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## NEWS

MC STUDENT WINS

AXD SCHOLARSHIP

FAYETTEVILLE--Brenda Gene Hester, a rising senior at Methodist College, was awarded this week a \$300 Alpha Xi Delta Foundation Phillips Scholarship.

Miss Hester, who is majoring in French and English, plans to teach following graduation. She is an active campus leader having served on the Academic Affairs Committee, Student-Faculty Judicial Board, North Carolina Student Legislature, Women's Athletic Association, and sings in the College Chorus. Miss Hester has consistently been a Dean's List student for the past three years.

Miss Hester's Alpha Xi Delta activities were also instrumental in her selection for the Phillips Scholarship. She helped organize the Alpha Xi Delta chapter at Methodist and has served as president, vice-president, chaplain, parliamentarian, and journal correspondent. Mrs. Elaine Porter, assistant professor of French, serves as director for the chapter which now has an on-campus membership of 18.

The Phillips Scholarship is awarded to young women who have shown service to chapter, campus, and community; and who need financial aid to finish their college education. Miss Hester's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hester of Bladenboro.

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MC FOUNDATION

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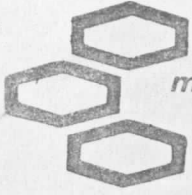
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SANFORD NATIVE ASSUMES

POSITION AT METHODIST

FAYETTEVILLE--A Sanford native and Methodist College graduate, Cynthia Lee Woltz, has been appointed Secretary To The Registrar at Methodist College.

Miss Woltz, a 1975 Methodist College graduate, is a 1971 graduate of Sanford Central High School. She is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. William L. Woltz, 815 Southall Place, Sanford.

While attending Methodist, Miss Woltz was treasurer and elections committee chairman of the Student Government Association and held several important offices in her residence hall including judicial board chairman, secretary, fire captain, and substitute office worker.

Presently she is a class agent and a member of the Nominating Committee of the Methodist College Alumni Association.

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### PROMOTIONS ANNOUNCED

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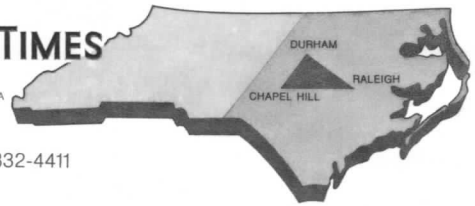
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Director of Information  
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Dear Sir:

The News and Observer's annual Welcome Students section will be published Wednesday, September 10.

We are desirous of including your institution in the section and will need any story or picture contribution not later than Wednesday, August 20.

Stories should focus on enrollment compared with last year, any curtailment of programs due to lack of funds (federal, state or local), any new building projects planned or under way and any facilities completed during past year, new programs, etc.

Photos should be sent only to illustrate stories.

Also, stories should be limited to two or three pages, depending upon the story you have to tell, in that our space must be shared by all participating institutions.

Thanking you in advance for your attention with this request.

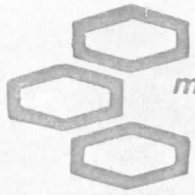
Very truly yours,

*Jim Whitfield*

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## NEWS

Methodist College officially began its sixteenth academic year last Wednesday with a new night school, a new bachelor's degree program, and a new major being offered for the first time this academic year.

The night school will begin operation this Monday, September 15. Two terms will be offered each semester with Term I running from September 15 to October 30 and Term II running from November 3 to December 18.

"The night classes are provided especially for those enrolling in our new bachelor of applied science (BAS) degree program and for those whose full-time employment makes it impossible for them to attend daytime classes," said Dr. Samuel J. Womack, dean. The College already grants the bachelor of arts and bachelor of science degree.

Night classes will meet two sessions a week from 7-10 p.m. except for science courses with labs which will meet for slightly longer periods. A schedule of Monday-Wednesday or Tuesday-Thursday classes may be arranged with a maximum of six semester-hours allowed each seven week term. Courses are taught by Methodist College faculty.

"The BAS degree program was formulated this spring in conjunction with Fayetteville Technical Institute in order to offer graduates of technical institutes and junior colleges the opportunity to receive a bachelor's degree," said Dr. Womack. "Persons with associate degrees who enroll in the BAS program will be allowed credit for almost half the requirements of a Methodist College baccalaureate degree. Their subject concentration in technical institute

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or junior college programs will be accepted as fulfillment of their academic major at Methodist; therefore, they need only to complete all general education courses not already completed and an academic minor."

Although Methodist College has accepted transfer students with associate in arts and associate in science degrees in the past, this marks the first time the College will accept transfers with associate degrees in applied sciences.

As an example of the new degree, Dr. Womack mentioned that some 14 associate degree programs at Fayetteville Technical Institute can now be transferred. These are: accounting, agricultural business, banking and finance, business administration, electronic data processing, industrial management, marketing and retailing, secretarial science, nursing, dental hygiene, civil engineering, electronics engineering, and mechanical engineering.

The new major in science calls for two semesters of work in each of the four basic fields of biology, chemistry, physics and geology utilizing two new course offerings: Introduction to Physical Geology and Introduction to Historical Geology. Such a program is of primary interest and benefit to students desiring to prepare themselves as public school teachers of science at the junior high school level, although the program is open to all students. Upon completion of this program and other College requirements, the student will be awarded a bachelor of science degree in science. Methodist College now offers 19 academic majors and 21 academic minors.

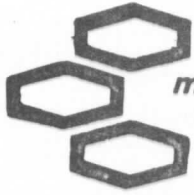
Construction on the President's Home on campus continues apace with occupancy slated for any day now. It is being built directly north of the Science Building on the 600-acre campus with proceeds from the sale of the former home and donations.

The Loyalty Fund campaign, under the direction of Methodist College Alumni Association

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President Gwen Sykes and Alumni Affairs Director Susan Motes, concluded its fiscal year June 30 with more alumni contributing more money than ever before. A total of 283 alumni (compared with 131 last year) gave \$5,798.50--a 70 percent increase over last year's \$3,417. One-hundred-nine alumni were new contributors to the annual campaign.

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SCHEDULES

OPENING

FAYETTEVILLE--New student orientation at Methodist College will begin next Sunday (Aug. 31) at 1 p.m. with classes beginning Tuesday at 8:30 a.m.

After completing registration in the Student Union, the freshmen and transfer students can begin moving into their residence halls beginning at 2 p.m. Sunday.

The registration tables in the Student Union will reopen Monday morning at 8:30 to conclude registration of new students and to begin the registration of returning students. After completing registration, returning students can begin checking into their residence halls Monday morning starting at 9.

Director of Admissions Thomas S. Yow predicts a slight growth in the freshman class and in the number of transfer students. As of August 15, 460 new students had been accepted--an increase of 37 above the 423 who had been accepted at the same time last year.

Methodist College will officially begin its sixteenth year Wednesday (Sept. 3) with a formal College Convocation in Reeves Auditorium at 10:30 a.m.

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## NEWS

TWO JOIN STAFF

AT METHODIST

FAYETTEVILLE--Two admissions counselors joined the staff of Methodist College Monday. They are Paula C. Smith of Goldsboro and Jane W. Youngblood of Pope AFB.

A As admissions counselors they will travel the Eastern Seaboard states participating in college and career days of high schools and in various educational fairs. They will counsel and assist prospective students in regards to admissions, registration, and financial aid, and will conduct tours of the campus.

Miss Smith, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward T. Smith, 800 Park Ave., Goldsboro, is a 1974 graduate of Peace College and a 1971 graduate of Goldsboro High School. Her hobbies are sewing, needlepoint, and cooking, and she is a member of Alpha Xi Delta sorority at Methodist College.

Mrs. Youngblood is the wife of Lt. Harold E. Youngblood of Pope AFB, NC. She is a graduate of N. B. Broughton High School and St. Mary's Junior College, both of Raleigh, and has a bachelor of arts degree from the University of North Carolina. Her hobbies are needlepoint and reading. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert N. Wood, 519 Transylvania, Raleigh.

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Photo to accompany:

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### NEW ADMISSIONS COUNSELORS

Methodist College Director of Admissions Thomas Yow goes over an application with Jane Youngblood (left) and Paula Smith.

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NEWS

MC PROFESSOR TO PRESENT

PAPER AT WASHINGTON MEET

Dr. Sid Gautam, chairman of the Economics Department at Methodist College, will present a paper at the third annual Atlantic Economic Conference to be held September 12 and 13 in Washington.

The title of his paper is "Management of Natural Resources in the Developing Countries." An abstract of the paper will appear in the November issue of the Atlantic Economic Journal.

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Dear Colleague:

I am pleased to announce that your paper has been accepted for presentation at the third annual Atlantic Economic Conference to be held September 12 and 13 in Washington. Names and addresses of the discussant of the paper and chairman of your session will be sent in a few weeks. It will be your responsibility to provide them with a copy of your paper prior to July 15.

You may elect to have an abstract of your paper published in the November issue of the Atlantic Economic Journal. Publication of the abstract will not preclude you from publishing the full paper in another source. It also does not obligate the Journal or you for the ultimate publication of the full paper.

Thank you for your interest in the Atlantic Economic Conference. I am looking forward to seeing you in September.

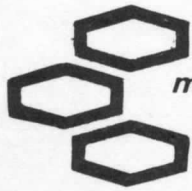
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GRADUATES

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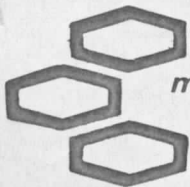
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