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Bottoms to Speak at Tonight's Convocation

Dr. Lawrence Wendell Bottoms, moderator of the Presbyterian College in the United States, will speak at tonight's spring convocation in Harris Court. The 7:30 p.m. address, which is open to the public, will be Dr. Bottoms' first appearance at St. Andrews.

A native of Selma, Alabama, Dr. Bottoms is the first black moderator of the religious organization. He is a former moderator of the Synod of Kentucky and the Louisville (Ky.) Presbytery. A graduate of Geneva College in Beaver Falls, Pennsylvania and the Reformed Presbyterian Seminary in Pittsburgh, Dr. Bottoms received his D. D. from Davis and Elkins College.

Prior to assuming his current position as pastor of Oakhurst Presbyterian Church in Decatur, Georgia, Bot-

tom served for Twenty-three years as a member of the Presbyterian Church's Board of Church Extension and the Board of National Ministries which succeeded it.

An additional feature of the convocation will be the academic procession with which it will be begin and end. The faculty, garbed in the academic robes of their particular disciplines, will be joined by pastors of churches in the Presbytery. By joining in the procession, the pastors will be demonstrating the vital link between faith and learning in the Biblical tradition. In point of fact, the black pulpit gown has its origins in the academic world, having been adopted for clerical wear by the clergy of Geneva, Switzerland during the sixteenth century Reformation movement as a rebellion against the white priestly

vestments worn by clergy of the Catholic Church. Additionally, the black gown was also the everyday dress of teachers and students of the time, giving the gown's use in religious affairs added significance, as it expressed the pastor's role as "Teaching Elder" in his church and in "the priesthood of all believers"—a role which is finding renewed significance today as society finds itself shaped and influenced more and more by educational processes.

Students planning to live off campus during the 1975-76 school year must apply for approval to do so, the Office of Student Personnel Services announced today.

Applications for permission to live off campus may be picked up at OSP office, and must be returned by April 24. Person's living off campus this year or who are on the off-campus priority list must submit a re-application to continue their authorization.

Distinguished Scholars Announced

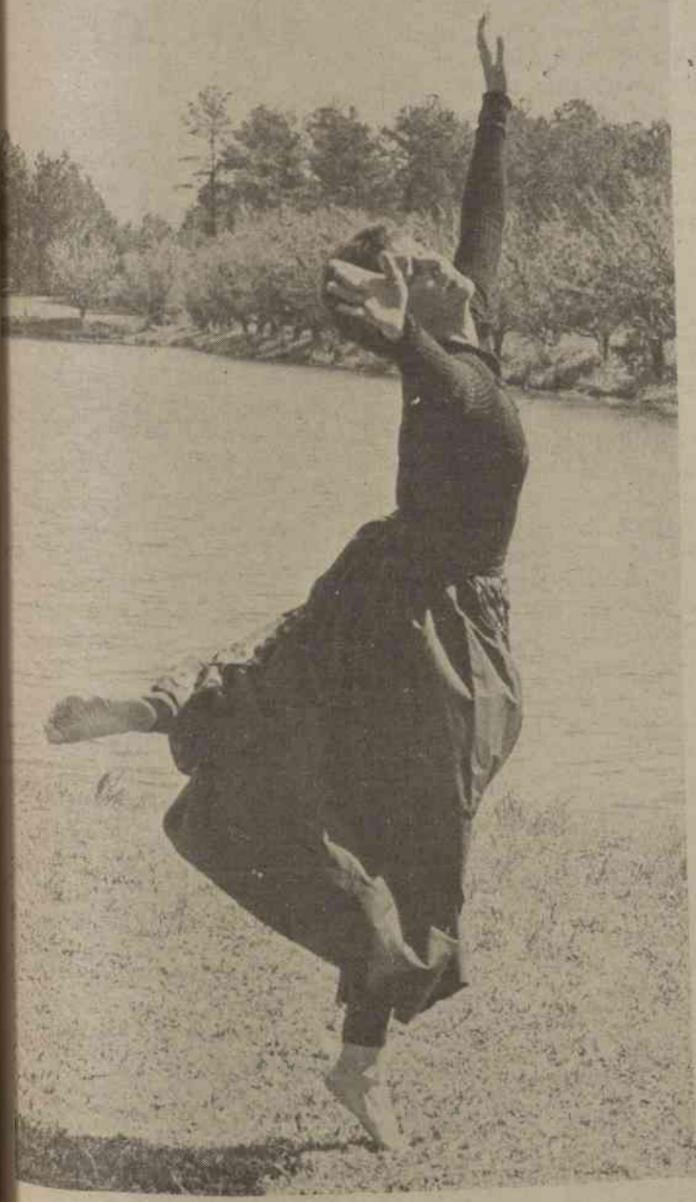
The Office of Admissions announced last week the winners of St. Andrews' highest scholastic award, the Distinguished Scholars Award. The award, which is based on merit and is given to members of the incoming freshman class, is worth \$2,000 a year and is renewable for each year the Student is at the college.

The winners were chosen after a series of interviews by members of the faculty and student body at St. Andrews the weekend of March 20. Fourteen contenders were chosen to receive the award, with nine runners-up receiving Presidential Awards, which carry an annual stipend of \$750.

DISTINGUISHED SCHOLARS AWARDS were presented to Stephen Allgood of Atlanta, Georgia; Donna Andrews of Rockville, Maryland; Barbara Branges of Rockville, Maryland; Susan Brister of Waco, Texas; Cindy Carter of Nashville, Ten-

nessee; David Dwiggin of Fayetteville, North Carolina; Martha Gettys of Asheville, North Carolina; Michael Greene, Jr., of Columbia, South Carolina; Robin Green of Baltimore, Maryland; Nadine Greenwood of Lynchburg, Virginia; Lu Anne Holt of Allendale, South Carolina; Rose Marie Martin of North Miami Beach, Florida; Steve Newton of Fishersville, Virginia; and Grace Noblitt of College Park, Georgia.

Winners of the **PRESIDENTIAL AWARDS** were Greg Chocklett of Charlotte, North Carolina; Carlton Dwiggin of Fayetteville, North Carolina; Kim Felthousen of Virginia Beach, Virginia; Shannon Huff of Watertown, New York; Scott Lyon of Mooresville, North Carolina; Gerald Musselwhite of Fayetteville, North Carolina; Charles Scott of Richmond, Virginia; and Celeste Tillson of Jamestown, North Carolina.



ANNE SMITH and the Howard Hanger Trio were on campus last weekend, April 11-13. The well organized common experience was one of the most interesting and valuable programs offered this year.

Fulcher's SAS 102 To Offer Work Ethic Survey

Have you ever thought what the meaning of work is to your personal attitudes and values in life? Most of us have asked these questions at one time or another, but not in depth.

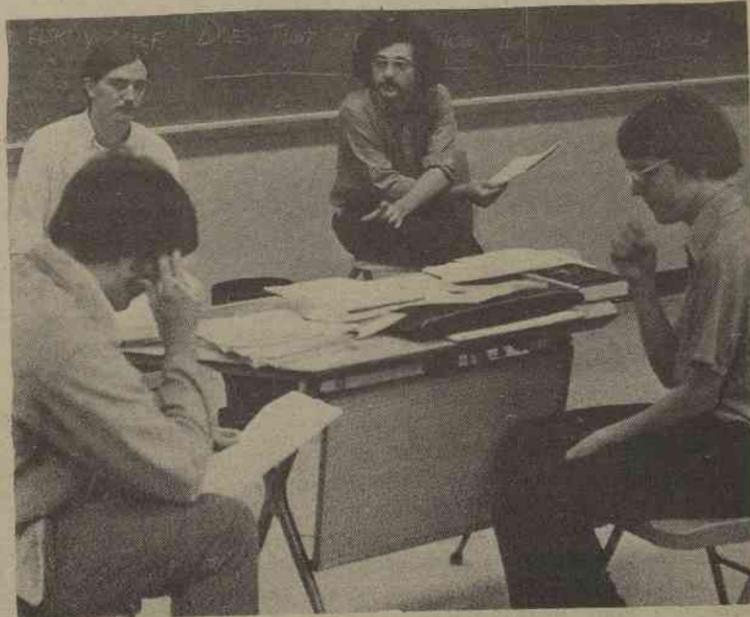
The SAS 102 class under the direction of Dr. Rodney Fulcher will administer a survey concerning work attitudes and ethics to the student body during the week of April 21-25.

Fulcher's course, entitled "Job and Career Choices," has over the past semester studied the attitudes college-educated workers will have towards their careers. The students have also done research in the problems of American workers. Next week's questionnaire will help the class better distinguish what the St. Andrews student community considers to be meaningful work. The class has been trying to learn how college educated workers go about discovering the opportunities open in their choice of careers, and the personal attitudes and assessments taken toward those new careers.

To accomplish these ob-

jectives, survey methods and skills have been studied. Aiding the students have been Phil Bradley, Jim Putnam, and Rick Morgan contributing comments and suggestions on surveys and their own experiences in survey administration.

Not only will the survey fulfill the objective goals of the SAS 102 class but it will help all of those involved to better formulate their own personal value assessments. All are encouraged to participate.



Bill Gaither and Jim Craig are involved in a survey role-play while Rick Morgan and Phil Bradley give advice.