through His birth, life, crucifixion and resurrection brought to mankind the complete revelation of God in the fullness of His redemptive love. As we think of the Christmas season which glows around the birth of Christ we are reminded also of the fact that another birth has taken place, and to this child has been given the name, Methodist College.

If it had not been for that nativity experience more than nineteen hundred years ago, Methodist College would not be raising her young head in the world today. Her life and ministry will justify her birth only as she fulfills the purpose for which she was chartered--"To Provide Highest Quality Christian Education." To this end, every effort is being made by all who are charged with the direct responsibility for her nurture and growth.

As the academic search for truth begins and continues, Methodist College will endeavor to guide this search in such a way as to lead students to understand that truth is to be found in the person of Jesus Christ who said, "I am the way, the truth, and the life"; and is to be found in the Science laboratory, English or Language Classroom, Art Studio, or Education Seminar, as well as the courses in Religion or Philosophy.

STUDENT INTEREST RUNNING HIGH

As we have participated in many of the College Day Programs in the High Schools of this area, we have been encouraged by the expression of interest from many of our high school seniors, faculty, administration and guidance counselors. These who have expressed such interest are encouraged and thrilled at the prospects

Dr. Charles E. Madams, Director
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of the living presence of Christ, and a New Year of blessings and opportunity as you walk hand in hand with Him.

During these days of the Advent season we are reminded of the joy which brought to the world a savior, and through His birth, His coming to earth, and His resurrection, the complete revelation of God in the fulness of His redemptive love. As we think of the Christmas season which gives around the birth of Christ we are reminded also of the fact that another birth has taken place, and in this birth has been given the name, Methodist College. It is not hard for that native tongue to move from a thousand hundred years ago, Methodist College would not be relating her young life to the world today. Her life and activity will testify as she fulfills the purpose for which she was born. "To provide the highest quality Christian Education." To this end every effort is being made by all who are charged with the great responsibility for her growth and development. As the students search for truth, peace and comfort, Methodist College will endeavor to guide this search in such a way as to lead students to understand that truth is to be found in the person of Jesus Christ who said, "I am the way, the truth, and the life." And it is to be found in the Bible, the Science Laboratory, English or Language Classroom, Art Studio, the Recreation Center, as well as the courses in Religion or Philosophy.

STUDENT INTEREST IN CURRICULUM

As we have participated in many of the College Day Programs in the high schools of this area, we have been encouraged by the expression of interest from students in the high school courses, faculty, administration and guidance counselors. There are many who have expressed their interest and desire to be enrolled in the programs