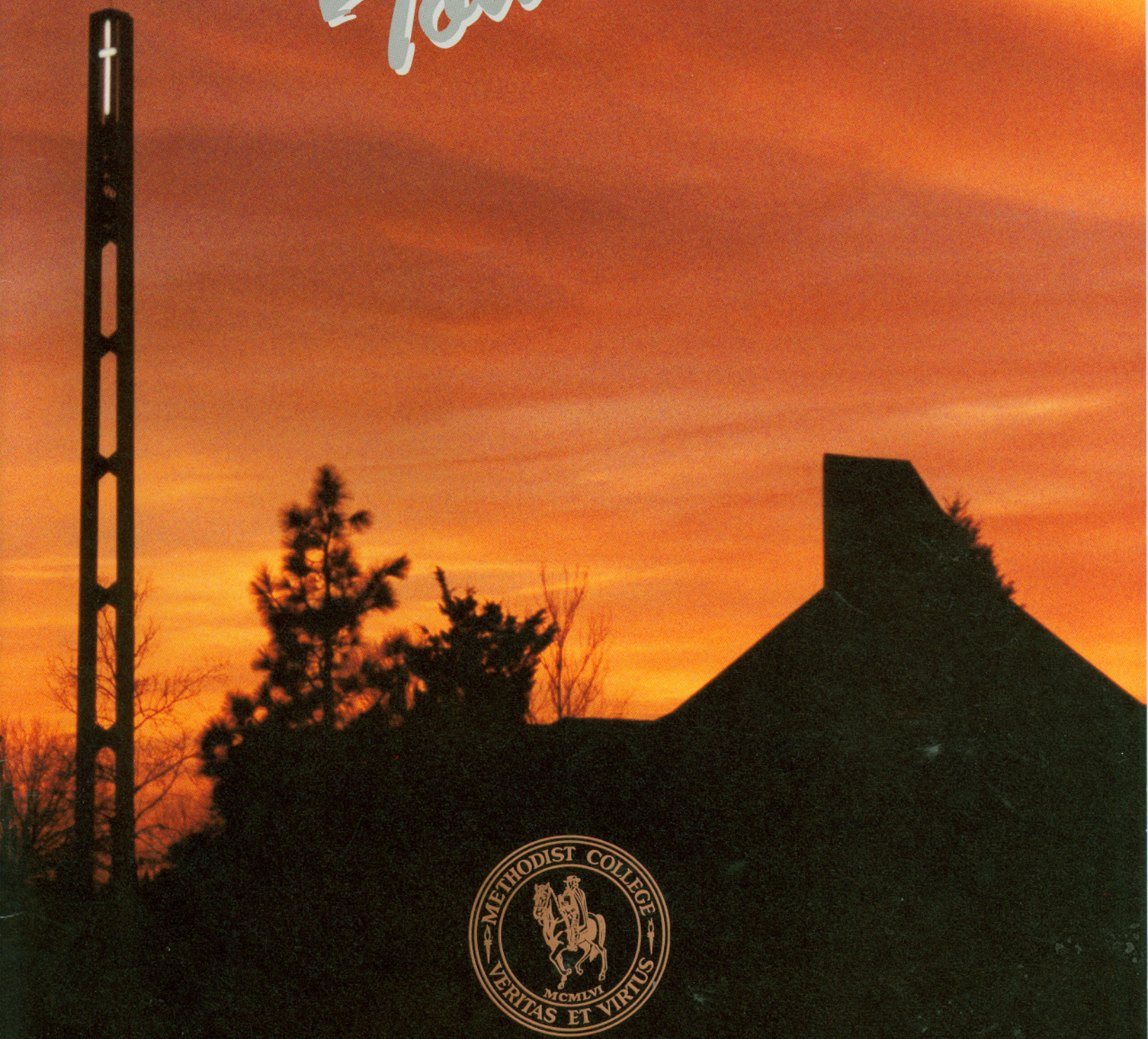


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THE ROUNDTABLE

DUPONT MANAGER SHARES ETHICAL CONCERNS

A corporation may have a noble mission statement, operating principles, and personnel policies, but the personal ethics and behavior of managers at the lowest level are "the bottom line."

That was the view expressed by Mike Mayberry, manager of the DuPont plant in Cumberland County, during a Sept. 21 lecture to a business management class at Methodist College.

The local executive said DuPont believes its employees are its greatest asset and encourages teamwork, self-respect, and empowerment of employees. He said the local plant recently selected its first two female supervisors from the ranks of hourly production workers.

DuPont's local plant manufactures plastic laminate for car windshields, tint sheeting laminate for architectural glass, coating for pipes, and raw materials for other polymers. It employs 600, is involved in a \$17 million plant expansion, and pays its hourly production workers an average of \$17 per hour.

Mayberry decried the recent wave of layoffs and "downsizing" in corporate America, saying such actions are bad for employee morale and usually the result of bad management.

"I think people can still have a lifetime career with us," he said. "but they have to be receptive to management's desire for improved efficiency by working smarter." He said DuPont enjoyed record earnings in 1994 and the first half of 1995 and is positioned for increased worldwide sales of Teflon, Butacite, Nafion, and chemicals used in pharmaceuticals and agricultural products.



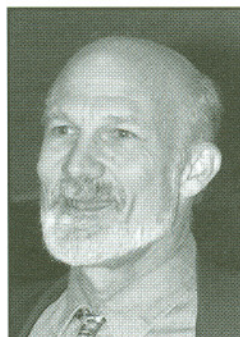
Mike Mayberry

DUKE PROFESSOR SPEAKS OF WAR

Dr. Stanley Hauerwas, an ethics professor at Duke Divinity School, delivered two inciteful lectures at Methodist College Oct. 6 as part of the Womack Endowed Lecture series. His topic was "The Ethics of War."

The speaker credited theologians Reinhold Niebuhr and Paul Ramsey with formulating the theory of "a just war"—defined as fighting between soldiers only, without blockading civilians or seeking an unconditional surrender. He said Americans think of a just war as being "for a good cause, with minimal losses" and cited World War II as a good example of "a just war."

Dr. Hauerwas said Niebuhr began to question the ethics of pacifism in the late 1920s and began to embrace Christian realism—the harnessing of violence to achieve political ends. "Niebuhr wanted to make killers sad," he noted, "while Americans want to be happy killers."



Dr. Hauerwas

In his evening lecture, Dr. Hauerwas challenged Niebuhr's premise that Jesus was nonpolitical. He identified with Menno-nite theologian John Howard Yoder, arguing that nonviolence is an integral part of the Christian ethic, that those who choose Jesus and nonviolence are making political choices, and that the Christian church is in itself an alternative to violence.

TEACHER OF THE YEAR CHALLENGES STUDENTS

Speaking at Methodist College's teacher alumni breakfast Oct. 28, North Carolina Teacher of the Year Vernestine Taylor challenged prospective teachers to be creative and to use novel teaching methods.

The math teacher from Wilson said cooperative learning, 4 X 4 scheduling, and other innovative strategies are needed to reach today's students. "You have to reach them before you teach them," she said.

"There is joy in teaching," she continued, "saying she owes most of her success to great public school teachers who inspired her to learn."

Mrs. Taylor said she supports North Carolina's new ABC's of public education: accountability, basics, and control at the building level. "We don't need another program," she argued. "We need to empower teachers and parents."



Mrs. Taylor

BANK HEAD CITES ECONOMIC STRENGTHS

America's economic future is threatened by social problems (poor education, dysfunctional families, violence, poverty), an aging population, the federal deficit, high taxes and personal debt levels, excessive regulations, corporate downsizing, and recessions in Japan and Western Europe.

That was "the bad news" offered by Walter McDowell, president and CEO of Wachovia Bank, in a speech at Methodist College's 22nd annual Economic Outlook Symposium November 9.

But the banker from Winston-Salem also had some "good news." He said the U.S. continues to enjoy the world's highest standard of living, with record productivity, low inflation, low unemployment, and steady economic growth.

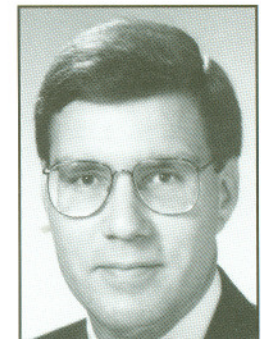
He said the economy in the South-east is the fourth largest in the world and North Carolina continues to generate new jobs at a record pace.

For 1996, he predicted stable to declining interest rates, very low inflation, and economic growth of between 2 and 3 percent.

Looking at the local economy, McDowell noted that the annual payrolls at Fort Bragg and Pope Air Force Base total \$1.2 billion and exceed the payroll for all companies located in the Research Triangle Park near Durham.

He said Cumberland County will acquire hundreds of new jobs from the construction of a \$248 million hospital at Fort Bragg and a 1.2 million square-foot Wal-Mart distribution facility.

Editor's Note: Cumberland's 1995 retail sales are up over last year; total sales exceeded \$2.4 billion in 1994.



Walter McDowell

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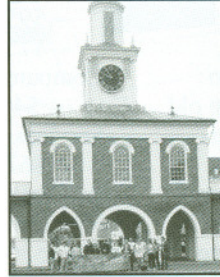
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FALL SUNSETS AT METHODIST COLLEGE CAN BE BREATHTAKING.

-PHOTO BY SHERRY OVERTON '92

COLLEGE SELLS \$10 MILLION IN TAX-FREE BONDS

Methodist College sold \$10 million in tax-exempt revenue bonds Nov. 14 and will use the proceeds to finance seven major capital projects.

First Citizens Bank purchased the bonds, which will be paid off over a 15-year period. The college used \$6.3 million in bond proceeds to refinance existing loans for the Riddle Center, energy management project, and two residence halls. After refinancing the old debts and paying legal fees and insurance, the college was left with \$3.6 million to pay for capital improvements over the next 24 months.

College officials had been working with the state treasurer's office and First Citizens for months on a bond application. Because the college will pay a lower interest rate on the bonds than it did on four existing loans, the college's annual debt service costs have been reduced slightly.

"We are grateful for this infusion of capital," said College President Elton Hendricks. "New programs and record enrollment have created a need for additional buildings and we must act accordingly. To accommodate continued growth, Methodist College will soon launch a major fund-raising effort to finance other additions to our campus."

In its bond application for state approval, the college listed the following projects to be financed from anticipated revenues:

—\$260,000 for roof repairs to Weaver, Sanford, and Cumberland halls, the Berns Student Center, and Reeves Auditorium.

—\$210,000 for construction of the Richard L. Player Golf and Tennis Learning Center.

—\$95,000 for a new south entrance.

—\$1 million for a new Math and Computer Science Building.

—\$450,000 for an Enrollment Services Building.

—\$625,000 for a Laboratory (nine golf holes) for the Professional Golf Management Program.

—\$300,000 for a Science Building Renovation OR the purchase of land adjacent to the college.

—\$649,692 for contingencies.

Several of the construction projects will be started in the next few months, beginning with the Enrollment Services Building. The Player Learning Center and roof repairs to Weaver and Sanford halls are already under way. Final drawings and specifications on the Math And Computer Science Building are now being prepared.

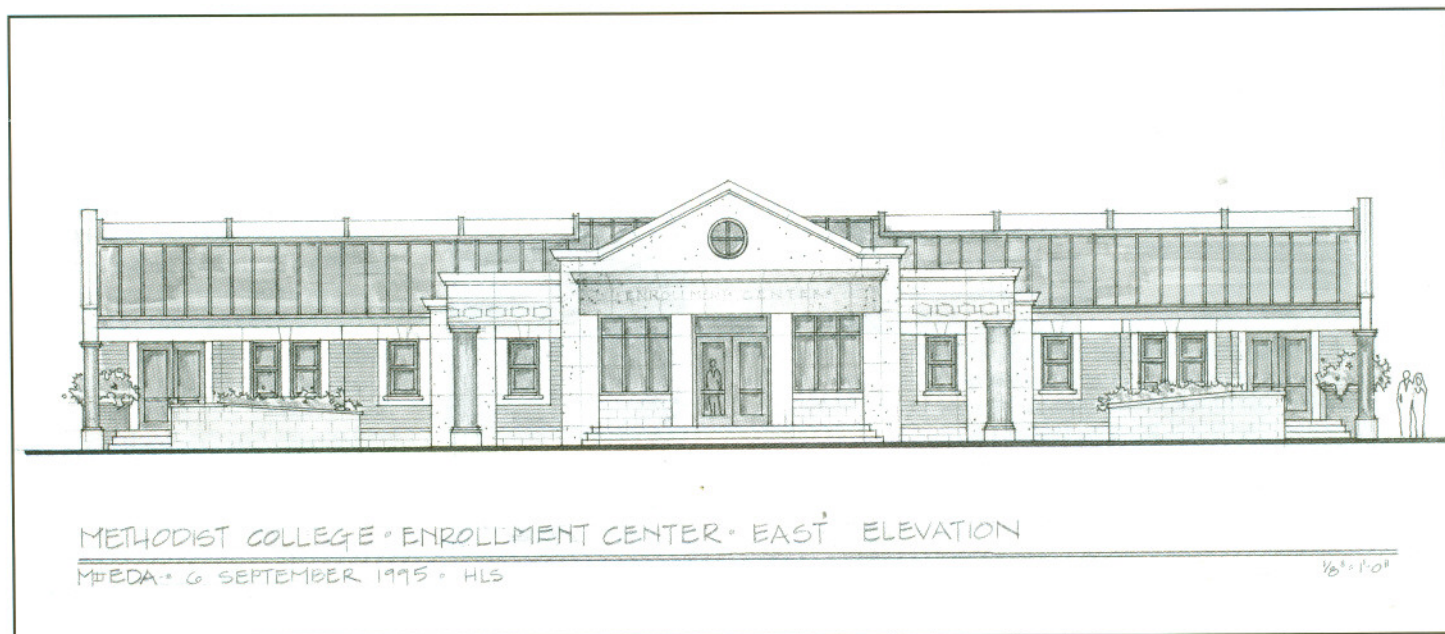
Two Fayetteville architectural firms have been retained to design Methodist's new facilities. MacMillan-Ellinwood Design Associates has the contract for the Enrollment Services Building and Schuller-Ferris Associates is designing the Math and Computer Science Build-

ing.

Methodist was able to sell tax-exempt revenue bonds as the result of a 1986 amendment to the North Carolina Constitution. In a statewide referendum, North Carolinians voted to allow non-profit, independent colleges to issue tax-exempt revenue bonds through the Local Government Commission to fund construction and renovation of facilities and the purchase of equipment. Because purchasers of the bonds do not have to pay federal and state taxes on interest earnings, schools like Methodist are able to obtain financing at reduced interest rates.

Like other private colleges which have used the program, Methodist paid all administrative expenses incurred by the state. To gain approval by the Higher Education Facilities Finance Agency and the Local Government Commission, the college had to submit extensive data concerning its assets and its ability to repay the bonds.

In a related matter, the college is preparing incorporation papers for the Methodist College Development Corporation. This group will develop a 20-acre office park on the south campus by building and leasing buildings. The first structure, an Allied Health Building/Family Medicine Clinic, will be started soon and will house Methodist's physician assistant program.



The Enrollment Services Building will be located on the west side of Lowdermilk Drive opposite the Trustees Classroom Building.



A contract will be issued shortly for this new entrance sign, designed by Blashfield Gurganious Communications.

P. A. PROGRAM TAKES APPLICATIONS FOR FIRST CLASS

Methodist College will begin taking applications for its physician assistant program December 1. Applications for the first class will be accepted through Jan. 15.

The first group of students will begin the "didactic studies" or professional phase of the program in May. After another year of clinical rotations, Methodist's first class of physician assistants will be awarded B.S. degrees in May 1998.

"We will conduct interviews in March and make our selections shortly thereafter," said Ron Foster, program director. "Letters of acceptance will be sent out in April."

Before the college can accept students, it must first win provisional accreditation of the P.A. program from a national review committee of the Commission on Allied Health Education Programs. The committee will visit Methodist Feb. 1-2 to evaluate the curriculum, staffing, and other resources.

After three years of planning and visiting 11 other schools with P.A. programs, Foster is confident that the review committee will grant the college provisional accreditation. "The committee will return in 1997 for a full accreditation review," he added.

Potential applicants for the six-semester physician assistant program must have been enrolled at Methodist College for one semester and must have completed 81 semester hours of prereq-

uisite courses, meeting minimum grade and time requirements for specific courses.

Students accepted for the professional phase of the program must complete an additional 54 semester hours of course work during the didactic phase and 44 semester hours during the clinical phase.

The director concedes that the program has stiff entrance requirements. "We want to select the finest students we can find and put them through the most rigorous program we can develop to produce health care providers of exceptional quality," he explained.

Foster completed a physician assistant program in Wisconsin. He has 22 years experience as a P.A. and has worked for Methodist College since 1992.

He estimates that 25-30 students currently enrolled at Methodist are eligible to apply for admission to the P.A. program. "We will probably accept less than half that number for the first class," he added.

The director said the college has received hundreds of inquiries about the P.A. program, some from as far away as Hawaii and Germany. "A lot of military wives have expressed an interest," he noted, "as have EMT's, nurses, lab technicians, and X-ray technicians."

Foster's assistant director, Peter Stanford, began work last summer. A graduate of Duke's P.A. program, he is in charge of the "didactic" or first year phase of the program. Stanford holds a

master's degree in health education from U.N.C. and previously worked five years as a P.A. at a rural health clinic in Bluefield, W. Va.

Dr. Christopher Aul, co-founder of the Hope Mills Family Medicine Center, joined the staff in February 1995 as medical director of Methodist's P.A. program. Students will be taught by local physicians employed as adjunct instructors and will do clinical rotations in area hospitals, clinics, and health departments.

As previously announced, the P.A. program will be housed on one floor of a 13,000-square foot allied health building/family medicine clinic to be built on campus. Construction of that facility is scheduled to begin early next year.

M.C. TO HONOR MARSHA NORMAN

Methodist College will honor Pulitzer Prize-winning playwright Marsha Norman March 29-30 at its 12th Southern Writers' Symposium.

Norman won the Pulitzer for her "book" (script) of *The Secret Garden*, now playing on Broadway. *Night, Mother* is her best-known play. The symposium will feature at least 20 guest lecturers from academic circles and the production of a Marsha Norman play by the Cape Fear Regional Theatre.

Contact Dr. Sue Kimball for more information at (910) 630-7493.

ALUMNI ASSOCIATION HONORS LANCASTER, PALUMBO, PRESNELL

The Methodist College Alumni Association presented its annual awards at the Homecoming Dinner October 28. Awards are presented for Outstanding Faculty, Outstanding Alumni Service and Distinguished Alumni. The awards are kept secret from the recipients until presentation.

Dr. Tryon Lancaster received the Outstanding Faculty Award. Dr. Lancaster has been a member of the Education Department since 1991 and became department chair in 1994. He served as a teacher and principal of several elementary schools in Cumberland County prior to joining the administrative staff at the Central Office. There he served as Director of Instruction for Grades K-6 before moving, first to Assistant, then Associate Superintendent of Instruction.

His enjoyment of teaching, coupled with his outgoing personality, makes him well-known around the campus. Presenting the award, Sharon Weeding '89, MCAA board secretary, noted that students use tape recorders in class to keep up with the fast-moving professor.

Not one to limit his involvement to the classroom, Dr. Lancaster also serves as the minister for Wesley Heights United Methodist Church, serves as an accreditation evaluator for more than

100 North Carolina schools and is active in the reading Program for the Cumberland County Schools. He and his wife, Ann, are the parents of four and have two grandchildren.

Joanna Cherry Palumbo received the Outstanding Alumni Service Award. A member of the class of 1969, Joanna has been the spirit behind the large reunions of her class. The highly successful 1994 Homecoming was in large part due to her organization and determination. The turnout among members of the classes of 1967 through 1972 accounted for over half the 300 plus in attendance.

In announcing the award, MCAA President Janet Mullen reflected on Palumbo's many activities as a student: head cheerleader for three years, SGA secretary two years, and Homecoming Queen among others. This involvement has continued since her graduation. A former member of the MCAA Board of Directors and the College's Board of Visitors, she is now the only alumna serving on the Board of Trustees.

Vice President of Carolina Made, Inc. and Jim Cherry Interest, Inc., Joanna is equally active in her hometown of Charlotte with the public schools, neighborhood association and her high school reunions. She and her husband, Francis, have two daughters, Tiffany and



Lynn Carraway '71 presents award to classmate Rev. Bill Presnell.

Monica.

William "Bill" Presnell, Class of 1971, received the Distinguished Alumni Award. It was presented by MCAA board member and classmate, Lynn Carraway.

Bill served as pastor of five different Methodist Churches in eastern North Carolina communities prior to being named District Superintendent for the Elizabeth City District of the N.C. Conference of the United Methodist Church in 1993. In each community he has made a difference, whether as a founding member of the Maxton Youth Development Organization, a member of the Nursing Home Advisory Board and Pasquotank Home Health Care Service Agency or a director on the Dare County Arts Council Board.

Presented an honorary doctorate by Methodist College in 1991 for service to the College and United Methodism, Presnell has served the Methodist Church in eastern North Carolina since his graduation. He was one of the youngest ministers ever elected to serve as a delegate to the Southeastern Jurisdictional Conference and has since been elected as a delegate to the General Conference. In 1994 he was appointed by the Conference to serve on the College's Board of Trustees.



Dr. Lancaster with Sharon Weeding.



Joanna Cherry Palumbo '69 with Outstanding Service Award.

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NEWS BRIEFS

COLLEGE SERVES 2,348

New figures supplied by the registrar's office indicate that 2,348 students took courses at Methodist College in 1994-95. That was the undergraduate head count of all students—day and evening—who took courses during the fall, spring, or summer semester. The undergraduate head count for the summer was 669.

STAFF CHANGES

President Hendricks announced several administrative changes in November.

Dave Rice was named registrar following the resignation of Chuck Plummer.

Ms. Shelia Yates, former assistant registrar, was named director of the mentor program. She fills the vacancy created by the death of Jesse Smith.

Ms. Lynley Spencer, former assistant for community relations, was named assistant registrar.

MURRAY SELECTED

Dr. Peter Murray, associate professor history, has been selected for a Rotary Foundation Group Study Exchange visit to Japan next April. He and four other participants from eastern North Carolina will spend a month in Kiwasaki, visiting Rotary Clubs and learning about Japanese culture. Dr. Murray has also been awarded a sabbatical for the spring semester.

TWO EARN DOCTORATES

Paul Wilson, associate professor of theatre and speech, successfully defended his doctoral dissertation Oct. 16 at Florida State University. His dissertation concerned the history of North Carolina Opera Houses from 1878-1921. He will receive his Ph.D. in theatre Dec. 16.

Trevor Morris, assistant professor of political science, completed the oral defense of his dissertation Oct. 20 at the University of South Carolina. The work was entitled "The Effects on Enlargement on the European Community:

Fisheries and Regional Policies and the First and Southern Enlargements." He will receive his Ph.D. from the Dept. of Government and International Studies.

HURLEY MEMORIALIZED

Methodist College student Patricia Hurley and her daughter Hollie were in Washington, D.C. Oct 15 for the dedication of a memorial stone honoring fallen special operations troops. Mrs. Hurley's husband, Sgt. Maj. Patrick Hurley, was killed in a helicopter accident during the 1991 Persian Gulf War. He was a senior at Methodist College.

STAFF, STUDENTS LOSE A FRIEND

Jesse Carter Smith, director of the M.C. mentor program, died of cancer October 11. He was 58.

He retired from the Army as a sergeant major. He had worked for Methodist since 1989—first at the college's Fort Bragg office and later on campus.

The funeral was held Oct. 16 in Wiseman Mortuary chapel by the Revs. Michael W. Safley



Jesse Smith

and Carrie W. Parrish. Burial was in Main Post Cemetery at Fort Bragg, A memorial service for Smith was held on Oct. 18 at Hensdale Chapel.

Mr. Smith is survived by his wife, Florence Smith; a son, Leon M. Savoy of Edgewood, Md.; his parents, Charles Smith and Ella M. Smith of Calhoun, Ala.; six brothers, Charles E. Smith and Laru Smith, both of Calhoun, Josephus Smith of Birmingham, Ala., Theo Smith of Haynesville, Ala.; Eli Smith of Bellflower, Calif.; and Jermiah Smith of Gahanna, Ohio; four sisters, Mary L. Allen and Eloise Flowers, both of Montgomery, Ala.; Furlonia Davis of Selma, Ala.; and Doris Collier of Buffalo, N.Y.; and two grandchildren.

DELTA MU DELTA INDUCTS 21 CHARTER MEMBERS

The Methodist College chapter of Delta Mu Delta, a national honor society for undergraduate students in business administration, received its charter November 10 and inducted 21 members.

Methodist became eligible for a Delta Mu Delta chapter in June when the Reeves School of Business was accredited by the Association of Collegiate Business Schools.

Those students inducted as charter members are: Tiffany R. Black, Margaretta C. Blackwell, Nichole M. Brooks, Deborah R. Carlson, Karen R. Dorman, James W. Fair, Jr., Jared Fryer, June A. Harrison, Susan Hayes-Johnson, Michael J. Henninger, James K. Henson, Patricia A. Hurley, Sidney E. Larson, Ron Lavoie, Felice E. McNair, Jenifer L. Nee, Brian R. Rodgers, Christine A. Summers, Colleen M. Waffer, Judith A. Wright, and Lillian M. Yarborough.



Charter members of Delta Mu Delta with Linda Gravitt, Faculty Advisor.

COLLEGE CHORUS HOLDS SERIES OF FUND RAISERS

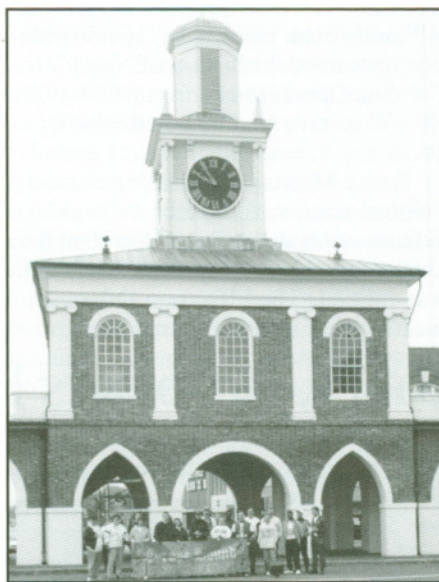
Members of the Methodist College Chorus have been working hard during the fall semester to raise funds for their spring concert tour of France.

The group has held a barbecue, yard sale, golf tournament, car wash, walk-a-thon, and basketball tournament. Members have also sold T-shirts and cassette recordings of their spring '95 concert.

As of December 1, the chorus had raised nearly \$10,000 or one-third of its goal. The trip will cost about \$60,000—\$1,500 for each of the 40 chorus members. If the group can raise half the total, each member's cost will be reduced to \$750.

Concerts have taken the chorus and its two vocal ensembles to Raleigh, Carrboro, Burlington, Lillington, Wilson, and Graham. The Graham concert Nov. 12 was planned by Rev. Jesse Staton '70 and held at Southern Alamance High School; it netted \$3,000 for the tour fund.

Director Alan Porter selected a tour repertoire that reflects the theme "Christ



Chorus members walked (5.7 miles) from the Market House to the college Nov. 18.

for the World We Sing." During its fall appearances the chorus has been singing three French compositions, along with English/American selections—both classical and contemporary. The chorus has also learned "La Marseillaise"—the French national anthem.

The tour schedule includes performances in Paris March 10, St. Avold March 13, Strasbourg March 15, and Mulhouse March 19. Side trips are planned to Versailles, Chartres, and Reims. Because St. Avold is Fayetteville's sister city, the chorus will be an official guest there; in addition to giving a public concert, the group will visit schools, hospitals, and the American cemetery.

St. Avold held special ceremonies in September 1994 marking the 50th anniversary of its liberation during World War II and the inauguration of its sister city agreement with Fayetteville. Mrs. C. C. Duell of Fayetteville presented a city flag to the citizens of St.

TWO BUSINESS LEADERS, ALUMNUS, STUDENT HONORED

Methodist College honored four persons for excellence in business at its 22nd annual Economics Outlook Symposium November 9.

Calvin Wells, president and CEO of N.C. Natural Gas Corporation was named Business Person of the Year. His community activities include service as chair of the Fayetteville Area Chamber of Commerce, as a trustee of Fayetteville State University, and as chair of the local First Union National Bank Board. He serves on the Advisory Board for Methodist's Reeves School of Business.

James Robert "Bob" Smith, founder of National Career Centers—U.S.A., received the Entrepreneur of the Year Award. He chairs the Cumberland Co. Civic Center Commission and has been an active supporter of Fayetteville Tech., the United Way of Cumberland County, Fayetteville State University, the Fayetteville Museum of Art, Methodist College, and the Falcon Children's Home.

Terry P. Sasser of Clayton, N.C., a 1984 graduate of Methodist College, received the Economics and Business Alumnus of the Year Award. The area

executive of Four Oaks Bank and Trust Co., he was formerly associated with Southern National Bank in Lumberton and Clayton. In Clayton, he is active in the Clayton Chamber of Commerce and chairs the Downtown Development Association and the United Way campaign.

Brian Rodgers, a senior business/

PGM major from Oakton, Va., received the Wall Street Journal Award given to an outstanding business student. He holds a 3.4 G.P.A., is Chief Justice of the S.G.A., and serves as president of the Student Activities Council. He is also a member of two honor societies—Phi Gamma Mu (social science) and Delta Mu Delta (business).



Business award winners, l. to r., Calvin Wells, Brian Rodgers, Terry Sasser, Bob Smith.

TO FINANCE SPRING CONCERT TOUR OF FRANCE

Avold. In turn, officials of St. Avold named the street that leads to the largest American cemetery in Europe "Avenue de Fayetteville, N. C."

Tour arrangements for the Methodist College Chorus are being handled by Intropa and the tour has been opened up to college staff and alumni. The total cost for the seven-day tour is \$1,500. That includes everything but lunches.

Persons interested in joining the tour must pay a deposit of \$400 by mid December and the balance by the end of January. IF YOU ARE INTERESTED, CALL ALAN PORTER NOW AT (910) 488-6694.

If you would like to buy a 1995 tape of the M.C. Chorus (also Stage Band), send \$5 to Alan Porter.

Thanks to all who have helped the chorus financially!

STUDENT RECITALS

Jan. 21

Voice Recital - Travis Kornegay
Reeves Auditorium
4 p.m.

Feb. 13

Voice Recital - Candy Patrick
Reeves Auditorium
8 p.m.

Feb. 20

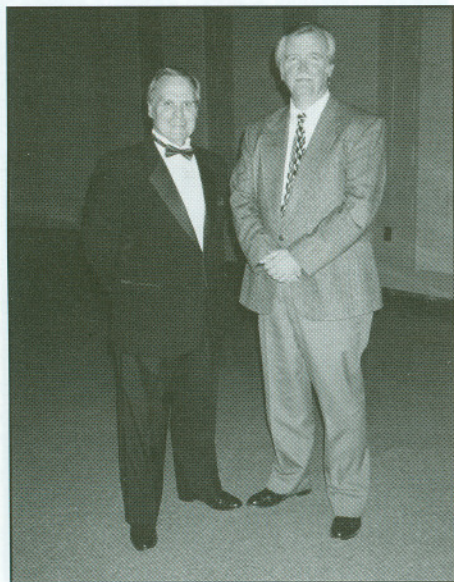
Saxophone Recital - David Teague
Reeves Auditorium
8 p.m.



The Rainbow's End.



The Monarch Quartet.



Alan Porter with Rev. Jesse Staton '70.



The chorus in concert at Southern Alamance High School in Graham.

JANE CHERRY VISITS M.C. FAMILIES IN ENGLAND

Methodist College is beginning to make a name for itself in the British Isles, especially among young golfers, tennis players, and soccer players.

That's what Jane Cherry, international student advisor, found during a recent five-week visit. Mrs. Cherry and her husband Sol, a retired district court judge, spent the month of October in England. "It was a combination of business and pleasure," she said. "Over the last year I had been planning a trip based on the hometowns of current and former students, prospective students, and selected tennis clubs, golf courses, and secondary schools. We paid for the trip, but the college gave me the time off."

After a flight from Washington to London, the Cherrys rented a Vauxhall and literally "hit the road." "I drove 3,000 miles on the left side of the road," said Mrs. Cherry, "and Sol only assumed the fetal position three times. He was a good navigator."

Methodist's roving ambassador said the weather in Britain was the warmest in 300 years, with summer flowers in bloom everywhere. The Cherrys visited two schools in London and paid a courtesy call on the father of George Billington, a current freshman at Methodist.

Other stops included: Penzance (home of Scott Jenkin), Launceton (home of Jimmy Powell), Wales (home of Oliver Stephens), Edinburgh (home



Mr. & Mrs. Malcolm Powell.

of Alex Proctor-Pearson), Yorkshire (home of two tennis prospects), Radlett (home of Jonathan Bennett), Whitney (home of Alex Fraser) and Fleet (home of Abigail Findlay '93, now working on her master's in Arizona).

Between visits to student and alumni families, the Cherrys toured a lot of famous places: Oxford, Wesley's Chapel, Battle (site of the Battle of Hastings), Windsor Castle, Blenheim Palace, Chartwell, Westminster Abbey, St. Paul's Cathedral, and St. Giles

Cathedral in Edinburgh. They said they enjoyed driving through the countryside and staying at bed and breakfasts.

Mrs. Cherry said she encountered a number of people who had heard of Methodist College. She thinks one

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Mr. & Mrs. Robert Fraser from Brachnell.



Alex-Proctor-Pearson with tennis award for 1994-95.



Sol Cherry with Mr. Bill Findley in Bath.

TENNIS PLAYER WRITES MUSIC IN SPARE TIME

Methodist College freshman Jonathan Bennett, one of four "Brits" on the M.C. tennis team, is a remarkable young man.

In addition to being an outstanding tennis player, he is an accomplished songwriter, drummer, and pianist. Of the 23 songs he has written, he has sold two, netting him about \$600. His first song, "Early Days," was used as background music on an Irish TV series. His second, "Summer Lands," was used in a Japanese laundry detergent ad.

His musical talent clearly runs in the family. His father Brian works for Polydor Records and E.M.I. as a composer of theme music for films and television. His mother can read music and plays the piano. His older brother Warren is currently singing with a rock band—the reincarnation of a '50s group in which his father played drums.

"I started taking piano lessons when I was five, took for seven years, and then gave it up," said Jonathan. "When I was 14, I began playing again just for the fun of it. My father took me into his studio and showed me how to use the computer to compose instrumental music."

His father's success in the music business was a real motivating factor. "He has won two Ivor Novello Awards," he said proudly, "one for "Summer Holiday" written in the '50s and one for the theme music for "The Ruth Rendel Mysteries."

Jonathan began playing tennis when he was 10. His Millfield School team was ranked No. 2 in Britain. "I also play



Jonathan Bennett in Methodist's music computer lab.

soccer and a little golf," he noted.

No stranger to the U.S., he accompanied his dad on trips to Los Angeles and New York as a child. Last Easter he was in Florida for a golf tour.

He found out about Methodist College through College Prospects of America, a firm which markets students to U.S. colleges and universities. Methodist received Jonathan's resume in the late spring.

"Methodist sent me some information in June," he said, "and I talked to Tom Maze (men's tennis coach) and Jane Cherry (international student advisor) on the phone. I was looking for a small college."

Jonathan likes Methodist very much. "It has been a big surprise," he said. "Americans are very friendly." With the exception of College Algebra (which he dropped), he has had no difficulty with his classes.

He also enjoyed the fall tennis season, noting that he and his teammates—Scott Jenkin, Alex Fraser, and George Billington—won three out of four matches.

The young Briton said he wants to earn his business administration degree with a concentration in professional tennis management, coach tennis for five years, and then go into the music business.

BILL LOWDERMILK HAS NEW JOB

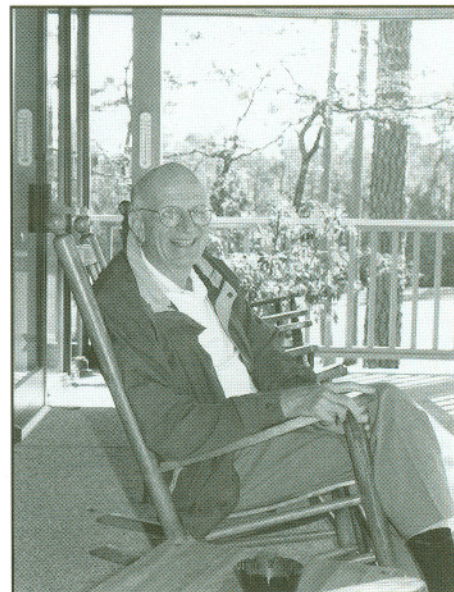
Rev. Bill Lowdermilk, former vice president for church and community relations at Methodist College, began work in September as assistant in church-community relations at Quail Haven Village in Pinehurst, N.C.

Quail Haven is operated by the United Methodist Retirement Homes of North Carolina.

He says he enjoys working with the retirees who live there, many of whom are from states outside North Carolina. He remains popular as a guest preacher and lecturer on church-college relations.

Bill's address is: 200 Blake Blvd., Apt. 214-D, Pinehurst, N.C. 28374.

Bill relaxes at King's Grant, waiting for golfers to finish the tournament which bears his name.



VISIT TO ENGLAND

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reason is Marva Hall, the director of a placement service who has referred students to Methodist. "For a fee, the service markets English students by sending their resumes to American colleges and universities," she explained. "Then the colleges contact and try to recruit the students they like."

This semester Methodist has five students from England and five from Ireland. Mrs. Cherry believes these numbers will increase in the years ahead.

HOMECOMING '95

'ROCKIN' AROUND THE CLOCK'



Richard DeMund and family check in at the registration tent.



A big crowd turned out for the football game with Maryville; Methodist won 23-13.



The winning foursome in the Lowdermilk Golf Tournament, l. to r., Paddy Gibney, Dermot Gibney, George Maguire, Justin Carey.



L. to r., Camille Dunn '70 chats with N.C. Teacher of the Year Vernestine Taylor.



The M.C. Stage Band, directed by Mike Rogers, performs during the picnic lunch.



The Cape Fear H.S. Marching Colts gave a great halftime show.



Janet Conard Mullen '72 and Johnny Lipscomb '68 review one of Johnny's M.C. scrapbooks from the '60s.



Jeff Powl shows off on the dance floor.



The Homecoming Court: L. to r.,
Chrissy Cullen, Jeff Powl, Patti Howard,
Eric Rhew, Don Tolley, Susan Cherry.

COLLEGE RECEIVES RARE BUST OF JOHN WESLEY

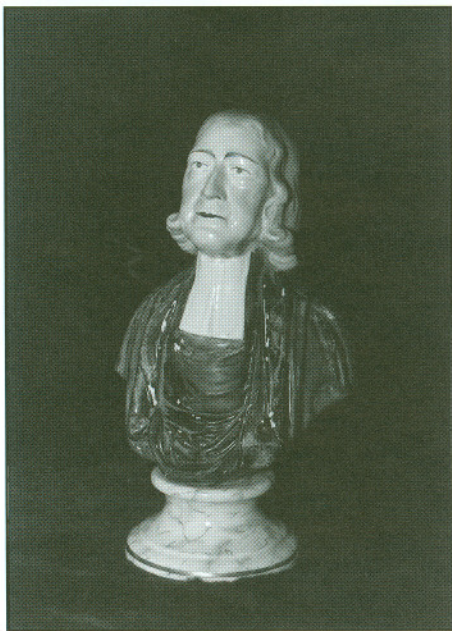
Mrs. Vergil Queen of Raleigh has presented Methodist College with a rare Kent bust of John Wesley, the founder of Methodism.

Made of Staffordshire pottery around 1791, the miniature bust is based on a clay model of Wesley fashioned by Enoch Wood in 1784. Wesley was 81 years old and reportedly "wearing his best wig" when he sat for Wood on five different occasions. The end result was said to be a striking and lifelike portrayal of Wesley's head and face, one that pleased Wesley and his friends and influenced later sculptors and painters.

The bust owned by Rev. Vergil Queen was purchased for him by the Rev. Chancey Barclift in the 1960s. Rev. Barclift owned a similar bust of Wesley which he had purchased from the estate of an English preacher in the 1930s.

Along with the bust, the college received Arthur Cummings' illustrated book, *A Portrait in Pottery*, which describes the evolution of small pottery busts of Wesley which were made and sold in large numbers by English potters.

Rev. Vergil Queen was a charter member of the Methodist College Board of Trustees, held six pastorates in the N. C. Conference, and was considered an authority on the history of the Methodist Church and Wesleyan theology. Many of the books and journals in his personal library were acquired on trips to England.



PGM Volunteers: I. to r., Front, Jerry Hogge, Mike DelMedico, Britt Carman, Peter Bracey, Jeff Waffle, Jenifer Nee, Mike Manavian, Steve Conley, back, John Gudauskas, Keith Schilling, Toni Traci, Andy Rumble, Mark Rashnell, Dare Eavenson, Jeff Avant.

STUDENTS HELP WITH GOLF TOURNEY

Methodist's professional golf management students and staff helped stage a charity golf tournament Oct. 6 at Gates Four Golf & Country Club to benefit the Care Clinic Foundation in Fayetteville.

Dedicated to the memory of Fayetteville developer J.P. Riddle, the event raised \$35,000 for the Care Clinic. Started in November 1993, the clinic provides free health and dental care to

uninsured people with limited income, using local health professionals who donate their time.

"The Foundation Committee did a fabulous job organizing the tournament and the Fayetteville community responded 100 percent," said Sister Jean Rhoads, director of the clinic. "All funds raised will be used for the direct benefit of our patients."

INACOMP PRESENTS GIFT TO TALLY CENTER



Johnny Dawkins, president and CEO of Inacomp Computers, presented a Compaq 4666 personal computer system to the Lura Tally Center for Leadership Development Oct. 23. Pictured, I. to r., are: Dr. Suzan Cheek, Dr. Loleta Foster, Johnny Dawkins, Mrs. Lura Tally.

MEN'S SOCCER FALLS ONE GOAL SHORT

Methodist's all-time most successful men's soccer squad fell one goal short of a perfect season, Nov. 19, slipping 2-1 to host Williams (MA) in the NCAA-III national championship game. Despite outshining the second-ranked Ephs in shots (14-12) and cornerkicks (7-3), the top-ranked Monarchs were outdone on the scoreboard.

The hosts turned a 0-0 halftime deadlock into a 2-0 advantage with scores at the 48:44 and 71:07 marks. Freshman forward Kari Reynisson netted the lone Monarch score on a breakaway with 12 minutes remaining.

"It's difficult to know what to say" about finally being beaten, Coach Alan Dawson said. "Ultimately, we've had a great year, it's been a lot of fun and life goes on. Hopefully, we've learned a lot from it."

Despite the loss, the 21-1 Monarchs ended the season with their best finish in the program's history. Conquests included a seventh consecutive DIAC title, a sixth-straight national tournament appearance, a second South Regional championship in four years and a first-ever Final Four berth. Methodist was also ranked number one in the nation all eight weeks of the regular season.

Williams had finished second in the 1993 NCAA-III tournament which it had also hosted.

Dawson's destroyers had crushed sixth-ranked Chapman (CA) 3-0 in the semifinal the previous day, Nov. 18. Sophomore Kemal Kansu, senior Michael Scobee and Reynisson tallied the three goals while sophomore Erik Lawton recorded the first and third assist. Sophomore Bjorgvin Fridriksson had the other assist.

"This was one of our better performances, solid all around," Dawson said. "Everybody showed up."

The victory marked senior goalie Justin Terranova's 37th career shutout, a program record. The previous mark of 36 was set in 1991 by Lance Watkins.

NO HOME FIELD ADVANTAGE

Despite being the country's only unbeaten and untied team in the country at any level, Methodist could not get the

The Monarchs celebrate their second-ever regional title.



nod to host the Final Four. According to the NCAA, the only thing that the Monarchs could have done to host is pick up the campus and move farther north.

"The decision on where to hold the Final Four came down to financial concerns," said Jay Martin of Ohio Wesleyan University, the NCAA-III men's soccer committee chairman. "When the four teams were set, Chris Poole (of the NCAA) went to her boss, Donna Newnan, with a mileage chart and came back saying that Chapman and Methodist had been ruled out as sites."

The NCAA pays for schools to fly their teams to championship events outside a 450-mile radius from their campuses. Had Methodist been selected as the host, the three other teams would have had to be transported by air.

With Williams and Muhlenburg being within driving distance of each other, the least expensive site was narrowed down to those two. According to Martin, Williams was chosen due to its facility and the fact that it hosted the 1993 Final Four.

THE ROAD TO THE FINAL FOUR

To advance to their first-ever Final Four, the Monarchs edged ninth-ranked Washington (MO) in the Nov. 12 quarterfinal round in St. Louis. Methodist outlasted the host Bears 2-1 in triple overtime.

Scobee scored both Methodist goals as the Monarchs battled back from a 70-minute 1-0 deficit after an early Washington penalty kick. The Bears had scored in the contest's first 10 minutes. Scobee responded in the final 10 minutes

of regulation and again with the game-winning header in sudden death. The game represented the only overtime contest that Methodist competed in during the 1995 campaign.

With the two goals, Scobee became the program's all-time leading scorer. He finished his career with 139 points after a goal against Chapman, his fifth of the NCAA tournament. The previous Monarch milestone of 134 was set by Fernando Martinez in 1991.

Reynisson dished out the game-winning assist, his 13th of the season, also a program record.

WINNING THE REGIONAL

Even though the Monarchs compete in one of the toughest regions in the nation, Methodist claimed its second South Regional crown in four years on Nov. 5. The host Monarchs crushed Maryville 4-0 in the opening round and edged eighth-ranked Virginia Wesleyan 2-1 in the final.

Virginia Wesleyan, also unbeaten at 18-0-1, entered the championship contest as the most recent team to have beaten the Monarchs. The Marlins had ended Methodist's 1994 campaign with a 4-0 decision in the South Regional semifinals.

This year's meeting between the two teams was a different story.

The Monarchs got its goals from Scobee and Sudi Naraine in the first half for a 2-0 halftime advantage. Methodist outshot the Marlins 8-7 for the game.

"It was our day," said Terranova. "Coach told us this was our game, our year. Even though we got scored on at the end, we were destined to win."

LADY MONARCHS FINISH SECOND IN NCAA-III

To cap the 1995 season, first-year Coach Phil Stephenson's Lady Monarchs went where no Methodist women's soccer team had gone before -- the NCAA-III championship game. The 18-4 Lady Monarchs ended their run with a 3-0 loss to California-San Diego in Pomona, N.J., Nov. 12.

According to Stephenson, UCSD's first goal, an early penalty kick, was tough to rebound from.

"San Diego was just better than us today," he said. "Let's hope that the next time we are in the final, we'll be better than them."

National runner-up honors and 18 victories mark the best finish by a Lady Monarch soccer squad. Along the way, Methodist collected its ninth DIAC title, eighth NCAA-III national tournament berth and fourth South Regional crown.

"I'm really proud of the effort we put forth this year," Stephenson said. "We got our first win in the Final Four. I'm just beaming as far as the pride factor is concerned."

This year's Final Four visit, Methodist's first in five years and fourth in eight, not only featured the Lady Monarchs' first-ever national semifinal victory. The 2-0 Methodist victory against host Richard Stockton also marked the first Final Four contest that the Lady Monarchs had scored in.

The Lady Monarchs took a 1-0 halftime lead into the second stanza, via a goal from senior back Michele Brown. That score was assisted by junior midfielder Kathleen Green.

Sophomore forward Casey Nuckols iced the victory with an insurance goal in the second half. Junior midfielder Candace Croal assisted the second score.

Richard Stockton outshot the Lady Monarchs 16-8, but were unable to beat junior goalkeeper Jennifer Maurer and the stingy Methodist defense anchored by senior Ruth Keegan, senior Fiona Grogan and Croal.

"Stockton did play very, very well," said Stephenson. "They were everything we expected and more. All I asked from our team was to go out and have 11 people playing as hard and as well as they could. What we got was a very, very good team effort."

Four Lady Monarchs -- Maurer, Keegan, Brown and junior midfielder Alvy Styles -- were named to the NCAA-III Final Four All-Tournament team.

THE ROAD TO THE FINAL FOUR

The Lady Monarchs advanced to the Final Four by claiming the South Regional championship in Atlanta, GA, Nov. 5. They defeated host Emory, 1-0, in the semifinals and previously unbeaten Randolph-Macon, 1-0, in the title game.

Brown scored the tournament winner on a corner kick from senior back Michelle Spees in the game's 74th minute. Randolph-Macon had outshot the Lady Monarchs 12-2.

"We had a horseshoe stuck somewhere," said Keegan.

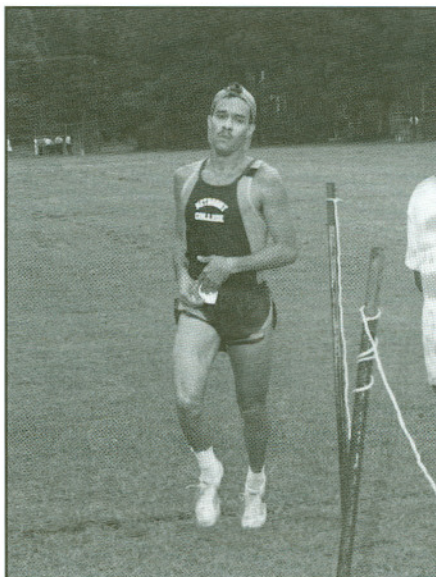
The 1-0 Emory win the previous day was made possible by a goal with 23 seconds remaining in regulation. Sophomore forward Stacie Gause netted a header off of an assist from freshman forward Laura Farrell.

CURIEL NAMED ALL-REGION

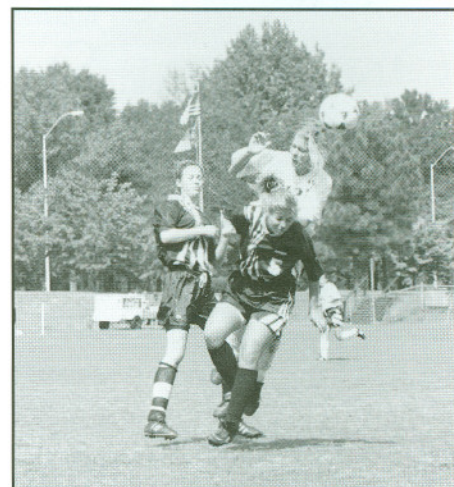
Methodist freshman running sensation Frank Curiel was named to the All-South/Southeast Regional Cross Country Team. Curiel finished sixth, 1.0 second behind fifth, in the 119-runner field at the Nov. 11 region meet at Rhodes College in Memphis, TN.

He missed national qualifications by two positions. In addition to the All-Region team, the DIAC Freshman of the Year was named to the First Team All-DIAC, All-Mason-Dixon Conference Team and was a four-time DIAC Freshman of the Week.

Curiel helped the young Monarchs to a 19-18 record and a second-place DIAC team finish for the 1995 campaign.



Frank Curiel named All-Region.



Casey Nuckols scored the insurance goal against Stockton in the NCAA semifinal.

Men's Soccer 21-1

Sept. 1	Hope at Ohio Wesleyan	W 2-0
Sept. 2	at Ohio Wesleyan	W 4-1
Sept. 6	at Mt. Olive	W 2-0
Sept. 9	EMORY	W 4-3
Sept. 10	LYCOMING	W 3-1
Sept. 16	at Christopher Newport	W 6-0
Sept. 23	AVERETT	W 5-0
Sept. 26	FRANCIS MARION	W 4-1
Sept. 30	FERRUM	W 4-0
Oct. 1	MARYVILLE	W 3-0
Oct. 7	HAMPDEN-SYDNEY	W 6-1
Oct. 9	at N.C. Wesleyan	W 3-1
Oct. 11	at Chowan	W 4-0
Oct. 14	SAVANNAH A & D	W 3-0
Oct. 19	at East Carolina	W 4-3
Oct. 24	GREENSBORO	W 2-0
Oct. 28	at Shenandoah	W 3-1
Nov. 4	MARYVILLE	W 4-0
Nov. 5	VIRGINIA WESLEYAN	W 2-1
Nov. 12	at Washington (MO) *OT*	W 2-1
Nov. 18	Chapman at Williams	W 3-0
Nov. 19	at Williams	L 2-1

Women's Soccer 18-4

Sept. 6	at East Carolina	W 3-0
Sept. 8	at Gettysburg	W 3-2
Sept. 9	at Messiah	W 3-0
Sept. 12	at Chowan	W 7-0
Sept. 16	Elon at N.C. Wesleyan	L 1-0
Sept. 17	Berry at N.C. Wesleyan	L 3-0
Sept. 19	AVERETT	W FF
Sept. 23	SALISBURY STATE	W 2-1
Sept. 24	TRENTON STATE	L 1-0
Sept. 30	FERRUM	W 8-0
Oct. 5	at Greensboro	W 3-0
Oct. 7	MARYVILLE	W 5-0
Oct. 11	at Guilford	W 4-0
Oct. 14	EMORY	W 3-0
Oct. 19	at St. Andrews	W 6-1
Oct. 21	ROANOKE	W 3-0
Oct. 25	N.C. WESLEYAN	W 3-0
Oct. 28	at Shenandoah	W 3-1
Nov. 4	at Emory	W 1-0
Nov. 5	Randolph-Macon at Emory	W 1-0
Nov. 11	at Richard Stockton	W 2-0
Nov. 12	UCSD at Stockton	L 3-0

MONARCHS RANK SEVENTH IN CUP STANDINGS

In the first year of competition for the NCAA-III Sears Directors' Cup, Methodist currently ranks seventh on the strength of runner-up finishes in men's and women's soccer. With top 10 finishes in each of the first five NCAA-III championships, Williams has the early lead.

Started at the Division I level only in 1993, the Directors' Cup Trophy, designed by Waterford Crystal, goes to the overall best athletic program at each NCAA level. Points are awarded to up to the top 64 teams in each sport with 64 points going to the champion, 63 to the runner-up, etc. Standings are compiled by the National Association of Collegiate Directors of Athletics.

Methodist presently has 126.0 points.

FOOTBALL FINISHES 5-5 AGAIN

Fourth-year Coach Jim Sypult's football team wrapped up its season, in a 7-0 loss to Frostburg State, Nov. 11. The defeat marked the Monarchs' only home loss of the season and first in the past seven contests at Monarch Field.

Frostburg State finished the season 6-4 while Methodist, 0-10 four years ago, ended at 5-5 for the second-straight year. Playing its all-time most competitive schedule, the Monarchs lost three games by one touchdown each while tying last year's program record for the most victories in a season.

With two weeks remaining in the season, Methodist was 5-3 and looking for its first-ever six-win season.

"We wish we could've gotten that sixth win, but this just shows how hard it is to win," Sypult said. "We'll have 14 seniors next season -- the highest number we've had -- and a good group of freshmen and sophomores coming back. We'll recruit hard to add to what we have."

Successes included a best-ever 4-1 home mark and first-ever wins against Newport News Apprentice and Maryville. Methodist also won its third-straight homecoming and beat NCAA-IAA Davidson at its homecoming.

SCHOOL RECORD BOOK REWRITTEN

* Sophomore tailback DeCarlos West broke the career rushing record with 1,385 yards on 275 carries.

* Junior tight end Derek George extend his career record for receptions with 69 over three seasons.

1995-96 DIRECTORS' CUP TOP 10 NCAA-III STANDINGS

RANK, INSTITUTION	WCC	MCC	FH	WSoc	MSoc	TOTAL PTS
	(Pl) Pts	(Pl) Pts	(Pl) Pts	(Pl) Pts	(Pl) Pts	
1. WILLIAMS (MA)	(8) 57	(1) 64	(5) 58.5	(9) 52.5	(1) 64	296.0
2. TRENTON (NJ) STATE	(14) 51	-----	(1) 64	(9) 52.5	(5) 58.5	226.0
3. CALIFORNIA-SAN DIEGO	-----	(10) 55	-----	(1) 64	(9) 52.5	171.5
4. ROCHESTER (NY)	-----	(6) 59	-----	(5) 58.5	(17) 40.5	158.0
5. WISCONSIN-OSHKOSH	(2) 63	(12) 53	-----	-----	(17) 40.5	156.5
6. BOWDOIN (ME)	(12) 53	(18) 47	-----	(9) 52.5	-----	152.5
7. METHODIST (NC)	-----	-----	-----	(2) 63	(2) 63	126.0
8. CORTLAND (NY) STATE	(1) 64	-----	(5) 58.5	-----	-----	122.5
9. CALVIN (MI)	(4) 60.5	(7) 58	-----	-----	-----	118.5
10. MESSIAH (PA)	-----	-----	(2) 63	-----	(9) 52.5	115.5

WCC--WOMEN'S CROSS COUNTRY, MCC--MEN'S CROSS COUNTRY, FH--FIELD HOCKEY, WSOC--WOMEN'S SOCCER, MSOC--MEN'S SOCCER

* Senior Jesse Iversen broke the career record for receiving yardage, hauling in 61 catches for 1,109 yards in just two years.

* Senior Steve Burton topped the career plateau for tackles with 379 stops over a stellar four-year career..

METHODIST 1995 FALL

DIAC HONORS

Men's Soccer

First Team All-DIAC

Justin Terranova, Goalie
Kenneth Hoey, Defender
Kari Reynisson, Midfielder
Michael Scobee, Forward
Kemal Kansu, Forward

Second Team All-DIAC

Erik Lawton, Midfielder
Bjorgvin Fridriksson, Midfielder

DIAC Player of the Year

Michael Scobee, Forward

DIAC Freshman of the Year

Kari Reynisson, Midfielder

DIAC Coach of the Year

Alan Dawson, fourth time

Women's Soccer

First Team All-DIAC

Jennifer Maurer, Goalie
Ruth Keegan, Defender
Michele Brown, Defender
Michelle Spees, Midfielder
Casey Nuckols, Forward

Second Team All-DIAC

Alvy Styles, Midfielder
Stacie Gause, Forward
Candace Cral, Forward
Laura Farrell, Forward

DIAC Player of the Year

Ruth Keegan, Defender

DIAC Coach of the Year
Phil Stephenson, first time

Men's Cross Country

First Team All-DIAC

Frank Curiel, third

Tim McCrea, fifth

Second Team All-DIAC

Augustus Bryant, 10th

DIAC Freshman of the Year

Frank Curiel, third overall

Women's Cross Country

First Team All-DIAC

Karen Auer, fifth

Second Team All-DIAC

Christi Ferguson, ninth

AUSTIN HONORED

After directing the Monarchs to an NCAA-III runner-up finish in June, Methodist baseball Coach Tom Austin was selected as the ABCA South Region Coach of the Year. Austin is 512-194 in 16 seasons at Methodist.

Football 5-5

Sept. 2	CHOWAN	W 31-13
Sept. 9	at Guilford	L 16-10
Sept. 16	at Salisbury State	L 34-19
Sept. 23	NEWPORT NEWS	W 35-30
Oct. 7	BRIDGEWATER	W 27-3
Oct. 14	at Davidson	W 16-14
Oct. 21	at Ferrum	L 20-13
Oct. 28	MARYVILLE	W 23-13
Nov. 4	at Hampden-Sydney	L 29-13
Nov. 11	FROSTBURG ST.	L 7-0

Class Notes are taken from newspaper clippings, the alumni phonathon and your write ins. Every effort is made to report the information accurately. Because of the volume of information received, we cannot check each note. Please let us know when there is an error. Information in this issue was received by November 15, 1995. Information received between that date and February 5, 1996 will appear in the March issue. Addresses and telephone numbers are not printed except by your request.

1964

Donald Hilburn has completed his master's degree at U.N.C. - Greensboro. He is with UNIMAX Company.

Yvonne Spires Tilley has been teaching 3rd grade at Blackwell Elementary School in Blackwell, S.C. for the past twelve years.

Betty Graham Bunce is the secretary/treasurer of Bunce Buildings with locations in Winston-Salem, Salisbury and Lexington, N.C. They make storage buildings.

1965

Jerry Norris is a grandfather. He has a 10-month-old granddaughter. Jerry is with the Keebler Company and lives in Warner Robbins, Ga.

Carolyn Faircloth Brookhart and her husband live in Alexandria, Va. where he is a tax attorney for the Dept. of Justice. They have two grown children, 24 and 28 years old.

Paul Brill reports that his son, David, completed his B.S. in biology and is now working on his pharmacy degree at U.N.C.-Chapel Hill and his daughter has completed her nursing degree at Moore County Regional

Hospital.

Nancy Ruth Best is the chaplain at Durham Regional Hospital. She was certified as Spiritual Director last May.

1966

Margaret Gardner Beverly is working in the business office of Fayetteville Academy. She and her husband have two grown sons, Ted, Jr., who is in the Air Force and Ben who lives in Tenn. Husband, Ted, works with the Fayetteville Fire Dept.

Connie James Killian has four children, Michele, Mimi, Kelly and Theresa. Her husband, who was with the military, passed away in 1985.

Marie Zahran Reale celebrated the wedding of her daughter, Elizabeth Ann, on Oct. 21.

Gail Harrison Joyner has been a part of forming the Wake Forest Singers in Wake Forest, N.C.

Carl D'Alessandro has retired as chief operating officer with the U.S. Dept. of Treasury Bureau of Engraving & Printing. He is now working on his master's in counseling at Wilmington College in Delaware.

Carol Nan Ischinger is the director of the writing center at the Annandale campus of Northern Virginia Community College in Va. She has a masters degree in English from George Mason University in Fairfax, Va.

1967

Beverly Parks Honeycutt reports that her daughter, Julie, graduated from Meredith College with a degree in marketing and advertising magna cum laude.

Claudine Lake Hamilton has two daughters. Daughter Melissa was married in June. She is a second grade

teacher in Norfolk, Va. Her daughter, Susan, is a sophomore at the College of Charleston.

Bob and Marsha Henry ('68) Nardone are busy in Charlotte. Bob is with Arkon, USA and Marsha is with First Union. Their oldest daughter, Kelly, is teaching in Atlanta. Daughter Jennie is a junior at N.C. State and son, Anthony, is a junior in high school at East Mecklenburg.

Alice Herring Plenge has a new grandson, Christian, born March 4, 1994.

Cabell Luck and his wife, Bebe, celebrated their 26th anniversary last June. Their daughter, Anne, is a 1995 graduate of Randolph Macon Woman's College. Daughter, Lin, is a junior there but is spending this year studying at the University of Reading in England. Georgie is a sophomore at the Collegiate School in Richmond, Va. Cabell is Director of the Hospital Education Program at the Medical College of Va. and Children's Hospital. Bebe is a Realtor. The family lives on a farm and raises beef cattle.

1968

Terry Daniels has a daughter getting married soon.

Gregory Barnhart is the senior editor with Lockheed Corp.

Sandra Thomas Carter has three busy daughters. Donna is married and working on her masters at UNC-Greensboro while teaching at Southern High School in Durham, N.C. Paula has graduated from East Carolina in resource management and is now with the N.C. State Parks. Daughter Gina is now attending UNC- Wilmington.

Ronnie and Eva Owens Turlington have two sons. The oldest is married and the youngest is a student at Barton College.

Randy Barnes reports that his daughter, Kimberly, is now married.

1969

Michael Hale recently received two \$100,000 grants to establish family resource centers in Hoke and Sampson counties, N.C.

Price Bowen is active with the N.C. Governor's Advocacy Council for persons with disabilities.

Elisie Ober Poole has a daughter in her freshman year at N.C. State.

Glenda Smith Honeycutt reports that her daughter is finishing her doctorate in pharmacy and that her son is an insurance agent.

Robert Barker is with the Chattanooga, Tenn. Symphony. He also has founded a puppet theatre which teaches children the history of toys and about life in the middle ages. He makes all the toys himself. He and his wife, Linda, have been married 20 years.

Sandra Johnson Stolzer has gone back to college to get her teaching certificate. She lives in Cherry Hill, N.J.

Charles Teachey has a daughter attending UNC-Chapel Hill.

Mariah Eubank was married this summer to James Martin. She is working on her master's in education at UNC-Wilmington.

Gay Davis married Jim Moser November 11.

Sylvia Gibson Parnell has really kept the Methodist College family tradition going. Her daughter, Kimberly, graduated in 1993 and her son, Randy, will graduate this December. He has played on the football team. Sylvia is with the academically gifted program in Cumberland County Schools.

Sandra Ittenbach Kunbargi has two children, 11 and 13. They attend East Cary Middle School. Sandra is now a teacher's assistant at Adams Elementary.

1970

Ned Olinger is pursuing his doctorate at Virginia Tech.

Reid Shepard is the site manager for the Spring Lake office for Adult Services. He is a therapist for the Cumberland County Mental Health Agency.

Karen Milner Freeman is a homemaker in Dunwoody, Ga. She has two children.

Robert and Jeannie Faulkner Flynn ('71) are now at Orange United Methodist Church in Orange County, N.C.

Susanne Donnelly Abell's son will be a freshman at Catawba College this fall.

Barbara Schutz Hatchell received her masters of divinity degree from Emory University in 1993. Last June she was ordained an elder in the United Methodist Church-North Georgia Conference. She is serving as associate pastor at Hickory Flat UMC in Canton, Ga.

Tom Miriello was elected president of the Addictions Professionals of North Carolina in Oct. APNC is the longest standing substance abuse professional association in the state. He is the first mental health area director to be elected president in the association's history.

Larry Frazier has completed 25 years of teaching. He is at Reid Ross Jr. High School in Fayetteville. His wife, **Kay Ehrig Frazier '80** is with Westover Jr. High.

1971

Anita Williams DeGrasse is still teaching kindergarten at Hobbton Elementary School in Clinton, N.C. She and the other kindergarten teachers got together, asked for and received a mini grant aimed at helping students learn math and science.

Janet Smith Cameron tells us her son, Hugh Scott, is in medical school at UNC - Chapel Hill.

Cathy Butler-Kosterman is teaching graduate classes at Fayetteville State University.

Linda Carlson Hall would like to hear from classmates. Her address is 5803 Nicolette Dr., Hope Mills, N.C. 28348.

1973

Robert Hobdy reports that his wife entered a doll in the N.C. State Fair and won first place. It was voted best doll overall in the fair and best in show.

Nicky Bullard has been promoted to commodities purchasing manager with Harnischfeger Corp. which produces 80% of the world's surface mining equipment. He lives in Wisconsin.

Bob Searle and his wife, Pam, are both clinical social workers in Fayetteville. They have been presenting parent education classes for problem children with the Behavior Medicine Center.

Carolyn Schoenweiss Holmes is now teaching kindergarten in the Wake County Schools.

Charlene McKee Rowland teaches 4th grade in Gloucester, Va. She and her husband have one daughter, Vicki, age 13.

Michael Dennis was named Employee of the Year last December at Cape

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Fear Feed Products.

Steven Bryan continues to live in Richmond, Va, where he is the Vice President of Human Resources for Henrico Doctors' Hospital and Retreat Hospital.

1974

Rebecca Spell has been operating her own business in Clinton, N.C. for 6 years. The Learning Station provides daycare and summer care for children.

Barry Box is proud of his daughter, Jennifer. She graduated from Lafayette College last spring and is employed with Price-Waterhouse.

Donald Hall lives in Gulf Breeze, Fla. He says he's recovering from hurricane season.

Dan Fowler moved back to Virginia Beach recently after spending the last 4 years in Atlanta, Ga. and most recently in Hampton, Va. Dan's mortgage banking and title insurance business has allowed him to move back to Va. Beach where he can spend more time with his daughters, Dana Noelle, 16 and Dru Nicole, 6.

1975

Ervin Smith has been promoted to manager with the sales department at IBM. He lives in Smyrna, Ga.

1976

Cynthia Wright Collins is attending Halifax Community College working on a two-year degree.

Larry McMillin sends greetings to all his classmates.

Gwendolyn Walters Gilfus, her husband, Lynn, and sons Quinton and Phillip have moved back to Fayetteville. Lynn works for the civil

service at Fort. Bragg. Gwyn is teaching preschool at Holy Trinity Preschool. They reside in Briarwood.

1977

Marvin and Ellen Pruden Rea are living in St. Pauls, N.C. Marvin is the golf pro at Scothurst in Lumberton and Ellen is teaching at St. Pauls Elementary. They have two daughters, Sarah, 14, and Emily, 12.

Sarah Cooper Williams and her husband, Jay, have 3 children, Jamison, Natalie and Allison. Sarah teaches music in the Cumberland County Schools.

1978

David and Melinda Brown ('79) Perry recently bought a farm. They hope to be moved in during December.

Pat O'Briant will become organist/choirmaster at St. John's Episcopal Church in Fayetteville Jan. 1. He succeeds Mrs. Joan Ishee, who recently retired.

1979

Anne Wilce reports that her husband, **Roderick** '85, has retired from the Army and now works for the N.C. Dept. of Labor.

Elizabeth Register Nichols had a son, Joshua, on Sept. 18.

1980

Jeannie Herring Raymes has been named educator of the year. She teaches at Cumberland Road Elementary School in Fayetteville.

1981

Kathy Southerland Stewart is now the

administrator for family practice with Suburban Medical Management, Inc.

Jack Sawyer is a probation officer living in Raeford, N.C.

1982

Rachelle McCallum is now the chair of the State Employees Association.

Valerie Houston Stewart and her husband had a baby girl Sept. 14, 1994.

David Prince and his wife have a 20-month-old daughter, Reba Jean.

1983

Roberta Griffin has earned her Activities Director Certification.

Jeff and Tori Price Riddle announce the birth of their second child, Alex Gordon, born May 13. Their first son, Jeffrey Bradford, is now three. They recently moved from Raleigh to their new home in the King's Grant Subdivision of Fayetteville.

Mary Robinson Mack would like to hear from classmates. Drop her a line at 1030 Wildwood Rd., Aiken, S.C. 29801 or call 803-648-8933.

William Toth is now with Technology Education in Graham, N.C.

1984

Helen Matthews is going back to school for a degree in radiology instead of accounting.

Danny Hagans is coaching 3 sports a Hillcrest Jr. High School in Fayetteville. The boy's soccer team were division champs this year. The girl's soccer program, which is only 2 years old, is undefeated. His girl's basketball teams have been champs in 7 of the last 10 years and have lost only one

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game in the past 4 years. His wife, **Valerie Gee Hagans**, has been named teacher of the year at J. W. Coon Elementary School.

1985

Scott Morgan is a detective with the Greensboro, N.C. Police Dept. He and his wife have a son, four-years-old and are expecting a girl in February.

George Small has joined Prevent Child Abuse North Carolina as a prevention specialist. He staffs a customized mobile training unit and trains professionals and volunteers around the state. The mobile training unit project is the first of its kind in the country.

1986

Renny Taylor and his wife celebrated the arrival of a son, Marcus Dupree on April 20, 1995. Classmate, **Larry Mount**, is the godfather.

Angela Blackburn is now teaching in year-round school at Reid Ross Middle School in Fayetteville.

Sergio Caro is working with Dino's Pizza in Fayetteville.

Alexander Morrow is working on his MBA at Jacksonville University in Fla.

1987

Ella Sheppard is a social worker for the Dept. of Social Services in Baltimore, Md. She and her husband have twin boys.

John Walsh is vice president of sales for National Bus Sales. His wife, **Peggy Seigler '87**, is with Automatic Data Processing as a human resource specialist. They live in Woodstock, Ga.

Sondra Salvo has a daughter born in April 1994.

Christine Bartlett Brooks was a senior technical writer for First Citizens Bank. She has been promoted to banking officer.

John Davis received his MBA in organizational management from Syracuse University in August.

Karen Mason Edmondson has a new daughter, Jordian Denise, born May 14.

1988

Mariel Graham Christian is with the Fuqua School of Business at Duke University. She was recently promoted to catalog systems librarian.

1989

Robert Guilford is now a second lieutenant. He and his wife, Kelly, are expecting their first child in June.

Gary Robertson has received his MBA from the University of Phoenix.

Teresa Estes Jacobs is expecting a baby around the end of April.

Sharon Bullard and her husband, Mike, added daughter, Amanda Grace to the family on June 27. She joins big brother Christopher Michael, who was born July 30, 1990.

Brett Kilgore will graduate in May from East Tenn. State University with his master's in criminal justice.

David Lindsey went back to school after Methodist and completed his nursing degree.

Deborah Hammond Jones had a baby girl, Christina Faith, Oct. 4.

1990

Stephanie Johnson is teaching 1st grade in W. Va. while her husband,

Richard '89, is working on his masters in business management.

Camille Smith Whiteside opened her owns business, Cuddles 'n Snuggles Luxury Pet Resort, in Fayetteville in November.

Lauren Kvach married Frederick Caputo August 26 at Resurrection Catholic Church in Burtonsville, Maryland. Lauren teaches middle school health and physical education for Montgomery County Public Schools. Frederick is an electrician.

Francis Piri is teaching at Douglas Byrd High School in Fayetteville.

1991

Joe Castner and his wife, Christina, have a one-year-old daughter, Alexis, and another child due in April.

Todd Peterson is getting married February 24.

Karen Mathias Lewis and her husband, Bill, announce the birth of their first child, Kevin Matthew, born Sept. 25, 1995. Karen is a retail account executive with the *Fayetteville Observer Times*. Bill, a captain in the Army Reserves, is an engineer with Ft. Bragg.

Michele Naylor-Moore married Corporal Stevie Moore of the USMC Oct. 30, 1992. They have 2 sons, Zachari, born in 1993 and Devin born in 1994. Michele is a social worker with the Craven County Dept. of Social Services in New Bern, N.C. while her husband is stationed at Cherry Point.

Jamie Glass Heiser has accepted employment as an instructional supervisor at Wake Technical Community College in Raleigh, N.C.

Timothy Belflowers was recently appointed principal organist and associate choirmaster at Church Street

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munity College in Raleigh, N.C.

Timothy Bellowers was recently appointed principal organist and associate choirmaster at Church Street United Methodist Church in Knoxville, Tenn. He also oversees and directs the children's music ministry program. Timothy completed a summer tour in which he played recitals in Miss., Ala., Ga., La., and Fla. This spring he will perform in Washington, D.C. on the great organ at the National Cathedral.

Richard Player married Sylvia Adams Sept. 9 at St. John's Episcopal Church in Fayetteville. Sylvia is an account executive for WZFX radio station. Richard is vice president of Player, Inc.

Terri Wallace is engaged.

Suzie Hager is teaching K-5 music at E. E. Miller Elementary School in Fayetteville.

Terry Cathey is married and has 3 children. He is working in development at the Kelly Springfield plant in Fayetteville.

Tasha Pinson Kaplan is working for the 1996 Paralympics.

Robbie Terry is currently working with the State Dept. of Corrections in Lumberton, N.C. He'd love to hear from classmates so call 910-865-3082.

1992

David and Anginette Conrad Holmes have new jobs. Angie is with Rollins Trucking & Leasing and David is managing a retail shop. They live in Bear, Del.

Bob and Tanya Howell Turner are living in Hertford, N.C. Tanya has been named "Teacher of the Year" for Perquimans County. She teaches and coaches at Perquimans High School. Last year her basketball team was

sectional runners-up.

Amanda Cook has started her own business, Cook Marketing Group, which markets Chinese herbs. If anyone is interested in a home-based business, give her a call at 1-800-854-8446.

Willie Rose has received his master's from Webster University in Human Resource Development. Currently, he is a guardian ad litem in Cumberland County representing abused and neglected children.

James Adams retired from the army in 1994. He and his wife are now living in McClellenville, S.C. where James is working in a boy's home.

Marian Moorman Morgan recently had a new baby.

Michael Stone finished Campbell Law School this year and has opened his practice - Stone & Bostian in Fayetteville.

Craig Sandstrum is engaged to be married.

Mark Carver is with Kelly Springfield in Fayetteville. He was recently elected as a division chairman for the United Steelworkers of America.

1993

Jason Britt has been hired as minister of music at First Baptist Church in Fayetteville.

Catherine Flores is currently working in the Accounting Dept. at the Navy Exchange in Pearl Harbor, Hawaii. Her husband is stationed at Schofield Barracks. They are expecting their third child in January. Ashley is now 3 and Ryan, 1.

Abigail Findlay is in her third semester at Thunderbird, The American Graduate School of International Management, in Glendale, Ariz. She is pursuing a master's in International

Management and will graduate in May 1996. Abigail also holds the position of Athletic Director at Thunderbird, and works independently as an international marketing consultant.

Bryan Miller was commissioned a second lieutenant in the USAF in May '94. He married Kathryn Ball of Fayetteville that July. They are now living in San Antonio, Texas where Bryan is the executive officer for Kelly AFB. They are expecting their first child in April.

Tracy Maness is still living in Virginia Beach, and is district manager with Automatic Data Processing. She was recently awarded one of ADP's most prestigious recognitions, President's Club, and has been named District Manager of the Year - Virginia Region.

Mike Ciani married Vicki Robertson October 28 at Snyder Memorial Baptist Church in Fayetteville. Vicky is a customer service representative with Sprint Cellular. Mike is the manager for Clark Sporting Goods.

Clifford Overby is managing a new business called Work Alternatives. It's a division of pro-active therapy.

Susan Bertke had twin girls in August.

Brett Coleman got married November 18. He is living in Durham.

Gesa Wellenstein Perkins is married. She and her husband have a 10-month-old son, Andy.

1994

Jeannie Denman is a department merchandiser with A.C. Moore, an arts and crafts chain in Middletown, N.Y.

Christopher Shaw completed the enlisted supply basic course with the USMC in July. During the course students learn the techniques of stock

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control utilized within the Marine Corps to account for government property. Chris joined the Marines last January.

Sarah Shew is now employed as a staff writer with *The Brunswick Beacon* in Shallotte, N.C. She lives in Long Beach.

Kevin Maselow has completed one master's degree and is working on a second. He will be teaching as adjunct faculty at MC starting this spring.

Hector Prieto is now teaching Spanish at Cape Fear High School in Fayetteville.

1995

Pam Thibodeau is the continuity director at Cape Fear Broadcasting which operates radio stations WFNC-AM and WQSM-FM.

Michael Graham married Kimberly Thompson of Fayetteville August 19 in Lee Memorial Chapel at Fort Bragg. They are living in Newport News, Va., where Mike is teaching.

Cassie Paugh married **Bret Gross '96** at The Barn at Birchwood in Collegetown, Penn. on Sept. 2. Cassie is a plan administrator with MidSouth Insurance in Fayetteville. Bret will graduate this coming May.

Susan McGhee is working at Sampson County Correctional Center as a Correction Officer.

John Germano has found employment as a P. E. teacher in Tuckerton, N.J. He is also Assistant Dean of Students.

Michael Buccerone is working at the Wildwing Golf Club in South Carolina. They hosted the Energizer Tour Championship.

John Yang will be moving to Taiwan in December.

Andrea Hairr is teaching in Sampson County, N.C.

Kandice Pedley has twin boys, 2 1/2. She is working with Bankers Life & Casualty.

Vicki Ronsick is now teaching math at Fayetteville Tech.

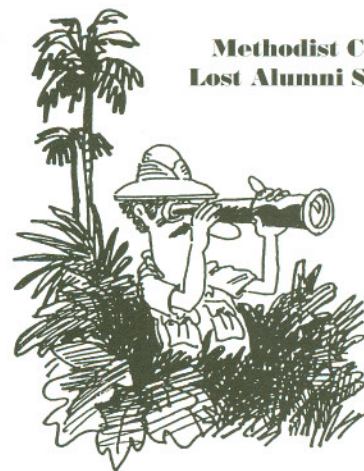
Spiredula Dais is teaching 4th grade at Salemburg Elementary School in Salemburg, N.C.

Jaymie Spohn is engaged and will be married at the end of 1996.

Obituaries

Gladys Hammer Steed of Maxton, N.C. died August 23. She attended Carolina College whose archives and records are now held at Methodist College. She is survived by four children, seven grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren. Memorials may be made to St. Paul's United Methodist Church, P.O. Box 483, Maxton, N.C. 28364.

Allen Gardner '69 died May 8, 1994.



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