

News of Alumni

Class of 1960

MR. ROY P. ROBERTSON of Warrenton, has joined the Real Estate Division of Frazco, Inc.

Class of 1966

MR. CHARLES W. BROWN and his wife have started their own business called Brown's Enterprises in Greenwood, South Carolina. It is a computer information service handling word processing, data bases, spreadsheets, charts, taxes, and other related computer services.

Class of 1967

MR. FRED W. DAVIS has been named principal of West Montgomery High School in Montgomery County.

MR. W. J. BOWMAN has joined Phillips Fibers Corporation as technical service representative for continuous filament yarns.

Class of 1968

MRS. LYNN SMITH POPE has been promoted to Homecare Coordinator of MedVisit, Inc., a home health agency in Durham.

THE REV. RICHARD T. VANN, JR., was the guest speaker at Meherrin Baptist Church in July.

Class of 1971

MR. LARRY SIMMONS of Grifton has been named assistant principal at Ayden Middle School.

Class of 1972

MISS AVA BERNICE BURKE and Mr. Henry Cecil Parrish were united in marriage September 13, 1987, at Murfreesboro United Methodist Church in Murfreesboro.

MR. L. THOMAS BAIRD and Miss Mona Griswold were married June 27, 1987, at All Saints Episcopal Church in Roanoke Rapids.

Class of 1974

MR. KEITH RENNER and Mrs. Linda Gosnell Renner, daughter of Dr. John and Barbara Gosnell, reside in Edenton with their two children, Zack Gosnell Renner and Jenille Morgan Renner. Keith is a social worker for Chowan County.

Class of 1976

MISS TERESA ANN HILL and Mr. Robert Todd Kelley were married June 27, 1987, at Meherrin Baptist Church in Murfreesboro.

MR. JACK BARRON JONES took over the helm at the Hertford County Social Services Department in July, 1987.

MR. W. WADE WALKER has joined Inasco USA Inc. as collections manager in the treasury department.

Class of 1977

MR. AND MRS. STUART C. WADE, JR., had a baby boy born to them on June 25, 1987. They named him Stuart Carlton Wade, III. He weighed 8 lbs., 12 ozs.

MR. BOB BLACKBURN and MRS. KATHY BREINER BLACKBURN have two daughters, Karen Leigh and Diane Archer. Bob received his MBA from VCU in December 1985 and works as a Bend Underwriter for the Ohio Casualty Insurance Company. Kathy is City Coordinator for the Becker CPA Review Course. They reside in Richmond, Va.

Class of 1978

MR. WILLIAM PHILIP HEITMAN and Miss Catherine Ruth Krebs were united in marriage on October 10, 1987, at St. Leo's Catholic Church in Winston-Salem.

SGT. KAREN L. BENNETT has been decorated with the second award of the Air Force Commendation Medal in South Korea. The medal is awarded to those individuals who demonstrate outstanding achievement or meritorious service in the performance of their duties on behalf of the Air Force.

MR. THOMAS PENDER RODWELL, JR., and Miss Karen Carolyn Kendal were married on July 18, 1987, at St. David by the Sea Anglican Church, Cordova, Bay, Victoria, British Columbia.

Class of 1980

MISS ROCHEL MARY ROLAND and Mr. James Stuart Sloane were married in Rockville, Maryland, on October 1, 1987. They now reside in Bethesda, Maryland.

MISS CYNTHIA MAE EVERTTE and Mr. George Washington King, II, were united in marriage on June 13, 1987, at Second Baptist Creeksville Church, Creeksville.

MISS BONNIE JANE GODWIN and Mr. Scott W. Hansen were united in marriage on April 11, 1987, at Mr. Tabor Baptist Church, Murfreesboro. They now reside in Greenville. Scott is a Sales Representative with Cameron and Barkley, and Bonnie is with Fisher Enterprises, both in Greenville.

Class of 1982

MR. DARRELL LEE STEEN has been named manager of the Camera Department of The Laurinburg Exchange. He resides in Laurinburg with his wife, the former Miss Marilyn Kaye Norton.

Class of 1983

MR. JOHN R. SETTLE, III, and GAIL LYNNE CLYBURN were married on June 7, 1986. The couple resides in Norfolk, Virginia, and both graduated from James Madison University in the Class of 1985. John is an accountant for Electrical Suppliers, Inc., and Gail is an Insurance Agent working for Clyburn Insurance Agency selling Nationwide Insurance products.

MISS LOIS ELAYNE WILLIAMS became the bride of Mr. David Neal Jernigan on September 6, 1987, at Powellsville Baptist Church, Powellsville.

MISS LAURA JEAN VARNER and Mr. Eric Douglas Henderson were united in marriage on September 13, 1987, at Archdale Friends Meeting House in Greenville.

MR. DANIEL HUGH FERRARA and Miss Kelly Jane Falin were married on September 12, 1987, at West Market United Methodist Church, in Greensboro.

MR. PAUL PEARCE has been promoted to the position of Quality Production Control Manager at Kerr Glass Company in Ahoskie.

Class of 1984

MISS CATHY ROSE AVERETTE and Mr. Bruce Douglas Blackwell were married in a double-ring ceremony at Pleasant Grove Baptist Church on July 25, 1987.

MR. NATHANIEL McMILLAN and Miss Eyvonne Michelle England were united in marriage on June 27, 1987, at First Baptist Church, Hickory.

MR. KYLE MONROE CHAMBLEE and Miss Tina Marie Barber were married on September 12, 1987, at Murfreesboro Baptist Church.

MR. DANIEL B. "BEN" BERRY was named as the new city executive of Hertford by Peoples Bank and Trust Company. He is married to the former Sylvia Gregory of Hertford, and they have two children, Justin and Britt.

Class of 1985

MR. SAMUEL ASHLEY BLIZZARD, III, and Miss Melissa Marie Keel were married on June 26, 1987, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Blizzard, Jr., on Hallsville Road, Beulaville. A poolside reception followed the ceremony, and the couple reside in Elizabeth City.

MR. WILLIAM FREDERICK BARNES, II, and Miss Carolyn Marie Fincher exchanged vows on October 3, 1987, at Derita Baptist Church, Charlotte. After a trip to Key West Florida, the couple live in Charlotte.

MISS ANGELA JONES became the bride of Mr. Phillip Bruley on October 17, 1987, at Benson Memorial United Methodist Church in Raleigh. The couple lives in Raleigh.

MR. STEVEN RAY BOYD and Miss Jacqueline Laverne Robinson exchanged vows on June 27, 1987, at the home of the bride's parents. Jacqueline is employed by Hillhaven Rose Manor Convalescent Center as a nursing assistant, and Steven is employed by Sutherland Eggs, Inc., as a truck driver.

Class of 1986

MISS LORI ANN PARKER became the bride of Mr. Joseph Quinton Martin during a wedding ceremony on August 16, 1987, at Ahoskie First Baptist Church. They couple reside in Ahoskie.

MISS CAROLYN MICHELLE LOVE and Mr. David Wayne Lineberry were united in marriage on July 18, 1987, in Temple Baptist Church, Greenville.

MISS LORRAINE KAYE HARRISON and Mr. Melvin Franklin Emory exchanged vows on June 28, 1987, at Pleasant Grove United Methodist Church, Denton.

MISS SHERRY LYNN DANIELS, and Mr. Joseph Conwell Duncan were united in marriage on December 12, 1987, at Mount Tabor Baptist Church in Murfreesboro. Sherry works at Chowan College in the Business Office as a systems operator. They couple resides in Galatia.

Class of 1987

MISS WENDY ANN MATNEY became the bride of Mr. Sherman Carl Blythe on July 18, 1987, at Boykins Baptist Church, Boykins, Va. The couple will reside in Boykins.

MISS APRIL JOY DILDAY and Mr. William Lawrence Lassiter were married on June 7, 1987, at Murfreesboro Baptist Church, Murfreesboro. They are living in Murfreesboro where April is employed by Tom Jones, Sr., Attorney at Law.

Braves win NBC cage tournament

By TOM APPENZELLER

The Braves defeated New York jocos Westchester Community College 64-62 and Herkimer Community College 131-68 to win the Northeastern Businessmen's Classic held in Helms Center on Dec. 4-5.

On the opening night of the two day classic, the Braves went on an 18-0 tear midway through the first half to turn a 16-12 Herkimer lead into a 30-16 Chowan advantage. The rest of the night belonged to the Braves as they build a 34 point bulge at halftime and led by 63 at the final buzzer.

Chowan placed six players in double figures, with Gary Mattison leading the way at 22 points. Terry Massey scored 19 on 9 of 10 shooting. High Point's Johnny McNeil had 18 while Wilson's John McNeil had 15. Gus Ward scored 14 and Sean Andrews added 11.

The next night, the Braves battled Westchester down to the wire and came away with a victory when the Westcos missed three close-in shots which could have sent the game into overtime.

Gary Mattison, voted the Most Outstanding Player of the Classic by the coaches, scored 19 of his game high 27 points in the second half to keep the Braves' undefeated record intact. He was aided by All N.B.C. Team members Johnny McNeil, with 15 points and 11 rebounds, and Sean Andrews with 10 assists, 7 rebound, and 5 steals.

The Braves ran their record to a perfect 11-0 with a win over the University of Virginia Jayvees in the final game before the Christmas vacation break.

Scott Ainslie, guitarist, gives performance

Guitarist Scott Ainslie, visiting artist at Roanoke-Chowan Technical College, performed at Chowan on Nov. 17 in Marks Hall auditorium. His performance was the feature of the monthly Faculty Forum/Lyceum program.

Ainslie is currently one of the premiere interpreters of the traditional blues and spiritual music of Reverend Gary Davis and Robert Johnson, legendary giants of North Carolina and Mississippi blues, respectively.

Contrasting the delicate ragtime guitar style of the eastern Piedmont with the knife-edged bottleneck slides and heavier beat of the Mississippi Delta, Ainslie brings to life the blues and spiritual music that lies at the heart of the Southern musical experience and that has done so much to shape American popular music.

In addition to being a fine blues singer and guitarist, Ainslie has performed extensively in this country and in Europe as a prize winning old-time fiddler and claw-hammer banjo player.