



VERNELL SHERROD, senior sociology major, relaxes in the late autumn sun before she begins her Student Internship assignment October 8. A Tarboro native, Vernell is a member of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority and an honor student.

## Governor Names Trustee

Trustees for five state universities were named by Governor Jim Holshouser. The four trustees appointed to the boards of each of the universities will join eight trustees named by the Board of Governors of the statewide university system. Those appointed by the Governor include:

Fayetteville State University -- Bessie McDonald Landis of Parkton and Robert Cellner of Fayetteville, four-year terms; Alexander Barnes of Durham and Jackson F. Lee of Fayetteville, two-year terms.

North Carolina A&T State University -- Robert L. Linton and John C. Hawkins, both of Greensboro, four-year terms; C.C. Griffin of Kannapolis and Richard D. Levy of Greensboro, two-year terms.

North Carolina Central University -- James Hawkins and Milton E. Harrington, both of Durham, four-year terms; Mrs. Edmund M. Cameron and Billy M. Sessoms, both of Durham, two-year terms.

University of North Carolina at Asheville -- Garza Baldwin, Jr., and Dr. Otis B. Michael, both of Asheville, four-year terms; Mrs. Charles D. Owen, Jr., of Asheville and Frell MacDonald Owl of Cherokee, two-year terms.

Elizabeth City State University -- Dr. Charles Johnson of Durham and Dr. Robert L. Poston of Elizabeth City, four-year terms; Frank W. Ballance of Warrenton and Mrs. O. F. Gilbert, Jr., of Elizabeth City, two-year terms.

Mrs. Landis is a teacher in the Red Springs public schools. She holds a B.S. degree from Fayetteville State and an M.A. degree from A&T State University.

Cellner is owner of Cellner Jewelers Fayetteville. He is past president of the Fayetteville Jaycees. He attended N.C. State University and served two years in the U.S. Army.

Lee is mayor of Fayetteville and vice president of Murchison and Bailey Advertising and Public Relations Agency. He is a graduate of the University of Nebraska and served in the Army Air Corps in World War II. He has been president of the N.C. Association of Broadcasters, the Fayetteville Chamber of Commerce, and the United Community Fund of Cumberland County.

Barnes is associate editor of the Carolinian Newspaper in Raleigh. He is a general officer of the AME Zion Church. He holds a B. S. degree from Fayetteville State.



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## Class Attendance Policy

As a result of the large number of students on academic probation and suspension lists, a great deal of concern was aroused within the Senate regarding the academic welfare of the students. Consequently, the Senate felt it extremely necessary to implement a class attendance policy, even though they realized this would not solve all of the academic ills suffered by students.

This class attendance policy which is being implemented during the current semester states:

"The University is committed to the principle that regular and punctual class attendance is generally essential to the student's optimum scholastic achievements. It is hoped that students will realize that participation in a class setting can be a valuable experience academically and otherwise; hence, the worth of his experience cannot be measured solely by test papers, research papers, and projects. Therefore, students are expected to attend all classes regularly and to keep appointments when they are scheduled. It is the responsibility of the student to keep himself informed of the requirements of the instructor, to take all examinations at the time prescribed by the instructor, and to turn in all assignments when they are due. An absence, excused or unexcused, does not relieve the student of any course requirement.

A student may not be absent from a class for any cause, excused or unexcused, more than 25 percent of the clock hours the class would normally meet during a semester. When a student has been absent from a class 20 percent of the clock hours the class would normally meet during any given semester, he will receive a letter of warning. When a student has been absent from a class 25 percent of the clock hours the class would normally meet during a semester, he will receive a letter stating that he has been dropped from the course with a grade of "DP" or "DE". Both letters will be forwarded from the Office of the Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs.

The grade assigned, "DP" or "DE" will be determined by the teacher and the department chairman with the approval of the division head."

## FSU to Conduct College Course Through Newspaper

Fayetteville State University in cooperation with

a local newspaper, the Fayetteville Observer-Times, will conduct a college course beginning in the September 30 Sunday edition of the Fayetteville Observer-Times.

The announcement was made by Dr. Charles "A" Lyons, Jr., Chancellor of Fayetteville State University and according to the Chancellor, the course may be studied at home, at times convenient to the student.

"For the first time readers of the Fayetteville Observer Times will be able to earn college credits by reading a 1400 word lecture in the newspaper each Sunday from September to February, 1974. There will be twenty lectures beginning September 30," said the FSU Chancellor.

There will be two contact sessions at the Rudolph Jones Student Center on the campus of Fayetteville State University. The meeting time will be Monday, December 10, 1973 and Monday, February 25, 1974.

Fayetteville State University, according to Dr. Lyons, will grant three semester hours of residence credit for participants completing the course of instruction.

North Carolina school teachers may earn three certificate renewal credits by successfully completing this newspaper course at Fayetteville State University. Teachers desiring to use this course for certificate renewal should check with their local school superintendent before enrolling.

For further information write: Mr. Sulo H. Heikkinen, P.O. Box 156, Fayetteville State University, Fort Bragg Campus, Fort Bragg, North Carolina or call 396-6737 or 396-4735.



AUTUMN GRACE-- Lovely Fayetteville State University coed Joann Gilmore, a sophomore elementary education major from Fayetteville, N.C. is the essence of a beautiful autumn afternoon as she pauses on the campus of FSU for the camera lens. Joann is an honor student.

(FSU Photo by John Henderson)

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Construction plans for AMERICA'S LONGEST BIKEWAY have been drawn up by the California Department of Water Resources. The 444-mile route

will follow a north-south path along a newly-constructed

aqueduct system and will run from the Sacramento Delta to Southern California.