

## Dr. Bennett receives post at WSSU

Chancellor Cleon F. Thompson Jr. has announced the appointment of Dr. Richard Bennett Jr. of Greensboro as vice chancellor for academic affairs at Winston-Salem State University.

The appointment was approved by the board of governors of the University of North Carolina May 9 and becomes effective July 1.

Bennett, a professor of natural sciences at North Carolina A&T State University, earned a bachelor of science degree in biology at Morehouse College in Atlanta and his doctorate in

biochemistry at the University of California at Santa Barbara.

A researcher of national renown, Bennett recently completed a major project as consultant to the Committee on Agriculture of the U.S. House of Representatives.

Bennett said that he is eager to assume his duties at WSSU.

"I am so full of excitement," he said. "I see this as a personal challenge, and I'm looking forward to meeting it."

"In my mind, there is no substitute for good academic

preparation," Bennett said. "Winston-Salem State has a fine academic program, and we'll certainly build upon our strengths. We will also be looking for increased opportunities for faculty to participate in development activities."

"But the student is the primary purpose for our being. Therefore, I am committed to working with the faculty and administrators to identify and implement appropriate, innovative strategies -- not currently in place -- that are designed to produce competitive students."



Richard Bennett

## Editorials

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not only attended the birth of your child ... you took pictures," "if you ask for the *sommelier* upon entering a fine restaurant," and "if you have had cosmetic surgery for purely cosmetic reasons," among other traits.

Seem a bit pretentious and hedonistic? Maybe so, but the Parkers make a sound observation in their conclusion.

Buppies should not only be aware of where they're headed, they note, but where they come from as well.

"We all owe a debt to someone," they say.

In other words, enjoy your slice of American pie; just remember who baked it.

## Woodruff speaks at Alpha leadership seminar

Members of the Omicron Gamma Lambda Chapter of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity Inc. held their first leadership conference on Saturday, May 24, at Grace Presbyterian Church. The conference will become an annual event.

Forsyth County Commissioner Mazie Woodruff was the featured speaker.

The conference was patterned after the conference held annually in each region by the fraternity. It is designed to develop leadership skills among high school students, particularly black students.

The Southern Region, in which the local chapter is located, traditionally held the conference at Benedict College in Columbia, S.C.

The regional conference is held



Mazie Woodruff

at Fisk University, and students spend approximately four days learning to conduct a meeting, communications skills and

Robert's Rules of Order.

Sponsoring chapters normally send one or two representatives.

Mrs. Woodruff shared her experiences in leadership with the group. She noted that effective leadership requires planning, common courtesy, common sense and thorough preparation.

Mrs. Woodruff also encouraged young people and others to attend meetings of the County Commissioners and other public gatherings.

The conference was planned by a committee headed by Nathaniel Barber, who also conducted the conference.

Richard Watts opened the meeting with a prayer, and Acie McGhee welcomed the group.

Chapter President Melvin Mauney gave the closing remarks.



Willard Tanner

## Correction

In the May 22 issue of the *Chronicle*, Willard Tanner was incorrectly identified as having delivered the graduation address at commencement exercises at Appalachian State University.

Tanner received his M.A. degree in community education from the university at the commencement. He is employed as an educational coordinator at the Experiment in Self-Reliance.

The *Chronicle* regrets the error.

## About Town

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game to attend one of the meetings.

Bessie Allen is the club's president.

Other officers are Glennie M. Hall, vice president; Bettye Hannon, recording secretary; Olivia Thompkins, corresponding secretary, and Mamie Moore, treasurer. ...

Four-year-old Paul Brandon Johnson recently competed in an international modeling competition held April 17 to 22 in Miami Beach, Fla., and brought home ribbons and runner-up honors.

Johnson competed in three events during the competition, including runway modeling, photogenic and TV commercial.

Three hundred children competed in these categories' age group for 4- to 8-year-olds.

Johnson was named second runner-up and won two red ribbons in runway and photogenic modeling and received a medal for competing in the overall competition.

He was also interviewed by Rascals Unlimited, a national children's agency in New York City.

Johnson, the son of Paul and Chenita Johnson, was sponsored in the event by Twin City Chrysler-Plymouth. ...

Survannah A.S. Hatcher recently celebrated her 93rd birthday with a special occasion attended by members of her family and her friends.

Mrs. Hatcher is a member of Chestnut Ridge Progressive Primitive Baptist Church and a member of several senior citizens' groups.

She is the mother of eight children, including Florann McCarthur, the Rev. O.J. Hatcher of Mount Airy, Maggie Scott of South Carolina, Robert Hatcher of Alaska, and Thomas Hatcher and Earline Anderson of Winston-Salem.

Mrs. Hatcher was treated to a special dinner by her children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren. ...

Tonjuan Lynette "Princess" King graduated from Spelman College in Atlanta May 18 with a bachelor of science degree in computer science.

Miss King, who plans to attend graduate school in Atlanta, was a member of the NAACP and the



Paul Brandon Johnson proudly sports the medals he received at a recent national modeling competition (photo by James Parker).



Survannah Hatcher



Tonjua L. King

Computer Science Club during her years at Spelman.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Lee King and the granddaughter of Flora Belle King and Mr. and Mrs. William Henry Cain Jr.

Local members of her family, in addition to her parents and grandparents, attending the graduation were Twanna King, Norma and Arthur Jones, Kimberly and Michael Jones, Randall and Alma Cain, Randall Cain II, Ruby O. Cain, Timeka and Trevious Couthen, Margaret and Johnny Bailey, Mark and Phillip Bailey, James King and daughter Angela.

Also attending were William H. Cain Jr. and daughter Tasha, Mae Frances McRae, Jessie Williams, Tara Thompson,

Pamela Collins, Sharon Fisher, Sonya Glenn and Annie B. Kimber of Philadelphia. ...

Winston-Salem State University will offer its fourth summer computer camp from June 16 to July 18.

The camp will be offered in two sessions -- one for students who will be in fourth through sixth grade (June 16 through 27) and another for students who will be in seventh through 10th grade (July 7 through 18) during the 1986-87 school year.

Each session will cost \$150, including hot lunch daily, computer supplies, art supplies and instruction, music supplies and instruction and tennis instruction.

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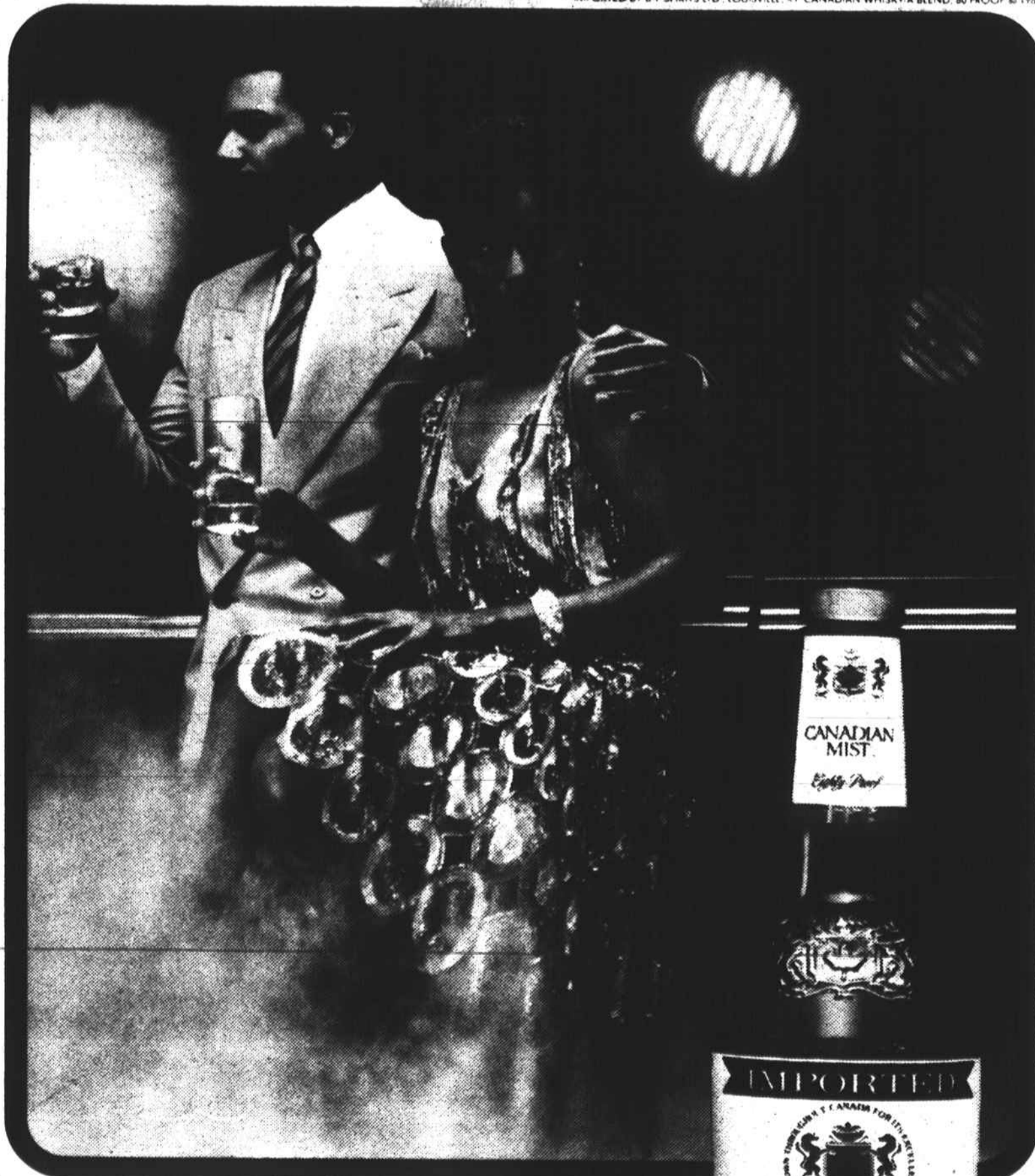
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