

## Four NCCU Faculty Receive Awards

Four North Carolina Central University faculty members have been named to receive Faculty Study Awards given by the University of North Carolina Board of Governors for 1982-83. They are Johnny B. Alston, assistant pro-

fessor of dramatic arts; Floyd Ferebee, assistant professor of English; Sampat Jain, assistant professor of management and marketing in the NCCU School of Business; and Freddie Parker, instructor of history.

Alston, who joined the NCCU faculty in 1976, holds the bachelor of arts degree from NCCU and the master of arts degree from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.

Ferebee holds both the bachelor of arts and the master of arts degrees from NCCU, and became a member of the faculty in 1973.

Jain, who has been a faculty member since 1977, holds bachelor of commerce and master of

commerce degrees from the University of Rajasthan, India, and the master of business administration degree from the University of Georgia.

Parker, a faculty member since 1976, also holds both the bachelor of arts and master of arts degrees from NCCU.

The awards will permit the four faculty members to devote the 1982-83 academic year to the completion of their work toward doctorates.

## 96th ECSU Commencement Set For May 16

ELIZABETH CITY — Elizabeth City State University's Ninety-Sixth Commencement is set for 10:30 a.m., Sunday, May 16, in the Robert L. Vaughan Center. Prior to the awarding of degrees to approximately 250 graduating seniors, Judge Richard C. Erwin, U.S. District Judge for the Middle District of North Carolina, will

deliver the major address.

In 1978, after becoming the first black in the state to win a state-wide race for any elective office, Judge Erwin won a seat on the North Carolina Court of Appeals. Two years later, he was appointed to the federal judgeship.

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PARTICIPANTS in the LPN of the Year competition of the Durham Area were (l-r): Ms. Hattie S. Bass, 1981 LPN; Ms. Geraldine Lunsford, first runner-up; Ms. Dianne Evans, second runner-up; Ms. Mammie H. Howard, 1982 LPN of the Year. Ms. Jessie P. Smith, third runner-up, is not shown.

## Eight N.C. Recipients Among NHC Fifth Class Researchers

TRIANGLE PARK — The Board of Trustees of the National Humanities Center has announced that 45 scholars will be at the center during the coming academic year. They will form the fifth "class" of Fellows and Associates at the institute for advanced study in Research Triangle Park.

The fields of study represented by the scholars chosen for 1982-83 are history, language and literature, philosophy, religion, art history, anthropology, political science, psychology and biochemistry. Besides in-

dividuals from American colleges and universities, 12 scholars will come from nations outside the United States, including England, Japan, Israel, Spain, Portugal, Ireland, Australia and Canada.

The class also comprises 14 young scholars and 31 senior scholars. During the period of research and writing at the center, the scholars will reside in Chapel Hill, Durham, Raleigh and other communities near the Research Triangle Park.

The eight North Carolina recipients, their institutions and their projects are: Blyden

Jackson, UNC-Chapel Hill, Afro-American Literature: A History; David Shi, Davidson College, The Simple Life: Plain Living and High Thinking in American Culture; Harmon Smith, Duke University, The Development of Autonomous Moral Authority in American Christianity; Lance Stell, Davidson College, Rights, Groups and Individualism; Ms. Joan Stewart, N.C. State University, French Women Novelists of the 18th Century; Ms. Mary Sturgeon, UNC-Chapel Hill, The Sculptures from the Sanctuary of

Poseidon at Isthmia, Greece; Laurence Thomas, UNC-Chapel Hill, A Theory of Moral Character; and Samuel Williamson, Jr., UNC-Chapel Hill, Austria-Hungary and the War of 1914.

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### African Visitors

Three university registrars from Africa visited the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill recently during a tour of American public and private institutions of higher learning. The program, sponsored by the International Communication Agency and administered by Operation Crossroads Africa, gave the participants a chance to look at the variety of administrative structures used in this country's colleges and universities. The American administrators and faculty members, in turn, had the

opportunity to meet their African counterparts and learn about their institutions. Shown in the photo above, left to right, are: Samuel M. Pule, assistant academic registrar, National University of Lesotho; Mrs. Jane E.N. Ogwapit, senior assistant registrar, University of Nairobi, Kenya; and Bernard A.O. King, assistant general registrar, Fourah Bay College, University of Sierra Leone; David Davis, their escort; and Harold Wallace, UNC-CH vice-chancellor for university affairs.

## Cast Your Ballot! Vote For Your Favorite Minister in the Friends of Edgemont-Few Gardens Center Ministers Popularity Contest

### Four Top Frontrunners In Tight "Race"

So far, the Ministers Popularity Contest sponsored by Friends of Edgemont-Few Gardens Community Center has produced four frontrunners in its first two weeks of balloting.

The winner will be sent on a trip to the Bahamas.

Rev. L.H. Whelchel has received the most ballots in the contest that is being used to raise money for the center that is seriously strapped for funds because of federal program budget cuts. Closely following Rev. Whelchel are: Rev. Earle Thorpe in second place; Rev. Grady Davis in third place and Rev. John Monroe in fourth place.

According to a spokesman for the Edgemont Center, the purpose of the contest, in addition to raising money for the center is to "boost the black church and the black press, locally and nationally".

The Carolina Times is cooperating with the contest by publishing the official ballot each week. To vote for your favorite minister, simply clip the ballot from an issue of The Carolina Times, complete it, and mail it to the Center. A \$1 donation must accompany each ballot in order that it be included in the official count.

The center spokesman said the first prize for the contest is a trip to the Bahamas for the winning minister. Other prizes will be announced.

Among the friends of Edgemont sponsoring group are: Drs. Marvin Duncan, Vinston Burton, Jr., Caroline Sage, Earle Thorpe, former city councilman James Brown, Jr., Attorneys Frank Bullock, Carroll Willis; Bishop John T. Moore, Few Gardens Resident Council President Lila Richmond, Mr. George White and Mr. George Jones.

### Contestants

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Rev. Frizelle Yelverton  
Elder Elroy Lewis  
Rev. William Easley  
Rev. Lorenzo Lynch  
Rev. Howard Haggler  
Rev. P. ...  
Rev. W.T. Bigelow  
Rev. Grady Davis  
Rev. Leon Saunders

Rev. David Bell  
Rev. Harold Cobb  
Rev. William Freeman  
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Rev. Lowry Reid  
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Rev. Percy Chase  
Rev. Vernon Thompson  
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Rev. V.E. Brown  
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Rev. L.H. Whelchel  
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Did you see YOUR minister's name in the list of nominees? Nominations remain open. Its not too late to nominate your minister. Do it today!

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