



PC Captains With Miss South Carolina

Presbyterian College's 1965-66 basketball and football captains are shown here talking with Miss South Carolina, Sue Smith, at PC's athletic banquet held recently. The newly announced Blue Hose varsity leaders are basketball co-captains Richard Quillen of Kingsport,

Tenn., and Gordon Adam of Bloomfield, Ky., to the left of Miss Smith, and football tri-captains Wade Stewart of Pica-yune, Miss., Jimmy Bankhead of Chester and Don McNeill of Thomson, Ga., to the right.—Photo by Yarborough.

Two College Gifts Total \$55,000

Requests totaling \$55,000 have come to Presbyterian College recently from the legacies of two devoted church people who wanted to perpetuate some of their Christian zeal in the work of this institution, President Marc C. Weersing announced today.

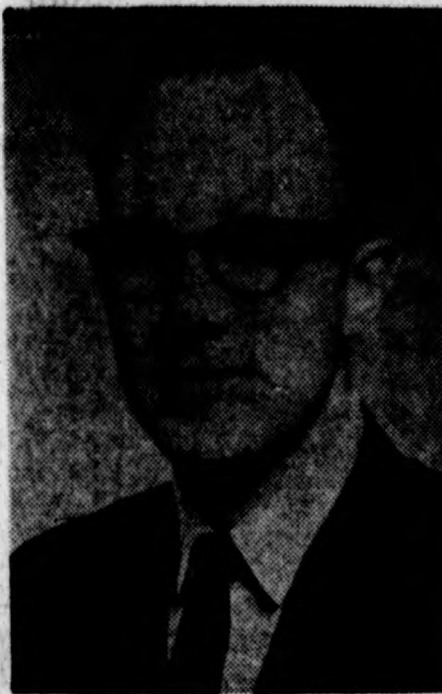
One of these gifts, amounting to \$50,000, came from the estate of the late LeRoy M. Brown, a devoted Presbyterian elder and West Union lumberman. He designated this contribution to endow scholarship funds "to help educate worthy young men" at PC.

The gift by LeRoy M. Brown represents one of the largest bequests ever made to Presbyterian College. It has been added to a contribution of \$1,500 given earlier by Mr. and Mrs. Brown to bring the total Brown scholarship fund to \$51,500.

A second bequest of \$5,000 was received recently from the estate of F. E. Watkins, prominent Anderson land-owner and planter. This gift also has been designated for an endowed scholarship, with special consideration being given to a Thornwell Orphanage student attending PC.

President Marc C. Weersing has emphasized that increasing support of this nature—through wills of persons who believe in Christian higher education—adds substantially to the strength of Presbyterian College and to the effectiveness of its mission. He said:

"There is a real challenge in the thought of helping to educate some of the young men and women who are destined for leadership tomorrow but who need assistance today. A bequest assures that a person's influence will live after him in the lives of others, creating opportunities for further service in God's Kingdom."



CHARLES T. GAINES

Gaines To Head New Music Dept. At Presbyterian

Presbyterian College's new department of music will be headed by Charles T. Gaines, now completing work on his doctorate at Union Theological Seminary in New York, Dean Joseph M. Gettys announced today.

Dr. Gettys said Gaines comes to PC at the time when the college is projecting a broad program of music to be incorporated within an expansive new department of music, art and drama. The department will be started next fall as Presbyterian moves to full coeducation with the opening of its first women's dormitory.

Dean Gettys pointed out that Charles Gaines has been recommended as a superior pianist, competent organist and gifted choral conductor. It will be his responsibility to build the program in terms of both classroom theory and technique as well as private instruction in music, pointing toward the offering of a major in this field.

A native of Peoria, Ill., Gaines received both his bachelor's and his master's degrees in piano from Illinois Wesleyan University. He is now completing work on his doctorate in conducting from the school of sacred music of Union Seminary. He has served as a part-time instructor at Illinois Wesleyan, as organist and choirmaster of the Wesley Methodist Church of Bloomington, Ill., and then the New Utrecht Reformed Church of Brooklyn, N. Y., and as assistant field-work supervisor while in his current studies at the school of sacred music.

Gaines has been active in church and civic endeavors of the communities in which he has lived and is a member of the American Guild of Organists. He is married and has three children.

SMITH TO ATTEND BELK'S MANAGERS MEET

D. B. Smith, manager of the local Belk's department store, will attend a Belk Stores Managers' Convention at Myrtle Beach May 23-26.

Attorneys Move To Appeal Sentence

Laurens—Court-appointed attorneys of James Esther Thomas, 35-year-old Negro sentenced to be electrocuted June 4 on conviction of raping an elderly White woman, will be provided a transcript of his trial record so an appeal can be perfected.

Circuit Judge Clarence D. Singletary, who sentenced Thomas after his conviction at the February term of General Sessions Court here, formally recognized that Thomas was without funds and ordered the transcript prepared for his lawyers with the cost to be paid by funds of the clerk of court.

Attorneys for Thomas, serving without pay on appointment by the court are Paul Culbertson and W. T. Bolt of Laurens and Trench P. Owens of Clinton.

NOTICE

Notice to June college graduates or their parents: We will be glad to have your picture and graduation story, including degree, school etc. Please bring picture and all information to Chronicle office.

Merchants to Hear Report on Economic Survey by PC Students

Clinton merchants next Tuesday will hear a report by Presbyterian College students on an economic survey made recently among a cross-section of college students and Clinton business firms.

The meeting is scheduled for 2:30 p.m. in the Gold Room of the Mary Musgrove Hotel. D. B. Smith, chairman of the merchants division of the Clinton Chamber of Commerce, urges as many merchants as possible to attend.

PC seniors Arthur Baxter of Atlanta and David Worth, Jr., of Raleigh, N. C., will report at that time on the survey they conducted under the auspices of the Presbyterian economics department.

Baxter said the purpose of the survey was to show in fairly concrete terms the relationship of PC to the economic life of Clinton.

The Blue Stocking Cited As Best in S. C.

The Presbyterian College student newspaper, The Blue Stocking, has been cited as the best small-college paper in South Carolina, it was announced today.

This distinction was made by the South Carolina Collegiate Press Association in connection with 1965 awards given for outstanding journalistic achievement among the state's colleges. Co-editors of the award-winning PC newspaper were Walter Wells of McConells and Bob Allison of Atlanta.

An individual award for the best sports story went to PC's Al Pearce of Rocky Mount, N.C.

Mrs. Sadler Heads Volunteer Service

Mrs. Rufus E. Sadler, Jr., was elected president of the Whitten Village Volunteer Service for next year, other officers were named and reports from project chairmen on the current year's work were made at a meeting Tuesday in the campus school.

William Timmerman, director of training at Whitten Village, addressed the group on progress of the Volunteer Service in relation to the children and the staff of Whitten Village. Dr. Roy Suber, assistant superintendent, also spoke on this subject.

Mrs. James M. Oeland was named vice-president in charge of projects, to be assisted by Mrs. H. Francis Blalock. Vice-President and program chairman for the coming term will be Mrs. Charles F. Waldron. Mrs. Robert Harrison will serve as secretary-treasurer, and Mrs. J. L. Walker, public relations chairman. The nominating committee includes Mrs. James Macdonald, chairman, Mrs. John P. Daniluk, and Mrs. Raymond J. Pitts.

A program of songs, dances and combo music was presented by children of Whitten Village. Following the meeting, Mr. Williams conducted the group on a tour of the campus.

Mrs. Richard W. Ulrich, outgoing president, presided over the business meeting which included reports from project chairmen as follows: hospital visitation, Mrs. Sadler; projects, Mrs. Oeland; friends and pen pals, Mrs. Pitts; co-chairman, Mrs. David Word; collections, Mrs. Horace D. Payne, co-chairman, Mrs. J. B. Hart; arts and crafts, Mrs. Robert B. Wassung; story hour, Mrs. Frank C. Sherrill; Med 3 recreation, Mrs. Oeland, chairman, report made by Mrs. Ulrich; recreation 26 and 28, Mrs. Oeland; speech therapy, Mrs. Mary Lehman; and library, Mrs. Hart.

Youth Baseball To Begin on June 2

Clinton Youth Baseball will begin play June 2 with three leagues, Small Fry, Intermediates and Juniors.

A 16-game split schedule is planned for the Small Fry and Intermediate Leagues, and an 18-game split schedule for the Junior League.

The winners of each half will enter a two best of three playoff at the end of the season to determine the league champions.

Teams composing the leagues are:

Small Fry — Hampton Lions, Hampton Independents, Bailey, Lydia and Joanna.

Intermediates — Hampton Lions, Hampton Independents, Bailey, Lydia and Joanna.

Juniors — Hampton, Bailey, Lydia and Joanna.

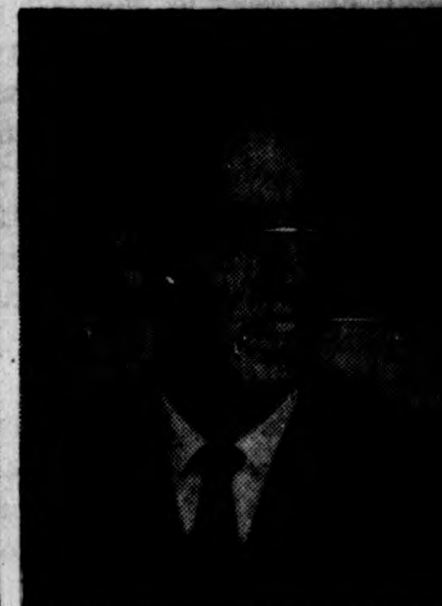
Games will be played five days a week, Monday-Friday, with a week's intermission the week of July 4.

For the Small Fry and Intermediate Leagues, the season will end on Aug. 3, with the playoffs Aug. 4, 5, 6.

For the Junior League, the season will end on July 28, with the playoffs July 29, 30, 31.



CAROL SANDERS
Valedictorian



EDWIN SLOAN
Salutatorian

Clinton High Finals Set For Sunday and Monday

The annual commencement service and sermon for the 1965 graduating class of Clinton High School will take place Sunday night at 8:00 in Belk Auditorium on Presbyterian College campus.

The Rev. Zeb C. Williams, pastor of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church, will deliver the sermon.

The Rev. Albert S. Harvey, pastor of Broad Street Methodist Church, is to pronounce the invocation, and the Rev. Alfred L. Bixler, First Presbyterian Church, will lead in prayer. The scripture will be read by Dr. E. B. Keister of St. John's Lutheran Church, and the Rev. J. H. Darr, pastor of the First Baptist Church, will pronounce the benediction.

Marshals for the service include Tommy Johnson, president of the student council, 1965-66; Thomas E. Baldwin, Jr., president of the senior class, 1965-66; Richard E. Ferguson, Mary Ann Floyd, Jeannie Glover, Becky Huguley, William Jacobs, Johnny Moore, David Plaxico, Bobby Powell, Ronnie Traylor and Nannette Young, junior members of the National Honor Society.

Nannette Young is also pianist for the service, which will include two special musical selections from the Clinton High School Glee Club, under the direction of Mrs. Hazel Gillfillen. These will be "Glory to God" Bach, and "Alleluia," by Mozart. Two hymns are also included in the program.

Graduation Service
The 144 members of the 1965 graduating class will receive diplomas in commencement exercises keyed by the theme "There Is No Security On This Earth—Only Opportunity" Monday night, May 24 at 8:00 in Belk Auditorium.

Addresses to be made include the valedictory entitled "Opportunity—A Challenge," by Carol Sanders and the salutatory, "Freedom—A Motivating Force," by Edwin Sloan.

Mark King, class president, will speak on the subject "Security—An Illusion" as the opening address. The invocation will be given by Eddie Shealy.

Announcements of scholarships and awards will be made by A. W. Shealy, principal, and diplomas will be presented by R. P. Wilder, superintendent, and Mr. Shealy.

Becky Huguley, pianist, will be accompanist for the processional, "Pomp and Circum-

stance" by Elgar. The glee club will sing two selections, "My Own America" by Wrube and "Be the Best of Whatever You Are," Whitney-Kramer.

Marshals for the commencement exercises will be the same officers and honor students who served as marshals for the service on Sunday.

Class Day Exercises
Class Day exercises were held in Wilder Stadium Friday, at which time announcements were made of many awards and prizes won by students during the year, some of which had already been announced.

Winners were: Carol Sanders—Phi Beta Kappa award, J. C. Thomas Valedictory Medal, National Merit Scholarship Certificate, Student of Year award, and Readers Digest award.

Eddie Shealy—National Honor Society plaque, and Bausch and Lomb Science award.

Rena Cox—National Honor Society Scholarship of \$100, and Betty Crocker award.

Janice Noffz and John Lanford—Danforth Foundation book.

Old English "C" for work on publications: The Clintonian—Betty Mae Baldwin, Dana Turner, Jimmie Heaton, Beverly Poole, Janice Caughman, Caroline Seegars, Robbie Lewis, Mackie Austin, Rena Cox, Mark King, Johnny Lanford, Juanita Willard, Eddie Shealy, Janice Noffz, Carolyn Lawson; The Sentinel—Carol Sanders, Jane Johnson, Diane Ledford, William Bell, Betty Black, Edwin Sloan, J. W. Davis, Bill Quarles, Linda White, Mary Ann Nabors.

The various "Students of the Month" during the year were recognized as follows: Joe Adams, Carol Sanders, Mark King, Eddie Shealy, Edwin Sloan, Betty Mae Baldwin, Jane Johnson.

Larry Warren won the A. B. Culbertson award for the outstanding student-athlete among graduating boys.

Dianne Ledford—the D. A. R. Good Citizen award.

State School Bus Driver Rodeo winner—Jerry Coker. Other members of the team were Jimmy Kinard and William F. Jacks.

Janice Caughman—High School Diploma in music by the National Guild of Piano Teachers.

Jim Adair—member of Clinton High School Band, recognized for being named the top drummer.

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NANCY GRANT
Valedictorian



PATRICIA FOWLER
Salutatorian

Baccalaureate Service At Thornwell Sunday

Dr. Robert L. Alexander, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Greenwood, will deliver the commencement address at graduation exercises for 14 Thornwell students Monday, May 24 at 8 p. m. at Montgomery Memorial Hall, Thornwell School.

The baccalaureate sermon will be delivered by Dr. Joseph W. Everett, Jr., pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Rock Hill, at a service Sunday morning, May 23 at 11 o'clock at Thornwell Memorial Presbyterian Church.

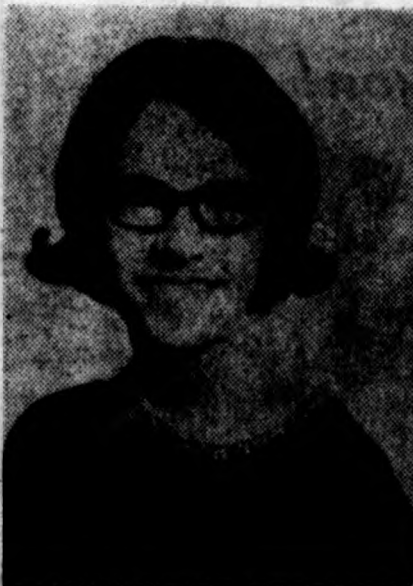
The commencement program

also includes a service of senior vespers, to be held Sunday at 7:30 p. m. at Thornwell Memorial Church. The Rev. Joseph A. Greer, associate pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Clinton, is the speaker.

Honor graduates are Nancy Carroll Grant, valedictorian, and Patricia Ann Fowler, salutatorian. Other members of the graduating class include Manley Lee Avinger, III, Sandra Diane Baker, Mary Gayle Bullard, Sally Crymes, Riley Fillingame, Rexford Bernard Ham, Jr., Jackie Doyle Higginbotham, Carol Elaine Mershon, Clarence Eugene Smith, Jr., Jewel Murlene Stewart, John Nathaniel Still and Kenneth Glenn Wright.

The annual board of trustees meeting will be held Tuesday, May 25 at 9:30 a. m. Joel S. Morse of Abbeville is chairman, and local members of the board include Robert M. Vance, R. E. Ferguson, Jr., and Dr. William Redd Turner.

Plans are being made for the five-year alumni reunion which will take place June 11-13. Speakers for the services will be former students of Thornwell.



ANDREA STROUD



MICHAEL JOHNSON

Stroud, Johnson Win Joanna Scholarships

Andrea Stroud and Michael Johnson have been named the recipients of the two \$2,000 scholarship awards which are given annually by the Joanna Foundation to two high school graduates, children of Joanna-connected parents, who meet the requirements as to eligibility, scholastic rating and personal interview.

The Clinton High School students, both of whom are to graduate May 24 with the present senior class, were chosen by unanimous recommendation of the selection board, composed of Dr. K. Nolan Carter of the Presbyterian College faculty and Frank Logan, dean of students of Wofford College, Spartanburg, it was announced this week by the Foundation.

Andrea, the daughter of Mrs. Ervin Stroud and the late Mr. Stroud of Joanna, plans to enter Winthrop College in Rock Hill in September.

"Mike" is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Olin Johnson of 600 Cedar Street, Clinton. He plans to enter Davidson College, Davidson, N. C. He has served as a Greenville newspaper boy for a number of years, and in 1963 was chosen "Young Columbus 7," an honor which won for him a trip to Switzerland and Western Germany.

In addition to the scholarship program, the Joanna Foundation offers educational loans bearing two per cent simple interest to qualified Joanna-connected students. Any son or daughter of active or retired employees of Joanna Cotton Mills Company, Joanna Community Corporation, or the Joanna Foundation may apply for either a scholarship or a loan to be used at any college accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools.



"Strong Man" Speaker for Dinner

Paul Anderson, winner of national, world and Olympic titles in weight-lifting, is to be the speaker at a father-son banquet sponsored by the Men of the Church, First Presbyterian Church, in the Fellowship room Wednesday, May 26.

Paul Anderson, a native of Toccoa, Ga., attended Furman University in Greenville, and is reputedly the strongest man in the world, according to an announcement by George Brockenbrough, president of the Presby-

terian Men of the Church. Active in the Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Anderson sponsors the Paul Anderson Youth Home, Inc., in Vidalia, Ga., in which he cares for 20 teen-agers. He is a frequent speaker at civic clubs and youth groups, presenting his goals of helping young people, through physical fitness, develop into good citizens.

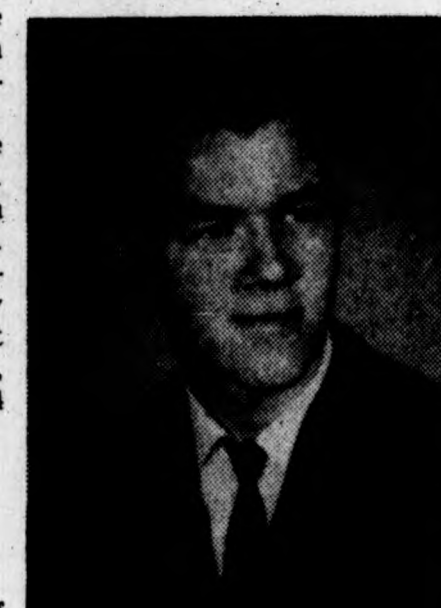
The father-son banquet marks the last regularly scheduled program planned for the year by the Men of the Church.

J. Gary Cunningham Passes in Georgia

J. Gary Cunningham, 70, of Griffin, Ga., suffered a heart attack at 9 o'clock Wednesday night, May 12, and was dead on arrival at the Griffin County hospital.

A native of Laurens County, son of the late Oscar C. and Della Madden Cunningham, he had lived in Griffin since 1933. Survivors include his wife, Elizabeth Walker Cunningham; one daughter, Mrs. Harry Barron of College Park, Ga., three sisters, Mrs. Nannie Martin, Mrs. Lila Stewart, both of Clinton and Mrs. Faye Jones of Columbia; two brothers, R. T. Cunningham of Greenwood and Shaw Cunningham of Dallas, Texas; two grandchildren, Peggy and Barry Barron of College Park.

Funeral services were held Friday at 1 p.m. at Haisten's Chapel in Griffin, Ga. Burial was in Greenwood Cemetery in Atlanta.



MARK KING



WM. ROBERT BLACKWELL

King, Blackwell Get Bailey Scholarships

Mark Odell King and William Robert Blackwell are the 1965 winners of Mercer Silas Bailey Memorial College Scholarships. Both are seniors at Clinton High School.

Mark is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Hall King. He plans to study mechanical engineering at the University of South Carolina.

Robert is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Blackwell. He will enter Clemson University this fall where he will major in mathematics. Both Mark and Robert have a long list of impressive academic and extra-curricular accomplishments and honors during their high school years. The scholarships, awarded annually by the Bailey Foundation to sons and daughters of Clinton Mills employees, have an annual current value of \$1,000 for four years. Since inception of the program in 1957, eighteen four-year scholarships have been awarded. The scholarships are restricted to South Carolina colleges and universities.