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8. April 13, 1978

MORTGAGE BURNING CEREMONY
HELD AT METHODIST COLLEGE

FAYETTEVILLE--Ceremonies were held on Thursday, April 13, at Methodist College to commemorate the completion of payment on a \$100,000 mortgage for campus buildings.

Dr. Richard W. Pearce, president of Methodist College, announced that the first mortgage payment had been completed for the college infirmary and the former music building. Currently, the buildings are being used for faculty and married students housing.

Mr. Henry Dixon of Burlington, vice-chairman of the Board of Trustees at Methodist College, assisted in the lighting of the mortgage note.

"This is the first of seven mortgage notes on the college buildings to be paid in full. I look forward to completion of the other six in the near future," stated Dr. Pearce.

Witnessing the mortgage-burning ceremonies were members of the Methodist Board of Trustees, community leaders and members of the college community.

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DEDICATED AT METHODIST COLLEGE

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Present for the service were the current members of the Board of Trustees of Methodist College, members of the family of the late Graham Eubank and members of the college community.

Funds for the Graham S. Eubank Memorial Conference Room were provided ^{in part} by contributions from Hay Street United Methodist and Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Gibson. The room is designed to hold various group meetings and seminars held on campus.

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The Reverend Vernon Tyson, minister of Hay Street United Methodist Church, delivered the invocation and Mr. Nelson Gibson, Methodist College trustee, gave the Dedication of Purpose.

In the Act of Presentation, Dr. Richard W. Pearce, president of Methodist College, called Mr. Eubank "one of the first persons to envision the establishing of the college in Fayetteville--a faithful, committed trustee, a concerned pastor, able administrator and a person who cared for Methodist College students: their growth, happiness and achievements."

Memorial Conference Room were held on Thursday, April 13, at 11:30 in the Methodist College Student Union Building.

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Mrs. Graham S. Eubank responded to the dedication of the Conference Room in her husband's memory. "Graham would have been pleased to have been honored with this room right in the middle of where it's happening," stated Mrs. Eubank.

The Reverend William Lowdermilk, vice-president of Methodist College, said in the Act of Dedication that "we dedicate the Graham S. Eubank Memorial Conference Room as a place for study, enlightenment, spiritual enrichment and growth on this campus."



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"It is my hope that this conference room will exemplify Graham's personal philosophy of positive action. I hope that it will become a place where ideas are conceived and followed by action to make these ideas a reality."

After expressing appreciation to Dr. Pearce, Mr. and Mrs. Gibson and Hay Street United Methodist Church for their contributions to the Eubank Conference Room, Mrs. Eubank concluded, "This is truly a happy occasion."

James Malloy, president of the Methodist College student body, asserted that "the Eubank Conference Room will be actively used by students--important things will happen here."

Koinonia president Dwight Cribb, speaking for the religious life organization on campus, pledged that the Methodist students will "endeavor to use Eubank Conference Room for the highest standards and positive action which marked the life of Graham S. Eubank."

Among the hundred assembled guests on hand for the Dedication Service were the children of Graham S. Eubank: Ms. Lynne Gregory, Ms. Betty Earley, Mrs. Byrd E. Staton and Mr. Manley Eubank. Mrs. Staton is a graduate of Methodist College.

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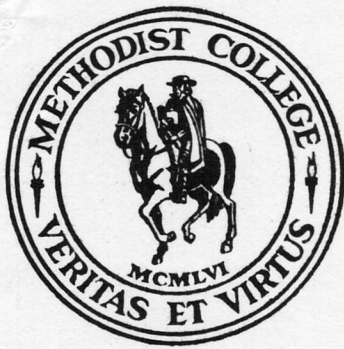
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Dedication Service

April 13, 1978

Graham S. Eubank
Memorial
Conference Room
11:30 A.M.

THE INVOCATION

Reverend Vernon Tyson

We praise thee, O Lord; we praise thee for the beauty of Spring: for the rebirth of nature: for students with inquiring minds; for faculty and students who demonstrate they care for youth as well as seek to lead them; for college trustees and friends who give of themselves and their resources that knowledge and devotion to you can be joined together in a college community. Accept our praise and guide our ways, for we pray in the name of Jesus. Amen

THE DEDICATION OF PURPOSE

Mr. Nelson Gibson

Friends and members of the Methodist College community, we come today to dedicate the Graham S. Eubank Memorial Conference Room. This room will provide a facility for student organizations to gather, plan, dream, learn and seek. The attractiveness and convenience of this place will provide a setting for church and community groups to study, interact, fellowship and grow. We come today to dedicate this room to these purposes for the use of these persons.

THE ACT OF PRESENTATION

Dr. Richard W. Pearce

We present this room to be dedicated to the joining of the pursuit of excellence in academic achievement and devotion to God through work, study, fellowship and prayer in memory of Graham S. Eubank - one of the first persons to envision the establishing of the college in Fayetteville, a faithful and committed worker to undergirding the college, a committed trustee, a concerned pastor, able administrator and a person who cared for Methodist College students, their growth, happiness and achievements.

THE ACT OF DEDICATION

Reverend W. P. Lowdermilk

In the name of the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit, we dedicate the Graham S. Eubank Memorial Conference Room as a place for study, enlightenment, spiritual enrichment and growth in the leadership development on this campus.

THE RESPONSES

Mrs. Graham S. Eubank
James Malloy
Dwight Cribb

THE BENEDICTION

Reverend Paul Granger



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REGISTRATION OPEN FOR
'MID-LIFE' SYMPOSIUM
AT METHODIST COLLEGE

"Mid-Life: Crises in Adult Years" is the topic of a two-day seminar to be held on the Methodist campus April 20-21.

Distinguished speakers from Duke University, University of Pennsylvania and the New England Career Development Center will address the seminar audience.

Seminar topics include "The Turning Point," descriptive identifications of midlife relative to life, work and career re-assessment; "Hypertension," "Learning in Midlife;" "Marital/Family Crises" and "Adults With Impaired Parent."

Registration is now open to the public. Cost for the seminar is \$20.00 per person. Credit for the Seminar is available from Category 1, Physician Recognition Award of the AMA; Methodist College Continuing Education; CERPS for Nurses and AAFP for Physicians.

Dr. James E. Vann, Director of Continuing Education at Methodist College, is serving as coordinator of the "Mid-Life" Seminar. Further information is available by contacting Dr. Vann at Methodist College. Phone 488-7110, extension 221.

The symposium is being jointly sponsored by Methodist College, Duke University Divinity School, FAHEC, Ft. Bragg 18th Air-



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METHODIST BAND AND WIND ENSEMBLE
TO PRESENT SPRING CONCERT

FAYETTEVILLE--The Stage Band and Wind Ensemble of Methodist College will present the annual Spring Concert on Tuesday evening, April 18 at 8:00 p.m. in Reeves Auditorium.

J. Michael Rogers, assistant professor of music at Methodist College, will direct the bands in a program of classical and contemporary music.

The Methodist College Stage Band will perform Hanssen's "Valdres," Johnston's "Fantasy in the Baroque Manner," and Orff's eight-part "Carmina Burana" among other program selections.

Contemporary music selections will be performed by the Methodist College Wind Ensemble. Included in the spring program will be a Stevie Wonder Medley, Michel LeGrand's "What Are You Doing for the Rest of Your Life" and Carole King's "Corazon."

Flutists Trudi Glaspey and Michele Pelchat will be featured soloists for Ostling's "Skip to My Flute." Ms. Glaspey will also perform in "Persuasion."

The concert is open to the public at no admission charge.

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TERESA CULBRETH CROWNED

'MISS METHODIST COLLEGE'

Teresa Culbreth, junior at Methodist College, was crowned Miss Methodist College 1978 on April 6 in Reeves Auditorium.

A field of 17 contestants competed for the title in casual and formal wear competition, sponsored by the Pi Kappa Phi Fraternity.

Runners-up to Miss Culbreth were Wanda Phillips, first runner-up; Rose Brantley, second runner-up; Cindy Edwards, third runner-up; and Jennifer Turner, fourth runner-up.

Lynn Granger, freshman, was named Miss Congeniality by vote of her fellow contestants. Senior Dawn Holmes, last year's recipient, presented the trophy to Ms. Granger.

Irene Graham, Miss Methodist 1977, highlighted a program of entertainment throughout the pageant. Visiting queens presented a variety of song, dance, piano and dramatics for audience enjoyment.

Serving as Master of Ceremonies was Gordon Joyner, Dean of Students at Methodist.

Contestants included Marcia Peyrouse, Fayetteville; Teresa Culbreth, Fayetteville; Rosemarie Brantley, Fayetteville; Cindy Johnson, Fayetteville; Lynn Granger, Fayetteville; Gail McQueen, Elizabethtown; Connie McQueen, Elizabethtown; Cindy Edwards, Clarkton; Vickie Dailey, Tarheel; Karon Elliston, Fayetteville; Robin Gottlieb, Caswell Beach, N.C.; Jennifer Turney, Barbados Islands; Cathy

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TO: Fayetteville and Cumberland County English, Speech
and Theatre Teachers

FROM: Jack Peyrouse, Director of Theatre

SUBJECT: Shakespeare!

DATE: April 14, 1978

Could you help us help your students?

Our opening theatre production next fall will be BRUSH UP YOUR SHAKESPEARE at 1:00-2:30 on October 13 and 14 in our O'Hanlon Amphitheatre. I would appreciate your help in picking the scenes we will do.

The program is to be an hour and a half collection of scenes from Shakespeare in three sections: Shakespeare's Tragic Heroes, Shakespeare's Comic Heroines, and Shakespeare in Musical Comedies. It will be a collection of scenes tied together by a Stage Manager who seems to be trying to bring order out of chaos.

Do you have any suggestions for scenes we could do which you feel would help your making the Bard come alive for students? We want this to be an educational and entertaining experience for the students. Your advice can help us make it educational and we will make it entertaining.

I hope to hear from you and will plan to see you and your students at this free production this fall.

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CIRCLE K OFFERS CONSTRUCTIVE CHANGE ON COLLEGE CAMPUS

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Sponsored by the Fayetteville and Cumberland Kiwanis Clubs, the Circle K is a college student's organization. While not directed toward any one particular service activity, each club is encouraged to examine its local situation both on and off campus to decide what area of service it will provide. Among the campuses currently sponsoring Circle K's are Wake Forest, Campbell, Greensboro College and others.

Certain types of projects are representative of the service undertaken by the Circle K's throughout the U.S. and Canada. Included on the lists of these services are working with disadvantaged youth, working with the physically handicapped and the promotion of book drives. Campus service programs include helping with orientation, sponsoring socials and campus beautification.

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HOUGH HEADS LIST OF NEW
STUDENT GOVERNMENT OFFICERS
AT METHODIST COLLEGE

In honor of newly-elected officers to the Methodist College Student Government Association, a buffet luncheon was served by open invitation to all college faculty and administration in the lobby of Reeves Auditorium.

The Executive Council for the 1978-79 academic year were presented. Serving as President is Ted Hough; vice-president is Lester "Sparky" Sessoms; secretary is Frances Lee; treasurer is Greg Howard.

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OLDER ADULTS HAVE FIELD DAY
ON METHODIST COLLEGE CAMPUS

Under the direction of the Methodist College ETHOS Club for sociology and psychology majors, the annual Field Day for Older Adults was conducted in the Methodist Student Union on Saturday, April 15.

The program has become a traditional Spring function of the ETHOS Club. Welcoming some ninety-seven older adults from nursing homes throughout the Fayetteville and Cumberland County areas, Ethos members began the activities with a bingo session. Gifts from community businesses and private donations provided the prizes given out.

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CUTLINE FOR MORTGAGE BURNING AT METHODIST COLLEGE:

Dr. Richard Pearce, president of Methodist College, holds the \$100,000 mortgage as it burns, signifying completion of mortgage payments on the college's infirmary and married students' housing.

Mr. Henry Dixon, vice-chairman of the Board of Trustees at Methodist College, assists in the mortgage burning ceremony. attended by approximately 100 persons in the Methodist College Student Union Building.

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The late Graham S. Eubank was a minister in the North Carolina Conference of the United Methodist Church and District Superintendent of the Fayetteville District. The Memorial Conference Room was provided in part by contributions from Hay Street United Methodist Church and the Nelson Gibson family.

Shown above are Mrs. Graham S. Eubank and son Manley Eubank in the foreground; daughters Betty Earley, Byrd Staton and son-in-law the Reverend Jesse Staton are shown in the background along with the Reverend Paul Granger, campus minister at Methodist College.

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Mr. Nelson Gibson and the Reverend Vernon Tyson of Hay Street United Methodist Church admire the portrait of Mr. Eubank during the Dedication Service.

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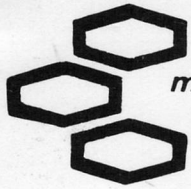
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METHODIST COLLEGE MUSIC DEPARTMENT
TO PRESENT CHAMBER MUSIC PROGRAM

Members of the Methodist College music faculty, students along with assisting musicians from the Fayetteville community will join in presenting a program of chamber music in the Band Room of Reeves Auditorium on the Methodist campus on Wednesday evening, April 26.

Featured selections of the program are three numbers being presented for the first time in the Fayetteville area. The program will open with the Quintet for Clarinet and Strings by Johannes Brahms. The second number will be a group of arias for tenor and strings by Scarlatti. Alan Porter of the college faculty will perform the tenor solos.

The program will close with the music to the ballet "The Creation of the World" by Darius Milhaud. This is a composition for chamber orchestra which illustrates the lively interest in American jazz that was current in France and other parts of Europe during the 1920's. Mike Rogers of the Methodist music faculty will conduct this work.

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<u>Double Bass:</u>	Jim McFayden		
<u>Clarinet:</u>	Mike Rogers, Susan Rogers, Don Moreno		
<u>Bassoon:</u>	Susan Keene	<u>Saxophone:</u>	Richard Fulton
<u>Trumpet:</u>	Robert Downing Emmett Anglin	<u>Horn:</u>	Robert Thomas
<u>Trombone:</u>	Jeff Canham	<u>Piano:</u>	Terry Poole, Mike Rogers
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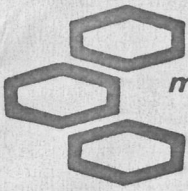
Enclosed you will find registration and informational material on "Mid-Life: Crises in Adult Years" Symposium to be held here on April 20-21. The program is provided to enable you to select those particular sessions your public might be interested in. Seminar speakers will be available for interview at your request after their respective session is completed.

I will be present during both days and will be available to set up any special interviews or photography sessions you might need.

Looking forward to seeing you Thursday and Friday, I am

Sincerely yours,

Gwen P. Sykes, Director



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ROTC--ALIVE AND WELL AFTER DORMANT DECADE

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ROTC--ALIVE AND WELL (continued)

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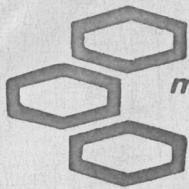
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But incorporating a military discipline and a contemporary college campus requires the acceptance of cadets as campus leaders.

"Being an ROTC cadet has enhanced my image on campus. Now a cadet is equated with the adventure programs which are prestigious," comments Jakie Snapp, Jr., Cadet 2nd Lieutenant, from Fayetteville.

"There are cadets in leadership positions all over campus: SGA, fraternities, honoraries, religious life and athletics."



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ROTC--ALIVE AND WELL (continued)

Even though female cadets are given a different Physical Training test, the rest of the regimen is non-discriminatory.

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HANDBELL CHOIR CONCERT SCHEDULED FOR METHODIST

Methodist College Handbell Choir will give a spring concert on Sunday evening, April 23 at 8:00 in the Band Room of the Fine Arts Building on campus.

Alan Porter, assistant professor of music at Methodist College, will conduct the Handbell Choir in a program of secular and religious music.

Featured selections for Sunday's concert are "Acclamation For Bells" by Phillip Young, "The Music Box" by A. Liadow, "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name" arranged by Darlene Lawrence and "Brian's Song" by Michel Legrand.

The HandBell Choir toured with the Methodist College Chorus through West Virginia, Pennsylvania and Virginia as well as frequent appearances throughout North Carolina.

Methodist College has one of the few collegiate HandBell choirs in the country. The four chromatic octaves of Bells were made by the Schulmerick Foundery in Sellersville, Pennsylvania, and have been in regular use at the college for four years.

The concert is open to the public at no charge.

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CUTLINE FOR METHODIST COLLEGE HANDBELL CHOIR SHOT

Shown with the Methodist College Choir during their recent tour is the Methodist College HandBell Choir, conducted by Alan Porter of the Methodist College faculty. The spring concert of the HandBell Choir is scheduled for Sunday evening, April 23, at 8:00 in the Band Room of The Fine Arts Building on the Methodist campus.

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PULLIAM ELECTED VICE-PRESIDENT
OF ASSOCIATION OF HISTORIANS

FAYETTEVILLE--Mr. Bruce Pulliam, associate professor of history at Methodist College, was elected to serve as vice-president of the Association of Historians in Eastern North Carolina at the April 14 meeting at Campbell College.

Pulliam, a Roxboro native, joined the faculty of Methodist College in 1962 and has served in the social science department for 16 years. He currently serves as department chairman.

A graduate of Wake Forest University and Western Carolina University, Pulliam has done post-graduate work at the University of North Carolina--Chapel Hill and Sophia University in Tokeyo, Japan.

Attending the meeting of the Association of Historians in Eastern North Carolina with Pulliam was Mr. Parker Wilson, associate professor of history at Methodist College.

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Postmaster Gene Hoge, today presented to Dr. Richard Pearce, President of Methodist College, a Marquis de Lafayette Commemorative Stamp Panel.

The panel, which is to be displayed in the Lafayette Room of the Davis Memorial Library, features an actual block of four Lafayette stamps in mint condition, which was issued in 1977. Complementing the stamps are intaglio printed reproductions of old steel engravings which illustrate subjects related to the commemorative. Enriching the panel further is the written story of Marquis de Lafayette. The stamp panel presented is one of only 50 that will be available for sale at the 11th Annual Trade Fair on April 1 and 2 at the Memorial Arena. The panels are a special order and this will be the only place they are available outside of Washington, DC. Other postal items of interest to collectors will also be available as well as a special postmark designed by the Women's Club of Fayetteville.

Fayetteville was the first city to be named in honor of Lafayette. His statue has been postally noted by the issuance of two previous U.S. Postage Stamps. A 1952 commemorative marked the 175th anniversary of his arrival in America, and a second stamp which was first placed on sale ^{in Fayetteville} here in 1957 on the 200th anniversary of his birth.

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CAROLINA COLLEGE ALUMNAE HOLD ANNUAL REUNION AT METHODIST

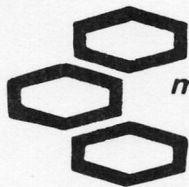
FAYETTEVILLE--Graduates of Carolina College, located before its closing in Maxton, held their annual reunion on April 8 in the Alumni Dining Room of Methodist College.

Mrs. Margaret C. Andrews of Raleigh, president of the Carolina College Alumnae Association, presided over the morning meeting. Program highlights included special music provided by Methodist students Terry Poole of Knightdale and Tim Lloyd of Durham. Mrs. Alice Pearce, 80-year old student at Methodist College, spoke on "Being a College Homecoming Queen."

Recipient of the Carolina College Award, presented to a girl who reflects the high standards of womanhood exemplified by the Carolina College graduates, was Theresa Ann Poole.

Ms. Poole is a junior music major from Knightdale. While at Methodist, she has served as secretary and president of the Methodist College Chorus. Terry is a Dean's List student and a member of Alpha Chi, national honorary society.

In addition to the Carolina College Award, Ms. Poole also received the Carolina College Scholarship for the 1978-79 school year.



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After a sale of handmade items for the scholarship fund and a luncheon, nomination and election of CCAA officers was held.

Elected to serve as officers for the Carolina College Alumnae Association for the 1978-79 year are Mrs. Mabel Berry of Fayetteville, president; Mrs. Barbara Pope of Fayetteville, vice-president; Miss Ruth Cottingham of Maxton, secretary.

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TIMOTHY LLOYD PRESENTS

SENIOR VOICE RECITAL

Timothy L. Lloyd, a student at Methodist College, presented his senior voice recital on Friday, April 28 at 10:30 a.m. in the Band Room of the Fine Arts Building on the Methodist campus.

Included in the program was a series of English ayres by such early composers as John Dowland and Thomas Campion. A group of German lieder and French art songs were followed by the Rossini "Cujus Animam" from the Stabat Mater. Concluding the program were selections from the Sacred Songs for Pantheists by Robert Ward, a contemporary American composer. Lloyd, a tenor, is a student of Alan M. Porter. His accompanist for Friday's program was Hollie Hutchison.

A four-year recipient of the Hensdale Scholarship, Tim has participated in various activities on campus including chorus and drama productions. He has served as chairman of the Student Union Board and as chapel organist for Hensdale Chapel. Tim is the son of the Reverend and Mrs. Frank I. Lloyd, Jr. of Durham. The Reverend Mr. Lloyd is the former pastor of Haymount United Methodist Church in Fayetteville.

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PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT Methodist College Summer Camps

As a part of its non-profit program, Methodist College will again host a series of Summer Youth Camps. The dates of the week-long camps are from June 19 through July 12. Athletic sports will include basketball, tennis, baseball, gymnastics, soccer, all sports and cheerleading.

Further information and a summer camp brochure is available at the Athletic Department of Methodist College by calling 488-7110, ext. 261, or by writing Methodist College.

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