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Bevans Speaks, Scholars Receive Awards

Gardner-Webb College officially opened the 1980 academic semester with a formal Fall Convocation program in Bost Gymnasium at 9:30 a.m. on Thursday, Sept. 4.

During the program, president Craven E. Williams presented academic scholarships to eight Presidential Scholars and recognized the recipient of the coveted Spangler Leadership Award. Academic Cabinet member Dr. George Cribb announced the freshman, sophomore and junior scholastic achievement award winners; and Dr. John Bevan academic vice-president at the College of Charleston addressed the student body on the issue of what it means to be a liberal arts college in a day of increasing vocational interests and specializations.

He also spoke about human values. "It is the opinion of many social scientists today that in the short decades ahead there must be a huge re-evaluation of the goals and values of our society and that it will be in our universities where such a reevaluation will take place. I agree with their conclusion about the need for a complete reevaluation of goals and values of our society; but I find little support for the hypothesis that it will be accomplished in our universities. There is little evidence that our major universities have turned to look in a new direction let alone contemplate a new awareness. Their traditions and structures destine them to tunnel vision at a time when broad vision is needed. There are certain institutions whose traditions make them particularly sensitive and increasingly responsive to this challenge. These institutions are the church-related colleges,"

Dr. Bevan has held positions at the University of Florida, Florida Presbyterian College (now Eckerd College), Heidelberg College, Duke University and Davidson College.

He was a Cullum Scholar and received the North Carolina Governor's Award for Contributions to Higher Education.

Several students received academic honor awards during the Fall Convocation program.

Jamie Lynne McNeely, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McNeely of Greenville,



(L to R) President Williams, Jamie Lynne McNeely, Spangler Leadership Award recipient; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Spangler.

S.C., received the Spangler Leadership Award established in 1979 by Mr. and Mrs. Earl Spangler of Shelby. It is given to an entering freshman with the most predictable potential and demonstrated practical leadership ability as shown by participation in school, community and church activities. Miss McNeely, a graduate of Berea High School in Greenville has received the American Legion Good Citizenship Award, the DAR History Essay Award, the Outstanding English Award and the Outstanding Home Economics Student Award.

Dr. Craven E. Williams, recognized eight students to receive the Presidential Scholar Awards, named in honor of former presidents of the college. This year's scholars averaged 1154 on their Scholastic Aptitude Test and ranked in the top three percent of their respective classes. From 100 well-qualified applicants, 33 finalists were interviewed, and eight students selected to receive the

The 1980 recipients were Kirby Todd Phillips, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Phillips of Charlotte; Angela Darlene Gasperson, daughter of Mrs. Norma Gasperson of Hendersonville; Rosalind Tracey Tucker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Tucker of Charlotte; Linda Carol Greene, daughter

of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Greene of Mount Holly; Karen R. Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wilson of Lexington; Carolyn Elaine McCarter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Grady McCarter of Canton; Kimberly Diane Howard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Howard of Oakboro; and Jonathan Edward Barry Scott, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward James Barry Scott of Miami, Florida.

Scholastic award students from each Gardner-Webb class were also named. They are sophomore, Cindy Dee Patterson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth T. Patterson of Taylorsville, with a freshman grade point average of 3.91; Julia Ann Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William C. Johnson of Morganton, a sophomore with a grade average of 3.87; Mary Louise Abrams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Abrams of Boiling Springs, and Rachel Elisabeth Schlafer, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. F.G. Schlafer of Knoxville, Tenn., junior class members with a perfect quality point ratio of 4.0.

See Page 2 For **Convocation Construction Begins** \$200,000 Porter Gift Announced

Presidential Medallion Designed

A gift, symbolic of Gardner-Webb College's 75 years of existence will serve as a tangible memory for the future.

Members of the Alumni Association Board of Directors met in March and decided to present a gift to the College on the occasion of its 75th anniversary.

The gift of a majestic presidential medallion was decided upon, and on Thursday morning, Sept. 4, the presentation was made.

The face of the Presidential Medallion bears a three-dimensional replica of the college seal. The reverse side displays an engraving of the E. B. Hamrick Building, the only remaining original structure on

The Presidential Medallion was designed and executed by Beam's Manufacturing Jewelers of Charlotte, N. C.

Dan Moore, president of the Alumni



Medallion Obverse

Association Board of Directors, presented the Presidential Medallion to Chairman of the Board of Trustees, Hobart Smith, who in turn invested Dr. Craven E. Williams, president of the college with this symbol of office.

Moore said, "We wanted to give a tangible object that would remain at the college through the years. It's a tradition among colleges for the president to wear a medallion during official ceremonies."

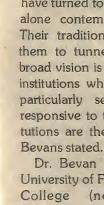
The funds for purchasing the 3½ inch medallion were made possible through contributions from forty active members of the 1980-81 Alumni Association Board of Directors.

College Alumni Association Director Mrs. Nancy Sarazen was pleased with the Board's overall enthusiasm concerning the project. "I am delighted to see the Alumni Board's plans for an anniversary gift realized," Mrs. Sarazen said. "It certainly is fitting that the gift is presented on the day Gardner-Webb begins a new era with the construction of the \$3.5 million Lutz-Yelton Convocation Center."

The medallion will remain on display in the President's office in the Webb Administration Building when not being worn.



Medallion Reverse





President's Corner

(Editor's Note: On July 7, 1980, President Craven Williams addressed the College faculty outlining a creative approach to academic governance. The principle of academic selfgovernance as outlined by the president, has received a support grant from the Smith Richardson Foundation. Following are excerpts from his presentation to the faculty.)

The "Preamble" to the Gardner-Webb College Faculty Constitution states: "... the Trustees and President, subject to the charter of the institution, must exercise a final, legal responsibility, and thus authority for decisionmaking in the determination of college policy." However, this college, along with most others, maintains that a community, ". . . organized for the advancement and transmission of knowledge . . ." should be guided and led by the teaching faculty. Most colleges and universities hold up this ideal in all their formal utterances and eloquent speeches. How many colleges do you know where that ideal is truly practiced, not just preached? How many colleges do you know where academic self-governance is structured into working patterns, not just inserted into flowing rhetoric? How many colleges do you know where the ideal expressed in our

faculty constitution, the ideal of sharing responsibility for the learning activities of the institution with those ". . . professionally devoted to those activities . . . "-is carefully programmed into the operation of the college?

This is the opportunity we have at Gardner-Webb College now. We are in a position to do something which, to my knowledge, has no precedent whatsoever in academic institutions in this country. We have the opportunity of practicing the ideal of academic selfgovernance in a manner which could well become a model for colleges and universities throughout the nation who have the courage, the self-confidence, the camaraderie and the faculty talent which we have. In brief, what I am proposing is that academic leadership for Gardner-Webb be structurally as well as ideally shared with the faculty of Gardner-Webb College.

This is how it will work. I would like to establish what we might call an Academic Cabinet. This cabinet will consist of those whom you have elected from your own body to lead you: the Vice-Chairmen of the Faculty. The current Vice-Chairman, Dr. George Cribb, plus his three immediate predecessors: Dr. Charles Andrews, Dr. Paul Jolley and Dr. Robert Lamb, have been selected not by the president or the

Board of Trustees, but by the faculty. These are the people in whom you have expressed your strongest confidence by naming them to the highest elective office available at Gardner-Webb College. These four Vice-Chairmen, plus the President will form the Academic Cabinet. All the constitutionally called for duties and responsibilities of the Dean of the college will be carried forward by this cabinet either as a unit or individually.

In order to assure frequent access to the very best thinking in higher education on matters concerning faculty development, curriculum planning, general education and other subjects both conceptual and very practical, I am recommending, and am prepared to make budgetary allowances, to permit us to bring to our campus on a regular basis, once or twice a month, nationally recognized experts. These consultants can bring on-going objectivity and evaluation to the work of our standing faculty committees and the



Curriculum Review Committee. In other words, this college faculty will be able to carry on with the important work you have begun, with periodic injections of new ideas, new concepts, and critical assessment by visiting consultants—the very best available.

Another important point needs to be made here. Any experiment in education needs to be tested and its effectiveness measured and evaluated. In the very near future, I hope to suggest a precise means of evaluating this system. It is likely, the means of evaluation will involve a written survey of the faculty and students, plus personal interviews conducted by outside consultants. If it works effectively, then fine; if it does not work effectively we will launch our search for a new Academic Dean.

In recent months, this college has gained nationwide attention as one of only three colleges in the United States which has staunchly issued a declaration of independence. We believe in the principles of independence, individuality and autonomy. This system of academic self-governance is to me an exciting example of that philosophical concept. We will be decentralizing our government, and putting it more directly in the hands of those who are governed by it—the faculty of Gardner-Webb College.

Again today I am reminded of the words of Henrik Ibsen, the Norwegian playwright who wrote in 1882: "...the strongest man in the world is he who stands most alone."

That statement is true for individuals. It is also true for institu-

College Receives \$200,000 Gift

Construction for \$3.5 Million Lutz-Yelton Convocation Center Begins



Dr. Craven E. Williams with Mr. and Mrs. Paul B. Porter.

Ten years of dreaming about a structure to enhance the programs of Health, Physical Education, intramurals, Fine Arts and intercollegiate basketball received a major boost on the Gardner-Webb College campus September 4th.

During the Fall Convocation program, it was announced that gifts and pledges to the Lutz-Yelton Convocation Center had reached the \$3,150,000 mark with a \$200,000 gift from Paul B. Porter, chairman of the Board of Porter Brothers, Inc.,

Shelby. Because of that announcement, Gardner-Webb College President Dr. Craven E. Williams remarked, "This gift is most decisive. It enables us to make the long awaited decision to sign the contract and proceed with construction of the Lutz-Yelton Convocation Center."

As students, faculty and friends were adjourned from the official opening ceremonies of the college, construction workers had moved on the barren site and proceeded with the actual construc-

Gifts for the center, in honor of Paul B. Porter, now total \$300,000. The basketball arena, which will be one of the most modern and sophisticated facilities of its sort in the region, will be designated the Paul Porter Arena.

In late July, The Kresge Foundation of Troy, Michigan announced a challenge grant of \$150,000 contingent upon the college's securing the \$550,000 balance required for the construction of the Center. "The splendid gift from Paul Porter gets us off to a fine beginning on meeting the Kresge challenge," noted Hobart Smith, chairman of the Board of Trustees.

To this point, over 500 volunteers have been responsible for securing gifts for the convocation center. "With the campaign approaching the ultimate goal of \$3.5

million, workers are becoming greatly enthused to see their efforts being realized," added Pat Spangler, campaign

The Lutz-Yelton Convocation Center will be the heart of the campus for much of student life. The building will feature the Wayne DeHart Arcade, the Paul Porter Arena with a seating capacity of 4,500, classrooms for the physical education department, a human performance laboratory, and an exquisite fine arts theatre with a seating capacity for 600 named in honor of Mrs. Kathleen Dover.

As Williams spoke of the upcoming. effects of the new 65,000 square foot structure, he stated, "The completion of this building will fill a major void in the life of this campus. Our musicians have no stage on which to perform. The completion of this building will fix that. Our Health and Physical Education majors have no laboratory and activity areas. The completion of this building will fix that. Our basketball team has no arena appropriate for their skills. The completion of this building will fix that. Our 1500 students have no recreational area for free play. The completion of this building will fix that."

Laxton Construction Company of Charlotte are contractors for the project.

G-W Receives First Research Grant

The Cottrell Research Corporation of New York City has awarded a \$17,000 summer research grant to the Chemistry department of Gardner-Webb College.

The research program, entitled "The Chemistry of Copper Systems With

Smith Richardson Awards Grant

An \$11,000 grant has been awarded to Gardner-Webb College from the Smith Richardson Foundation, Inc. of Greensboro, North Carolina, for the purpose of supporting an experiment in academic governance.

The announcement was made Wednesday (August 20) during a faculty retreat at Pine Mountain Lakes in Burke County.

In July, Dr. Craven E. Williams, president of Gardner-Webb College, made a proposal to the faculty that will require the teaching faculty to share more directly in the responsibilities of the instructional program. The administration of the experiment will be carried out by an Academic Cabinet which consists of four individuals elected by the faculty, plus the president of the college, who will preside over the cabinet. The cabinet, through individual assignments and weekly meetings, will carry out the duties normally held by an academic dean.

In announcing approval of the grant, Administrative Vice-President G. C. Eichhorn of the Smith Richardson Foundation, Inc. stated in a letter that if the experiment is successful, "the change in general college administration as proposed by you (Gardner-Webb College) will make an important contribution in an administrative area that apparently has been a problem with many institutions over recent years." He continued his letter stating that he hoped Gardner-Webb College would be "eminently successful and that a pattern can be established which will receive favorable consideration among institutions similar to Gardner-Webb College."

The Smith-Richardson Foundation, Inc. issued \$3,829,017 in grants during the 1979 year. One of their major projects is to provide funds for the general support of the Center for Creative Leadership in Greensboro, N.C. The center's major objective is to improve, by research and training, the techniques for assessing and developing leaders.

The faculty retreat sessions at Pine Mountain Lakes also included a discussion of the new core curriculum conducted by Chairman Richard McBride. A special presentation on deaf awareness was presented by Stephanie Brown, coordinator of interpreters for the deaf program.

Highlighting the two-day retreat was a presentation on "Contemporary Perspectives on General Education" by Dr. Jeffy Gaff of the General Education Models office in Washington, D.C.

Chelating Imidazole-Thioether Donors," is the first chemical research program ever to be initiated at Gardner-Webb College. A chemistry major was added to the curriculum in 1976.

Dr. Joseph L. Hughey, an assistant chemistry professor, submitted the application. "This research is expected to stimulate interest and provide advanced professional training in chemistry," Dr. Hughey said. "This research will provide advanced training in techniques of analytical, inorganic, organic and physical chemistry."

The grant will allow research to be conducted on the Gardner-Webb campus during the summers of 1981 and 1982. Two honor students in the science department will be selected to participate in the research program along with Dr. Hughey. The college will provide the housing and accommodations for the stulaboratory. Funds from the grant will be used for chemical supplies, basic synthetic equipment, student stipends and the principal investigator's salary.

"Undergraduates are quite capable of successful research training, including those who have only completed the first year of general chemistry," Dr. Hughey said.

A graduate of Georgia Institute of Technology with a B.S. degree in Chemistry, Dr. Hughey received a Ph.D., from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. Before coming to Gardner-Webb in 1979, he was a post-doctoral fellow at Ohio State University and Rutgers University in New Jersey.

Dr. Charles Andrews, a member of the college's Academic Cabinet stated, "This is the sort of research undertaking that provides professional growth opportunities for students and faculty in the department of Chemistry. It will greatly enhance the college's prestige in undergraduate chemistry research. We are honored that another of our programs has been able to successfully compete at the national level."



Jolley Receives Management Degree

Mrs. Catherine Jolley, manager of the Gardner-Webb bookstore, has received a degree in Bookstore Management from the National Association of College Store Management.

Mrs. Jolley received the 1978 Earl Wilson Scholarship of College Stores Management for an essay written on how a management seminar would benefit her as a bookstore manager. She has attended seminars on the Oberlin College campus in Oberlin, Ohio during the past two summers.

A Boiling Springs native, Mrs. Jolley has been with Gardner-Webb for seven years. She is the wife of Elmer Jolley.

Those Were The Years

Yes Jeny Doby, you're right. The lady's name was not Dean but she was Dean of Women at Gardner-Webb, Mable Starnes. Jeny G. Doby, '55-'56, of Route 5, Thomasville, N.C. answered our last "Those Were The Years" correctly by writing, "The charming lady is none other than the girls dorm guardian angel-Miss Mabel Starnes. Jeny will be sent a gift from the Alumni Office. Another response from Jonelle (Teague) Jett was so delightful, it is reprinted for your pleasure. We would love to hear from you about your years at Gardner-Webb. Now were the lights really all out

at 10:00 p.m.? Write us! Also, guess who this lovely May beauty is.

Dear Mrs. Putnam:

I attended Gardner-Webb College 1950-1952 when Mable Starnes was Dean of Women and our housemother. My kids think I am exaggerating when I tell about the rules we had then but anyone that attended during those years will vouch for me that times have really changed. I was called into her room more than once or twice!

Jonell (Teague) Jett P.O. Box 945 Monroe, Georgia 30655



! HOMECOMING!!

October 18

Fill The Car With Family And Friends.

Barbecue - Stadium Area - 11:30 on

\$2.50/person (children 5 & under—free)

FOOTBALL GAME — 1:00 p.m.

GWC vs. LIBERTY BAPTIST



Nancy Sarazen

From

The

Director's

Chair

1. Boiling Springs phonathon in June secured \$1525 in contributions from 43 alumni and friends for the 1979-80 Annual College Fund.

Are you interested in a phonathon in your area? Contact Alumni Office!

2. Burke County alumni and friends of Gardner-Webb College gathered at the Lake James home of Rance and Betty (Ledford) Henderson on August 23, for a day of food and fun. Families enjoyed fishing, swimming, boating, and eating.

3. Homecoming: Barbecue for everyone! Come greet your friends and classmates at this picnic-style lunch on the stadium grounds prior to the football game. Picnic will be served from 11:30 on. Game is set for 1:00. Mark OCTOBER 18 on your calendar NOW.

4. What's an SAC? A member of the Student Alumni Council. What does an SAC do? Read the next issue of "The Web" for pictures and answers.

5. Full house! That's what we have. Not a spare bed on campus. Residential students for the fall semester have filled every available space, including all recently converted units.

Miss Cullinan Has Article Published

If insomnia keeps you pacing the floor all night, you may be suffering from unresolved guilt.

That's what Dr. Alice R. Cullinan, assistant professor of religion and religious education at Gardner-Webb College writes in an article entitled "What's Your Problem?/Where to Go For Help," published in the June issue of *The Student*, a Christian collegiate magazine.

Burkett Studies Fireflies

The firefly mating process is included in one of three articles written by Dr. Barbara Burkett and recently submitted to Encyclopedia Americana. They are scheduled to be published in the 1981 or 1982 volumes.

Those fireflies that come out at the first sign of warm weather and light up the summer skies until sometime in late summer aren't just buzzing around aimlessly.

Blackburn Attends Conference

Dr. Robert Blackburn, chairman of the Health and Physical Education Department attended the annual conference of the American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance held in Washington, D.C. this summer.



Dr. Robert Blackburn

The conference was held especially for state and district presidents-elect. As president of the Association's N.C. chapter, Blackburn made presentations dealing with the reorganization of the N.C. chapter and the emphasis being made on political involvement on a local level. Blackburn encouraged members to take an active political role in their communities.

Sitting Down With Hobart Smith



It was like a "fireside chat" sitting down with Hobart Smith, gathering material for The Web. Only a few minutes elapsed and already the genuine qualities of a sincere college trustee and Christian individual were amiably emerging from the Charlottean.

Hobart's 12-year term ends in December, sadly taking him away from the role of Chairman of the Board of Trustees. As we talked about desirable characteristics in a person wanting to become a trustee, a glitter in Hobart's eyes would assure anyone that he is the type of trustee that every college is searching for.

"The most important role of a trustee is to have a genuine interest in the school. He needs to make himself aware of the total policy of the school with his primary purpose to see that the policy is carried out. He also needs to always be interested in directing young people to the school," Hobart said.

Founder of the 20-year-old Hobart Smith Construction Company and Hobart Smith Realty Company, Hobart's link to Gardner-Webb College was in a younger brother who was graduated in 1952. The tie began to strengthen and in 1968, Smith became one of the 32 trustees guiding the college toward attainment of its many dreams, pushing it

toward the reality of being a four year institution, initiating a Master's program and expanding academic courses to accommodate the ever-growing number of adult learners. During his term as chairman, noted advancements in the hearing-impaired program have been made and now, construction on a \$3.5 million building that will be the center of student life, a regional arena for athletics, and a sophisticated fine arts theatre has begun.

As changes have been made, Höbart has made sure that this college substains the high Christian qualities that he and the Baptist State Convention expect.

The chairman agrees with the philosophy of Gardner-Webb officials on the college's future. "The present thinking of Gardner-Webb and its administration is to always have a good 1400 to 1500 solid student enrollment. We can do this by offering programs as the recent graduate degree courses and expanding on our present programs. We also want to make Gardner-Webb a first choice school," he stated.

Hobart's concerns about Gardner-Webb College are just as genuine as the person Hobart Smith is. While thinking about his business ventures and his personal life he gets excited reminiscing about one family project. "One of the most gratifying projects our family has, is the sponsoring of missionaries. We've been doing it for the last 15 years," he said. The stories of missionaries in Japan, India, Indonesia, Africa, South America and other countries could fill an intriguing book if Hobart desired to start the first chapter.

"You know, I've thought about discontinuing my missionary sponsoring a cou-

ple of times, but I couldn't do that any more than I could stop drinking water," softly spoke Smith.

Hobart's personal Christian dedication goes much deeper than supporting missionaries.

Every Monday morning, he has breakfast with the Christian Businessmen's Committee, an organization in Charlotte that Hobart has served as chairman and also as a past International Director.

Hobart and his wife of nearly 35 years, Dorothy, also have an exciting hobby of collecting Chinese porcelain.

Like many collectors, their interest stemmed through a friend. "We started studying Chinese porcelain and it's like studying Chinese history, just fascinating. We purchased some on a trip to England and have found pieces here and there," he said.

Hobart's unique collection includes a valuable pair of Ming vases, created during the Ming dynasty of 1590-1620. "Porcelain made through each period," he explained, "has different characteristics; as one was noted for the bright colors and another was known for the shape but made to the specifications of that particular ruler."

Another prize piece is an elegant Chinese screen enhanced by two elephants carved out of wood, now extinct, dating back to the Ming dynasty and is surrounded by many intricate carvings consisting of ivory, also collocate of the Ming period.

One of Hobart's favorite collector pieces is a pair of egg shell vases. "Some people have asked to buy certain pieces but I don't care about selling them. Since I won't sell them the piece they want they say, "Well, which piece will you sell?" If I ever decided to sell something, I wouldn't

be able to decide which one," he laughed.

Hobart's life has been filled with the hustle and bustle of business activities for many years. He worked ten years in the banking profession and four years as general manager of a building supply and lumber company.

Working on a philosophy that Gardner-Webb so proudly believes, the free enterprise system, Hobart made a decision.

"I felt I could make it on my own. If I could work and make other people money, then I felt I could do it for myself too," he stated.

Twenty years ago, Hobart Smith Construction Company was started.

"On August 13, 1960, I started my first project. It was a tight money situation, kind of like today. During the 60's, there was not a great deal of change in the building industry but beginning with the period of 1974, 1975 rapidly rising inflation and high interest rates began to play a major part in the way people qualified for a loan. A house that used to cost \$12,000 to put up then, cost up to \$50,000 now," Smith said, shaking his head.

As Hobart's business ventures began, he first agreed to purchase a small number of building lots to start a housing community. "I ended up buying 507 lots and naming it Hidden Valley," he told.

Fate has been kind to the Mebane, N.C. native, many times along the road to success. One might well believe that his unshaken religious faith has stood strong inside him leading him to the fulfilling life he has created for himself as well as for others, including Gardner-Webb College.



705 been appointed assistant coach for basketball at Furman University. Linda Cody Shelton, '78, teaches and coaches at Travelers Rest High School. The Sheltons live in Greenville, S.C.

David R. Blanton, '77, was graduated from New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary in May of 1980 with a Master of Church Music. David is Minister of Music and Youth at Palm View First Baptist Church in Palmetto, Florida. His wife Janice is the church secretary.

John Richard Trexler, '76, re-

Mitchell Jolley Is Named Comptroller

Mitchell Jolley, a native of Rutherford County, has been promoted to Comptroller of Gardner-Webb College, effective Sept. 1. The announcement was made by Barry Hartis, vice-president for Business and Finance.

A graduate of Gardner-Webb College with a B.S. Degree in Business Administration, Jolley has been employed in the business department since May, 1979.

As comptroller, he will be responsible for preparing budget reports and will be the purchasing agent for the college.

Jolley and his wife, the former Anita Thompson, live in the Shiloh Community of Rutherford County.

cently graduated with the Master of Divinity in Religious Education degree from Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary at Wake Forest. A former Baptist Student Union Director at Gardner-Webb, he is presently campus minister at Eastern Kentucky University.

Dana W. Ross, '75, has been commissioned a second lieutenant in the Air Force upon graduation from Officer Training School at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas. Lt Ross is stationed at Wright-Patterson Air Force Base, Ohio, as a computer systems officer.

Steve Freeman, '70, graduated from Auburn University School of Veterinary Medicine on June 6, 1980.

Receiving Master of Religious Education Degrees from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Ft. Worth, Texas, are: Sarah Anne Ivill, '77, Dennis Lee Ludwick, '76, Sophia R. Steibel, '77, and Gaylin Wylie, '77.

Robert Conrad Pettyjohn, '77, is a senior at Southern Baptist Theological Seminary. He is presently serving as Pastor of Franklinton Baptist Church, Franklinton, Kentucky. His wife Karen Chapman Pettyjohn, '77, is a math teacher at Oldham County Middle School. The couple resides in Pleasure-ville, Kentucky.

Glenn Franklin Phillips, Jr., '79, was ordained by Siler City First Church. He is a student at Southeastern Seminary and youth director at Henderson First Church. He is married to the former Allison Wilson, and they live in Henderson, N.C.

Receiving Master of Divinity degrees from Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, Louisville, Kentucky are: Ronald Reid Settle, '77, Herbert Bruce Treece, '74, and Robert B. Setzer, Jr., '76, Jack Boyce Millwood, Jr., '77, Daniel Dorrel Robinson,

'76, and Thomas Lee Watson, '76.

Receiving Master of Church Music degrees from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Ft. Worth, Texas, are: Paul Vernon McManus, Jr., '73, and Terry Lee Smith, '77.

David Tiller, '73, is the new Minister of Education at the West Asheville Baptist Church in Asheville, N.C.

Hammond A. Coates, '74, is Minister of Education and Youth at First Baptist Church, Bluefield, West Virginia.

Joe Morris, '79, is an insurance agent for Pilot Life Insurance Company in Richmond, Virginia, where he resides.

Fred L. Eisenhower, '78, has accepted a position with Philip Morris U.S.A. in Richmond, Virginia. His position involves the selection and buying of tobacco, both foreign and domestic.

Joe D. Coltrane, '61, received the Doctor of Ministry
degree from Union Theological Seminary in Virginia. He holds the
A.B. degree from High Point College
and the M.Div. degree from Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary at
Wake Forest. Currently, he is pastor of
the Lewisville Baptist Church and
moderator of the Pilot Mountain Baptist
Association.

Betty Emmett Knox,
50s '54, received the Ed.D. from
North Carolina State University in May 1979. She has served for
over 20 years as a teacher, counselor,
consultant, and assistant director of admissions (UNC-C) and owner of her own
business: Counseling and Educational
Consulting Services, Raleigh, N.C.

Reese Honeycutt, '52, has been named Kentucky's Outstanding Cooperative Education Employer for the 1979-80 school year. Honeycutt was nominated by Western Kentucky University, where he served as a member of the University Steering Committee for Cooperative Education which developed policies and procedures for the operation of the co-op program. He has offered insights from an employer's perspective and from that of a citizen actively involved in the community. He is Manager of

Griggs Assumes New Position

Keith Griggs, assistant professor of business and data processing at Gardner-Webb College, has been named assistant dean of continuing education and summer school. He has assumed duties under the direction of Dr. Larry Sale, dean of that department.

A native of Alamance County, Griggs joined the Gardner-Webb faculty in 1965.

As assistant dean of continuing education and summer school, Griggs will help in the recruitment of students in the Greater Opportunities for Adult Learners (GOAL) program at all regional centers; will assist in the development and coordination of regional centers; and help design, implement and evaluate all existing and new programs administered by the Department of Continuing Education and Summer School.

Griggs will continue some of his teaching duties at Gardner-Webb.

the District Social Security Office in Bowling Green, Kentucky.

DEATHS

Maggie Harden Humphries, '11, of Shelby, N. C.

Alma K. McCracken, '25, of Charlotte, N.C.

Rufus E. Martin, '28, of Spartanburg, S.C.

Lloyd Bryant Hales, '51, of Charlotte, N.C.

Betty Emmett Knox, '54, of Raleigh, N.C.

Hoke A. Blackwelder, '71, of Cherryville, N.C.

BIRTHS

Charles E. Mack, III, '76, and wife, Stephanie announce the birth of Charles Ernest, IV, May 30, 1980. Charles is Head Golf Professional at Cedar Point Club in Suffolk, Virginia. They reside in Portsmouth, Virginia.

Tommy Huddleston, '74, and Lucy Hobeika Huddleston, '71, became the proud parents of Alice Rebecca, February 25, 1980. Tommy recently received the Doctor of Ministry degree from Luther Rice Seminary in Jacksonville, Florida. He is the associate pastor of Siloan Baptist Church, Easley, S.C.

Sarah Moore Moore, '64, and husband James announce the birth of their third child, David Ormond, March 24, 1980. They have two other sons; Brian (11) and Darren (7). The Moores live in Matthews, N.C.

Ronald F. Wilson, '67, and Linda Goforth Wilson, '67, announce the birth of their second son, Andrew Michael, March 9, 1980. They have a son, Chris, who is four years old. Ronald is principal of Lattimore Elementary School in Lattimore, N.C.

Phil Hopkins, '72, and wife Betsy announce the birth of Somer Elizabeth, March 3, 1980. They have a son, Phillip David, Jr., who is two years old. Phil is head basketball coach and physical education teacher at Wren High School, Piedmond, S.C. They reside in Easley, S.C.

Jerry Ruppe, '71, and Mary Beth James Ruppe, '72, announce the birth of Samuel James, August 6, 1980. They also have a daughter, Dixie, 2½. Jerry teaches at Crest Jr. High, and Mary Beth teaches at Polkville. Elementary School. They live in Shelby.

Deborah B. Putnam, '70 & '78, and husband Mike announce the birth of their second child, Nicole Chérie (Nikki). September 4, 1980. They have one son, Mikey, age four. Mike is vice-president of sales at E O Corporation in Shelby and Deborah is information services director and editor of The Web at Gardner Webb.

Admissions Update

The Gardner-Webb College Admissions Office is very appreciative of continuing efforts by our loyal alumni who give us names of students who may be interested or benefit from GWC challenging academic programs. Many of these types of leads become successful GWC students. Thank you for your support in the past. Please use the form below to recommend potential Gardner-Webb College students.

Freshman Transfer
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_ Grad. date
_ Your grad. year

Return to: Richard Holbrook
Director of Admissions
Gardner-Webb College
Boiling Springs, North Carolina 28017

MARRIAGES

Joe Carol Wrape, '76, and John Mercer Thorp, Jr., were married May 31, 1980. After receiving her A.A. in nursing from GWC, she received her B.S. in nursing from Atlantic Christian College in December 1978. She is a registered nurse in the Coronary Care Unit of Pitt Memorial Hospital in Greenville, N.C. John graduated from UNC-Charlotte and is presently a medical student at the East Carolina University School of Medicine in Greenville.

James Burlie Parker, III, '80, and Deborah Carol Lankford, '79, were married June 21, 1980. Jim is employed at Milliken and Co., Golden Valley, Bostic, as a management trainee. Debbie is employed at Rutherford Hospital as a registered nurse. The couple resides in Forest City, N.C.

Roy Bissell Cooper, '75, and Dirce Mitsue Sirazawa, were married April 12, 1980. Roy received his Master of Divinity degree at Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in the fall of 1978 and is now completing courses leading to his doctorate. Dirce received a Bachelor of Music degree from Baptist Seminary in Rio de Janeiro and her Master of Church Music degree in 1978 from Southwestern. The couple resides in Fort Worth, Texas.

Bulo Ervin Price, III, '76, and Hope McAlynn Sinclair, '77, were married May 3, 1980. Bulo is co-owner in business at the Ora Super Market in Shelby, where they live.

Coleman Hughes Rimmer, Jr., '77, and Cathy Ora Coggins, '80, were married May 24, 1980. He received his Master of Divinity degree from Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary. She is a student at Southeastern. The couple resides in Wake Forest, N.C.

Emalee Susan Hanna, '75, and

John Charles Read were married May 17, 1980. Emalee is employed as a chemist at Travenol Laboratories, Inc., in Marion, N.C. He is employed as pharmacist with Eckerd Drugs in Asheville. The couple resides in Marion.

Karen Ruth Marcus, '76, and Marc Louis Pendley were married June 1, 1980. They both are working toward Master of Divinity degrees at Southwestern Seminary in Fort Worth, Texas.

Herbert Ray Riley, '80, and Katina Hayes, '79, were married June 8, 1980. He earned a B.S. degree in physical education and she is a teacher at Skyland Elementary School, having obtained a B.S. degree in early childhood education. They will live in Greenville S.C.

David Scott Dover, '72, and Kathy June Ledford were married June 7, 1980. David is a self-employed carpenter. Kathy is employed by Fiber Industries. The couple resides in Shelby.

Myra Gail Call, '76, and Robert Holt Pickard were married June 14, 1980. Myra received an A.A. degree in nursing from GWC and has recently received her B.S. in nursing from UNC-Charlotte. Robert is presently employed in the Computer Operations Department of NCNB Corporate Service Center in Charlotte. The couple resides in Charlotte.

Hugh Allen Hawkins, '72, and Reatha Anne Davis were married May 2, 1980. He is employed at Fiber Industries. She is a production operator at Fiber. They reside in Greenville, S.C.

Myra Lynn Blackwell, '78, and Bob Phil Pike were married June 7, 1980. Myra is a nurse at Memorial Mission Hospital of Western North Carolina, Inc., Asheville. He is in the construction business. The couple lives in Spartanburg.

Robin Cordelia Hall, '78, and Thomas Franklin Cogan were married June 7, 1980. She is a self-employed music teacher and is the music director at Old St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Newton, N.C. He is a student at Trinity Lutheran Seminary in Columbus, Ohio. and is on internship at Miller's Lutheran Church in Hickory, N.C. The couple will reside in Columbus, Ohio.

Darrell Brantley Bare, '79, and Dawn Marie Sisson, '80, were married May 17, 1980. Darrell is presently attending Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary in Wake Forest. Dawn is employed as a designer at a Raleigh florist. The couple resides at Wake Forest, N.C.

Victoria Susan Fowler, '79, and Carl Stanley Surratt were married July 12, 1980. She is employed by Surry County Schools. He is a graduate of Forsyth Technical Institute and works for Western Electric Company.

Danny Lee Seamon, '79 and Susan Colette Shue, '80, were married June 7, 1980. He is employed in the dying and yarn department at Wiscassett Mill, Albemarle, as a management trainee. She is employed as an assistant teacher to four-year-olds at The Little Red Schoolhouse. The couple resides in Albemarle.

Rebecca Lewis Bost, '77, and George Henry Leggett were married May 24, 1980. The couple are master's degree candidates at UNC, Greensboro. He is also employed as a sales representative with Automotive Fasteners, Greensboro, where they reside.

Sarah Elizabeth Harrison, '74, and Albert Lee Laynard were married April 27, 1980. She received a B.S. degree in Social Science from GWC. He is a graduate of Western Carolina University. He is employed with GenPak Corporation in Forest City, where the couple resides.

Debra Ann Pierson, '78, and Samuel Shannon Bolinger were married June 21, 1980. She is employed as a grade teacher in McDowell County Schools. He is a student at Gardner-Webb majoring in business administration.

Ray (Bud) Purvis Goude, Jr., '80, and Donna Lea Gibson, '78, were married June 21, 1980. He is employed with the Shelby City Fire Department. She is employed with the Rutherford County Schools. They reside in Shelby.

Sebastian Teasley Cooke, II, '72, and Anna Catherine Downs were married June 7, 1980. He is a computer analyst with M & J Finance Co., Shelby, and is a member of Data Processing Management Association. She teaches business education in the Gaston County school system. The couple resides in Shelby.

Elizabeth Ann Summers, '78, and Dale Wayne Heffner, (Senior at GWC), were married June 6, 1980. She is employed by Hudson's House of Fab-

rics and Needlecrafts in Shelby. He is a senior at Gardner-Webb and is employed by K-Mart Department Store. The couple has made their home in Shelby.

Michael Lindsay Mitchell, '79, and Terri Carol Hyatt were married June 28, 1980. Mike is manager of D.P. Paul Jewelers in Westgate Mall and Minister of Music at Mayo Baptist Church. She attends Spartanburg Methodist College. The couple has made their home in Spartanburg, S.C.

Marsha Berry Crump, '80, and Bobby Odell Davis were married June 22, 1980. She was graduated in August with a bachelor's degree in criminal justice. She is employed in Catawba County as a police officer. He is employed in Caldwell County as a police officer. They reside in Hudson, N.C.

Grayson Mark Little, '80, and Mary Katherine Moore, '80, were married May 31, 1980. He is employed by Little Hardware Company. The couple resides in Pineville, N.C.

Donna Kay Jolley, '79, and Albert Carl Petty, Jr., were married June 8. 1980. She is employed with RMEC of Forest City. He is a self-employed farmer. The couple resides in Bostic, N.C.

Couple Has Child Abuse Article Published

A husband and wife team at Gardner-Webb College has co-authored an article dealing with child abuse to be published in the October issue of the Journal of School Health.

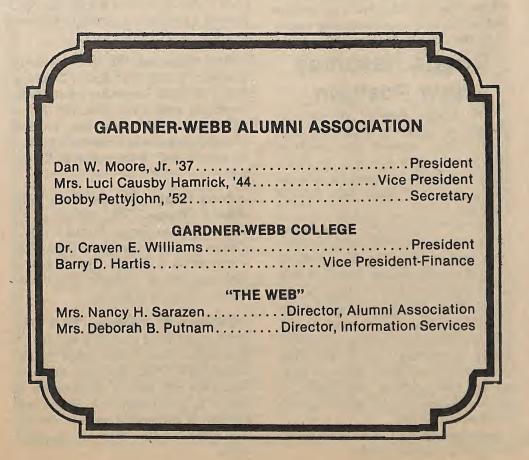
Patsy S. Queen, R.N., a maternal child nursing instructor and J. Allen Queen, chairman of the Department of Education, collaborated on the article entitled, "An In-Service Workshop to Prepare Teachers in Preventing, Detecting and Reporting on Child Abuse."

Written primarily for teachers of school age children, the workshop described in the article is designed to train teachers to recognize, report and attempt to prevent child abuse and neglect. In daily contact with the students, the article states that a teacher is in one of the best positions to detect child abuse.

Upon completing the workshop, a participant should be able to define child abuse and identify the four major types; outline the scope of abuse; list steps in prevention and recognize symptoms and describe legal implications of child abuse.

A native of Kannapolis, Mrs. Queen is a graduate of Western Carolina University and is presently working on a Master of Nursing degree at the University of Texas. She is a member of the American Nursing Association and the Association of Obstetrics and Gynecology.

Dr. Queen is a native of Lincolnton and received both an undergraduate and graduate degree from WCU. He completed his doctoral work at the University of Virginia and has recently been elected to the Edgar Allen Poe Rabon Society for intellectual advancement and leadership potential.



GWC Graduates Are Among 130 Missionary Journeymen

When a record 130 missionary journeymen were commissioned by the Southern Baptist Foreign Mission Board July 18, they set precedents in several ways.

For the first time in the program's history, for instance, the daughter of the Southern Baptist Convention's top administrator was among those commissioned. Cynthia Bennett Howard, daughter of Harold C. Bennett, executive secretary-treasurer of the convention's executive committee, and her husband Paul were employed to work two years in Liberia.

"Economic Awareness" Workshops Conducted

Teachers in the Shelby City School System had an opportunity to learn about the free enterprise system and the Cleveland County economic structure in a series of five workshops entitled, "Economic Awareness" at Shelby High School in August and September.

It was sponsored by Gardner-Webb College through a grant from the Broyhill Academy for the Study of Independent Concepts and in cooperation with the Shelby City Schools. Dan Moore, former Shelby High School principal and current director of the Broyhill Academy, coordinated the workshops.

Two separate series of workshops were held with one series being for teachers in grades K-6 and another for junior and senior high teachers. Each session was divided into two segments, one hour each after school hours. The tuition for each participant was paid by the Broyhill Foundation. In addition, each teacher received one Continuing Education Unit for participating in the workshops.

Each session featured a Gardner-Webb professor and a local business leader. Dr. Larry Sale, dean of continuing education and summer school and Keith Griggs, assistant dean and assistant professor of business and data processing led the Gardner-Webb group.

Community business leaders taking part in the program included Fritz Russell, trust officer of First National Bank; Jeff Carper, accountant at PPG Industries; Jack Vincent, president of Dover Textiles; Paul Porter, chairman of the board of Porter Brothers, Inc.; C.C. Guy, vice-president of Porter Brothers, Inc.; and Clyde Stutts, chairman of the board of Independence National Bank.

The workshops offered teachers an opportunity to examine their own personal financial situations as well as a chance to learn techniques for teaching economics in the classroom. Moore stressed that the aim of the workshops was to examine "practical economics."

But also in the group were nine young adults who had lived on the mission field with missionary parents and two daughters of Foreign Mission Board staffers, the most ever named missionary journeymen from either group. Becky Cheyne is the daughter of John R. Cheyne, former missionary who is now the board's consultant for relief ministries, and Janine Listrom is the daughter of Don Listrom, assistant treasurer.

All missionary journeymen are recent college graduates under 26 who do not feel called to career mission service, but who do feel led to spend two years working alongside career missionaries overseas before pursuing a career in the States

Opening new avenues of service for journeymen, Dr. Steve Howerton of Huntington, W.Va., was named the first missionary journeyman dentist and two young women and a young man were the first journeymen named social workers with refugees in Thailand and the Philippines.

As a Shelby, N.C., native Pat Chamberlain told during the service at Bon Air (Va.) Baptist Church, there was no request for journeymen to work with refugees until she applied.

After hearing the plight of the Indochinese refugees through a missionary visiting Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, where she was a student, she was dumbfounded. She immediately started work with a refugee resettlement program and began investigating ways to School in August and September.

When missionaries in Thailand were asked if there was a need for journeymen to work with refugees, their answer was yes.

The journeymen have departed for 43 different countries around the world. The largest numbers will go to Nigeria and Kenya, each of which will receive 10.

A 1978 graduate of Gardner-Webb College, Julie Martin is employed as an MK teacher in Encarnacion, Paraguay. Before her journeyman training, Julie was employed as a remediation teacher at Alexander Central High School in Taylorsville, N.C. Julie, a BSU (Baptist Student Union) tutor while at college, can be forwarded mail at 140 Milstead Street, Taylorsville, N.C. 28681. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander G. Martin of Taylorsville and a member of Taylorsville First Baptist.

A '79 graduate of Gardner-Webb Barry Green, is employed as a music worker at Clark Field Church in Angeles, Philippines. He was employed as a minister of music at Salem Baptist Church in Lincolnton, N.C. He was born in Fuquay-Varina, N.C. and has lived in Garner and Shelby. Hickory is Barry's hometown. The son of Major and Mrs. Earl T. Green of Raleigh, Barry can be forwarded mail from 6516 Rainbow Center, Raleigh, N.C. 28612.

Annual College Fund: \$150,500 in 1979-80 Campaign

The Annual College Fund is:

- 1. Gifts from alumni and friends given annually for unrestricted use.
- 2. Dollars used to meet current operating expenses and balance the budget. 1979-80 Annual College Fund:

Goal: \$150,000 Total: \$150,500

Annual College Fund contributions have again exceeded the goal and reached a total of \$150,500, the most ever raised in our annual campaign. It is interesting to note that our strongest support comes from friends since only 3.7% of our alumni responded. A significant increase in alumni interest will enable us to attain new heights. Just think what that additional income could mean to Gardner-Webb College's programs for Christian higher education.

In the meantime, congratulations to all who participated in the 1979-80 Annual College Fund appeal. A job well done!

Annual College Fund: 1980-81 Need Is Greater

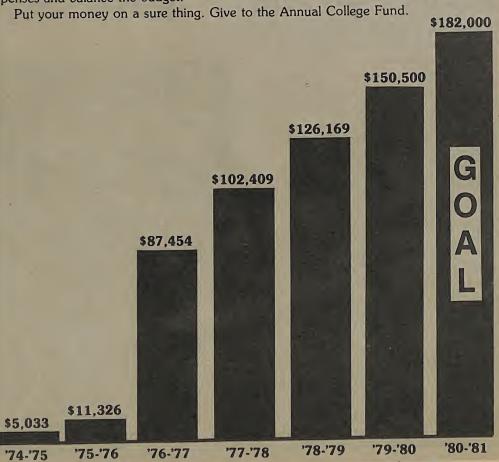
Annual College Fund solicitation materials were mailed September 15. Our task this year is greater than ever before. We can do it with your help. Our goal is: \$182,000.

This figure represents an increase from 2.6% to 2.8% of the total College budget to be raised by the Annual College Fund. (A 10% inflation factor has been projected in the budget.) It is time for the Annual College Fund to assume a greater share of the annual operating expenses. It is also time for our alumni to assume a greater percentage of participation. Only 3.7% responded in 1979-80.

Certainly our alumni can be ranked with those of Meredith, High Point, Guilford, and Davidson where 25% of the alumni participate regularly. We need a response from everyone of you, whether it be \$5, \$10, or \$25. Look again at the gift club card enclosed with the Annual College Fund mail. Maybe **this** is your year to qualify for membership in the Coffee Club or Tower Club.

Annual College Fund A Success Story!

The 1980's bring new challenges to Gardner-Webb College and to the Annual College Fund. GWC depends on annual unrestricted income to pay yearly operating expenses and balance the budget.



Summer Commencement Graduates Seventy-Five

Seventy-five students received degrees during the Gardner-Webb summer commencement services, held Saturday, August 9 at Boiling Springs Baptist

They included: Bachelor of Science Degrees: Thomas Lee Adams, Cum Laude, Marion, N.C.; Thomas Gene Agerton, Gastonia, N.C.; Walter Donald Blanton, Summa Cum Laude, Gastonia, N.C.; Richard Allan Bruder, Morganton, N.C.; Tammy Hull Cagle, Cum Laude, Vale, N.C.; James Forest Carpenter, Cum Laude, Rutherfordton, N.C.; Janice Ruth Collum, Mooresboro, N.C.; Marsha Berry Crump, Cum Laude, Valdese, N.C.; Carolyn Sue Holt, Durham, N.C.; Joseph Geh Fonbah, Cameroon, West Africa; Ronald Lee Franks, Summa Cum Laude, Kings Mountain, N.C.; George Greene, Morganton, N.C.; Linda Sue Grooms, Morganton, N.C.; Gary Michael Harvell, Gastonia, N.C.

George Earl Haydt, Cum Laude, Lenoir, N.C.; Sandra Ann Henderson, Greenville, S.C.; Roderick Alan Henson,

Forest City, N.C.; Clyde Scott Hill, Durham, N.C.; Albert Boyd Homesley, Cherryville, N.C.; Kenneth Clayton Hunsucker, Forest City, N.C.; Mark Alton Jackson, Leesburg, Ala.; Larry Dean Jeter, Shelby, N.C.; Daniel Foy Kirkman, Kannapolis, N.C.; Shirley Cook Lail, Boiling Springs, N.C.; Ronny Carlton Lamberth, Cum Laude, Conover, N.C.; Karen Diane Martin, Atlanta, Ga.; Jerry Edward McCall, Morganton, N.C.; Boyd Randy McDaniel, Forest City, N.C.

Charles Alfred McIntyre, Ellerbee, N.C.; Yvonne Adams Miller, Kings Mountain, N.C.; Patsy Stanley Mincey, Magna Cum Laude, Gastonia, N.C.; Earl Roland Nesbit, Brooklyn, N.Y.; Jane Harris Newton, Shelby, N.C.; James Burlie Parker, III, Vilas, N.C.; Joseph Jennings Puett, Cum Laude, Morganton, N.C.; Eli Henry Price, Jr., Gaffney, S.C.; Norma Jean Reese, Black Mountain, N.C.; Wilson Lee Revell, Jr., Wauchula, Fla.; Ernest Wade Reynolds, Summa Cum Laude, Shelby, N.C.; Debra Lynn Roberts, Hudson, N.C.;

Sharon Elizabeth Smart, Rutherfordton,

Harold Edward Smith, Shelby, N.C.; Jesse Frank Stroud, Shelby, N.C.; Stephen Agendia Tanyi, Cameroon, West Africa; James Brock Taylor, III, Shelby, N.C.; Michael Andrew Thompson, Marion, N.C.; Randall William Trogdon, Asheboro, N.C.; Kelly McDonald Tuck, Glen Alpine, N.C.; Calvin Richard Tucker, Jr., Boiling Springs, N.C.; Aubrey Gene Walden, Rock Hill, S.C.; Jack Franklin Warlick, Valdese, N.C.; Denny Joe Watts, Morganton, N.C.; Thomas McRee Watts, Cherryville,

N.C.; Johnny Lee Wehunt, Morganton,

Summer Enrollment Reaches Highest Peak in College's History

As many educational institutions are experiencing severe declining enrollments due to the decreased population of college age students, Gardner-Webb enrolled a record 431 students for the first

Dr. Larry Sale, dean of continuing education and summer school, stated. to our programs. Our faculty and administration have worked very hard during the past year to improve the quality of existing programs and to develop qualitative new programs. We desire to become increasingly responsive to the diverse educational needs of people in this re-

term of Summer School.

"We are very pleased with this response

Twenty-Six Students Attend Summer Enrichment Program

Twenty-five students from all over North Carolina and one student from Florida participated in the Summer Enrichment Experience program for academically gifted adolescents held on the Gardner-Webb campus.

The program, open to students in grades 6-9, began on July 6 and continued until July 26. It was the first such program to be conducted at Gardner-

To attend the three-week summer ses-

sion, a student must have had a minimum score of 120 on an individual or group mental ability test, must have been at least two grade levels above placement and must have been recommended by the school principal.

Courses offered through the SEE program were fine arts, physical education, math, science, English and French. A wide range of physical and recreational activities were also available to the stu-

Bulldogs Good Show In Scotland

A 10-day stay in Scotland brought the Bulldog basketball team added experience and confidence.

In September, coaches Jim Wiles and Tommy Gaither led the team on the journey to Edinburg. An invitation from an Edinburg pro team, Murray International Metal was accepted with eagerness and with all expenses paid.

Former Gardner-Webb star Lew Young, now playing professionally for the Scottish team, was a key to the invi-

With all team members completing some advanced academic work, they headed out to pick up an easy 103-77 win in their first game. In the quarterfinals with the professional teams, Gardner-Webb socked it to the Boroughmiru Barrs 103-74 and whipped Doncaster 108-74 to be in the finals against the hosting team Murray International Metals. Making a good show, the 'Dogs were defeated 80 to 67. The loss didn't sting too much since the tournament's Most Valuable Player, with 25 points, was Murray International's Lew Young, a former Gardner-Webb player and Rutherfordton

G-W junior wing Norris Bell and senior

wing Willie McCray were named to the all-tournament team.



N.C.; Susan Jean West, Union Mills, N.C.; Joseph Samuel Whiteside, Jr., Charlotte, N.C.; Robert Queve Woody, Shelby, N.C.; Suzzie Mae Wooten, Andrews, N.C.; Steven Chesley Wright, Magna Cum Laude, Hickory, N.C.

Bachelor of Arts Degree: Benton Harrison Barron, Mount Holly, N.C.; David Walter Hill, Casar, N.C.; Bill Michael Jones, Asheville, N.C.; Crystal Lynn Justice, Whiteville, N.C.; Lynn Carpenter Keeter, Forest City, N.C.; Sarah Katherine McConnaughey, Mooresville, N.C.; Steve Carl Mitchell, Kensington, Md.; Charles Duncan Owens, Charlotte, N.C.

Bruce Leon Queen, Summa Cum Laude, Gaffney, S.C.; Forrest William Ridings, Catawba, N.C.; Michael Robin Rowe, Hickory, N.C.; Edward Louis Rumley, Asheboro, N.C.; Charlene Elizabeth Scott, Summa Cum Laude, Boiling Springs, N.C.; John Charles Sisti, Boiling Springs, N.C.; Michael William Tolbert, Monrovia, Liberia; Albert Hugh Gardner, Jr., Spencer, N.C.

Camp Held At GWC

On July 21, thirty-two children from Cleveland County came to the campus of Gardner-Webb College for a three-week summer enrichment camp. Though math and reading were important subjects, these children were offered other vital lessons in such basics as how to brush their teeth, comb their hair, take a bath and maintain good personal hygiene.

They were children of transient workers. children who have been described as the most educationally, economically and socially disadvantaged group in America. They are from families who within the past year may have moved from one school district to another in order for the parents to obtain employment in the field of agriculture, fishing or related food processing.

The program was sponsored by the Cleveland County Board of Education through a grant received by the board from the United States Department of Education. With the use of the Gardner-Webb facilities and food services, it is the first such overnight camp in the state.

For some children being at camp was their first time ever to sleep on a bed with a mattress and without one or two siblings sharing the bed with them. For most, eating in the school cafeteria where snack food and ice cream were plentiful, was a treat as foreign to them as eating in a fast food restaurant.

With the main goals of the program being to provide instruction in language arts, math and social sciences; improve the child's communication skills; provide dental, medical and psychological services; provide well-balanced meals and encourage parental involvement, the camp coordinator and several counselors worked with the children Monday through Friday. On weekends each child was taken home in a van and picked up on Monday morning.

Summer School Commencement

Dr. Forrest C. Feezor of Shelby, prominent Baptist minister, was guest speaker and recipient, of the honorary Doctor of Divinity degree during the Gardner-Webb summer school commencement exercises at Boiling Springs Baptist Church, Saturday, August 9, as seventy-five graduates were awarded degrees during the 10 a.m. ceremony.

Dr. Anthony F. Eastman, professor of history, gave the invocation followed by a solo by Crystal Justice, a 1980 graduate.

Dr. Craven E. Williams, college president, welcomed the guests to Gardner-Webb's Diamond Anniversary year and gave a brief sketch of Dr. Feezor before presenting him with the honorary degree.

A native of North Carolina, Dr. Feezor has held several pastorates in N.C. as well as being pastor at Broadway Baptist Church in Fort Worth, Texas, and First Baptist Church in Waco, Texas. He has served as executive secretary of the

Baptist General Convention of Texas and has been a trustee of several institutions operated by the N.C., Texas, and Southern Baptist Conventions. Dr. Feezor has also been a member of the Foreign Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention. He is now retired and living in Shelby.

Addressing the graduates, Dr. Feezor discussed several lessons that life has taught him. "I have learned from life," he said, "that there is strength from struggle. Strength is coveted capacity by individuals and nations . . . How is it achieved? By struggle, not by loitering, by laziness, by minimum effort."

He also added that bad habits which are nutured, practiced and indulged in are not easily broken and that habits are first cobwebs and then cables.

Following the commencement address, Dr. Williams and Dr. George Cribb, vice-chairman of the faculty, presented degrees to the 75 graduating students.

In making the presentation, Dr. Williams said to the graduates, "As an established figure, a team member and a leader, you now occupy a precious place in the hearts of those of us who remain. We have shared with you the wisdom of ages past and present and hopefully have helped prepare you to anticipate and contribute to the wisdom of ages yet to come," Dr. Williams continued.

"We have not attempted to teach you any tricks of any trade," he said. "Those 'tricks of the trade' change too rapidly to serve you for long. Rather, we have tried to share with you theories of conceptualization, analysis and communication. You can learn the tricks from year to year, but you must be deeply grounded in liberating thought processes which will better enable you not only to make a living, but to live.

"And our prayer for you," Williams added, "is that you will do so to the fullest."













'80-'81 School Year Begins











With a record enrollment of over 1,550 students, Gardner-Webb began the 1980 fall semester on Sept. 2. All new freshmen and transfer students arrived on campus Sunday, August 24 for a week of orientation and registration with returning day and boarding students registering on Monday, September 1.

Fall Convocation was held on September 4 with John M. Bevan, academic vice-president at the College of Charleston in South Carolina as guest speaker. Other special events this semester include Religious Emphasis Week to be observed October 6-10. Homecoming will be on Saturday, October 18 with the Gardner-Webb Bulldogs playing the Liberty Baptist Flames. The fall semester will conclude on December 19 following exams.

The Gardner-Webb Education Department is offering four majors in the graduate program. Graduate degrees can be

earned in Early Childhood; Middle School; Reading; and Physical Educa-

A dual-degree program between Gardner-Webb and Auburn University in Auburn, Alabama, has been established for students wishing to pursue a degree in engineering. Under this arrangement, a student will attend Gardner-Webb for approximately three academic years followed by approximately two years of study at the School of Engineering at Auburn. After completing academic requirements at both institutions, the student will be awarded a Bachelor's degree from Gardner-Webb and an Engineering degree from Auburn University.

Greater Opportunities for Adult Learners (GOAL), an evening academic program conducted through Gardner-Webb is offering programs at four offcampus locations plus on campus.

THE BULLDOG CLUB Membership Levels

Become A Bulldog Club Member

All contributors giving \$50-\$84 annually will receive the following privileges: (1) Bulldog Club auto-window decal, (2) athletic events schedules, (3) one Bulldog Club general ticket for all home football and basketball games, (4) newsletters from the sports information office, (5) invitation to such special events as the Bulldog All Sports Banquet.

Dog Club

All contributors giving \$85-\$124 annually will receive the following privileges: (1) Bulldog Club auto-window decal, (2) athletic events schedules, (3) two Bulldog Club general tickets for all home football and basketball games, (4) newsletters from the sports information office, (5) invitation to such special events as the Bulldog All-Sports Banquet.

P.H.D. Club

All contributors giving \$125-\$249 annually will receive the following privileges: (1) Bulldog Club auto-window decal, (2) athletic events schedules, (3) two reserved Bulldog Club seats in all home, football and basketball games, (4) newsletters from the sports information office, (5) invitation to such special events as the Bulldog All-Sports Banquet, (6) P.H.D. Parking Card for better place at our athletic events, (7) Bulldog Football and Basketball wall posters.

Big Dog Club

All contributors giving \$250-\$499 annually will receive the following privileges: (1) Bulldog Club auto-window decal, (2) athletic events schedules, (3) three reserved Bulldog Club seats for all home football and basketball games, (4) newsletters from the sports information office, (5) invitation to such special events as the Bulldog All-Sports Banquet, (6) Big Dog parking card for better place at our athletic events, (7) Bulldog football and basketball wall posters.

S.A.B. Club

All contributors giving \$500 or above annually will receive the following privileges: (1) Bulldog Club auto-window de-

cal, (2) athletic events schedules, (3) four reserved Bulldog Club seats for all home football and basketball games, (4) newsletters from the sports information office, (5) invitation to such special events as the Bulldog All-Sports Banquet, (6) S.A.B. Parking Card for best place to park at our athletic events, (7) Bulldog football and basketball wall posters, (8) have top priority on Bulldog travel, (9) receive a handsome plaque denoting sponsorship.

Victor Club

All contributors giving \$6,500 or above will receive all benefits of S.A.B. member every year upon request plus Bulldog pin, tie and jacket.

THE BULLDOG CLUB

Its Purpose

The intercollegiate athletic program is a major source of unity and wholesome entertainment for the alumni, student body, faculty, and friends of Gardner-Webb College. The purpose of the Bulldog Club is to promote Gardner-Webb athletics through a variety of activities including the establishment of athletic scholarships. Scholarship assistance is available to students with athletic ability and a desire to attend college. The Bulldog Club wants Gardner-Webb to compete on an even basis with other colleges. Members of the Bulldog Club directly assist student-athletes in obtaining an education.

Its Operation

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Scotland Trip Kicks Off 1980-81 Basketball Season

Bulldog basketball started early this season as the team traveled to Edinburgh, Scotland to compete in the Scottish International Tournament. After that the team returned home to start practice for a 31 game schedule which includes five tournaments.

Head coach Jim Wiles' 1980-81 basketball team should be a very exciting team to watch this season with senior cocaptains Bill Meyler and Willie McCray leading the way. Meyler, 6-8, 215 pounds, plays the post position and he is from Greensboro. He averaged 7 rebounds and 11 points per game last season. McCray, 6-4, 185 pounds, is from Wilmington and he averaged 9 points per game from his wing position.

The high-low post positions look to be mighty strong this season as Meyler is accompanied by sophomore Frank Streater, sophomore Robert McGuire, freshman Eddie Wilkins and freshman Eric Gooden. Last season as a freshman starter, Streater, from Columbia, South Carolina and 6-7, 205 pounds, was the team's leading rebounder and second leading scorer with 11 rebounds and 14 points a game average. His outstanding play caused him to be picked on the All-District 26 First Team, an honor that is not bestowed upon many freshman players. McGuire, 6-8, 215 pounds, is from Atlanta, Georgia and is a transfer from San Jacinto Junior College in Texas. Wilkins, 6-9, 205 pounds, is from Cartersville, Georgia and he made the All-State Team in Georgia last season. Gooden, 6-11, 220 pounds, is from

The wing position is as stacked with

Game

talent as the post position. Joining Mc-Cray here are sophomore Rocky Morris, junior Norris Bell, junior Don Cox and sophomore Blaise Cancro. Morris, 6-4, 200 pounds, is from Columbia, South Carolina and he averaged 6 points per game last season. Bell, 6-6, 195 pounds, is a transfer from Middle Georgia College. His team went 33-4 last season and made the final four in the National Junior College Tournament. Cox, 6-6, 195 pounds, is a transfer from Lake City Florida Junior College but his hometown is Indianapolis, Indiana. Cancro, 6-4, 190 pounds, is from Boiling Springs.

Returning point players are senior Dennis Smart and junior Tom Clark. Smart, 6-0, 160 pounds, is from Connelly Springs and Clark, 6-2, 180 pounds, is from Joliet, Illinois. Newcomers at the point include freshman Dean Johnson, freshman Allan Lewis, sophomore Mark Buff and junior Mark Lanham. Johnson, 6-1, 170 pounds, is from Sumpter, South Carolina and he was the 4-A high school player of the year in South Carolina last year. Lewis, 6-2, 175 pounds, is from Marietta, Georgia. Lanham, 6-3, 175 pounds, is a transfer from Asheville Tech and will be eligible to play in December of this year. Buff, 6-1, 185 pounds, is a transfer from Anderson Junior College.

The Bulldogs look to be deep at every position this season but nine players are new into the program. The Bulldogs are practicing for the 1980-81 season and they intend to improve on their fine 1979-80 season record of 23 wins and 11 losses.

Time

GWC Runnin' Bulldogs 1980-81 Basketball Schedule

Sept. 10-17	Scottish International Tourn.	Edinburgh, Scotland	TBA
Nov. 14-15	Chattanooga Classic	Tenn. Temple College	7 & 9
Nov. 18	Limestone	Boiling Springs, N.C.	7:30
Nov. 21-22	McDonald's Classic	USC-Spartanburg	7 & 9
Nov. 25	Mars Hill	Boiling Springs, N.C.	7:30
Dec. 2	Claflin	Boiling Springs, N.C.	7:30
Dec. 5-6	Carson-Newman Tourn.	Jefferson City, Tenn.	7 & 9
Dec. 10-13	WBTV Carolina Classic	Belmont, N.C.	TBA
Jan. 2-3	Bulldog Classic	Boiling Springs, N.C.	7 & 9
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Jan. 8	Catawba	Salisbury, N.C.	7:30
Jan. 10	UNC-Asheville	Asheville, N.C.	7:30
Jan. 13	Guilford	Greensboro, N.C.	7:30
Jan. 15	Wingate	Boiling Springs, N.C.	7:30
Jan. 17	Lenoir-Rhyne	Hickory, N.C.	7:30
Jan. 20	High Point	Boiling Springs, N.C.	7:30
Jan. 22	Barber-Scotia	Boiling Springs, N.C.	7:30
Jan. 24	Wingate	Wingate, N.C.	7:30
Jan. 29	Elon	Elon College, N.C.	7:30
Feb. 2	High Point	High Point, N.C.	7:30
Feb. 5	USC-Spartanburg	Boiling Springs, N.C.	7:30
Feb. 7	Mars Hill	Mars Hill, N.C.	7:30
Feb. 10	Catawba	Boiling Springs, N.C.	7:30
Feb. 14	Limestone	Gaffney, S.C.	7:30
Feb. 16	UNC-Asheville	Boiling Springs, N.C.	7:30
Feb. 18	Pfeiffer	Misenheimer, N.C.	7:30
Feb. 21	Lenoir-Rhyne	Boiling Springs, N.C.	7:30
Feb. 24	Barber-Scotia	Concord, N.C.	7:30
Feb. 28-Mar. 4	District 26 Playoffs	TBA	TBA
Mar. 9-14	NAIA National Championship	Kansas City, Mo.	TBA

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Linebacker In The Kitchen???

What's a former middle linebacker for the Montreal Alouettes doing in the kitchen at Gardner-Webb College?

Cooking up a storm.

For Larry Smith, once a professional football player, cooking up enough food to keep over 1,200 students well-fed and happy is one of the things he likes to do best. And as food service director at Gardner-Webb, Smith gets to show off his culinary talents three times a day, seven days a week.

As for stereotyping, Smith fits the typical football player physique to a tee but as he talks about preparing a dinner meal of corned beef and sauerkraut, beef liver and onions and steamed vegetables, that image somehow starts to fade away.

A graduate of Rutgers University in New Jersey, where he played four years of college football, Smith played in the Canadian football league for five years before a knee injury ended his career.

In keeping with a trade he had always enjoyed and had practiced in service, Smith took a job with the Hyatt Corporation as an executive steward and banquet chef. His main responsibilities were to "design" meals and handle banquets, food processing and inventory.

After leaving the Hyatt Corporation, he joined Epicure, a food service caterer to schools throughout North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, and Florida, including Gardner-Webb College.

He came to the Boiling Springs campus last January and before the spring semester had ended, the students presented him and his staff with a plaque for good service. For Smith, the honor is one he won't soon forget because keeping the students happy is a top priority. "I love the contact with the students," Smith said. "I love the student atmosphere."

Besides preparing meals for the cafeteria, Smith is also responsible for catering all Gardner-Webb banquets and receptions. For these occasions, he gets to practice another area of his culinary ex-



LARRY SMITH

pertise, ice sculptures and hors d'oeuvres.

Using chiseling tools, Smith can take a square block of ice and within hours, make it into about any kind of sculpture including rabbits and heart shapes.

Before he begins sculpturing, Smith first chooses the design he wants and then marks it off on a block of ice which generally weighs about 300 pounds. Working in the cafeteria freezer, he must wear gloves, a scarf and coat to withstand the low temperatures for any length of time.

Smith has also earned a reputation at Gardner-Webb College for the dainty finger foods he prepares for special receptions. Though he isn't blatant about refusing to give out his recipes, he does tend to bypass any questions which seem headed in that direction.

Smith says he tries to keep his ice sculpturing and catering services limited to Gardner-Webb. "My main objective," Smith said, "is that the students come first."

The plaque on his office wall is Smith's proof that Gardner-Webb students know he is trying to keep them happy and eating well.

Upperclassmen To Lead The Way For The '80-81 Lady Bulldog Basketball Campaign

Sallie Black, assuming the duties of women's head basketball coach is extremely excited about the upcoming season. Having graduated one senior, Delana Gray, the remaining players will provide a highly experienced and skilled team nucleus. Two seniors will be returning for the upcoming season. Susan Bolt Briggs is expected to continue her success as one of the leading scorers and rebounders. Last season she averaged 6 rebounds and 18 points a game for the Lady Bulldogs. Lynn Ivey, the other senior is expected to help in the leadership role. Carolyn Dewberry and Beth Blakely will be leading a talented group of returning juniors. Dewberry led the Lady Bulldogs in rebounds and scoring last season as she averaged 10 rebounds and 21 points per game. Other juniors include Brenda Bradshaw, Cathy Foster, and Denise Green. Gay Sain, a

Date	Opponent	Location	Time
Nov. 19	Wake Forest	Winston-Salem	7:30
Nov. 21	St. Augustine	Boiling Springs	5:30
Nov. 22	Phelffer	Boiling Springs	7:00
Nov. 25	Wingate	Wingate	5:00
Dec. 3	Lenoir-Rhyne	Boiling Springs	7:00
Dec. 6	UNC-A	Asheville	5:30
Dec. 9	Catawba	Salisbury	7:00
Dec. 11	Shaw	Raleigh	5:00
Jan. 14 '81	UNC-A	Boiling Springs	7:00
Jan. 16	UNC-W	Wilmington	5:00
Jan. 17	Pembroke	Pembroke	5:00
Jan. 19	Belmont Abbey	Belmont	5:30
Jan. 22 (DF)Mars Hill	Boiling Springs	5:00
Jan. 24	Western Carolina	Cullowhee	7:00
Jan. 29	Elon	Elon	5:45
Jan. 31	Mars Hill	Mars HIII	5:00
Feb. 4	Lenoir-Rhyne	Hickory	6:30
Feb. 6	Atlantic Christian	Bolling Springs	5:00
)Western Carolina	Boiling Springs	5:00
Feb. 13	NCA & T	Greensboro	6:00
Feb. 17	Wingate	Boiling Springs	7:00
Feb. 19	Belmont Abbey	Bolling Springs	7:00

sophomore, will be a first year player.

Highlighting the season is the addition of some outstanding freshmen recruits. The freshman expected to lend a big spark to the team are Mary Ellen Burch, Jill Clofetter, Maria Vickers, and Sylvia White.

Two New Coaches In Women's Athletics



MISS SALLIE BLACK

Two new coaches were hired this summer, Miss Sallie Black in women's basketball and Mrs. Pat Wilkison for women's tennis.

Sallie Black of Shelby was hired to be Gardner-Webb's womens' basketball head coach.

Miss Black is a graduate of Western Carolina University and received B.A. and M.A. degrees in physical education.

She has plenty of experience on the hardwood. She played for the Shelby High School varsity team in 1972, 73 and 74 and won the Coaches' Award in 1973. She was the team's Most Valuable Player in 1974

After Shelby High, she attended Anderson Junior College and played basketball where Anderson finished the 1975 and 1976 seasons as the number one junior college team in the nation. After Anderson, she attended Clemson for one year



MRS. PATRICIA WILKISON

playing with the Lady Tigers in 1977.

Mrs. Patricia Wilkison of Shelby was hired to head Gardner-Webb's first womens' tennis team. The program will consist of fall and spring seasons.

Mrs. Wilkison plays in many local and state tournaments and she is an active member of the Shelby Tennis Association. She is the state ranking chairman for

Mrs. Wilkison received her B.A. degree from Douglas College in New Jersey. She is married to Shelby City Manager Dave Wilkison. Their three children are known to the Cleveland County area as noted tennis players. The oldest son, Tim is a touring pro and a 1979 Wimbleton doubles semifinalist. Another son, Andy is playing tennis for N.C. State University and daughter, Bonnie is the number one singles player for the lady Lion tennis team at Shelby High School.

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Five New Teams Added To 1980 Womens' Volleyball Schedule

The 1980 womens' volleyball team will continue to prove its value to an already successful and still growing womens' sports program at Gardner-Webb College. The 1980 schedule will allow for greater expansion of the season by the addition of new competition such as: University of Georgia, Clemson University, Carson-Newman College, UNC-Greensboro, and UNC-Wilmington.

Head coach Dee Hunt has six players back from the 1979 team.

Returning players Beth Blakely, Melinda Campbell, Mary Lee Cudd, Cathy Foister, Debbie Green and Lynn Ivey will continue to contribute their skills and their leadership to the team. Juslyn Obata, a junior and first year player from Hawaii, will add great depth to the team. A highly talented group of freshmen are expected to add to the excitement of the season. They are: Pam Baker, Mary Ellen Burch,

and Jill Clodfelter. Lola Drake, a junior transfer from Spartanburg Methodist, will be a welcome addition to the team.

1980 Lady Buildogs Volleyball Schedule Gardner-Webb College Boiling Springs, N. C. 28017

Date	Opponent	Time	Location
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	UNC-Greensboro		
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"Women's Volleyball Is A Rapidly Developing Sport

If you've been thinking that volleyball is a net game reserved only for backyard picnics and beach parties, then you need to reconsider.

Dr. Dee Hunt, coordinator of women's athletics at Gardner-Webb College says volleyball is, "a beautiful sport." As women's volleyball coach at Gardner-Webb, Dr. Hunt sees it as the up and coming sport for women because they are able to excel in the skills volleyball requires mainly jumping, agility and coordination.

With a 12-member team, volleyball is in its second consecutive year at Gardner-Webb. Each year, the players have split one volleyball scholarship between them and this season, the team will make its first overnight game trip:

Dr. Hunt considers these accomplishments major steps, not only for volleyball but for women's sports in general. "Concepts of women's sports have changed," Dr. Hunt said. "We are getting more enlightment of such a sports program for girls." But as for attendance at women's volleyball games, Dr. Hunt says that the public needs to be acclimated to the sport. "We are a sport in a basketball world," she said.

A graduate of Auburn University in Alabama and Middle Tennessee State University, Dr. Hunt has been at Gardner-Webb since 1978 as an associate professor in the Health and Physical Education Department. She likes the closeness and daily contact with the students that prevails at a small college campus. "I'm a teacher," Dr. Hunt said. "No, I'm not a sports fanatic. I am a fanatic about my kids."

Working in an area where football and basketball are dominating sports hasn't dampened her spirits. According to Dr. Hunt, there is an awakening occurring in



DR. DEE HUNT

women's athletics. Most colleges in the state have volleyball scholarships available to women and Shelby, East Rutherford and Kings Mountain High Schools have volleyball teams. For the first time, Gardner-Webb will have a women's tennis team this year with a limited fall season and a full spring season.

This year's volleyball team has six returning players, two are seniors. As for predicting the season's success, Dr. Hunt said, "It looks difficult from the standpoint of the teams we're playing, promising from the progress we made during the

Teams in this year's schedule include Lenoir-Rhyne College, Catawba College, UNC-Charlotte, University of South Carolina at Spartanburg, Western Carolina University, Furman and Mars Hill College.