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COLLEGE

*Football Bowl*

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MAKING PLANS—A happy George Litton, left, head football coach at Gardner-Webb, makes plans for his team to play in the first Frazier Bowl with bowl officials Bob Smallwood, center, and his brother, Bill Smallwood.

## Bulldogs Accept New Bowl Bid

Gardner-Webb's gridiron leaped to prominence with a bid to play in the first annual Frazier Bowl in Gainesville, Ga., Dec. 8.

They were prodded by bowl officials to compete against the powerful Stephen F. Austin University team of Nacogdoches, Texas, in the new event, officially sanctioned by the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics.

As the issue was prepared, the excited Bulldogs and their head coach, George Litton, were enthusiastically ready to represent the college and the Southeast as host team in the bowl, to be played in the 10,000-seat Cay Stadium. The college family, students, Bulldog Club members and other fans arranged bus trips and our goals for the game.

The Bulldogs closed their season with a 22-20 win over Wakeford College and a 22-20 win over Lesley Rhyne College, for a 7-4 win-loss record. Bob Smallwood, executive director of the bowl and whose two wins within six days brought the Bulldogs to the attention of the selection committee.

Coach Litton said that his team voted without one dissent in support of the bowl bid. The team began practice immediately for the game, clear to home for six Bulldog players who live in the greater Atlanta area.

The Stephen F. Austin team was rated the game favorite, winning seven of its last eight games for an 8-3 season. This college has an enrollment of 10,327 students, as compared to GWC's 1,337, and it is a perennial power in all NAIA sports.

Eddie Holbrook, GWC athletic director, and the Bulldogs don't need being considered the underdog, however.

"The forecasts have been wrong about us all season," he quipped.

For most fans, the bowl bid marked the coming of age for the Bulldog football program in senior college status.

## Peace On Earth



May the miracle of Christmas touch your hearts with joy, and bring peace on earth, good will to men throughout the world. Amen.

# Gearing To Meet The Challenge

## GWC Trustees Organize for '74

Nine new members have been installed on the Board of Trustees of Gardner-Webb College. The board re-elected R. Patrick Spangler of Shelby as its chairman.

The new members of the board of trustees include the Rev. William Brown of Grifton, Thomas R. Causey of Belmont, Frank Dorato of Asheville, Charles I. Dover of Shelby, Donald Croose of Hickory, T. R. Hendrix, Sr. of Trinity, Thomas W. Knowles of Gastonia, the Rev. Raymond Sanderson of Charlotte and Dr. Grady Wilson of Charlotte.

Other officers named at the board's recent organizational meeting include W. Paul Bridges of Cliffside, vice chairman; J. Wayne Burris of Lincolnton, secretary; G. L. Kendrick of Mount Holly, assistant secretary; Mrs. Rush Stroupe of Shelby, treasurer; and C. P. Nunney of Gastonia, assistant treasurer.

Among the "holdover" trustees is L. R. Harrill of Raleigh, who was named to succeed his brother, the beloved Charlie H. Harrill, after his death last year. The late Mr. Harrill also was an active member of the GWC Alumni Association board of directors.



R. PATRICK SPANGLER  
... trustee chairman



JOSEPH E. CABANISS  
... advisors chairman

## New Advisors, Officers Named

Twenty-one new members have been named to the Board of Advisors. Joseph E. Cabaniss of Shelby has been elected chairman.

Other officers named at the board's organizational meeting are Charles Alexander of Kings Mountain, vice chairman; William M. Neely of Rutherfordton, secretary; and Ralph L. Bentley of Statesville, assistant secretary.

New members of the Board of Advisors include W. S. Barkley of Hickory, Bill Benson of Conover, Mrs. Frances Bland of Gaffney, Carl

Brandon of Lenoir, Mrs. Maurice Bridges of Gaffney, Dr. Donald G. Chalk of Statesville, Mrs. G. Wayne DeHart of Hickory, W. W. Gainey, Jr. of Shelby, Mrs. Earle Hamrick, Sr. of Shelby, Ronald Hawkins of Statesville, Dr. John J. Hunt of Lattimore, Jerry Hyche of Caroleen, Allen C. Johnson of Statesville, Mrs. C.M. McMurray of Shelby, David Moore of Hickory, William E. Pearce of Shelby, Newlin P. Schenck of Shelby, John Smith of Lincolnton, Donald L. Warren of Rutherfordton, the Rev. Stanley D. Webb of Winston-Salem and Hockett C. Wilson of Shelby.

## A Tribute To Those Who Serve Gardner-Webb

No institution can be stronger than the boards which grade and direct the operation of the college. These men and women give unselfishly, without pay, of their time, talents, and material means and most of all, their prayers.

Gardner-Webb College is no exception. The three boards, Trustees, Advisors and Ministerial Associates, truly give to assure the future of the college. There is no way to measure materially the amount of time given by these boards who have helped make Gardner-Webb what it is today.

### BOARD OF TRUSTEES

The Board of Trustees is composed of 39 men and women elected by the Baptist

State Convention of North Carolina. The trustees are responsible for the direction of the school and must approve all major changes in policy. They are elected annually on a rotating basis.

The trustees are responsible for the general oversight and control of the college, leaving the executive function to the president. It is the responsibility of the Board of Trustees to approve or disapprove the recommendations submitted by the president.

### BOARD OF ADVISORS

The Board of Advisors is made up of 77 men and women who have shown a real interest in the college and who have advocated by their actions they want to work toward

making Gardner-Webb one of the finest schools of its kind in the country.

The purpose of the Board of Advisors is to aid the present and future progress of the college by advising with the president and trustees and other administrative officials.

### MINISTERIAL BOARD

The Ministerial Board of Associates serves as a liaison group between the college and the churches. Its function is to help build better relations between the college and the churches. The board also may make recommendations to the board of trustees through the president. There are 193 members of the Ministerial Board of Associates.

# With The Alumni

Margaret Washburn (Mrs. Ray) Godfrey '44 is the note department manager of North Carolina National Bank in Winston-Salem and chair director of Union Cross Baptist Church in Kernersville. She has one grandson and one granddaughter.

The Rev. Ray Yarbrough, Sr. '45 is pastor of New Hope Baptist Church in Panchard. Edwin Harold Riedel '49 is employed by IBM Corp.'s Federal Systems Division as a manager of underwater ocean surveillance and new business. He handles computer programming support of research and development contracts and new business (external projects) in the area of ocean systems.

James W. Mason '50 and his wife, Grace V. Selvey Mason '50 are both in education. He is assistant superintendent of schools in Manassas, Va., where she is a teacher. Their son, James, plans to attend GWC next fall.

Margie Nancy Metcalf '50 finished Lenoir Rhyne College in 1968 and is teaching fourth grade at Granite Falls. She and her husband, Bill, who's principal of Granite Falls High School, have a son, Rowan, 10, and a daughter, Jennifer, 13.

Hoyt B. Howington '53 is controller of Thomas Equipment and Supply Co. in Charlotte.

Jean McSwain Deane '53 has been appointed academic dean of Howard Baptist Academy. She has been assistant dean of students at Meredith College for the past two years.

Geraldine Lorraine Woody Reeter '53 lives in Morganton and teaches seventh grade at Diesel Elementary School.

Carol Myers Sellers '53 teaches eighth and sixth grade home economics and earth space science at Griffin Junior High School in High Point. She and her family live at Route 6, Box 984, Thomasville, N.C.

Dorothy Godrick Dixon '54 is an assistant teacher in the state kindergarten at North Elementary School in Hanes Mountain.

Robert L. Heern '53 is reading coordinator at Severn Park Junior High School and was a speaker at the University of Maryland Reading Conference in Ocean City, Md., in October. His topic was "Use of Volunteer Reading Tutors in the Public Schools."

Kelth Eller '58 and his wife, Carolyn Proffitt Eller '58, make their home in Greensboro. Kelth is manager of the general accounts department of The Shelby Mutual Insurance Co., and Carolyn teaches in the city school system. They have two children.

James T. Bridges '58 is head of the English department at the College of the Albemarle in Elizabeth City. He and his wife, Julie, spend six weeks this past summer in England where he studied the life and works of William Shakespeare at Stratford-On-Avon.

Jaet E. Keller Swanson '61 of Lenoir is head of the physical education department and a teacher at Hudson High School.

Jerry Douglas McKinney '61 is a special agent for the Federal Bureau of Investigation. He and his wife, the former Joyce E. Philbeck, live in Hillsborough, Conn. He is taking graduate courses at the University of New Haven.

Robert F. Oster '61, who lives with his wife, Janet, in Stone Mountain, Ga., is a cardiovascular specialist with Transval Lake artificial organs division, involved with teaching, testing and marketing in the areas of open heart surgery, oxygenation and heart valves.

Paul M. and Jolet Gobbia Stanley '61 live in Conway, S.C., where he teaches physical education and coaches football, basketball and track at Conway High School.

Steve Long '62 is a sales representative for Carolina Frame and Trailer Service, Inc. of Charlotte.

The Rev. Jerry F. Gombie '62 is the new pastor of Thrift Baptist Church of Paw Creek. He formerly was pastor of Centerville Baptist Church in Kernersville. He and his wife, Shirley, have a son and a daughter.

Judith Fleke Tolt '62 and her husband, James R. Tolt '63 happily report that they have two children now—Christopher, born Dec. 23 last year, and Melissa Anne, 3½. Jim teaches junior high social science in Jacksonville, Fla., and Judy teaches private beginner piano students. They both plan to enter graduate school in Jacksonville University in January.

Judith Elaine Swanson '65 is a sixth grade elementary teacher in Wake County schools and lives in Raleigh.

Patay Crowder Calhoun '64 of Route 4, Shelby stays busy as the mother of three active sons. Her husband, Deag, is associated with Cleveland Dairy Products and Lutz-Yelton Tractor and Truck Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald E. Young (Dorcas Saunders) '65 made their home in Collierville as Ronald completed master's degree requirements in June. He was to begin teaching biology and coaching football at Baran High School in Cleveland County this past fall.

Dillon L. Swarr '65 is the new administrator of the Man Appalacheian Regional Hospital in Man, West Va. He formerly was assistant administrator of the Henton, Ky., Appalachian Regional Hospital.

Claude Ray Justice '66 and his wife Margaret Eve in Whiteville, where he is pastor of Trinity Baptist Church.

Jeffrey Scott Pedgett '66 is assistant principal of the Coltrane Webb Elementary School in Concord, where he makes his home with his wife Joy and son Joel Scott, born in June, 1972.

Cynthia S. Hamrick '66 lives at Route 1,

Shelby, and teaches math at Hunter Hess High School in Gaston County.

Faye Withers '67 is admissions officer at Reyster Memorial Hospital in Rolling Springs and recently was a candidate for a town council seat in her home town of Polkville.

Linda Odessa Avery '67 and Barry Lee McKinney were married recently in Cherryville. They are making their home in Louisville, Ky., where she is a student in the school of social work at the Southern Baptist Seminary.

Ralph O. Daking II '67 is the resident tennis pro at the Washington Golf and Country Club in Arlington, Va. Previously, he was the national tennis coach of the Barnum Federation Team in Burgooon, Burns, a State Department appointment.

Jane Butler Oakes '67 of Knoxville, Tenn., reports that she's going back to school to earn her B.S. degree in elementary education.

Ray Packard Sperry '68 and family live in Highland, N.Y. Ray is a secretary at State University College in New Paltz, N.Y., and her husband is an aircraft mechanic at Stewart Airport in Newburgh, N.Y.

The Rev. Floyd R. Bannerman, Jr. '68 and wife Yvonne have a new daughter, Krystal Azale, born Oct. 8. They live at Route 1, Paris, Ga., and Ind.

Wickie Saette Jackson '68 and Larry Reid Selzer '68 were married Oct. 27 and are living in Charlotte, where he is a member of the city police department and she is employed by Duke Power Co.

Linda Kluitt '68 and Bruce Watkins Loflin were married in October and are making their home in Charlotte.

Steven Avington '68 and James Edgar Beccord III '71 were married in August and live in Charlotte, where he is employed at West Charlotte High School and she is a Delta Air Lines stewardess.

James Henry Phillips '68 is a media specialist at Johnson County Technical Institute in Smithfield. He was married in August to Charlene Porterfield of Graham.

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## Change of Address

If this issue of The Web is being forwarded from your previous address, or if it's going to the home of your parents instead of your mail box, please take a moment to fill in the change of address form and mail it back to the Alumni Office, Gardner-Webb College, Hitting Springs, N.C. 28607. We'll appreciate it, and you'll be sure to get your Web.

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# College Ministerial Board Reorganizes

Thirty-six new members were welcomed and officers were elected at the recent annual reorganization meeting of the Ministerial Board of Associates of Gardner-Webb College. Hatcher Elliott, pastor of Beverly Hills Baptist Church in Asheville, was named chairman of the board.

The board is made up of 130 Baptist pastors from North Carolina, South Carolina and Virginia. S. Lawrence Childs, Jr., the association's secretary for the Mecklenburg Association, Charlotte, was named vice chairman, and Neal Eller, pastor of Union Grove Baptist Church in Kernersville, was named secretary. Stanley D. Webb, pastor of Crestwood Baptist Church in Winston-Salem, is the outgoing chairman.

The organization voted to recognize the outstanding young men and young women from each of the board member's churches at a dinner at Gardner-Webb, Feb. 14. The youth of the churches are to be recognized at youth appreciation services at the churches. In addition to being recognized at the dinner, they will be recognized at a concert by Ray Stevens on the Gardner-Webb campus.

## COMMITTEES

Committee chairmen and vice chairmen elected were as follows:

**Executive Committee**—S. Lawrence Childs, Jr., Charlotte, chairman; Hoyle B. Alexander, Gaffney, vice chairman; **Ministerial Education and Scholarship Committee**—Eugene B. Elvers, Lexington, chairman; J. Grady Paulk, Pringle, vice chairman; **Finance Committee**—Dewey Hobbs, Newton, chairman; T. W. Estes, Shelby, vice chairman; **Tone and Character Committee**—W. Clyde Bearden, Charlotte, chairman; Joe D. Coltrane, Hickory, vice chairman.

**Curriculum Committee**—James R. Bowen, Jr., Hickory, chairman; Raymond C. Neidham, Mayodan, vice chairman; **Nominating Committee**—W. Paul Eggers, Kings Mountain, chairman; Hoyle Alexander, Gaffney, vice chairman; **Church-College Relations Committee**—Arlan A. Ruckey, Bessemer City, chairman; Clyde H. Tucker, Midway Park, vice chairman; **Membership Committee**—Orin Beasley, Mt. Airy, chairman; Max Evington, Shelby, vice chairman.

## NEW MEMBERS

The new board members will serve four years. They are: Tom Bodkin, Mooreville; Clive Bowden, Shelby; B. Gerald Bridgus, Sr., Sanford; Robert W. Campbell, Calypso; Ernest H. Ferrell, Durham; Ray Furrott, Buffalo, S. C.; Lawrence Fox, Asheville; Thurman Fox, Winston-Salem; M. E. Gilson, Wilmington; William D. Goble, Jr., Meigsites; Dan Greer, Greenville, S. C.; Alvin Griffin, Fayetteville; Glenn Gantner, Asheville; Eugene Herdin, Jacksonville; Wilcox Harmon, Winston-Salem; W. C. H.H. Gaston, Tree Hagen, Concord, L. D. Huk, Raleigh; Ralph E. Huk, Jr., Charlotte; Charles H. Ingle, Iron Station; James Johnson, Ashe-

ville; Charles McNeill, Valdese; Samuel H. Murphy, Lexington; Paul Odum, Jacksonville; James P. Perham, Belmont; Fred Reed, Boone; Joe Del Rust, Harrisville; Cecil W. Seagle, Charlotte; Dan W. Silver, Newell;

Charles Stafford, High Point; Terry Tharp, Old Fort; Wayne Tuttle, East Rockingham; R. Howard Wagner, Yadonville; James Wall, Lenoire; Vincent Wall, Kernersville; and Donald Willis, Lincolnton.



**NEW OFFICERS**—The Rev. Hatcher Elliott, right, is the new chairman of Gardner-Webb's Ministerial Board of Associates. With him is the board's new secretary, the Rev. Neal Eller.

## Decker Heads Parents Association

New officers of the Gardner-Webb College Parents Association have been installed. The association elected Robert L. Decker at Shelby as the new president.

The new vice president is James Cherry of Gastonia, and the new secretary treasurer is Mrs. Carolyn Patmore of Shelby.

Membership of the organization is limited to parents of present and former students who have attended the college within the past four years and all former parents, guardians or sponsors who are contributors to the parents fund or are participating in some phase of fund activities.

The purpose of the organization is to provide a means whereby parents of present and former students can maintain closer relationship with the college and with other parents. The organization will also help plan and coordinate the annual Parents Day each year.

"We hope to provide a direct channel of communication between parents and Gardner-Webb," said Decker. "We hope this year to

organize parents by districts to give them an opportunity to tell the Gardner-Webb story to interested people in their area."

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It got smaller to be seen just how large our web will grow, but that much we know, once you're woven in, we never let you go. This is the spirit of Gardner-Webb.

## Lost, Strayed or Misplaced!

The alumni office hasn't been able to come up with the correct addresses of several former students with whom the college would like to keep in touch. Any reader who knows how any of the following can be reached is asked to notify the alumni office. Assistance will be appreciated.

William Thomas Abbott '64  
Elizabeth Ann Abernathy '58  
Patricia Ann Smith (Mrs. Jack)  
Abernathy '53  
The Rev. Hoyt Abrams '54  
The Rev. Earl Lee Absher '57  
Mrs. Pete C. Ackerman  
W. Newman Adair '11  
Robert Wayne Adams  
Mrs. Thelma Michael Adams '21  
Annie Aiken '11  
Mrs. Jacqueline Stanley Sasser  
Albright, Jr.  
Michael Aldridge '71  
Mary Cathryn Foster (Mrs.  
Michael) Aldridge '69  
Carl W. Allen '49



## Convention Gift

Thirty-six churches of the Ebenezer Baptist Sunday School Convention of Cleveland and Gaston Counties in North Carolina and Cherokee County in South Carolina have given Gardner-Webb College a check for \$200 to be used for student aid.

U. S. Hamilton of Bowling Springs, who has just retired after serving 14 years as president of the convention, made the presentation of the check.

"We think so much of Gardner-Webb and what the college is doing in this area that we felt we wanted to do something to help," said Hamilton. "For years the college has made a great contribution to the area in Christian education. We know that this is not much, but it shows our concern for students and the college."

## Time To Take Stock ... And Give Stock!

Most of us agree that December is the best month for giving gifts. Apparently we feel that the end of the year is a good time to take stock of our financial position . . . and perhaps give stock.

There are several reasons for giving contributions in December:

- Now's the time. After Dec. 31, it's too late to review your 1973 tax liability.
- Congress is considering sweeping changes to the tax laws, and there may be better tax advantages to giving in 1974 than in 1973.
- The end of the year gives you the best assessment of your tax situation. From an accounting view, December gifts can help you:
  - Keep out of a higher tax bracket.
  - Avoid excessive capital gains taxes.
  - Balance uneven income in two adjacent years.
  - Anticipate lower income for next year.
- The charitable contribution deduction is the easiest deduction to take at a specific time, because the timing is entirely within your control.

Won't you send a gift to Gardner-Webb's Annual Fund today? Use the coupon below:

Yes, I want to help provide the heat, lights, water and all the other necessities for a greater Gardner-Webb.

Yes, I want to provide scholarship help for deserving students.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

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City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

I enclose my gift of:

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_____ 500	_____ 50
_____ 250	_____ 25
_____ 100	_____ 10

Of course, all gifts are tax deductible. Remember to check with your company's personnel department to see if yours is a matching gift company. If so, your gift can be doubled. Contributions should be mailed to the *Annual Fund, Alumni Office, Gardner-Webb College, Bowling Springs, N.C. 28017.*

## More About Alumni

(Continued)

Linda Susanne Staley '69 of Lenoir is a computer programmer for Dreyfus Paritzers, Indiana.

Carol Ann Weatherly (Mrs. Steven Ray) Lawson '71 works in Chapel Hill, where her husband is a senior at the University of North Carolina.

Brenda Joyce Whitley '71 is teaching in the elementary field in Winston-Salem.

The Rev. Thomas C. Moore '71 is pastor of West Creek Baptist Church in Batesburg, S.C.

Taron Francis Beener Dochery '71 lives in Waynesville, where she teaches first grade students for children with learning problems.

Barbara Kayser Shook '72 of Rose Hill teaches fifth grade at Chappahall. Her husband, Carson Shook, is a student at Southeastern Seminary.

Frank Rex Zedick '73 has begun work at Lakeview Baptist Church in Hatterville, S.C., as minister of music and youth.

Forney (Shoet) Haggoldt '72 recently returned from a seven-day tour of Geneva, Switzerland, a trip he was from Lowe's Hardware, Inc. for salesmanship. He is a salesman and plumbing and heating manager of Lowe's of Morganton.

Annelia Martha Padgett '72 is a student in the School of Pharmacy at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.

Jayce Gayle Childers '72 lives in Taylorsville, where she teaches language arts in a combined classroom for fourth, fifth and sixth grades.

Larry W. Wood '72 and Cynthia Kaye Alexander, GWC junior, were married last May 26 and live in Kings Mountain, where Larry is personnel director of Carolina Throwing Co., Inc. He recently was licensed as a real estate broker. Cindy teaches voice, piano and organ when not attending classes herself.

Bill and Kay Cagle Cooley '73 live in Rocky Mount. Bill is associated with People's Bank and Kay works with Rocky Mount Mills personnel office.

Paul Shotton Rigsbee '73 was married Oct. 13 to Mary Jane Holckner, a nurse at Watts Hospital in Durham, where the two are living. Paul is a message trustee for Central Carolina Farmes and assistant manager of the Pittsboro Service Store.

Woody Wadsworth '73 is employed by Dixie Industrial Supply Co. in Shelby.

## Student Writes Theme Song

Many people shy away from becoming involved with problems of other people. Danny Cook of Boone does not shy away and for his efforts is receiving national recognition.

Cook, a freshman at Gardner-Webb College, has been addressed by the heartbreak that birth defects bring to a family since his elementary school days when he first became aware of the problem. As a sixth grader Cook became involved with the March of Dimes and since then has become a youth leader in the organization.

During his junior and senior years in high school he served as the Blue Ridge council chairman for six counties in Western North Carolina. The summer of 1973 he was appointed as the Western North Carolina chairman over the March of Dimes' Teen Action Program (TAP) and College Action Program (CAP).

As the Western North Carolina youth chairman, Cook attended the March of Dimes Convention in Boulder, Colorado, this past summer where the trend to his national recognition began. While at the convention, he and Tammy Martin, a delegate from Louisiana, sang a song which he had written about Kathy Garver, the national youth chairman, for the March of Dimes.

Miss Garver, better known as Sunny on the television program, Family Affair, had served the organization for six years. Cook composed the song in two days. He was asked to write another song.

Recently the organization adopted a new youth symbol. It was felt by the national leaders that a theme song was needed to emphasize the meaning of the March of Dimes symbol. Cook was contacted by Mrs. Louise Hay, the director of youth activities for the national foundation, to compose a theme song for the national organization.

Cook wrote "Moving Mountains" which has been adopted nationally as the March of Dimes youth theme song.

Cook has many responsibilities in the National organization. He helps coordinate youth programs for the state. He makes appearances throughout the state speaking to civic organizations and school on the role of the March of Dimes.

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"The March of Dimes is an educational and fund raising organization that works to combat birth defects," said Cook. "The March of Dimes serves the public by providing funds for research, offers medical services, provides professional education and public health education and offers valuable community services. Now the goal has almost been eliminated the effects of the organization are aimed toward birth defects."

"After seeing kids mentally and physically defective and seeing what the March of Dimes was doing to combat this I wanted to become more involved. The more I saw the more I wanted to do. I hope to make them problems the center of my life's work."

## In Memoriam

Carl E. Lethnes, Sr. '31 of Rock Hill, S.C., died Sept. 7, 1973.

Melvaue Margan Lowery, '42 died Aug. 21, 1973.

Wayne Stacey Smith '36 of Shelby, N.C., died June 2, 1973.

# Merry Christmas and Happy New Year