With Our College Students

University

Three Buncombe County students were graduated from Wake Forest University May They were among about 950 who received degrees.

The students are Gregory Tyle Ball, son of Mr. and Mrs. Newton W. Ball of 24 N. Pershine Rd., Asheville: William Carson Honeycutt Jr., on of Mrs. Georgia G. Honeycutt of 203 Connally St., Black Mountain; and Ralph Gardner Hill Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph G. Hill of Route 1, Brevard Road, Ar-

Ball majored in accounting and received the B.S. degree. He was a Carswell Scholar and was elected to Phi Beta Kappa, national scholarship fraternity.

Honeycutt majored in business and received the B.S.

Hill was graduated from the university's School of Law and received the J.D. degree. He was vice president of Phi Delta Phi law fraternity.

W.C.U.-CULLOWHEE

Robert E. Horton was among 31 Western Carolina University students now studying in London under the WCU Spring Quarter in England program.

Three WCU faculty members are accompanying the students, offering coursework in English literature and culture, history, drama, and biology. The group left New York March 21, and will return to this country June 1. Horton, a WCU sophomore, majoring in pre-

engineering.
UNC-ASHEVILLE

A senior physics major from Black Mountain received his Bachelor of Arts degree at the University of North Carolina at Asheville during 1976 Commencement Exercises. William Joel Pool, son of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice S. Pool of 108 Fairway Dr., Black

Mountain. A native of Chicago, Ill, William is a 1972 graduate of John Hersey High School in Arlington Heights, Illinois. Among his activities at UNC-A are, soccer team, intramural sports, and the square dance team.

Oxford University's Dr. Barrington Raymond White, who is serving as Breman Professor of Social Relations at UNC-A this spring, will be the Commencement speaker. Dr. White is principal of Regents Park College at

William plans to continue his studies at UNC-Chapel Hill where he has been accepted at the School of Dentistry.

U.N.C. CHAPEL HILL

The following students from the Valley were among degree candidates at the 1976 spring graduation at the University of North Carolina at Chapel

Black Mountain: Gwen McMeans Harwood, B.S. Dental Hygiene, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Mc-Means of Camp Branch Rd. Wife of Ben Harward of Raleigh; Danny Rose Dalton, B.S. Pharmacy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilton Dalton, Avena Rd.; Arthur Evans Smith, M.S.L.S., son of Mrs. Anna B. Smith, 604 Lakey St. Gregory Byran West, B.S. Pharmacy, Montreat Road. Swannanoa: David Hayden Fancetta, J.D., son of Mre. and Mrs. J. William Faucette

Montreat: Ernest Albert Andrews II, A.B., son of Mr. and Mrs. E.A. Andrews, Jr. U.N.C.-C.H.

SCHOOL OF NURSING Betty Love Ellis recently

received her Masters of Science Degree in Nursing from the School of Nursing at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. Mrs. Ellis is employed at

The Veterans Administration Hospital in Durham. Mrs. Ellis is the wife of Lloyd J. Ellis III and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Love, Black Mountain

HOLLINS COLLEGE Miss Kristen Keener,

Robert P. Keener of Swannanoa, has been named to the dean's list of honor students at Hollins College, Va.

Miss Keener, a graduate of Charles D. Owen High School, is a freshman at the Women's

CHOWAN COLLEGE

Clint Emerson Payne of Black Mountain and a senior at Charles D. Owen High School has been accepted by Chowan College for the fall semester beginning August 22, 1976. Clint will be enrolled in the pre-education curriculum with an emphasis on physical

Students completing the two-year pre-education curriculum receive the associate degree, transfer to a senior institution without loss of credit and continue in studies which lead to the B.S. degree and teacher of cer-

Chowan College has an enrollment of approximately 1,000 students representing 35 states and 17 foreign coun-

MEREDITH COLLEGE

Jane Elizabeth Gilbert, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude W. Gilbert of 125 Taylor Rd., Black Mountain, has been inducted into the Meredith College chapter of Pi Kappa Lambda national music honor society.

Pi Kappa Lambda is the musical equivalent to Phi Beta Kappa. Members are inducted on the basis of outstanding musicianship and scholarship.

Miss Gilbert is a senior majoring in music education with concentration in piano. She plans graduate study in music education after graduation from Meredith.

She is a member of Sigma Alpha Iota honorary music fraternity, accompanist for the Meredith Chorale and Ensemble, and vice-president of the senior class. The dean's list student is a former chairman of Religious Emphasis Week, member of the elections board, and member of the Renaissance Singers. She is also a member of the

Astrotekton Society. KING COLLEGE Jean Lee Crawford of Black

Mountain is a member of the graduating class at King College this spring.

The 62 seniors at King will hear the baccalaureate sermon on May 23 by Dr. Andrew R. Bird, Jr., pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Norfolk, Va. The commencement address Sunday afternoon will be delivered by Dr. Spencer J. McCallie, Jr., headmaster emeritus of The McCallie School in Chattanooga, Tenn.

Miss Crawford has majored in both French and English at King, having transferred from Montreat-Anderson College. She is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J.R. Crawford of 100 Sunrise Terrace, Black Mountain

GARDNER-WEBB

COLLEGE Miss Debra Lee Bartlett, daughter of Lawrence Bartlett, Rt. 1, Black Mountain, was one of 317 students who graduated from Gardner-Webb College on Sunday, May 16. Miss Bartlett received an associate in arts in nursing

The baccalaureate was held Sunday morning at 11:00 with Rev. Hatcher S. Elliott, pastor of Beverly Hills Baptist Church, Asheville, as the

commencement speaker was Dr. Cecil A. Ray, General Secretary - Treasurer Baptist State Convention of Carolina. Commencement began at 3:00 Sunday afternoon.

N.C. STATE UNIVERSITY

Degrees were conferred on 3,000 graduates Saturday, May 15, at the 87th annual commencement at Carolina State University. Three of those 3,000 graduates are from the Valley region here.

Bobbie J. Stewart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J.A. Stewart, Maney Lane, Black Mountain, received a doctorate in biochemistry, and Richard R

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W.W. Earley, 107 Oakland Drive, Black Mountain, received a bachelors degree in chemistry.

Receiving a bachelors electrical in engineering was Ronnie J. Watson, son of Mr. and Mrs. D.J. Watson, Rt. 1, Swan-

> UNC MEDICAL COLLEGE AT CHAPEL HILL

David H. Hopper of Montreat, son of the Rev. and Mrs. Joe B. Hopper of Presbyterian Mission, Choniu, Chulla Pukdo, Korea, completed his M.D. degree from University of N.C. Medical School at Chapel Hill. He will be beginning his residency as an intern at Moses H. Cone Memorial Hospital on July specializing in family prac-

During his years at Medical school, Mr. Hopper received the Reader's Digest International Fellowship honor and also served four months at the Presbyterian Medical Center in Chonju, Korea. He was a member of the Christian Medical Society while at UNC at Chapel Hill. Mr. Hopper previously received bachelor of science degree in chemistry, cum laude, from King College in Bristol, Tenn., and graduated from Korea Christian High School Academy in Taejon, Korea.

UNC IN CHARLOTTE Ronald Turner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Turner. graduated with a B.A. in Music from University of

North Carolina at Charlotte UNC AT ASHEVILLE Twenty-eight University of North Carolina at Asheville seniors were graduated with all-university honors during

Another 27 members of the class received degrees with distinction in their major area of concentration.

The honors were announced by Dr. Roy A. Biggs, vice chancellor for academic af-

Graduating Magna cum laude were Charles McCoy Fortune III of Black Mountain, a sociology major, and William Joel Pool of Black Mountain, a physics major

Graduated with departmental distinction was Thomas Ray Wernicke of Swannanoa, a sociology

KING COLLEGE Honors and awards at King

College were announced at the annual Awards Dinner of May 13, with president Powell A Fraser presiding.

The speaker was Dr. J. Phillips Noble, a King College alumnus and pastor of the First (Scots) Presbyterian Church of Charleston, S.C.

An achievement award in French was received by Jean Crawford of 100 Sunrise Terrace, Black Mountain.

The History Clubs Award for proficiency and promise in the field of history was presented to Melanie Hyatt of Presbyterian Home, Black

Jean Crawford, also of Black Mountain, achieved membership in the king's Honor Society Beta Tau Kappa

UNCA GREENSBORO

Four Valley students were among 1771 persons to receive degrees from the University of N.C. at Greensboro during the



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institutions 84th annual commencement on Sunday. May 9 in the Greensboro Coliseum.

Receiving the master of education degree was Miss Kathleen A. Colquitt, a textiles and clothing major daughter of Mr. and Mrs Thomas Holmes Colquitt of 120 College Circle, Swan-

A bachelor of science degree was awarded to Miss Susan F Jolly, a physical education major. Miss Jolly is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Jolly of 120 Taylor St., Black Mountain.

Mrs. Cathy Kluttz Mariboro. wife of James Marlowe of Greensboro and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Kluttz of Black Mountain, received a bachelor of science degree in nursing. Mrs. Marlowe is the wife of James Marlowe of Greensboro.

Receiving a B.A. in Education was Miss Ann Knight, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E.H. Knight of Black Mountain. Miss Knight finished her work in December and is employed as an Art Teacher at Owen High

GORDON COLLEGE Joseph L. Foreman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth J. Foreman, Jr., Montreat, N.C. was honored Friday, April 2, at the Spring Honors Convocation and Annual Convocation of the Society of Phi Alpha Chi at Gordon College, Wenham, Massachusetts for having achieved Dean's List standing during the Winter. 1975-76 college term.

Joseph was one of 164 members of the student body of 1029 to receive such an honor. To wualify for the Dean's List for a given term a student must carry at least three courses and earn an average of 3.6 or better with no grade below C.

LEES MCRAE COLLEGE

Kathy Stephenson, a freshman at Lees-McRae College, has been inducted into Delta Psi Omega, a national college drama fraternity. Delta Psi Omega was first organized in

Advisor and sponsor to the organization is Dr. Kim Harris, director of the Lees-McRae Theatre Department. The criterion for membership into Delta Psi Omega is dedication, unselfishness, and involvement in dramatic productions during the year. The student must maintain a high academic standing and demonstrate a certain degree

of dignity and humility. Kathy is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill O. Stephenson of



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Charles D. Owen **High School** Honor Roll

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Jimmy Kluttz, Sandra Lamb

Laursen, Emma Ledford,

James Love, Ivey Morris.

Luanne Price, Jill Pruett,

George Robinson, Robby

Rucker, Keith Slagle, Roxie

Swann, Bill Wells, Susan

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tlette, Sheila Chandler, Diane

Clark, Vickie Burnette.

George Burke, Bill Dailey,

June Fowler, Darryl Harris

Barbara Hensley, Jeff Led-

better, Jack Harlowe, Tracy

Annette McDevitt, Debbie

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Owen Highlights

Springtime in the Mountains" was this year's theme held at Owen High School gym last weekend. The entire lobbs and gym were transformed. The lobby was like an outdoor lawn and rock garden with tables and chairs. To enter the gym you walked over a bridge with fountains on both sides containing live goldfish. The walls of the gym were covered with beautiful drawings of the mountains. The lawn chairs and tables were surrounded by rock gardens with many beautiful blooming flowers and shrubs. The students had their pictures taken in a giant gazebo which enclosed a love eat and hanging shrubs. The band 'Bite, Chew, and Spit' provided music. The dance was a smash! Refreshments were served. It was a real treat to see the students and teachers dressed up and really

having a great time Congratulations to: Tony Wright and Crisann Ohler for being selected as our representative good citizens for the 1975-76 school year They were honored by the Asheville Civitan Club with a luncheon at the Trinity Church in Asheville

Donna Pate and Crisann Ohler for winning Civitan Club Scholarships of \$500.00 and \$350.00, respectively.

Well, graduation is finally here! After four years of hard work year in and year out, you finally say to yourself, "It will never end!"

over, and somehow you feel liberated and in other ways you feel sad and empty. But in the long run, you know it is time to cut the cord, to make your future plans, and to enter the world a a wise and prepared adult. Graduation for the Owen seniors will be at Ridgecrest, May 26 at 8:00 p.m. Except for the awarding of diplomas, the entire ceremony will be handled by Owen High School seniors. same is true for the Baccalaureate Services which will be held that Sunday evening before Graduation.

See you there! A special thanks goes to the Owen High Lights staff for their faithful reporting this school year, especially to the following students who were always going beyond the call of duty: Karen McDermott, uzic Fowler, Jane Boyce

Cindy Wang, and Ellen Begley. These students have done their best to keep the Swannanoa Valley Community informed of the many and varied activities that are happening in our school. We are proud of our school and hope that you in the community are, too. Many thanks to the community and the Black Mountain News for giving us such fine support. Have a good summer and we'll hope to be communicating through the column next year.

On Wednesday, May 12, the Beta Club presented a \$375.00 check to David Cottengim, director of the Blue Ridge Chapter of the Easter Seal Society, in order to sponser five students from the Orthopedic Hospital to attend Camp Easter-in-the-Pines, near Southern Pines, N.C.

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