

## FSU To Offer Early Entry

Fayetteville State University will begin an early admission program at first session of summer school beginning May 26.

The Early Admission Program is an effort to provide an opportunity for promising high school students to begin work and earn a college degree in a shorter than average period of time.

To qualify, a student must meet regular requirements of the institution with the exception of completing his senior year units. The student must be eligible to graduate from high school the

year following the completion of his junior year of high school. Students must have above average grades and must submit a minimum combined score of 900 or above on the Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT).

Any qualified high school students who have completed their junior year of high school and plan to attend Fayetteville State University upon graduation from high school may participate in this program.

For further information, contact the Office of Admissions, Fayetteville State University.

## Ben Ferguson

# Antioch Honors Its Pastor In Special Day

By Ruth McEachern

Visiting clergymen and their wives, joined friends and members of Antioch Presbyterian Church for special services on Sunday, April 20. The Rev. Ben Ferguson, pastor since February, 1961, retired on April 1, and the congregation arranged the program in grateful recognition of his and Mrs. Ferguson's

ministry there.

Dr. J. Harris Stephens, Executive Secretary of Fayetteville Presbytery gave the sermon. Ken MacDonald of Raeford was guest instrumentalist for the anthem.

At the close of the morning service, Mr. Ferguson was presented a reclining chair and a plaque, and Mrs. Ferguson was given a lamp.

A fellowship dinner was spread in the annex by the Women of the Church. Church officers and special guests were seated at a table arranged in U-shape and centered with a bouquet of purple orchids. Mr. and Mrs. H.A. McKenzie and Mr. and Mrs. Dave Currie served as hosts.

Guests included the Rev. Dr. Stevens and Mrs. Stevnes of Fayetteville; Dr. and Mrs. George Chaney, Jr. of Bethel and Shiloh churches; the Rev. W.F.F. Little and Mrs. Little of Red Springs; The Rev. Russell Fleming and Mrs. Fleming of Galatia; and the Rev. Joseph C. McCutchen and Mrs. McCutchen of First Presbyterian Church, Red Springs.

The Rev. Mr. Ferguson will remain at Antioch as interim pastor until the church calls a minister. He and Mrs. Ferguson will then retire to "Ponderosa", their farm home near Arabia.

The Fergusons came to Antioch from Pageland, South Carolina where they served the Pageland and Salem Presbyterian churches. Mr. Ferguson was chosen 1961 Rural Minister of the Year in S.C. by Emory University and the Progressive Farmer.

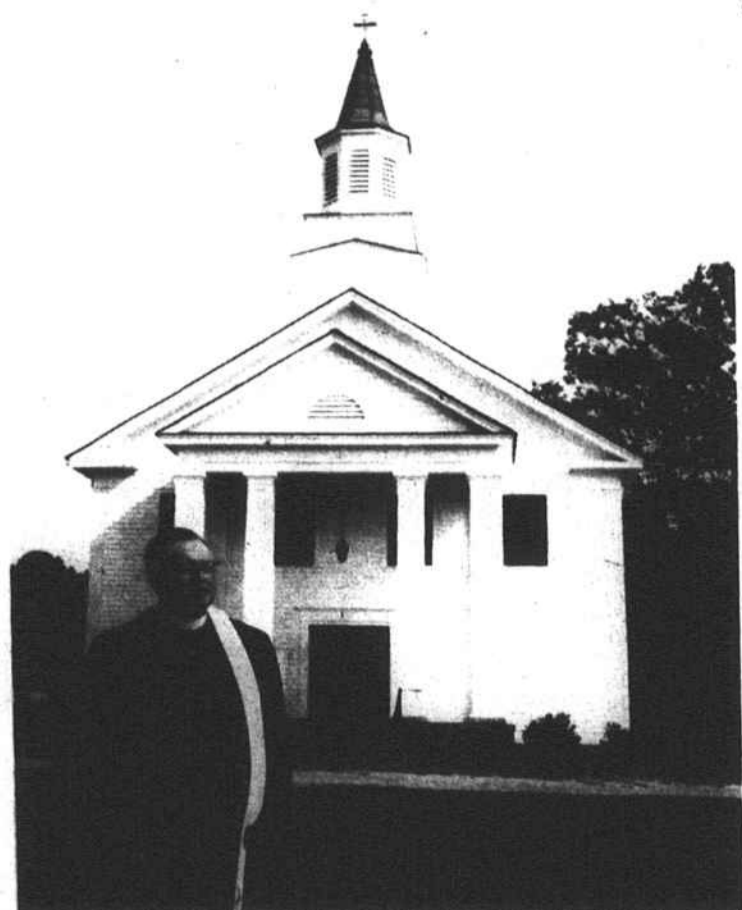
Prior to his pastorate in Pageland, Mr. Ferguson served churches in Maryland, New Jersey, Delaware, and Virginia. He also served the Beulah Presbyterian church at Monroe.

He has served as Moderator of Mecklenburg and Fayetteville Presbyteries and was a Commissioner to the Church's General Assembly from West Jersey Presbytery, and later, from Mecklenburg Presbytery.

Mr. Ferguson is a native of Chester County, Pennsylvania. He attended the Wesley Collegiate Institute in Dover, Delaware and received the A.B. degree from the University of Del. He continued his studies at Princeton Theological Seminary and was awarded the Th. B. degree in 1938.

During his college and seminary years, the young student paid his living expenses serving as student pastor in churches in Del., Maryland, and Penn. During the summer of 1937 he visited mission stations in Chile, and toured other South American countries.

Mrs. Ferguson, the former Katherine McAllister, is from Greenwich, N.J. and is a graduate of the University of Ohio. She has taught in elementary schools in Maryland, Va., S.C., and is now teaching



FAREWELL - The Rev. Ben Ferguson stands before the church at Antioch where he has served for the last 13 years. He is retiring.

in Cumberland County.

The Fergusons are parents of two children and three grandchildren. Their daughter, Kathy, now Mrs. Bob Dennis, lives in Gaithersburg, Md. She graduated at Florida Presbyterian College and later received her Master's degree from John Hopkins University in Baltimore. She is a research technician with the Federation of American Societies for Experimental Biology in Washington.

Her husband, also a scientist, works for the Department of Commerce.

Carl Ferguson, an attorney in Greenville, S.C. is married to the former Dottie Davis of Belmont. He received his undergraduate degree from UNC-CH, and his Law degree from the University of South Carolina. He and Dottie are the parents of two-year old Mary Catherine and identical twin sons born on March 24.

## Magistrates Court

The following cases were heard by the magistrates.

John R. Pendleton, Jr., Ft. Bragg, speeding 67 in a 55 mph zone, \$10 fine, costs; Otis D. Breeden, Rt. 3, Raeford, stop light violation, costs; David L. Young, Fayetteville, expired inspection, costs; Harry L. Johnson, Southern Pines, 68 in a 55 mph zone, \$10, costs; Gene Nicholson, Hamlet, 67 in a 55 mph zone, \$10, costs; Lonnie L. Farmer, address listed as On Hill, worthless check for \$10 to Parks Grocery, pay check and costs; Jack G. Anderson, Ft. Bragg, inspection violation, costs; Eva B. Davis, 405 E. Prospect Ave., Raeford, stop sign violation, costs; David H. Locklear, Rt. 4, Red Springs, 68 in a 55 mph zone, \$10, costs; Maxine T. Phillips, Fayetteville, expired inspection, costs; James E. Roberts, Faison, 65 in a 55 mph zone, \$5, costs; James H. Sloan, Ft. Bragg, 65 in a 55 mph zone, \$5, costs; Jerry W. Stephenson, Raleigh, 65 in a 55 mph zone, \$5, costs; Margaret M. Yarborough, Fayetteville, inspection violation, costs; Calvin D. Baldwin, 411 Wooley St., Raeford, stop sign violation, costs; Eugene Campbell, Edinborough Ave., public drunkenness, two days county jail; Thamarine Johnson, Rt. 3, Raeford, making an unsafe movement, costs; Douglas E. Lively, Fayetteville, passing in marked intersection, \$10, costs.

John W. Lowery, Aberdeen, exceeding a safe speed and equipment violation, costs; Clifton G. McNeill, Fayetteville, 69 in a 55 mph zone, \$10, costs; Della Maynor, Shannon, 65 in a 55 mph zone, \$5, costs; Archie G. Parrish, Laurinburg, 65 in a 55 mph

zone, \$5, costs; Samuel F. Thomas, Southern Pines, 65 in a 55 mph zone, \$5 costs; Wilhemina W. Virgil, P. O. Box 855, making an unsafe movement, costs.

Eugene Campbell, E. Edinborough Ave., public drunkenness, two days county jail; Gary D. Lewis, Red Springs, 47 in a 35 mph zone, \$10, costs; Eddie Hollingsworth, 520 East Fifth St., worthless check for \$15 to Tire Store, pay check and costs; Sandra Lupo, 111 S. Jackson Street, worthless check for \$16.56 to Harrell's Grocery, pay check and costs; Nathaniel Watkins, Lumber Bridge, worthless check for \$5 to Harrell's Grocery, pay check and costs; Maggie Studevant, Rt. 1, Raeford, having no operator's license and stop sign violation, \$25, costs; Thomas F. Hyatt, Red Springs, worthless check for \$20 to Brady Locklear, pay check and costs; Helen M. Small, McCain, 68 in a 55 mph zone, \$10, costs.

## Davis Is Attending Insurance Meeting

Theodore C. Davis, F.I.C. of Raeford representing Woodman of the World Life Insurance Society, will attend the annual meeting of the National Association of Fraternal Insurance Counselors at the Sheraton Dallas Hotel in Dallas on May 2.

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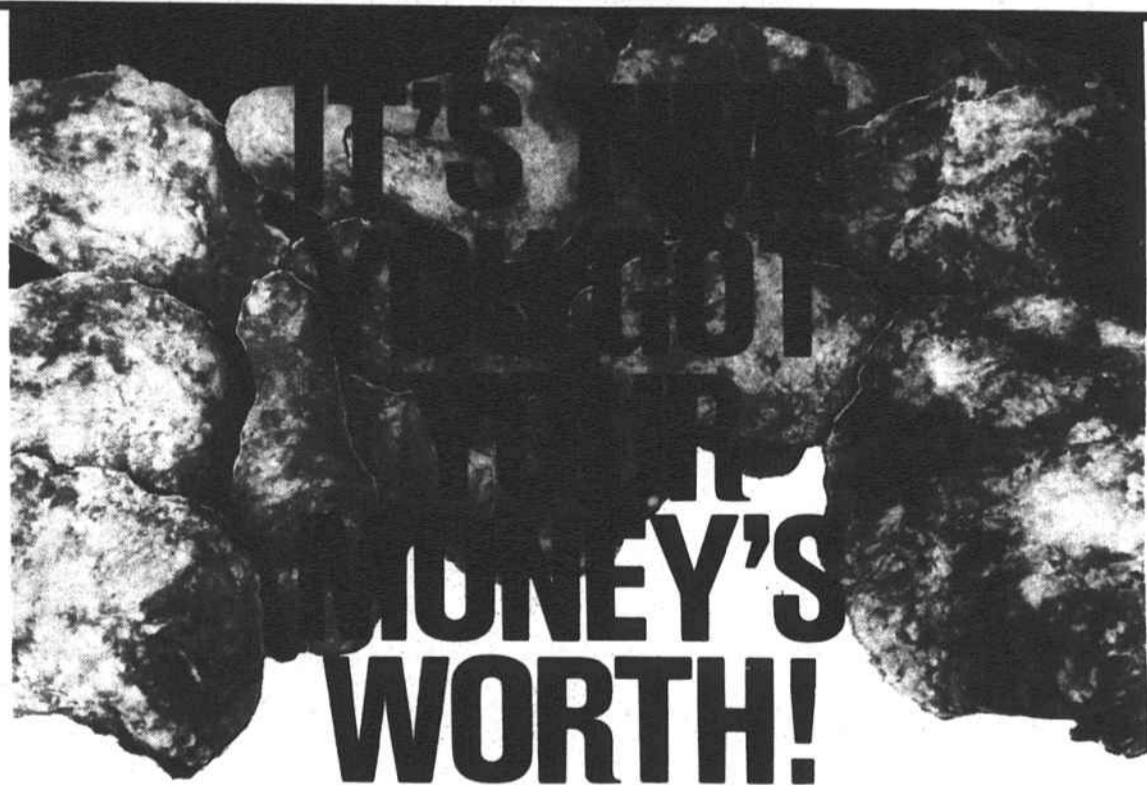
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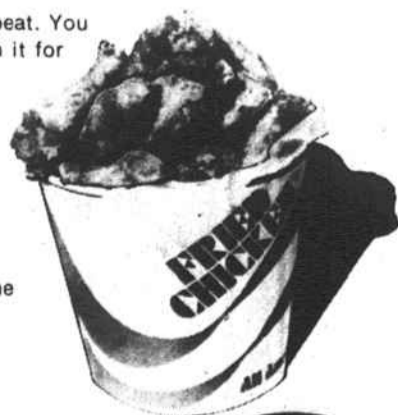
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