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RADIO RELEASE

A Methodist College junior was elected state president of the Student Education Association this weekend at the NCAE state convention in Greensboro.

As president of the student organization, John Sam will represent over 2,000 college education majors and will serve as a member of the executive board of the parent organization, NCAE.

Sam is a graduate of 71st High School and the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Sam of Haverhill Drive, Fayetteville. He currently serves as president of the Methodist College chapter of student educators and will attend the national convention of NEA as a N.C. delegate in January.

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CINDI BARR McCOLL, MEZZO
SOPRANO, TO GIVE SENIOR
VOICE RECITAL

FAYETTEVILLE--Cynthia Barr McColl, Methodist College senior, will perform her final collegiate voice recital on Sunday afternoon, April 13 in the Band Room of Reeves Auditorium.

Ms. McColl will perform a varied program including Pasatiere's "Three Poems of James Agee;" Gaetano Donzetti's "O Mio Fernando;" three arias by Vivaldi; English song of Arne, Purcell, Scott and Handel: and a collection of French songs by Chaminade, Dalayrac, Debussy and Sant Saens.

A Fayetteville native, Ms. McColl has studied under Alan Porter and has performed as a vocalist with the Methodist College Stage Band. During her four years at Methodist, McColl was also featured at coffeehouses and Christmas Gala performances. Her theatre performances included "Little Mary Sunshine " "Oedipus Rex," "Once In A Lifetime," and "Brush Up Your Shakespeare."

After graduation, McColl plans to teach music on the high school level. She is married to Tommy McColl and they reside in Raeford.

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The recital is open to the public at no charge.

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Caption:

Carol Kroll, national president of the Student Educators of America, addressed education majors at Methodist College, Fayetteville, N.C. during a Southern tour.

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STELLA MATTHEWS NAMED
CARILLON EDITOR

FAYETTEVILLE-- Stella Reid Matthews of Fayetteville has been named editor of the Methodist College yearbook, Carillon, for the 1979-80 academic year.

A Charles Rankin scholar at Methodist, Miss Matthews currently reigns as Miss Methodist and served as a college cheerleader for 1979.

Miss Matthews is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James I. Jones of Fayetteville and a graduate of Pine Forest Senior High.

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PATRICIA TURNER NAMED
SMALLTALK EDITOR

FAYETTEVILLE--Patricia Ann Turner of Fayetteville has been named editor of the Methodist College student newspaper, SmallTalk, for the 1979-80 academic year. Miss Turner is a sophomore English major and has previously served as feature editor of the campus publication.

A Charles Rankin scholar, Miss Turner is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Ellis Turner of Oakmont Circle. She is a graduate of Pine Forest High School where she was active in student publications.

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NELL THOMPSON NAMED

DIRECTOR OF CONTINUING EDUCATION

FAYETTEVILLE--Nell B. Thompson has been named Director of evening division at Methodist College, according to Dean Samuel J. Womack. She succeeds Dr. James Vann who has assumed the position of education specialist with the Research Triangle Institute.

Miss Thompson, a graduate of Methodist College, served as Director of Admissions at the liberal arts institute until her recent appointment. Her duties will include coordination of all continuing education courses both on main campus and the Methodist College extension at Fort Bragg.

Miss Thompson is a native of Goldsboro and brings with her five years of admissions experience in higher education. During her tenure as Director of Admissions, Methodist College enjoyed its third consecutive year with substantial increase in enrollment.

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STUDENT EDITORS CHOSEN
AT METHODIST COLLEGE

FAYETTEVILLE--Patricia Turner and Stella Matthews, both of Fayetteville, have been chosen to serve as editors of Methodist College student publication for the 1979-80 year, according to Dr. Earl Martin, chairman of the college publications committee.

Miss Turner will serve as editor of smallTalk, Methodist's award-winning student newspaper. She is the daughter Mr. and Mrs. James Ellis Turner of Oakmont Circle and a graduate of Pine Forest Senior High School. A Rankin Scholar, Miss Turner is a sophomore English major at Methodist where she has been active in student publications.

Miss Matthews will edit the 1980 Carillon, college yearbook. Also a Rankin Scholar, Miss Matthews has served on the staffs of both Small Talk and Carillon. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James I. Jones of Morningside Drive in Fayetteville and is majoring in English at Methodist.

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FIRST WOMAN PRESIDENT

LYNDA WOMACK ELECTED
STUDENT BODY PRESIDENT
AT METHODIST COLLEGE

FAYETTEVILLE--Lynda Womack of Fayetteville has been elected president of the Methodist College student body for 1980-81, the first woman to serve in the top executive position in the school's history.

Ms. Womack is a junior at Methodist majoring in sociology. A Rankin scholar, Womack has been active in student government, campus publications and theatre productions. She is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Samuel J. Womack of Vivian Drive and a graduate of Pine Forest Senior High.

As sixteenth president of the Methodist College SGA, Womack succeeds Tom Holland of Jacksonville.

Jeneal Whorton of New Bern will hold the vice-presidential seat in the Methodist SGA. Whorton is a Blackburn scholar, majoring in education. A sophomore, Whorton has been active in the Methodist Senate as senator-at-large and Parliamentarian, in theatre productions, and in sorority functions. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Whorton of New Bern.

Other elected officers include Adolph Smith of Kipling, Chief Justice; Jill Thompson and Shelah Burroughs of Fayetteville, Day senators; Chip Wright of Sparta, N.J., and Arcangel Hernandez of Lakewood, N.J., Senator-at-Large; Peggy Boyce of Chesapeake, Va.,

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COEDS VIE FOR MISS METHODIST TITLE

FAYETTEVILLE - Stella Matthews of Fayetteville will give up her title as Miss Methodist College on Tuesday night to one of 27 coeds vying for the crown.

The annual pageant is sponsored by Pi Kappa Phi fraternity and will be held on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock in Reeves Auditorium.

Competing for the title are Cynthia Phelps of Creswell, NC, Ruby Wilson of Goldsboro, NC; D'Lury Hemphill of Media, Pa.; Frances Lee of Roanoke Rapids, NC, Mary Conen of Cary, NC; Debra Finley of Columbia, SC; and Robin Gottlieb of Southport, NC.

Also Ann Gallahan of King George, Va; Toni Gottlieb of Southport, NC; Brigitta Wilde of Raeford; Sally Moore of Villanova, Pa; Cathy Burrus of Buxton; Rachelle McCallum of Raleigh; Angela Gentry of Roxboro; Mary Burton of Grifton; and Susan Matthews of Clayton, NC.

Coeds from Fayetteville seeking the title include Jenice Van Hook, Sarah Mills, Shelah Burroughs, Karen Melvin, Melissa Gentry, Teresa Wingfield, Linda Heaton, Cheri Depriter, Laura Hales, Kim McCormick and Ann Johnson.

Admission to the pageant is \$2.00.

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NEW MISS METHODIST CROWNED

FAYETTEVILLE--Stella Reid Matthews of Fayetteville was crowned Miss Methodist College of 1979 during the annual pageant sponsored by Pi Kappa Phi on the Methodist campus.

Miss Matthews won the title over a field of twenty-four contestants competing in casual wear and evening wear. Areas of judges evaluation were poise, beauty, strength of expression, and personality. Among the official pageant judges was Ms. Susan Griffin, a former Miss North Carolina.

Miss Matthews, a freshman English major at Methodist, is a college cheerleader and will serve as editor of Methodist yearbook of 1979. She is a Charles Rankin scholar and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James I. Jones of Morningside Drive in Fayetteville.

Miss Kathy Southerland of Fayetteville was named Miss Congeniality and also placed as 1st Runner-up for the Miss Methodist title. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Southerland of Oklahoma.

Other members of Miss Methodist Court were Cynthia Faye Johnson of Fayetteville, second runner-up; Linda Heaton of Fayetteville, third runner-up; Deborah Lynn Murray of Spring Lake, fourth runner-up.



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Miss Matthews will represent the college at all official functions during the 1979-80 year; she was crowned by Miss Wanda Phillips of Spring Lake, Miss Methodist 1978.

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G. THOMAS DENT APPOINTED DIRECTOR
OF ADMISSIONS AT METHODIST COLLEGE

FAYETTEVILLE--George Thomas Dent of Fayetteville has been appointed Director of Admissions at Methodist College by president Richard W. Pearce. Dent succeeds Nell B. Thompson, now serving as Director of Continuing Education.

A graduate of Methodist College, Dent has served as an admissions counselor for Methodist for the past two years. It was during this time that Methodist College reported substantial increase in student enrollment.

Dent is married to the former Betty Jo Mitchell of Fayetteville and is a native of Summerville, South Carolina.

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LOCAL RESIDENT

RECEIVES DEGREE

FAYETTEVILLE--

received a baccalaureate degree from Methodist College during Commencement Exercises on Sunday, May 4 in Reeves Auditorium.

Sam Ragan, noted speaker and publisher of the Southern Pines Pilot, delivered the Commencement address.

was awarded a Bachelor of degree in
from Methodist.

Methodist College is a four-year college of liberal arts and sciences located in Fayetteville, N.C. on a 600-acre campus overlooking the Cape Fear River.

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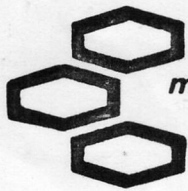
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LOCAL PIANISTS RECEIVE
SUPERIOR CONTEST RATINGS

FAYETTEVILLE--David Porter, Greg Porter and Sally Kuger, all of Fayetteville, received ratings of Superior for performances at the District Piano Contest in Lumberton recently.

All three students are now eligible to enter the State Competition in Chapel Hill on April 12. Both events are sponsored by the N.C. Music Teachers' Association.

Ms. Rennie Beyer instructs the three pianists in the Community Music Program at Methodist College, a preparatory music program for talented musicians.

David and Greg Porter competed in the Junior Division while Sally Kuger competed in the Senior Division. Leigh Aderhold of Fayetteville, also a student of Ms. Beyer, received a rating of Excellent in the Junior Division.

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AT METHODIST COLLEGE

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Dr. Ragan is well known in North Carolina literary circles as the author of two prize-winning books of poetry, Tree in the Far Pasture and To the Water's Edge. A graduate of Atlantic Christian College, Dr. Ragan was awarded a Doctor of Literature degree from the same institution.

Dr. Ragan served as press secretary of the Department of Cultural Resources in 1972 and has published several other works of non-fiction.

Dr. Earl Martin, professor of sociology and chairman of the social science department at Methodist College, will preach the Baccalaureate Sermon for seniors, also on Sunday at 10:30 in Reeves Auditorium. Martin leaves the faculty at Methodist after fourteen years to return to the parish ministry in Northern Virginia



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RAGAN TO SPEAK (continued)

While at Methodist, Dr. Martin has been instrumental in establishing a social work major and a strong community internship program in social work. He is a graduate of Lynchburg College and Garrett Theological Seminary. Dr. Martin received an M.A. degree from Northwestern University and a Ph.D. from Walden University.

Formal Commencement Exercises for 1980 graduates mark the seventeenth annual graduation for Methodist College and conclude the 1979-80 academic year.

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METHODIST COLLEGE CAMPAIGN CONTINUES TO REFLECT INCREASE

FAYETTEVILLE--Pledges and contributions are still running slightly ahead of last year in the annual Methodist College Loyalty Campaign for 1980, according to Dr. Charles Speegle, campaign coordinator.

With 53% of contacts completed, \$111,531 has been contributed in gifts and pledges. This total reflects \$79,288 toward the \$120,000 goal in unrestricted funds and \$32,243 in restricted giving.

The campaign is conducted by the Methodist College Foundation, a group of community leaders devoted to the financial support of the institution.

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BILL PRESNELL FEATURED
AS MINISTER-IN-RESIDENCE

FAYETTEVILLE--The Reverend Bill Presnell, pastor of Riverside United Methodist Church in Elizabeth City, will serve as Minister-In-Residence to Methodist College during the week of April 21-24.

Presnell is a 1971 graduate of Methodist College and a native of Fredericksburg, Va. While at Methodist, he was active in student government, Sanford Dormitory council and Interfaith Council.

Prior to attending Duke Divinity School where he received a Master of Divinity degree, Presnell served as Minister of Education at St. Luke's United Methodist Church in Goldsboro. While at Duke, he was pastor of Rock Creek United Methodist Church at Snow Camp and president of the Student Pastor's Association at Duke.

Bill Presnell has made his mark on the North Carolina Conference at a young age. In November, 1978, he represented the entire N.C. Conference of the United Methodist Church in London, England at the re-opening of John Wesley's Chapel.

Currently, Presnell serves on the N.C. Conference Division on Missions and is a member of the Board of Directors of Circus Tent, Inc., an interdenominational Ministry at Nags Head, N.C.

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Milton Sluder-Jordan, campus minister at Methodist, will coordinate Mr. Presnell's visit.

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Bill Presnell
Minister - In-
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METHODIST JURIED ART EXHIBIT

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The exhibit will include works in four categories: painting, graphics, photographs and three-dimensional sculpture and crafts. Methodist College students, alumni, faculty and staff were eligible to enter the competition for cash prizes.

Judges for the Juried Art Exhibit were William C. Fields, artist and Melissa Clement, art critic and illustrator for The Fayetteville Observer.

The opening Reception is open to the public and the exhibit may be viewed daily 8-5 o'clock through April 30.

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Bill Fields

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DINNER THEATRE TO HIGHLIGHT
GRADUATION WEEKEND AT METHODIST

FAYETTEVILLE--Graduating seniors at Methodist College and their families will be entertained over the May 3-4 commencement weekend with a dinner theatre presentation of Kathryn Erranton's senior acting recital in the Alumni Dining Rooms on the Methodist campus.

"Social Criticism in 18th Century Literature" will feature an enactment from Richard Sheridan's The Rivals and readings from William Blake's poetry.

A menu of veal parmesan and fresh strawberry shortcake will be available at a cost of \$5.20 for non-boarding students and \$2.75 for boarders. Reservations are available through Jackie Hewitt in the Dean of Students' Office. The production is scheduled for Saturday evening, May 3 at 6:30.

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SUMMER SPORTS CAMP

TO BE HELD AT

METHODIST COLLEGE

FAYETTEVILLE - A variety of six camps will be held at Methodist College this summer, according to Gene Clayton, coordinator of summer programs at Methodist.

"As part of the college/community summer program we will offer instructional sports in girls and boys All-Sports, advanced tennis, beginner tennis, basketball, and mini-basketball," stated Clayton.

All camps will be conducted under the direction of the Methodist College coaching staff and will utilize facilities on the Methodist campus..

Coach Mason Sykes will coordinate the All-Sports day camps for both boys and girls during two sessions, June 18-22 and June 25-29. He will also direct the Beginner-Intermediate Coed Tennis Day Camp from July 9-13.

Gene Clayton will conduct the Coed Advanced Tennis Day Camp from June 18-22 and Coach Joe Miller will coordinate both the Boy's Basketball Day Camp, July 9-13, and the Mini-Basketball Coed Day Camp, June 25-29.

All camp activities will be held from 9 o'clock. Further information and registration forms are available from the Athletic Department at Methodist College, 488-7110, ext. 261.

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Lynda Womack of Fayetteville has been elected president of the Methodist College student body for 1980-81, the first woman to serve in the top executive position in the school's history.

Ms. Womack is a junior at Methodist, majoring in sociology. A Rankin scholar, Womack has been active in student government, campus publications and theatre productions. She is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Samuel J. Womack of Vivian Drive.

Other officers include Jeneal Whorton of New Bern, vice-president; Adolph Smith of Kipling, Chief Justice; and Chip Wright of Sparta, N.J., and Arcangel Hernandez of Lakewood, N.J., Senators-at-Large.

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Images of touring madrigals and laughing troubadours will accompany the concert of Renaissance music to be performed by the Quartetto G. Pierluigi Da Palestrina on Sunday afternoon, April 27 in Hensdale Chapel on the Methodist College campus.

Adriano Moz, director of the Pinehurst-based Quartetto, and his group will attempt to recreate the pleasures of medieval and Renaissance music with a program of vocal and instrumental music of the 12th and 16 centuries.

The concert is open to the public at no charge.

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RENAISSANCE MUSIC FESTIVAL AT QUARTETTO PALESTRINA CONCERT

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