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*Fayetteville State Teachers
College*

FAYETTEVILLE, NORTH CAROLINA



**Seventy-Ninth Annual
Commencement**



SEABROOK AUDITORIUM

11:00 A. M.



JUNE FIFTH

NINETEEN HUNDRED FIFTY - SIX

Order of Exercise

PROCESSIONAL—"Land of Hope and Glory" Elgar
Audience Standing

"America" Carey

INVOCATION—The Reverend C. R. Edwards
Minister, First Baptist Church
Fayetteville

THE THREEFOLD AMEN Danish

"Let All the Nations Praise the Lord" Leisring
The College Choir

COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS—Dr. D. D. Holt, Executive Director
The Methodist College Foundation
Of North Carolina, Inc.
Greensboro

"Ride the Chariot" Smith
The College Choir

CONFERRING DEGREES

REMARKS—The Honorable John H. Cook
Chairman of the Board of Trustees

"Pilgrim Chorus" Wagner
The College Choir

BENEDICTION—The Reverend A. H. Storrs
Minister, Mattocks Memorial A.M.E. Zion Church
Fayetteville

SEVENFOLD AMEN Stainer

RECESSIONAL—"Grand March" (From Tanhauser) Wagner
Audience Seated

CANDIDATES FOR THE BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE

Magna Cum Laude

‡ Andrews, Maxine Ramseur

§ McArthur, Elizabeth Ross

/ Fowlkes, Clela Nell

Cum Laude

/ Carter, Willie Jane

/ McIntyre, Mildred Vester

Allen, Charles	Hines, Susie Fleming	Porter, Marion Marie
Alston, Willie Ray	*Holley, Dorothy Beatrice	Raye, Mildred Ennis
Armstrong, Eunice Juanita	*Hooker, Evelyn Lois	*Richardson, Hattie Harris
Baker, Arthur Jean	Hunter, Fannie A.	Richardson, Sadie B. McLean
Balthrop, Virginia	Jackson, Elouise Weaver	*Rooks, Annie Crump
Beamon, Pearlie Wright	*Jackson, Hilda Smith	Scott, Hazel Lee
Beatty, Robert Louis	*Jiggetts, Johnny Washington	*Segar, Margaret Hopkins
*Boddie, Etta Robinson	Jones, Katrina Frazier	Shaffer, Winifred Darlenio
Boone, Gracie Mae	Keaton, Beulah Mae	Shipmon, Daisy Lindsey
Bostic, Emily Martha	Kenan, Emma Reese	*Slade, Vernell
Bowens, Emma Lee	Lawrence, Denry Anthony	Smith, Elizabeth Alberta
Brame, Joyce Elizabeth	*Lawrence, Hattie Olivia	*Snipes, Ella Estelle Murchison
Brawner, Donald Eugene	Lewis, Clara Mae	*Solomon Ruth Mae
*Brown, Candace Elmer	Liggins, Alphonzo Raymond	Stanley, Allison
Bullock, Eliza	*Little, Georgianna Blount	Strayhorn, Minnie Ruth
Campbell, Ann Marie	*Lockhart, Harriette Eugenia	Thames, Truman Marsh
Clemons, Geletha	Malloy, Dorine	Thomas, Elnora
Coleman, Ethel Gillis	*Mitchell, Alice B.	Thomas, Lena Lucille Smith
Coston, Nettie Ruth	Monroe, Lillie M.	*Thompson, Josiephine Helen
*Dickerson, Dora Edmundson	Moore, Ethel Gray	Thompson, Leila Mae
Donnelly, Marjorie B.	Moragne, Ethel Mae McDougle	Thompson, Richard Lloyd
Duncan, Estee Silster, Jr.	*Murphy, Thurman Hilton	Tisdale, Lerline Avonne
*Faison, Rosa Octavia	McCallum, Sarah Deloris	Tolson, Ruberta
Faulk, Gladys	McCargo, Rose Lena	Vann, Lethetta Davis
Faulk, Mable	*McCormick, Rosetta	Vick, Inez Fields
Ford, Harold Leon	McCown, Vivian M.	Wallace, Lloyd Purcell
Fuller, Wilhelmena	McDonald, Alexena Fisher	Washington, Frances R.
Gerald, Mary Nell	McElroy, Mildred Frazier	*Wells, Annie Allen
Gerald, Patrick Rochell	McKoy, Lonnie Mae	Williams, Clara Bell
*Gillis, Jesse, Jr.	McLean, Peggy Raye	Williams, Foster, Jr.
*Graham, Pummie S.	McLean, Robena Esther	*Williams, Franklin Monroe
*Green, Megie Moretta Currie	McRae, Josephine Figueredo	Williams, Oveda Naomi
Handy, Illuminada Figueredo	McRae, Robert	Williams, Retho Webster
Hardy, Goldie Hortense	Noble, Johnnie Lee	*Williams, Veressie McCree
*Harris, Joyce Ann	Paige, James McMillian	Williams, Yvonne
*Hatcher, Annie Lee	Parnell, Elizabeth	Wilson, Gelora Darlean McNeill
Hawkins, Annie Marian	Parrish, Huie Melvin	Winfield, Mary Scotton
*Hawkins, Esther Virginia	Pettaway, Bettie Beatrice	Wooten, Ethyl
*Hayes, Hazel McDonald	Pettiford, Johnnie Maryland	Wright, Lucie Ann
Hayes, Morris Grady	*Pierce, Selena S.	Wright, Maxine Roslyn
Herring, Sallie Smith	Pitt, Lorna Dale	Yellowdy, Violet Mae
Hill, Ruby Gray		

‡ First Honor

§ Second Honor

/ Graduated with Honors

* Completed requirements for graduation in summer school or through extension

1955-56 PRIZES AND AWARDS

The E. E. Smith and Nannie Goode Smith Memorial Awards
for Excellence in Scholarship in the Graduating Class

to
Maxine Ramseur Andrews

The George H. Williams Memorial Award for Superior Scholarship in Graduating Class

to
Elizabeth Ross McArthur

The Mary E. Perry Memorial Award for Excellence in Music

to
Lorna Dale Pitt

The Edward Evans and Sallie Evans Memorial Award for Good Citizenship

to
Huie Melvin Parrish

The Esther McNeill Jefferson Memorial Award
for Superior Scholarship in the Freshman Class

to
Delores Ann Miller

The James DeCosta Raiford Memorial Award for Excellence in Rural Student Teaching

to
Johnnie Maryland Pettiford

The Mayme Worsham Seabrook Memorial Award for Excellence in Home Economics

to
Patricia Forestine Moore

The June Cotton Boutte Memorial Awards

1. For Excellence in Courses in Education Accompanied by Superior Womanly Qualities

to
Cleta Nell Fowlkes

2. To the Member of the Young Women's Christian Association Who Best Combines
Activity in the Organization with Helpful Christian Influence

to
Nettie Ruth Coston

The Mrs. George MacNeill Award on Behalf of the Colonial Dames of America
To a deserving and worthy student who exhibited outstanding personal qualities and
leadership, with possibilities for excellence in the teaching profession

to
Lucille Leake

The Benjamin G. Brawley Award for Excellence in Study of Sophomore Literature

to
Johnnie Pearl Murphy

The Jewel Box Award for the Most Outstanding Athlete

to
Richard Woods

The Leonora T. Jackson Memorial Award
For Outstanding Services to the College Sunday School

to
1. Willie Ray Alston
2. Ralph Leonard Waddell

Zeta Pi Omega Chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.
Fayetteville, Saint Pauls, Lumberton, Fairmont Area
Scholarship Award to be given 1956-57

to
Lucille Leake

The Epsilon Alpha Sigma Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.
Freshman Scholarship Award

to
Delores Ann Miller

The Omega Beta Chapter of Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc. Award
For service, scholarship, and fine womanly qualities

to
1. Gertrude Dorris Payton
2. Winnie Winfus Wimbush

The Gamma Upsilon Zeta Chapter of Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc. Award
For service, scholarship, and fine womanly qualities

to
Annie Marie Hutchison

The Fayetteville Unit, North Carolina Federation of Negro Women's Clubs
Scholarship Award

to
Edith Mae Walker

The Zeta Beta Sigma Chapter of Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc. Scholarship Awards
To the first and second ranking scholar in Crescent Club

to
1. Joseph McSwain
2. Harold Chesley Fields