

MONTHLY REPORT  
MONTH OF: MAY 1991

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Methodist College awarded degrees to the following persons May 5, 1991:

BACHELOR OF ARTS

Fayetteville: Patrick L. Beatty (magna cum laude), business administration; Pamela Jo Edwards, business administration; Martin Fano, sociology; Gwendolyn Marie LeBlanc Ford (cum laude), accounting & business administration; Melissa Barry Hart (magna cum laude), elementary education; Pamela Jean Herberg (magna cum laude), art; Margaret Price Plunkett, art; Kimberly Ann Rueda, psychology; Davenya M. Sanders, sociology/social work; Mary Catherine Stafford (cum laude), elementary education; Terri Lee Wallace, business administration; Colleen Marie Witt, communications.

Neighboring Communities: Timothy Dion Belflowers, Wade, NC, music.

Other Areas: Atwell Barry Brookshire Jr., Wilmington, NC, communications/mass media; Brian K. Cole, Tiffin, OH, history; Eric William Holle (cum laude), Fairview, PA, communications; James Michael McKee (cum laude), Riverton, NJ, art; Scott Christopher McQueen, St. Petersburg, FL, psychology.

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

Fayetteville: Cynthia Christine Anderson, psychology; Karen S. Ashcraft, psychology; Kimberly Ann Barefoot, political science; Sara Christine Clayton, business administration; Kimberly Jayne Colwell, elementary education; Daniel Christopher Covell, theatre; Brian Donald Dougherty, business administration; Lea Ann Gaby, biology; Robert Ladale Guilford, history & sociology; Robert Donald Hamilton Sr. (cum laude), business administration; Barbara Gallimore Hogge (cum laude), business administration; Sharon Jeannette Hollis, political science; Audrey Bajerski Houser (cum laude), special education; Patrick Robert Hurley, political science; Stephanie Rachelle Hurst, business administration & economics; Karla Jean Jenkins, sociology/social work; Mary Therese Jenkins, biology; Lisa Ann

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Johnson, accounting & business administration; Paula A. Johnson, political science; Cynthia Powell Klouda (cum laude), sociology; Ruby Peten McClarin, sociology; Karen Ann Mathias, economics; Deanna Sue Moulder, biology; Carolyn Nichols (cum laude), biology; David Scott Perkins (magna cum laude), business administration; Dawn Marie Perkins (magna cum laude), accounting; Freida May Powers, business administration; Lavinia Rhodes, sociology; Krista Lynn Riley (magna cum laude), accounting; Emma Marquez Scott, sociology/social work; Richard Allen Seagroves, physical education; Kimberly Renea Shull, biology; Patrice Lesco Spangler (cum laude), theatre; Theresa Leigh Stutts, business administration; Curtis Lee Taylor Sr., business administration; Craig Steven Thompson, business administration; Karol E. Thompson (magna cum laude), history & special education; Scott L. Vance, sociology/pre-law; James Brian Walker, history (cum laude); Amy Joanne Walters, accounting; Linda Carol Welch, theatre; Kristine Renee Wood (cum laude), business administration; Jianjin Yang, economics.

Neighboring Areas: Russell W. Barnes, Low Gap, NC, sociology; Patrick Rolf Jansen, Cumberland, NC, sociology; Cynthia B. Keel, Pope AFB, NC, elementary education; Elizabeth A. Kenny, Raeford, NC, special education; Grady Dowling Kittrell, Sanford, NC, economics; Bobby Matthews Jr. (cum laude), Spring Lake, NC, middle school education; Gail Ann Nawrocki (cum laude), Parkton, NC, special education; Richard Allen Smith II (cum laude), Lillington, NC, business administration; Angela Frye Whiteford, Hope Mills, NC, business administration.

Other Areas: Rhonda Lafaye Adams, Danville, VA, special education; Tammy Lynne Allred, Lexington, NC, special education; Therese M. Archambeault, Washington, DC, accounting; Mark E. Bryson, North Reading, MA, business administration with a concentration in professional golf management; Kelly Ann

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Canney (magna cum laude), Centreville, VA, business administration; Pauline J. Carter, Pittsboro, NC, biology; Joseph Arthur Castner (cum laude), Satellite Beach, FL, accounting; Jason R. Cherry, Washington, NC, business administration with a concentration in professional golf management; Kenneth Earl Creech Jr., Selma, NC, physical education; Tricia Marie Criswell (cum laude), Chatham, IL, business administration, Lea Elizabeth Dobersch (cum laude), Lakeland, FL, physical education; Melissa Anne Dziabo, Cresson, PA, physical education; Bill Hartmann II, Orlando, FL, physical education; Robert Edward Kinsey III, Suffolk, VA, business administration with a concentration in professional golf management; Lester Jay Kirkpatrick (cum laude), Tallahassee, FL, physical education; Kevin Charles Kriews, North Hanover, NJ, business administration with a concentration in professional golf management; Michee Jennine Lucas, Hamlet, NC, psychology; Chad C. Maes, Ballston Spa, NY, business administration with a concentration in professional golf management; John Joseph Nemeth, Goshen, IN, business administration with a concentration in professional golf management; Michael Peregrim Jr., Scranton, PA, elementary education; Todd Lincoln Peterson, Rice Lake, WI, business administration with a concentration in professional golf management; Nancy Jean Ramsey (cum laude), Pembroke Pines, FL, elementary education; Kelli Kathleen Sapp (magna cum laude), Atlanta, GA, biology; Cheryl Ann Schroeder, Littlestown, PA, computer science & mathematics; Susan A. Sullivan, Ballston Lake, NY, business administration; Leighton Alan Thomas (cum laude), Hanover, PA, business administration with a concentration in professional golf management; Anne J. Thorpe (magna cum laude), Walkinstown, Dublin, Ireland, biology & physical education; Karen Lee Williams, Hubert, NC, sociology/social work.

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ASSOCIATE OF ARTS

Fayetteville: Charles E. Gossage Jr., Spanish; Robbie Terry, physical education; Alfred J. Thurston, business administration; Phillip Dwayne Yates, mathematics.

Other Areas: James Ross Burrows, Trenton, NJ, business administration; John H. Klein Jr., Richmond, VA, business administration.



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May 7, 1991

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CONGRESSMAN ISSUES CHALLENGE TO GRADUATING SENIORS AT METHODIST COLLEGE

FAYETTEVILLE, NC--"Learn why this country is free and become a part of the system that keeps it free."

That was the challenge given to 103 Methodist College seniors at their commencement May 5. The speaker was Seventh District Congressman Charlie Rose of Fayetteville.

In his commencement address, Mr. Rose described freedom as "our most precious commodity" and warned the graduating seniors that "freedom leaves us in subtle ways." The congressman urged members of the Class of 1991 to resist attempts to control the public mind, to safeguard the freedoms guaranteed in the Bill of Rights, and to get involved in government and politics at the grass roots level. "You are doomed to live under the rule of weak-minded people if you leave government to the weak-minded," he said.

Recalling Jesus Christ's admonition to "Love one another," Mr. Rose said individuals who live by this creed have the power to bring peace and human dignity to the entire world. He urged the graduating seniors to show compassion for their fellow man, to be honest in every action, to honor personal commitments, and to be true to themselves.

The Reverend Bill Presnell, pastor of Kitty Hawk (NC) United Methodist Church, delivered the baccalaureate sermon Sunday morning. Taking his text from Micah 6:6-8, he urged the graduating seniors to do justice, to love mercy, and to walk humbly with God.

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Three persons received special honors at the college's 28th spring commencement.

College President Elton Hendricks presented a Methodist College Medallion to Mrs. Ruth H. Palmer of Kitty Hawk, NC, recognizing her generous support of Methodist College, Duke University, and her local church.

The Reverend Bill Presnell, a 1971 graduate of Methodist College, received an honorary Doctor of Divinity degree. He was cited for 20 years of exemplary service to the United Methodist Church and his fellow citizens.

Dr. Richard Pearce of DeLand, FL, who served as president of Methodist College from 1973-83, was awarded an honorary Doctor of Humanities degree. He was cited for his "guidance of Methodist College in difficult days, committed service to the United Methodist Church, and gifted classroom presence."

Kelli Sapp, a biology major from Atlanta, GA, received the Lucius Stacy Weaver Award given in honor of the college's first president. The award is given by the faculty to the senior who best exemplifies academic excellence, spiritual development, leadership, and service. Ms. Sapp graduated first in the May class, with a 3.89 grade point average.

Mrs. Jianjin Yang, a native of the Peoples Republic of China, presented her nation's flag to the college, continuing a tradition for international students begun in May, 1985. Mrs. Yang expressed thanks to the faculty, staff, and students for their help and friendship during the preceding four years.

Five ROTC cadets took the Oath of Allegiance and were commissioned second lieutenants in the U.S. Army. They are: Cynthia Christine Anderson, Patrick L. Beatty, Robert Ladale Guilford, Roy Harrell, and Curtis Lee Taylor, Sr.

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(Please see the attached list for graduates from your area.)

Date 5/7/91  
Topic Graduation

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- Red Springs Citizen\*
- Smithfield Herald
- News Reporter (Whiteville)\*
- Goldsboro News Argus
- Durham Morning Herald
- The Pilot (Southern Pines)\*
- Spectator Magazine (Raleigh)
- Daily Tar Heel
- Bladen Journal (E-town)\*
- Harnett County News\*
- The Robesonian (Lumberton)\*
- Raeford News Journal\*
- Charlotte Observer
- Duke Chronicle
- Dunn Daily Record\*
- Greensboro News & Record
- Chapel Hill Newspaper
- Wilmington Morning Star
- The News & Observer
- Rocky Mount Evening Telegram

- The Leader News Magazine
- Winston Salem Journal
- Richmond County Daily Journal
- Citizen News Record\*
- Duplin Times
- Sampson Independent\*
- Sandpaper Magazine\*
- Greenville Daily Reflector
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hometowns, outside  
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BROOKSHIRE RECEIVES BACHELOR OF ARTS DEGREE FROM METHODIST COLLEGE

FAYETTEVILLE, NC-- Barry Brookshire Jr. of Wilmington, NC,  
received a bachelor of arts degree in communications/mass media May 5,  
1991 at Methodist College in Fayetteville, NC.

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COLE RECEIVES BACHELOR OF ARTS DEGREE FROM METHODIST COLLEGE

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HOLLE RECEIVES BACHELOR OF ARTS DEGREE FROM METHODIST COLLEGE

FAYETTEVILLE, NC-- Eric William Holle of Fairview, PA,  
received a bachelor of arts degree in communications May 5,  
1991 at Methodist College in Fayetteville, NC.

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NOTE: Mr. Holle graduated cum laude (a 3.4 grade point average on a 4.0 scale).



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MCKEE RECEIVES BACHELOR OF ARTS DEGREE FROM METHODIST COLLEGE

FAYETTEVILLE, NC-- James Michael McKee of Riverton, NJ,  
received a bachelor of arts degree in art May 5,  
1991 at Methodist College in Fayetteville, NC.

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NOTE: Mr. McKee graduated cum laude (a 3.4 grade point average on a 4.0 scale).





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MCQUEEN RECEIVES BACHELOR OF ARTS DEGREE FROM METHODIST COLLEGE

FAYETTEVILLE, NC-- Scott C. McQueen of St. Petersburg, FL,  
received a bachelor of arts degree in psychology May 5,  
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ADAMS RECEIVES BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE FROM METHODIST COLLEGE

FAYETTEVILLE, NC-- Rhonda Lafaye Adams of Danville, VA,  
received a bachelor of science degree in special education May 5,  
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ALLRED RECEIVES BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE AT METHODIST COLLEGE

FAYETTEVILLE, NC-- Tammy Lynne Allred of Lexington, NC,  
received a bachelor of science degree in special education May 5,  
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ARCHAMBEAULT RECEIVES BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE FROM METHODIST COLLEGE

FAYETTEVILLE, NC-- Therese Archambeault of Washington, DC,  
received a bachelor of science degree in accounting May 5,  
1991 at Methodist College in Fayetteville, NC.

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BARNES RECEIVES BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE FROM METHODIST COLLEGE

FAYETTEVILLE, NC-- Russell W. Barnes of Low Gap, NC,  
received a bachelor of science degree in sociology May 5,  
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BRYSON RECEIVES BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE FROM METHODIST COLLEGE

FAYETTEVILLE, NC-- Mark E. Bryson of North Reading, MA, received a bachelor of science degree in business administration with a concentration in professional golf management May 5, 1991 at Methodist College in Fayetteville, NC.

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CANNEY RECEIVES BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE FROM METHODIST COLLEGE

FAYETTEVILLE, NC-- Kelly Ann Canney of Centreville, VA,  
received a bachelor of science degree in business administration May 5,  
1991 at Methodist College in Fayetteville, NC.

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NOTE: Ms. Canney graduated magna cum laude (a 3.7 grade point average on a 4.0 scale).



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CARTER RECEIVES BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE FROM METHODIST COLLEGE

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CASTNER RECEIVES BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE FROM METHODIST COLLEGE

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received a bachelor of science degree in accounting May 5,  
1991 at Methodist College in Fayetteville, NC.

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NOTE: Mr. Castner graduated cum laude (a 3.4 grade point average on a 4.0 scale).



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CHERRY RECEIVES BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE FROM METHODIST COLLEGE

FAYETTEVILLE, NC-- Jason R. Cherry of Washington, NC,  
received a bachelor of science degree in business administration with a  
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CREECH RECEIVES BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE FROM METHODIST COLLEGE

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CRISWELL RECEIVES BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE FROM METHODIST COLLEGE

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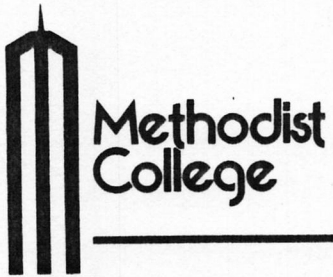
DOBERSCH RECEIVES BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE FROM METHODIST COLLEGE

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received a bachelor of science degree in physical education May 5,  
1991 at Methodist College in Fayetteville, NC.

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NOTE: Ms. Dobersch graduated cum laude (a 3.4 grade point average on a 4.0 scale).



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DZIABO RECEIVES BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE FROM METHODIST COLLEGE

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HARTMANN RECEIVES BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE FROM METHODIST COLLEGE

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KINSEY RECEIVES BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE FROM METHODIST COLLEGE

FAYETTEVILLE, NC-- Robert E. Kinsey III of Suffolk, VA,  
received a bachelor of science degree in business administration with a  
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KIRKPATRICK RECEIVES BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE FROM METHODIST COLLEGE

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NOTE: Mr. Kirkpatrick graduated cum laude (a 3.4 grade point average on a 4.0 scale).



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LUCAS RECEIVES BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE FROM METHODIST COLLEGE

FAYETTEVILLE, NC-- Michee J. Lucas of Hamlet, NC,  
received a bachelor of science degree in psychology May 5,  
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MAES RECEIVES BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE FROM METHODIST COLLEGE

FAYETTEVILLE, NC-- Chad C. Maes of Ballston Spa, NY,  
received a bachelor of science degree in business administration with a  
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NEMETH RECEIVES BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE FROM METHODIST COLLEGE

FAYETTEVILLE, NC-- John J. Nemeth of Goshen, IN,  
received a bachelor of science degree in business administration with a  
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PEREGRIM RECEIVES BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE FROM METHODIST COLLEGE

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PETERSON RECEIVES BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE FROM METHODIST COLLEGE

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RAMSEY RECEIVES BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE FROM METHODIST COLLEGE

FAYETTEVILLE, NC-- Nancy Jean Ramsey of Pembroke Pines, FL,  
received a bachelor of science degree in elementary education May 5,  
1991 at Methodist College in Fayetteville, NC.

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NOTE: Ms. Ramsey graduated cum laude (a 3.4 grade point average on a 4.0 scale).



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SAPP RECEIVES BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE FROM METHODIST COLLEGE

FAYETTEVILLE, NC-- Kelli Kathleen Sapp of Atlanta, GA,  
received a bachelor of science degree in biology May 5,  
1991 at Methodist College in Fayetteville, NC.

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NOTE: Ms. Sapp graduated first in her class and magna cum laude (a 3.7 grade point average on a 4.0 scale).



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SCHROEDER RECEIVES BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE FROM METHODIST COLLEGE

FAYETTEVILLE, NC--Cheryl Ann Schroeder of Littlestown, PA, received a bachelor of science degree in computer science and mathematics May 5, 1991 at Methodist College in Fayetteville, NC.

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SULLIVAN RECEIVES BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE AT METHODIST COLLEGE

FAYETTEVILLE, NC-- SUSAN A. Sullivan of Ballston Lake, NY,  
received a bachelor of science degree in business administration May 5,  
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THOMAS RECEIVES BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE FROM METHODIST COLLEGE

FAYETTEVILLE, NC-- Leighton A. Thomas of Hanover, PA,  
received a bachelor of science degree in business administration with a  
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NOTE: Mr. Thomas graduated cum laude (a 3.4 grade point average on a 4.0 scale).



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THORPE RECEIVES BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE FROM METHODIST COLLEGE

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received a bachelor of science degree in biology & physical education May 5,  
1991 at Methodist College in Fayetteville, NC.

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NOTE: Ms. Thorpe graduated magna cum laude (a 3.7 grade point average on a 4.0 scale).



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WILLIAMS RECEIVES BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE FROM METHODIST COLLEGE

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BURROWS RECEIVES ASSOCIATE OF ARTS DEGREE FROM METHODIST COLLEGE

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KLEIN RECEIVES ASSOCIATE OF ARTS DEGREE FROM METHODIST COLLEGE

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METHODIST COLLEGE STUDENT'S PLAY ABOUT THE BASSETT CASE TO BE PRESENTED AT UNC-G

FAYETTEVILLE, NC--A three-act play written by a Methodist College student has been selected for presentation at the North Carolina Playwrights Festival at UNC-Greensboro June 17.

Entitled "Crisis at Trinity," John Merritt's play is based on the famous James Bassett case at Trinity College (now Duke University) in 1903. Mr. Merritt's play will be performed as a staged reading, followed by a critique and discussion.

A history professor at Trinity, Dr. Bassett was villified by the editor of the Raleigh News and Observer for writing an article in the South Atlantic Quarterly which supported political equality for blacks and criticized white supremacists in the Democratic Party. Calls for Bassett's resignation failed to move the Trinity president and trustees who supported Bassett and the principle of academic freedom.

John Merritt is an amateur historian and a retired newspaperman.\* During the 1990-91 term at Methodist he took a course in "Creative Writing: Fiction" taught by Dr. Michael Colonnese, assistant professor of English.

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\*Mr. Merritt is in his 70's and, in the words of Dr. Colonnese, is "a very interesting fellow." He would be an interesting person to interview. His phone number is unlisted, but his address is 5103 Hewitt Drive, Fayetteville, NC 28301.

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METHODIST COLLEGE ANNOUNCES SUMMER GOLF CAMP

(PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT)

FAYETTEVILLE, NC--The Methodist College Golf Academy will operate for two sessions in June. The camp is designed for boys and girls ages 12-18.

Session I is slated for June 17-21 and Session II will be held June 23-28. Students may enroll as day campers (\$250) or resident campers (\$350).

Jerry Hogge, director of Methodist's Golf Management Program, and several assistants will offer six hours of individualized instruction daily using Methodist's golf facility -- driving range, practice green, and six-hole golf course.

Mr. Hogge will also direct a beginner's golf school for ladies June 3-7. The cost is \$250.

For further information about Methodist College's summer golf camps, phone Jerry Hogge at 488-7110, Ext 336 or 630-1633.

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**MORTON TO PLAY SOCCER AT METHODIST COLLEGE**

FAYETTEVILLE, NC--Becky Morton from Jacksonville High School has accepted a financial aid package to attend Methodist College and become a member of its nationally ranked soccer team. Becky was a three-sport athlete (volleyball, softball, and basketball) at Jacksonville. Ironically, soccer was not one of those sports because it is not sponsored by the high school. Becky also excelled academically with a 3.1 GPA and was vice president of her senior class. Her peers also selected her as Homecoming Queen.

The daughter of Bobby and Peggy Morton has been a member of the state's olympic development teams since the age of 14. Methodist College women's soccer coach Joe Pereira who was her state coach for three years says this about Becky: "She has been a leading player for the state olympic development program at every age level she has played, and certainly the top player in the state from this year's high school class. She's coming off her best year with an outstanding regional camp which placed her on the regional pool (30 players from 12 southern states). Becky will be a tremendous addition to our program."

Pereira is very complimentary of Becky's specific skills and her future contribution to the Monarch soccer team. "Becky is a really skillful, intelligent and hardnose player who can play with her back towards goal very well. She can shield, turn and hit with either foot. Best of all she knows our style of play really well and should plug in immediately with the graduation of four time All-American Anne Thorpe from the front line position. I am really looking forward to continue working with Becky in the more intense college environment. She has what it takes to develop into an outstanding college player!"



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May 29, 1991

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METHODIST COLLEGE STUDENTS NAMED TO THE ALL-REGION CENTRAL REGION SOFTBALL TEAM

FAYETTEVILLE, NC--The National Softball Coaches Association has announced the All-Region Central Region Team.

Methodist College Freshman Melissa Furr (West Stanly High School: Oakboro, NC) was named to the First Team Central-Region squad as an outfielder. She also made the Dixie Intercollegiate Athletic Conference First Team All-Conference squad. She led the team with a 0.424 batting average including four doubles, two triples and one homerun with sixteen runs batted in. Melissa had fifteen stolen bases in seventeen attempts and boasts of a 0.941 fielding average.

First year Coach Karen Smith said of Melissa, "She is a fine player that had a very positive impact on the team this spring. Melissa always came through in the clutch situations, both in the field and at the plate. She has a very bright future at Methodist."

Sophomore Anne Uleman (Chantilly High School: Fairfax, VA) was named at second base to the Second Team Central-Region squad. Anne was also chosen by her teammates as their Most Valuable Player with a batting average of 0.330 with 23 runs batted in including three doubles and eight triples. Anne played first and second base for the Monarchs this spring and earned a 0.948 fielding average.

"Anne was always a solid part of our defense at either first or second base. She was able to get to some balls that appeared to be a clean basehit. She has a great attitude and work ethic," Coach Karen Smith commented.

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**METHODIST COLLEGE LIBRARY TO HOLD BOOK SALE**

FAYETTEVILLE, NC--Davis Memorial Library at Methodist College will hold a book sale June 12-28.

Approximately 1,000 used books, both hard cover and paperback, will be available. While the majority of the books deal with religious or social topics, a special group of classics and best-sellers will also be offered. Prices will range from 50 cents to \$5.

Interested persons may visit the library and shop for books during normal operating hours -- Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday from 8 a.m. - 9 p.m., Wednesday and Friday from 8 a.m. - 5 p.m., and Sunday from 1:30 - 5:30 p.m.

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