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Margaret Lewis:

"PORTRAIT OF COURAGE"

By John B. Henderson

FAYETTEVILLE -- When Margaret Lewis walked across the stage at Fayetteville State University's (N.C.) commencement exercises recently to receive her Bachelor of Arts degree in early childhood education, people noticed that the young woman walked with the aid of a cane.

She is stricken with polio. But Mrs. Lewis is definitely a true case of courage.

Her story is not really unlike any other person with a physical handicap struggling to get a four-year education. But yet it is somewhat unique.

When her last semester ended at FSU, Mrs. Lewis was still a little unsure of having "made it" at the institution. She was doing things that prospective graduates all over the nation do just before commencement time which is going through the chores of getting all financial obligations and other matters cleared with the institution so that they are sure "to march" at commencement.

With tears in her eyes and just two or three days before commencement, Mrs. Lewis said, "I just don't know what I'm going to do. I thought I had everything all cleared up but I guess I'll have to go and talk with the head man (The Chancellor) and explain my problem."

Well, the rest is history. The Rowland, North Carolina, native and mother of six children whose ambition is to teach small children, got everything cleared up and received her degree.

Things have been rather tough for this woman who was stricken at the age of three

with polio. She does not beg for sympathy nor does she ask (Continued on Page 2)



HARD EARNED DEGREE is received by 1975 Fayetteville State University (N.C.) graduate and polio victim Margaret Lewis. FSU Chancellor Charles "A" Lyons, Jr., presents her degree at recent commencement exercises.

(Photo by Henderson)

FSU LISTS '75 GRADS

FAYETTEVILLE -- Fayetteville State University graduated over 380 seniors in commencement exercises recently.

The graduates are: **BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION (Non-Teaching)**- Jesse D. Alston, Oliver K. Alt, Harold W. Belton, Wilton B. Best, Jerry D. Brown, Donnie L. Campbell, Mary S. Carter, Roger Charleston, Vandora A. Cole, + Ronald C. Coleman, Grover L. Copeland, Joseph M. Dark, Conrith W. Davis, Bernard D. Dunn, Richard C. Edwards, William E. Fields, Ai Taira Fowler, Carol L. Franks, Patricia A. Fuller, Sib S. Ghosh, Annie B. Gilmore, Willie J. Gladden, Edward W. Hazley, Betty L. Herring, James W. Herring, Retha M. Hopkins, Charles R. Horton, Douglas N. Howard, Herman B. Hubbard, Dennis L. Hunt, Lewis S. Inabinet, Joann Isabell, Keith B. Jeffries, Frank F. Joshua, Dara L. Mancini, Rochella C. Marable, Andrew Martin, Jackie F. McLaurin, William J. McPhatter, Jr., James R. McPherson, LaVerne D. Melvin, Chenita A. Merritt, Willarease Montgomery, William F. Moore, Gwendolyn C. Mott, Clara T. Patterson, Charles R. Perry, Lula F. Powell, Charles D. Reynolds, Bryant A. Roberts, Dorcas D. Robinson, + Calvin Shipman, William J. Sinclair, Ray Anthony L. Spiver, Julian E. Swittenberg, Bernard Taylor, Linda A. Smith Thomas, Valel T. Thomas, William Travis, III, Arbie Turner, Jr., Kenneth W. Vinson, Judith P. Waddell, Irving K. Walker, Jr., Frank E. Walston, and Kathy F. Whitted.

THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS EDUCATION (Teaching) -- Minnie A. Bryant, Ann Carroll, Pansy I. Clark, Pamela J. Cole, LaRue Ellis, Tanya P. Hardy, Patricia A. Henry, Joan Jones, Erma D. Joyner, Rosetta Lacewell, Brenda K. Lisane, Janet L. Lynch, Shirley A. McCall, Patricia A. Monroe, Audrey M. Morrison, + Glenda L. Paylor, Addie V. Ray, Willie C. Roseborough, Melva Salm, Sandra Sanchez, Ira M. Simmons, Patricia A. Swepson, Betty J. Turner, Barbara J. West and Jackie E. Wilson.

ELEMENTARY EDUCATION (Teaching) -- Betty J. Aekins, Dianne Artis, Ida L. Autman, Laura A. Bankhead, Marjorie F. Battle, Jean H. Boffman, Selene Burnett, Ella R. Burney, F.ora A. Burton, Mary Bell Butler, Ora E. Campbell, Virginia J. Campbell, Hilda G. Carmon, Carolyn E. Carroll, Brenda K. Carter, Shelby J. Conley, Terri L. Cox, Runell L. Cutts, Lynne M. DeBauche, Edward F. Devenish, Mary D. Freeman, Joyce L. Geddie, Walter J. Haire, Beverly D. J. Hood, Diedra D. Howie, Robert Jackson, Rita E. James, Loneese Johnson, Doris S. Judkins, Cynthia B. Keys, Mildred M. Langston, Margaret R. Lewis, Edna S. Lymus, Laura M. McDonald, Brenda F. McKay, Viola M. McKee, Eleese E. McLeod, Gloria E. McQueen, George L. Murray, Larry A. Newton, Gloria J. Outerbridge, Dazarene Page, Paula D. Patterson, Yulla C. Percell, Emma M. Pretty, Patricia G. Raeford, Veronica M. Raeford, Shirley E. Ray, Lillie B. Redmon, Patricia A. Richardson, Alice B. Robertson, Wadie A. Ryan, Annette B. Smith, Marjorie G. Smith, Belinda F.

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COOLING IT IN SUMMER SCHOOL -- Concentrating on her class notes and avoiding the recent June "heat wave" in the air-conditioned classroom at Fayetteville State University (N.C.) is coed Linda Campbell.

(FSU Photo by John B. Henderson)

Record 1300 Students Attend FSU Summer School

FAYETTEVILLE -- According to the Fayetteville State University Registrar's Office, there has been a record jump in this year's summer school enrollment.

Currently, according to FSU Registrar Wilbur Campbell, there are over 785 students enrolled at the FSU main campus and this is a school record.

The Fort Bragg campus of FSU (including satellite campuses) has a total of 515 enrolled in summer session.

This makes a total of over 1,300 student enrollment for the first session which ends June 30.

"The University is offering a better quality of courses and services to the area and State of North Carolina. Therefore, students are taking advantage of the educational services at FSU and the enrollment has risen due to some of these factors," Campbell said.

There was a total of 972 students enrolled at this time last year on both campuses which shows a sharp increase in summer school attendance at Fayetteville State University over last year's figures.

The second session of summer school at FSU will start Monday, June 30. According to Dr. J. E. Lyons, Director of Summer School at FSU, registration will be held June 30 and July 1.

Many In-Service Training programs are being offered which include courses for teacher renewal certificates in courses which include Children's Literature, Mathematics (The Metric System) and Cultural Anthropology.

Thought for the Month

"The trouble with the guy who talks too fast is that he often says something he hasn't thought of yet."

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Football Schedule

1975 SCHEDULE FOR FSU BRONCOS FOOTBALL TEAM

September 30	Norfolk State	Home
September 27	Shaw University	Away
October 3	Morehouse College	Away
October 11	St. Pauls College	Home
October 18	Winston-Salem State (Homecoming)	Home
October 25	Livingstone College	Away
November 1	Elizabeth City	Away
November 8	Federal City College	Away
November 15	Johnson C. Smith University	Home