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TWO METHODIST STUDENTS TO PERFORM IN "GODSPELL"

FAYETTEVILLE, NC -- Kelly Sue Dickerson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Thomas Dickerson and Debi K. Myers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer E. Myers, will appear in a segment of "Godspell" to be performed by the Methodist College theatre department in Reeves Auditorium Dec. 9. Kelly will play the role of Robin and Debi will play the role of Peggy.

Myers, a sophomore computer science major, is a member of the Methodist College chorus.

Dickerson, a freshman fine arts management major, is a member of Masque Keys, a theatrical organization and also a member of Methodist's chorus.



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POOLE TO PERFORM IN "GODSPELL"

FAYETTEVILLE, NC -- Tammy Jean Poole, daughter of Mr. Coy D. Poole, Goldsboro, NC and Mrs. Ann C. Poole, Knightdale, NC, will play the role of Holly in a segment of "Godspell" to be performed by the Methodist College theatre department. "Godspell" will open Dec. 9 in Reeves Auditorium on the Methodist College campus, Fayetteville.

Poole, a junior music major, is a member of the Methodist College chorus.



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BRIGGS TO PERFORM IN "GODSPELL"

FAYETTEVILLE, NC -- Richard A. Briggs, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard A. Briggs, Sr., Rt. 1, Libertyville, IA, will play the role of John the Baptist in a segment of "Godspell" to be performed by the Methodist College theatre department in Reeves Auditorium on the Methodist campus. "Godspell" will open Dec. 9.

Briggs' previous involvement with the theatre department includes playing the roles of Ludovico and Andrea from the play, "Galileo" and directing a performance called, "15 Minute Ham Let."

Briggs, a senior, is president of Alpha Psi Omega, vice president of Lambda Chi Alpha and secretary of Student Government Association on the Methodist campus.

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METHODIST STAGE BAND TO PERFORM DEC. 9

FAYETTEVILLE, NC -- The Methodist College Stage Band will perform in concert on Tuesday, Dec. 9, at 8 p.m. in Reeves Auditorium. The stage band is under the direction of Mike Rogers, a member of the colleges's music faculty.

The concert is open to the public at no charge.



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WINTER COMMENCEMENT AT METHODIST COLLEGE

FAYETTEVILLE, NC -- Methodist College will hold winter commencement on Wednesday, Dec. 17, at 2 p.m. in Reeves Auditorium on the Methodist campus.

The Rev. C. P. Minnick Jr., bishop of the North Carolina Conference of the United Methodist Church, will present the commencement address.

The commencement ceremony is open to the public at no charge.



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COLLEGE PRODUCES CAC JOURNAL

FAYETTEVILLE, NC -- Methodist College, a national leader in Computer-Assisted Composition (CAC), has embarked on a related project. The college recently published the Computer-Assisted Composition Journal, which is believed to be the first full-length journal using desktop publishing. This step will intensify the effect that Methodist is having on the teaching of writing in this country.

Dr. Lynn Sadler, vice president for academic affairs and academic dean at Methodist, conceived the idea for the journal and coined the term "CAC." She and Dr. Wendy Greene, associate professor of English and director of the CAC laboratory and of the Writing Program, are co-editors of the journal. Serving as assistant editors are Dr. Robert Christian, Sam Clark, Dr. Sue Kimball, Dr. Garland Knott and Cynthia Williams-Polley, all Methodist faculty members.

The editors and assistant editors are working in conjunction with a 30-member editorial board comprised of college educators from across the nation. Among the institutions represented on the editorial board are the University of Illinois at Chicago, UCLA, Notre Dame, South Florida, Oregon Institute of Technology and Prairie View A & M.

Articles in the inaugural issue are "On the Value of Subjective Responses: Computer Technology in the Composition Classroom" by Elizabeth Bell, University of

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South Carolina at Aiken; "A Guide to Selecting Word-Processing Software for Learning-Disabled College Writers" by Terence Collins and Lynda Price, University of Minnesota; "Computer-Assisted Composition: What Computers Are Doing for Students at Georgia Southwestern College" by Ted Couillard, Georgia Southwestern College; "Waiting for WANDAH: A Critique of Present Trends in Computer-Assisted Composition" by Michael Meeker, Winona State University; "'The Use of the Computer in Literary Studies': An Experimental Course" by Elgin Mellown, Duke University; "Integrating Instruction in Computer Skills and Paragraph Organization" by Charles Phillips and Elisabeth Braswell, Mount Olive College; "Pre-Writing Aids: Some Computer-Assisted Paths for Invention" by Jonaid Sharif, Alcorn State University; "Four Paths to Composition Reinforcement: A Review of Computer Software for the Progressive Teacher" by Jo Beth Taylor, Jarvis Christian College; and "Changing Student Attitudes Toward Writing Using a Combination of Computer-Assisted Composition and Peer-Group Evaluation" by Virginia Tucker, Bennett College.

Also included are "Discourse and Word-Processing Genes: Thoughts of An Unborn Computer-Assisted Composition Journal," a creative response to the announcement of the CACJ written by Henrik Eger of the University of Illinois at Chicago; "Initiating the Uninitiated: Word-Processing Tutorials for Rdpid Results," a model tutorial to introduce "Appleworks" by Kevin Davis, Davis and Elkins College; and "The Borzoi College Writer and PC-Write 2.6: A Review," by David Tomlinson of the U.S. Naval Academy. This article looks at user-friendliness vs. lower cost and additional features.

Methodist is represented by Kimball, professor of English and grants officer, with an article on "Idea Processing with 'Think Tank' in Advanced Composition." A version of this paper was first presented orally at a workshop of the CCCC, an offshoot of the National Council of Teachers of English, held in Florida in January 1986. It tells how Sadler secured "Think Tank," formerly used only as business

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software, free from its company on the promise of adopting it for higher education needs.

In publishing this first issue, Sadler notes in the preface that CAC is now in its developmental stages of its Second Wave. "The First Wave, still growing, is the use of a commercial word-processing software package to enable students to compose on the computer. The Second Wave -- the heuristic stage -- is the use of specially developed software to tutor students in the composing process." She, along with her husband, Dr. Emory Sadler, and Dr. Greene, are working in that Second Wave, too. Their software package teaching essay writing is now being fieldtested at some 20 colleges and universities across the country.

She explains that the ultimate benefits of CAC, from the standpoint of the writing teacher, are three-fold:

(1) CAC encourages, indeed focuses on, revision as a fact of the life of writing.

(2) CAC (particularly the heuristic software) brings the student to an awareness of writing as process -- from prewriting to writing to revising or editing -- at the same time that it enables the writer to have a measurable outcome, writing as product.

(3) CAC is an enabling tool that encourages the writer to become writer and reader, writer and critic, or even writer and [self-]teacher.

The CACJ is published three times annually with a subscription cost of \$10. "Our aim is to share answers to such problems and to present developments in any variety of computer-assisted writing," said Sadler. "We hope to see submissions in 'writing across the curriculum' as well. We also are pleased to give space to reviews of software that our colleagues have tested and to models for classroom/computer laboratory adaptation. Finally, we want to be innovators in the area of desktop publishing."



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METHODIST AWARDS 67 BACHELOR'S
DEGREES AT WINTER COMMENCEMENT

FAYETTEVILLE, NC -- Methodist College awarded 67 bachelor's degrees and 21 associate's degrees at Winter Commencement Ceremonies held Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 17, in Reeves Auditorium on the Methodist campus.

The commencement address was presented by the Rev. C. P. Minnick Jr., bishop of the North Carolina Conference of the United Methodist Church. The topic of his address was "Such A Time As This." The invocation was presented by the Rev. J. C. Reid, pastor of the Pentecostal Temple Church of God in Christ, and the benediction was delivered by the Rev. James Leggett, conference superintendent of the North Carolina Conference of the Pentecostal Holiness Church. Both Reid and Leggett have sons who are members of the graduation class.

The college also honored Mrs. Martha Duell with a Methodist College Medallion. In presenting the award, Dr. M. Elton Hendricks, president of the college, cited Duell's "enthusiasm and love for her mother country, France, and her adopted country, the United States," and for establishing a closer bond between the two countries in Fayetteville. Duell founded the Lafayette Society here.

Hendricks also noted that Duell had the idea for establishing the Lafayette

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Room in the college's Davis Memorial Library and established a scholarship for French students to attend Methodist. She also has served on the Methodist College Foundation, led the fund drive for a new concert grand piano in Reeves Auditorium and serves on the steering committee for Methodist's endowed chair in religion and philosophy. She was further lauded for her community, civic and church involvement.

Kevin Austin, who graduated with a political science degree, was commissioned a second lieutenant in the U.S. Army during the ceremony.

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(Graduates and their hometowns are listed on the following page.)

Degrees were awarded to the following Methodist College students:

Bachelor of Arts:

Mubarak B. Al-Misnid, James Bernard Benson, Falah S. Bineid, Terri M. Botkins (cum laude), Regina A. Dickerson, Montie Gene Elston (cum laude), Angela Christine Garvin (cum laude), Gregory Smith Gimlick, Robert Stevenson Gordon II, Patricia Anne Grottke, Karen Wingenfeld Hall (cum laude), Phillip Mitchell Herndon, Richard Anthony Hibbert, Bridget Darlene Jenkins, Matthew L. Jones, Stephen James Kay, Linda Kay Lieswald, Harold Stanley Lockamy, Sandra Hinkley McDaniel (cum laude), Ricky Elmo McKenzie, Julia Ann Marlowe (cum laude), Melissa A. Mirande-Justice (cum laude), Charles Colyer Morris, Ronald A. Newton, Lila McLean Nicholson (cum laude), Lisa S. O'Briant, Carmen Denise Pomeroy, Angela A. Putney, Mark Alan Rader, Tanya Leimomi Riley (summa cum laude), Cathy Smith Rocque, Paula Marie Romocky, Janice Williamson Smith magna cum laude), David McKinley Stein Sr., Debra J. Svoboda-Morton (cum laude), Richard Carlton Ward, Lori Wimmer, Richard Montgomery Wright (cum laude), Belinda L. Young, all of Fayetteville.

Also, Danny Lee Woodruff, Fort Bragg; John George Charest, Pope Air Force Base; Ralph Joseph Abramo, Terrie Baker-Tenhet, Debra H. Sherman (magna cum laude), all of Hope Mills; Renee S. Hohwald, Spring Lake; Richard Lynn Dail, Wade (cum laude); Joseph Talmedge Leggett, Falcon; Janice Kay Parker, Linden; Alice Saunders Matthis, Clinton; Brigitte Marie Knight, Shannon; Gary Wayne Newberry, Raleigh; Angela Caroline Blackburn, Rocky Point; William David Bordeaux, White Oak; Juanita Dare Thompson, Butner (magna cum laude); Kevin Jay Austin, Jamestown, PA (cum laude); Doris Denise Haynes, Winchester, AR; Marsha Lynn White, Philadelphia, PA.

Bachelor of Science:

Nolan Paul Clark Jr., Daniel R. DeCriscio (cum laude), Jody Kae Hoepner (cum laude), Larry Earl Mount, Barbara Ann Scalisi Quesenberry (cum laude), Tanya Leimomi Riley (summa cum laude), and Andrew Hall Williams (summa cum laude), all of Fayetteville, and Karen E. Kennedy, Lynchburg, VA.

Bachelor of Music:

Jeffery James Reid, Fayetteville.

Bachelor of Applied Science:

Curtis Patrick O'Connor, Fayetteville.

Associate of Arts:

Patrick L. Beatty, Patrick Leauldin Campbell, Cesar Jose Cavazos, Ivan D. Evans, Michael D. Fitzgerald, Linda N. Guzik, Shelley Kamae, Laura M. Landes, Bernard Hart Linney, Daniel J. Loveless, Anthony J. Maggio, Michael M. Maricle, Mark E. Moen, Paul Surphol Monn, Darrin Michael Picard and Earl J. Richmond Jr., all of Fayetteville.

Also, John David Brotherton, Janice Denise Griffin, Keith Gregory Gibson, Betty J. King, Michael Raymond Zeleski, all of Fort Bragg; Alexander L. Brown, Spring Lake; and John Chad Hall, Hope Mills.

Associate of Science:

Randy Lee Bolding, Lumber Bridge.

MARTHA A. DUELL

Enthusiasm, compassion, energy, concern for others, love for native country, pride in adopted country, champion of learning and dreamer for youth are only a few of the qualities which describe Mrs. Martha A. Duell.

A native of France and a red-white-and blue-American, Martha Duell has spent endless hours in establishing a closer bond between France and America. She has hosted group trips to France and organized hospitality for Frenchmen visiting America. She founded the Lafayette Society, became its first president, and was its chief fund raiser in the drive to place the statue of the general in Fayetteville. Her goal was to see that our area properly recognized its ties with France and with General Lafayette, and indeed, she has accomplished that goal almost singlehandedly.

Methodist College has been the recipient of her love, creativity and energy. She had a dream of the Lafayette Room in Davis Memorial Library. Through benefit events and personal solicitation, she helped to bring the nationally recognized research facility into being. Through the Lafayette Society, a scholarship fund for sons and daughters of France has been established at Methodist College. As a member of the Methodist College Foundation, she has helped to strengthen the financial undergirding of the college. As a Steering Committee member, she is currently providing guidance and direction in the efforts to establish the Samuel Womack Endowed Chair in Religion. To place a challenge before Martha Duell is to count on success before the effort is even begun, as evidenced in her fund-raising drive for the concert grand piano for Reeves Auditorium.

To list her community, civic and church involvement and accomplishments would be to name the "Who's Who" list of organizations in Fayetteville. Suffice it to say, Martha, Methodist College, Fayetteville, and yes, American owe you a vote of thanks for how you have so fully given of yourself to Methodist College, our community and our nation.

So, today Methodist College pays tribute to you with the presentation of the Methodist College Medallion in recognition of how you have served others with warmth, vitality and sincerity. The fruits of your labor and commitment will benefit generations yet unborn.

Given at Fayetteville, North Carolina, this
Seventeenth Day of December in the Year of
Our Lord Nineteen Hundred Eighty-Six and the
Thirtieth year of Methodist College.

M. Elton Hendricks, President



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AUSTIN RECEIVES B.A. FROM METHODIST

FAYETTEVILLE, NC -- Kevin Jay Austin, son of Mr. and Mrs. William O. Austin, Greenville, PA, received a bachelor of arts degree in political science at commencement ceremonies held Wed. Dec. 17 in Reeves Auditorium at Methodist College, Fayetteville, NC. Austin graduated cum laude and was sponsored by his father.

C.P. Minnick, Jr., Bishop of the North Carolina Conference of the United Methodist Church, delivered the commencement address.

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BLACKBURN RECEIVES B.A. FROM METHODIST

FAYETTEVILLE, NC -- Angela Caroline Blackburn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Blackburn, Rt. 1, Rocky Point, NC, received a bachelor of arts degree in elementary education at commencement ceremonies held Wed. Dec. 17 in Reeves Auditorium at Methodist College, Fayetteville, NC. Blackburn was sponsored by her mother, Laura.

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KAY RECEIVES B.A. FROM METHODIST

FAYETTEVILLE, NC -- Stephen James Kay, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert B. Kay, Charleston, SC, received a bachelor of arts degree in business administration from Methodist College, Fayetteville, NC, at commencement ceremonies held Wed. Dec. 17 in Reeves Auditorium. Stephen was sponsored by his spouse, Patricia B. Kay.

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DICKERSON RECEIVES B.A. FROM METHODIST

FAYETTEVILLE, NC -- Regina A. Dickerson, daughter of Ms. Marlene Hayes, 1722 Tiffany Dr., Racine, WI, received a bachelor of arts degree in psychology at commencement ceremonies held Wed. Dec. 17 in Reeves Auditorium at Methodist College, Fayetteville, NC. Regina is the wife of Mitchell Dickerson.

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KNIGHT RECEIVES B.A. FROM METHODIST COLLEGE

FAYETTEVILLE, NC -- Brigitte Marie Knight, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Knight, Rt. 1, Shannon, NC, received a bachelor of arts degree in English from Methodist College, Fayetteville, NC, at commencement ceremonies held Wed. Dec. 17 in Reeves Auditorium.

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METHODIST TO OFFER COURSE
ON NATIVE AMERICAN HISTORY

FAYETTEVILLE, NC -- Methodist College will offer a course on the history of Native Americans for the 1987 spring semester. The course, a survey of the major Native American cultures of North America with emphasis on those in the eastern half of the United States, will be taught by Dr. Adolph L. Dial, chair of the Department of American Indian Studies at Pembroke State University.

Dial, a former public school teacher and principal, has taught at Pembroke State since 1958. He is considered the leading authority on the Lumbee Indians and has published widely in the field.

The course will be offered on Saturdays from 9 a.m. to noon, beginning Jan. 17 and continuing through May 2, in Room of 245 of the Trustees' Building on the Methodist campus. The course will offer three semester credit hours or 4.5 CEU's/RC's.

Registration is Dec. 29-Jan. 9 at the Methodist College Fort Bragg Office or the main campus. Late registration is Jan. 12-16. For more information, contact the Admissions Office, Methodist College, 5400 Ramsey St., Fayetteville, NC, 27301-1499, or call (919) 488-7110, Ext. 236.



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LIESWALD RECEIVES DEGREE FROM METHODIST COLLEGE

FAYETTEVILLE, NC -- Linda Kay Lieswald, wife of Scott K. Lieswald, 177 Bonner Pl., Fort Bragg, NC, received a bachelor of arts degree in business administration from Methodist College in commencement ceremonies held Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 17, in Reeves Auditorium on the Methodist campus.

Dr. C. P. Minnick Jr., bishop of the North Carolina Conference of the United Methodist Church, delivered the commencement address.

Lieswald is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Thoen, 1602 Seventh Ave. S.E., Jamestown, ND. She is a 1982 graduate of Jamestown Senior High School.



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DAIL RECEIVES B.A. DEGREE FROM METHODIST COLLEGE

FAYETTEVILLE, NC -- Richard Dail, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Dail, Route 1, Wade, received a bachelor of arts degree in accounting and business administration from Methodist College in commencement ceremonies held Wednesday, Dec. 17, in Reeves Auditorium on the Methodist campus.

Dail, a cum laude graduate, is a Methodist College Scholar and a member of Alpha Chi. He was named to the 1987 Who's Who Among Student in American Universities and Colleges and received the 1986 Wall Street Journal Award, presented annually to the outstanding business student at Methodist.