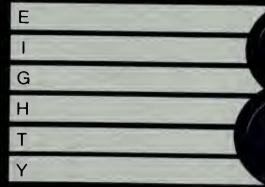
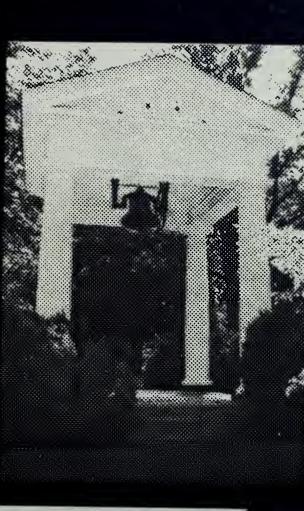
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A PLACE WHERE PHENOMENAL THINGS HAPPEN

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THE NEW PRESIDENT



Dr. Gloria Dean Randle Scott

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The big news at Bennett College is the arrival of a new president. Dr. Gloria Dean Randle Scott became the school's eleventh president on the first of July 1987. For the second time in its 113 year history the school has chosen a woman president. The announcement was made in March of 1987 by Robert S. Chiles, Sr., Chairman of the Board of Trustees and the presidential search committee.

The new president is guided by an old adage: "Give a hungry man a fish and he's full for a day; teach him to fish and he'll be full the rest of his life." After being up for a presidential position at five colleges previously, the feeling wasn't right. Scott says "Bennett felt right". Being president at Bennett provides her with the opportunity to pursue a dual passion, academics and the advancement of her sisters. Scott also says that "I consider myself instrumental in promoting women and helping them go back to school as I was helped by other women." For Scott, things began to move full speed ahead; as she began to make plans for improvements and changes. Some of the improvements Scott would like to see is an enrollment increase from 700 to 1000 in the next five years. She feels that a stable student body population would stabilize the budget. Scott's other goals for the college include computerizing the campus, improving campus facilities, increasing the number of students attending graduate school, escalating student involvement, enhancing alumnae relations, and much more. Scott plans to give all her time and energy to guarantee that Bennett College honors its legacy and builds a unique future.



Vera Bond, Ms. Vanessa Richmond, Dr. Scott, Cynthia Washington, and Melanie Washington

Elfrida Mensah

Moving Us Forward With A New Challenge Began With The Freshman Summer Institute

Dr. Amy Reynolds, Mrs. Linda Addo, and Dr. Patricia Bethea

Shirlisa Foster



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Summer Institute Students going to the movies.

Ms. Richmond teaching orientation.





Summer Institute Students waiting for ride to St. Matthews United Methodist Church (College's Founding Place)

Dr. Scott Greets New Students During Freshman Orientation









B.J. Bryson Conference Coordinator Dr. Angela Davis

Byllye Y. Avery Executive Director Black Women's Health Project

N.C. Black Women's Health Conference Bennett College, August, 1987 Angela Davis/Conference Speaker



Continuing and expanding Bennett's legacy as a women's college with a real focus on women's education is one of Scott's concerns.

Bringing Phenomenal Women To The Campus



Dr. Margaret Wilkerson, Chairperson, Afro-American Studies Department, University of California at Berkley, posing with members of Delta Sigma Theta.



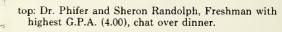
Shirley M. Dennis, Director, Women's Bureau, U.S. Department of Labor

Recognizing Community Service



Dr. Isaac Miller, Jr., Past President of Bennett College; Commissioner Dorothy Kearns; Mrs. Grace Lewis, Class of 1915; Mr. Ervin Brusloo; and Dr. Gloria Scott

Dr. Mabel Phifer Black College Satellite Network Howard University



bottom: Kimberly Grant, Dr. Scott, and Dr. Phifer at the president's home.

Dedication Of The Satellite An Opportunity For Advancement In Technology





SGA Officers



Top to bottom from left: Susan Hairston, Recording Secretary; Karen D. Jones, Miss Royal Blue and White; Tangee Stitt, Vice President; April Gordon, President; Morgan Greene, Parliamentarian; and Rochelle Williams, Corresponding Secretary. (Not Pictured — Talia McCray, Treasurer)

Miss Bennett 1987-1988



Miss Summer Lynn Houston Denver, Colorado Business Administration

Coronation Queens



row 1 Veneatrice Jackson, Miss Senior; Theodosia Hall, Miss Junior; Hope Davis, Miss Sophomore; Cheryl Childs, Miss Freshman; Summer Houston, Miss Bennett; and Karen D. Jones, Miss Royal Blue and White

row 2 Carla Saffoe, Miss Kappa Omicron Phi; Mikki Lasster, Miss Omicron Eta Chi; Antionette Holman, Miss Delta Sigma Theta; Ruelita Woods, Miss International; and Yvette Booker, Little Miss Bennett

row 3 Penny Baldwin, Miss Zeta Xi; Dwan Harris, Miss Nine White Pearls; Morgan Greene, Miss Creme; and Stacey Copeland, Miss Bennett Scholars;

row 4 Jerilynn Williams, Miss Alpha Kappa Alpha, Janice Smith, Miss 1908, Ardrea Murphy, Miss Twenty Pearls, Odette Johnson

The Coronation Banquet Brought Smiles Of Joy

Dr. Gloria Scott and Mrs. Olivia Rogers





Mrs. Marva Houston, Summer Houston, and Mrs. Hattie Lewis, Mother and Grandmother

Karen Jones and Mr. and Mrs. John Jones, parents



"UNITING TO KEEP A DREAM ALIVE"

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CELEBRATES





RALEIGH, NORTH CAROLINA



pril Gordon speaks to lack College students nd supporters.





Teaching, Caring And Nurturing Our Young ... The Children's House



Left to Right: Metaapi, Dana Lucas, James Reid, III, Bakari Sellers, Tamara McAllister, Efua Obeng, Tanika Thomas, Morgan Wright, David Totten, Kim Waddell, Andrea Edwards, Melissa Douglas, Torri McNair, Joshua Bell, Natalie Murdock, Alton Rogers, Kia Lucas, Arturo Kenny, Fredrick Brown, Eric Smith, Ovid White, III, Aviva Rogers, Demetria Bell, Terri Owens, Susan Hairston, Marcella Carter, Mrs. Graves, Yvette Williams, Ms. Williams, Mrs. Keith, and Melody Bass







Rolanda Sutton, freshman, brings a Christmas spirit to children.



Just a few more television minutes, Please!



Children's House enjoy a little slumber weekend in Player Hall.





Bennett student teachers make learning exciting.



The children enjoy a little fun in the sun.





Children's House. Parents are serious and involved.



The Legacy Continues With





Adoration of Shepherds Michelle Beckwith, Tichawana Berry, Donovon Couch, and Kevin Fikes



The Nativity Anna Sumpter and Travis Hite

The Annunciation Carla Saffoe and Michelle Beckwith

The Living Madonnas



Madonna in the Rose Garden

Debra Dilworth, Daniel Clark, Chris Jackson, Shagan Jackson, and Stephanie Marshall

Virgin and Child Carla Saffoe

Madonna and Child Jenelle Adams, Sherri Ray, and Aminah Peay





Bennett Excellence Still Thrives



MARC students (Minority Access to Research Careers) Karen D. Jones, Dawnne O'Neal, Kelly Holland, and Mia Powell



Dawnne O'Neal and Dr. Gloria Scott

Dawnne O'Neal, a junior Biology major was one of 30 outstanding students chosen from a nationwide science, mathematics, and engineering competition. Dawnne received one of the First Annual Historically Black College and University Student Award for Excellence in Science and Technology at the White House, September 24, 1987.



De'Lisa Hill, Valerie Jones, and Stacy Copeland

Members of Beta Kappa Chi submitted papers during 45th Joint annual Meeting of National Institute of Science Stacy Copeland won 1st place in science education. "Crickets and The Art of Communication" was the title of her paper. De'Lisa Hill came in 2nd place with her paper on "the AIDS Virus: it's life and potential drug treatment". Valerie Jones submitted a paper entitled "Determination of Mono-Amie Oxidane Inhibitary Activity".

MARC SCHOLARS



Kelly Holland, Mia Powell, Karen D. Jones, and De'Lisa Hill

Stacy Copeland





Angela Overstreet

PARTICIPATING IN RESEARCH TECHNOLOGY 27

Hard Work And Dedication Pays Off On Recognition Day

Alpha Kappa Mu Honor Society recognizes Michele De La Coudray for excellence in Psychology.





The Interdisciplinary Studies Lamp of Learning Awards were given to Gwendolyn Barnes, Yvonne Breece, Trudy Brockington, Angela Bynum, Tondalayo Clark, Karen Exum, Ophelia Hayes, Karen Horne, Shonna Luten, Shelly Middleton, Bernice Scott, and Tammy Winchester

The Presidents Excellence Award was awarded to senior, Valia D. Blackwell-Blackney



Greensboro Chapter of Links, Inc. awards Creative and Performing Arts Scholarship to Valerie Rice





L. Guenveur-Streat Scholarship in Home Economics awarded to Carla Saffoe.



Alpha Kappa Mu Honor Society Recognizes Martricia Batts for excellence in Business Administration



For four years of dedicated services in the Bennett College Choir award given to Xanthe Cook and Kimberly King.



Greensboro Chapter of Links, INC. awards Enrichment Funds for Creative and Performing Arts to Debra Bryant for Drama and Sondra Sells for Poetry.



The President's Excellence Award presented to Sophomore — Stacy Copeland



Valerie Rice shares her talent with her Bennett sisters.

Students presented research papers on Hunger at the Conference on Global Concerns held at Bethune-Cookman College in Daytona Beach, Florida.





Susan Hairston chats with participant from Claflin College.

right to left, Elfrida Mensah, Karen D. Jones, Gladys Forster, and Susan Hairston.



From Student Body President, To Faculty And Now Vice President Of Academic Affairs



Student 1949-1953



Faculty 1960-1988

Dr. Scott announces and introduces Dr. Charlotte Alston, New Vice President.



UNCF Campaign Kick-off



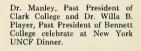
Mr. Robert S. Chiles Chair, Board of Trustees Mrs. Griselda Clark Chair, UNCF Telethon Committee Dr. Gloria Scott

Ms. Jeanne Tambaum General Chairperson/ UNCF Campaign Member Board of Trustees Mr. Kenneth R. Craft Public Affairs Manager American Express and Travel

Fundraising Activities

Dr. Fred Patterson, the founder of UNCF, INC., joins celebrants at New York UNCF Dinner.







St. Louis Bennett Alumnae at UNCF Annual Dinner, left to right: Miriam Brown, '43; Nedra McDaniel, '72; Phyllis Reed, '65; Dr. Gloria Scott, and Mattie Hall, '45.



Video Taped Faculty Follies

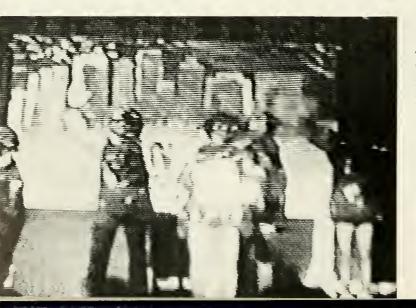


Don't let your "Imagination" fool you it's not Mikki Howard, it's Mrs. Scarlette!!!



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Who says we can't bring Hawaii to Greensboro? Ask Dr. Tucker how it's done.



"Heard It Through The Grapevine" that the California Raisins were at Bennett as Dr. Scott, Mr. King, Ms. Moore, Mrs. Stroud, and Ms. McKnight.

A Panoramic View



Dr. Pinnix and Mr. Leighton; Bennett's Miami Vice.



Ms. Hayes expresses her true feelings with original poetry.



Ms. Dennis sings how Bennett "Brings Me Joy".



Are the super Supremes back or is it Ms. Darby, Mrs. Jarrell, Ms. Hughes, and Mrs. Cheston?



Dr. Ponting in Dread-Locks?



Is it love or lust, Dr. Adams?

CREATE YOUR ...

OWN PAGE

Student

RESIDENCE LIFE



Staci Rose, a true Belle, expresses how it feels to be attending Bennett College.

Life

ACTIVITIES



Students stop for a picture after a convocation in the Chapel.

EVENTS

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Savoughn Neal introduces the speakers at the Night of Public Speaking.



Mrs. Franks, Mrs. Anderson, and Beverly Williams gather around Snoopy who showed up for the Out Reach Program focusing on counseling.



Morgan Green enjoys a party thrown by SGA in the Student Union Foyer.

IVITIES



EVENTS

Carlene Carter, Kelly Adams, and Talia McCray enjoy a fun game of twentyone (blackjack) with Dr. Mack at the President's Ball.



Akosita Ngaue shows how easy it is to give blood at the Delta's Blood Drive.



Erica Barnes, Kim Ashford, and Zandra Allen, freshman students, attend their first Convocation at Bennett.

LIFE IN THE



TAKING A BREAK FROM CLASSES



GETTING JUST ONE MORE NAP IN BEFORE CLASS

RESIDENCE HALLS

SHE WASN'T IN SO I AM LEAVING A NOTE





HI! WELCOME TO MY ROOM











OOPS!!

DON'T FALL

EVENTS & ACTIVITIES



New Laundramat is a welcomed facility at Bennett.



Caroline gets medical advice from Mrs. Waddell in the Health Center



New incoming Freshmen women are excited about joining the Bennett Family





BELLES HEAD TO THE VOTING POLLS







BENNETT'S CHOIR TAKES ITS ANNUAL TOUR



Beep! Beep! It's Not A Car Horn You Are Hearing, It's The Black Executive Exchange Program (BEEPers).



Miriam Whitehead, Qywm Midgett, Sonja Cambridge, Mrs. Wiggins, and Stephanie Brown give Mr. Crosby Brown, AT&T in Florida a tour of Bennett after his presentation.



Dr. Robert E. Dansby AT&T Corporation in New Jersey holds future BEEPers' attention



Ms. Linda Jackson (BEEPer), takes time out to pose for a picture with Dr. Agyeman-Duah, Selinah Humaulindu, Zettye Gibbs, and Jocelyn Hudson.



Mrs. Covington, Dr. Treadway, and Dr. Jeffries share a luncheon with Ms. Linda Jackson.



(Top Row) Pamela Kittrell, Susan George, Annette Pickens, Diana Tynes, Felicia Willians, Nurcine Murphy, Chandra Clark, (Bottom Row) Carla Saffoe, Laurinda Bowden, Mikki Laster, Gladys Forster, Shawnda Warren

Home Economics students on a retreat at the Home Management House



Mikki Laster and Carla Saffoe were awarded the Marie Clapp Moffit Scholorship on Recognition Day. (left to right) Mikki Lester, Dr. Lovie Booker, Mrs. Marlie Moffit, Mrs. Queen Bell, Carla Saffoe.



Angela Samuels extends greetings during Home Economics Week celebration



Susan George and Carla Saffoe work happily together to finish draperies for the Home Management House Shawanda Warren speaks on "The Importance of Good Nutrition" at the Annual Retreat





Laurinda Bowden expounds on the subject "How to Prevent Hyperthermia Especially in Older Adults"

Dr. Lovie Booker is elated over gift received from the Home Family Life Class. Mrs. Louise Streat former head of Dept. looks on.





Annette Moore, Paulette Ashley, Valerie Rice, Vera Edmonds, and Kim Howard enjoy a computer training session with Mrs. Copeland.



Dr. Bethea later joins the group to offer her assistance.



Tracy Lett hurries to class in order to start the day off right.





Sharon Randolph works hard to finish her paper for English in the computer writing lab.

Others look at Nicole Echard with interest as she asks Dr. Reynolds an important question concerning the Reading assignment.





JUMP FOR IT





There Are Always Two Sides Of Science .

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Although this is not the most enlightening side of science it helps to pay close attention, The best is yet to come.



Shirlisa Foster shows just how enlightning the laboratory side of science can be.

... It's Not Always Work



Dr. Blake and Mrs. Jones help Rochelle Williams prepare a few snacks for the science dept. Christmas party.

Tracy Durant and Rochelle Williams enjoy a little conversation, and a rest from the books.



Residence Hall Bulletin Boards



Reynolds Hall shatters all myths with the straight facts about Alcohol

ones Hall proves that it's not so hard to Just Say NO!!

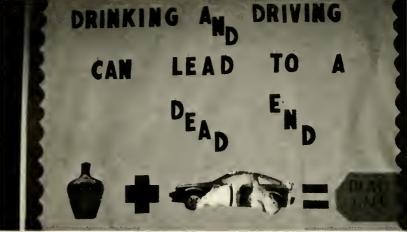
ENTROFILIFÉ SAT MA TO TO TO TO TO TO TO TO TO Cone Hall gets A Better and Serious Understanding of Responsible Drinking from the other Residence Halls



Display Student Attitudes Towards Alcohol

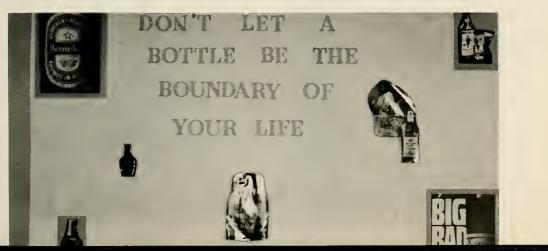
Barge Hall shows how alcohol effects the brain ... "A mind is A terrible thing to waste"





Merner Hall looks at Alcohol in 3D and find that Drinking + Driving = Dead End

Player Hall lets everyone know that life's boundary extends further than the bottle



Belles At Rest And Play

Deidra Burgess takes time out to spend with a good friend.





The fantastic five show off something besides sweat pants and hats.

After a long day of classes Martha, Karon, and Monica still smiling and enjoying a few moments in their hall.





Michelle and Stephanie entertain a guest "Belle style" in the shade!

Tracy and Paulette are ready for folly.



Michelle decides to tan with her body covered.

Bennett Family Enjoys A Night On The Town At The President's Ball





Dr. Alston, April Gordon, and Venetrice joyfully greets Stephanie Jones.

The President and Dr. Scott enjoy a moment together.



Dr. Baird, and husband, Mr. Browning, Dr. Booker wait anxiously hoping that Dr. Mack loses this round of blackjack.





Mrs. Cheston enjoyed herself taking people's fake money.

Rhonda Slade, Michelle Kittrell, Tawana Shephard, and Me'lisa Howard show off their "coolness".



Angela Samuel and date, and Renee Cooley patiently wait for the wheel to spin.

The Campus Scouts Do More Than Sell Cookies And Wear The Brownie Smile





The Ray Warren Girls enjoy a meal in Bennett's dining hall.

Mrs. Scarlette and the Campus Scouts organized a troop in the Ray Warren Homes. It started off being a very small troop but with arms opened wide for more girls. The troop finally grew large enough to be separated into brownies and juniors. The Campus Scouts with the assistance of Mrs. Scarlette, have had different activities for Ray Warren and other troops in the community. To name a few; Thinking Day, is a day in which the International Students of Bennett speak to the Scouts about their countries; Juliette Low, founder of Girls Scouts, birthday parties; and the cookie drive.



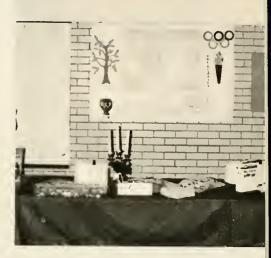
Gladys Forster and Ruelita Woods entertain the Girl Scouts on "Thinking Day".



Jerry (a student from Greece) teaches Venika and Vera the Greeks' national dance.



Erica and Tameeka (scouts from Ray Warren) wore the country's national costume and carried their native flag.



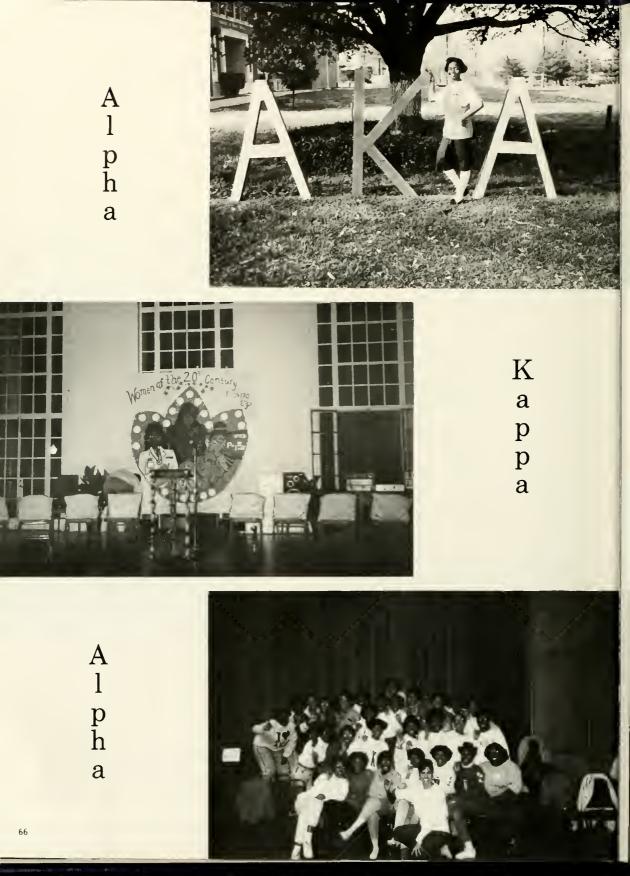
Ray Warren Troop and The Campus Scouts portrayed the country of Greece at Christmas around the world.



Campus Scouts and Ray Warren did the national dance at the Windsor Center.

Ray Warren Scouts dressed like native Greece women.







A WEEK OF SHEER ELEGANCE

Alpha Kappa Alpha pledges join their big sisters at a dinner given in their honor.





The ladies of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. step to the beat of their own tune.

"I Want To Be A Delta ... Bad"



1st row: April G. Odette J.
2nd row: Kim M., Elena R., JoAnna A., Lenora B., Betty E., Jocelynn R., and Yvonne B.
3rd row: Kelly H., Sonja C., Diane T., Deadre G., Audrea J., Shavaughn N., and Michele B.
4th row: Cynthia W., Detra M., Deidre B., Paula J., Romina B., and Jessica M.
5th row: Monia B., Sonja H., Kathryn M., Jocelyn H., Robbin W., Kim H., Jackie S., and Yolanda C.





Pyramid Circle Of DST

"She's A Delta, She's A Delta Woman



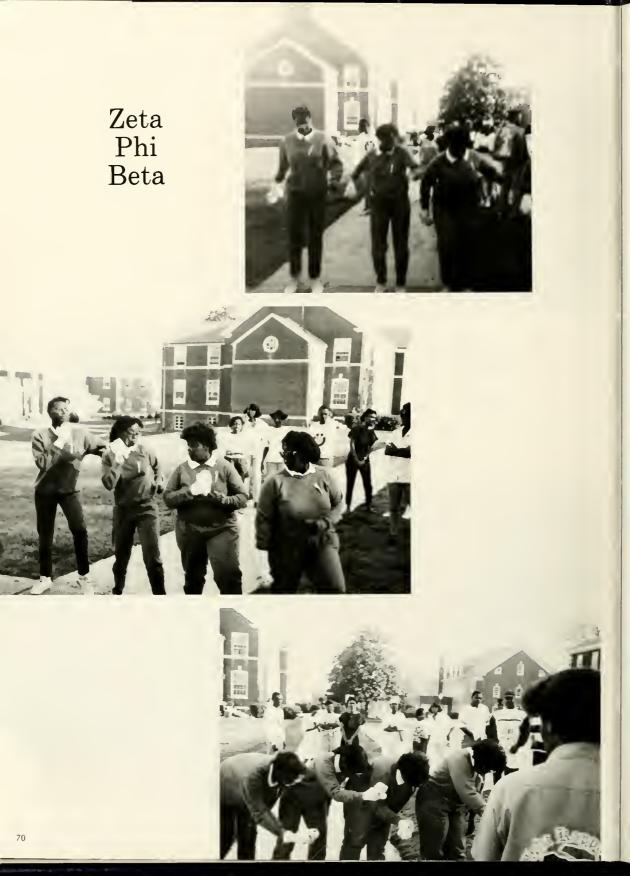
The ladies of Delta Sigma Theta won 1st Place in NCA&T Greek Step Show Competition.

Way To Go‼ ΔΣΘ





Delta Sigma Theta





Rosa Williams works hard to complete her assignment.

Shelly Middleton and Wanda Dilworth enjoy a little free time together.





Miss Zeta, Wanda Dilworth, is escorted by one of the gentlemen of N.C. A&T State University R.O.T.C.

Bennett's Sisterhood ... The Legacy Continues



Rochelle and Lynne show that you don't have to be blood sisters to have a sisterly bond.



Tonya and Robbin pose sisterly for a picture on their way to church.



Tangee robed on Senior Day by her Bennett little sisters, Yvette Freeman and Michele Bates. The Yearbook Staff would like to make a special tribute to our Bennett Family; faculty, staff and Bennett sisters for their donation of pictures, posing for snapshots, and patience as we bring the 1988 yearbook to closure. To show our appreciation we especially dedicate the book to you as we share and print "Phenomenal Woman" by Maya Angelou because you are all phenomenal to us



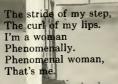


"Pretty women wonder where my secret lies. I'm not cute or built to suit a fashion model's size. But when I start to tell them, They think I'm telling lies. I say, It's in the reach of my arms, The span of my hips.

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I walk into a room Just as cool as you please, And to a man, The fellow stand or Fall down on their knees. Then they swarm around me, A hive of honey bees. I say,

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It's the fire in my eyes, And the flash of my teeth, The swing in my waist, And the joy in my feet. I'm a woman Phenomenally. Phenomenal woman, That's me.



Men themselves have wondered What they see in me. They try so much But they can't touch My inner mystery. When I try to show them They say they still can't see. I say.











Now you understand Just why my head's not howed. I don't shout or jump about Or have to talk real-loud. When you see me passing It ought to make you proud. I say. It's in the click of my heels.

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Making Plans For Bennett's Future



Trustee Board And Staff Gather For Third Quarter Meeting

Front: Eunice Dudley, Rosa Hill, Robert Chiles, Sr., Dr. Gloria R. Scott Middle: Donald King, Dr. Dorothy Harris, Dr. Patricia Carey, Dr. Tressie Muldrow, Andrea Harris, Gladys Robinson, Dr. Charlotte Alston Back: Ellen Kirby, Richard Hopkins, McNeill Smith, Rev. Otis Hairston, Sr., Ralph Shelton, Jeanne Tannenbaum,

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Dr. Asso





Dr. David Pinnix Associate Professor of Music

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Mr. Robert Stevens Asst. Professor of Accounting



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Bennett College Faculty Participate In The Sloan N.L.A. Workshop Held In Black Hall — Audio Lingual Lab





A Little Extra Help Never Hurts Anyone

Miss Chang Offers Some Assistance



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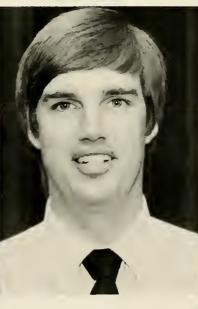
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Mrs. Cheston, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Jarrell Mrs. Hughes, Residence Hall Coordinators



Staff Luncheon







Bennett College Staff at work

Mrs. Bizzell takes a break from a long days work.



Mrs. Coates helps Valerie Jones

A student chats with Dr. Trobien



FRESHMEN

Melody Ball Gibson, N.C. Wilma Bell Wilmington, N.C. Lisa Bradley Jacksonville, N.C.



Tammy Brisco Winston-Salem, N.C. Angie Brown High Point, N.C. Carlene Carter Cleveland Heights, OH



Shijuana Clowney Spartenburg, S.C. Deneer Cole Brunswick, GA Acquanita Dancey Philadelphia, PA













Pamela Dennis Fayetteville, N.C. Jannis Durr Cincinnatti, OH Deraunda Ealim Cary, N.C.



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Melanie Washington Bartow, FL Deborah Whitaker Greensboro, NC Beverly Williams Fayetteville, NC









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Susan Hairston Psychology Cincinnati, OH







Dwan Harris Business Administration Clinton, NC

Latanya Hart Biology Salisbury, NC

Ophelia Hayes ISP Philadelphia, PA



Odessa Henderson Biology Durham, NC



Andra Henning English Detroit, MI



Audra Henning English Detroit, MI





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Ndamono Nandjungu Business Administration Ouamboland



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Andrea Malone Physical Education Antiqua



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Francis Robinson Accounting Brooklyn, NY

Crystal Sadler English Salisbury, NC



Nomfundo Shange Business Administration South Africa



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Patricia Waller Accounting Martinsville, VA







Donna Williams Biology Eden, NC

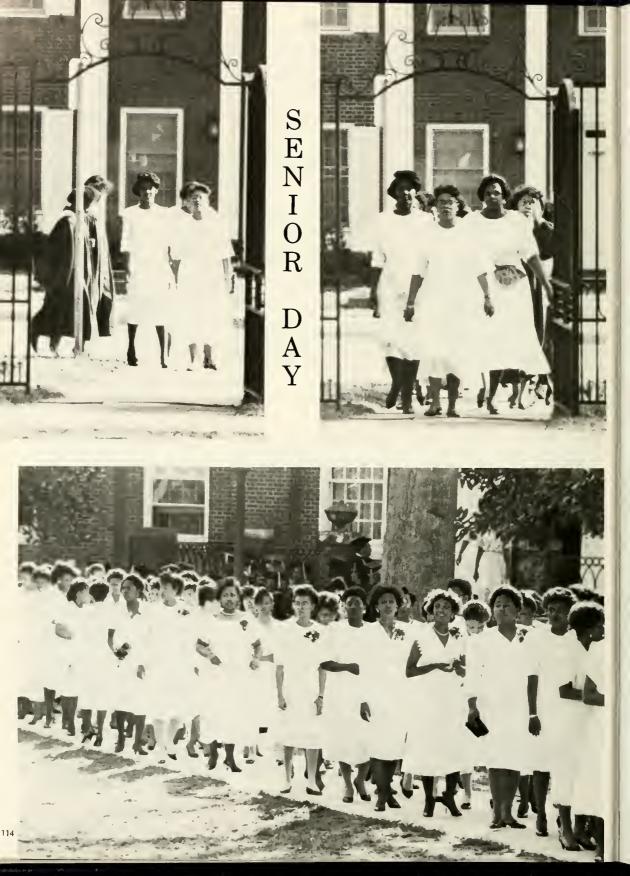
Monica Wooley Biology Detroit, MI

Tonya Zaratte Psychology Gaithersburg, MD











Tangee Stitt, Vice president, SGA speaks to her class

Little sisters always lend a hand





Senior sisters sing their final song

Senior sisters rejoice together



Senior Class 1988

It's time to say good-bye for now, Class of '88. It's our turn for now, But before we go (+ There's something we'd like to say.

Graduation day is near, God has been with us through all these years. He's in our lives every day, He's been there when we call.

In him is where our strength lies, We'll lift our eyes beyond the sky. Only he can save our lives, and only he can hear our cry.

We wanna thank you God, for giving us one more chance to raise our voices and sing your praise. We sing it out loud, we sing it all day. The class of '88 gives praise to only you, We know it can't compare to a gift from you. You gave us your love, you gave us the faith.

We know there're some who don't believe that at Bennett you'll fulfill your dreams. We try so hard everyday, though things don't go our way.

But to be without — is not his will, Through prayer and faith we'll be fulfilled. And fortune is ours to claim, We'll claim it in his holy name.

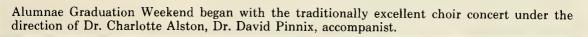
Now you don't have to beg or crawl, He will see us standing proud and tall. He gave his everlasting love. Just come to him as you are.

Chorus + Class of 1988



Rev. Diana Jones and Robin Howell share the podium at Bacculaureate Service for prayer at scriptures

Rev. Maurice T. Wilson Speaks at the Bacculaureate





Bennett College Choir Seranades the Seniors.



Tanya Bruton present a solo.



Dr. Pinnix receives applause following his performance.





Valerie Rice shares her musical talent with her Senior sisters.

Angela Bynum lets her voice ring through the Chapel.





Monique McCray releases some of the tension in the audience with music from her Chello.



Bennett College Alumnae Enjoy A Luncheon With President Scott During Graduation Weekend





THE WHITE BREAKFAST





The Bennett College Cheer At White Breakfast



Bennett Alumnae

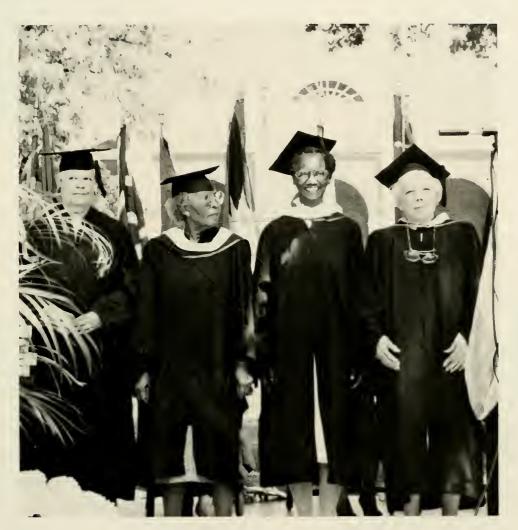


Juanita Wells "Class of '37

Margaret Freeman "Class of '30



Nell Artis Cooley "Class of '32



50th Anniversary Of The Class Of '38

Left to Right: Mrs. Ella Mae Reeves Smith, Edith Howard Bowman, Almeda Clavon Spears, Virginia McDaniel Payton



EVERYONE



FEELS



DIFFERENT



TODAY

IT'S GRADUATION





President Scott; followed by the senior class under the direction of Mrs. Scarlette and student Marshall, Ms. Brown





Dr. Karen D. Wells

Susan Hairston, Class President

Messages listened to by all seniors



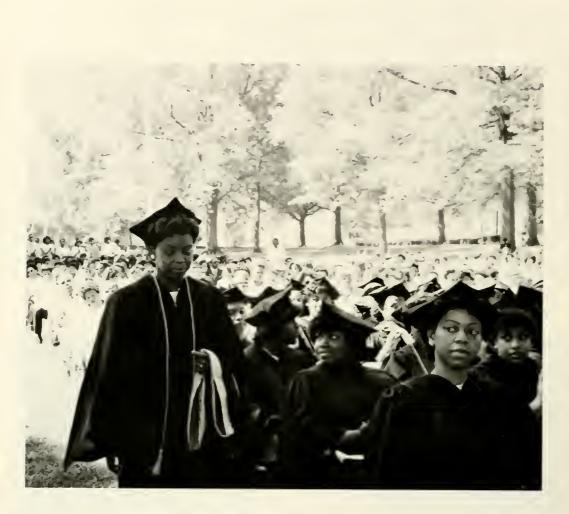
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PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS







Valia Blackwell-Blackney senior with the highest G.P.A.



Andra & Audra Henning share a double pleasure with Yvonne Breece





BENNETT'S FIRST HOODING CEREMONY





The two little ones think about their future at Bennett





A final farewell from President Scott





Seniors enjoy a reception at the presidents house after commencement





Dr. Virginia A. Tucker, Professor of Communications, is a native of San Antonio, Texas. She attended public schools in New York, Hawaii and Florida. Dr. Tucker received the B.A. degree in Journalism and English from Southwest Texas State University in 1952 and the M.A. degree in English and American Literature from the University of North Carolina at Greensboro in 1964. In 1968, she was awarded the Southern Fellowship for Graduate Study. Dr. Tucker received the Ph.D. degree in English Literature from the University of North Carolina at Greensboro in 1973. She is the recipient of the first Ph.D. degree in English given by the same university.

Dr. Tucker has written many proposals for Bennett College, including the Title III — Audio Lingual Laboratory and the United Negro College Fund/Mobil Oil Grant. She has contributed to and assisted in editing numerous proposals.

She has served as Coordinator of Freshman English, Director of the Humanities Division, Coordinator of the Accelerated Study Option, and Chairperson of the Department of Communications.

She and her husband, Mr. James Tucker, former Director of The Weatherspoon Art Gallery at the University of North Carolina at Greensboro, enjoy collecting antiques.

Retirement

Memorial



Mrs. Rosa Hooker, a senior at Bennett College, 1953

ROSA FENNELL HOOKER was born on May 11, 1931. On May 16, 1988 the Lord called home one of his dearly beloved children.

Rosa was the daughter of Rosa Fennell and the late John Porter Fennell.

Rosa Fennell was united in marriage to Coley Hooker, Jr. To this union two children were born, a daughter Cheryl and a son Grady who preceeded her in death.

Mrs. Hooker was a native of Burgaw, N.C. She received the Bachelor of Arts Degree in English and Business Education from Bennett College in 1953. She taught two years in the Duplin County School System and began her career at Bennett College as a secretary in the Purchasing Office. Later, she became the Purchasing Officer. Mrs. Hooker was extremely active in civic and community organizations. She was a member of the American Management Association of Education Buyers, The American Management Society, and The Metropolitan Council of Negro Women.

Mrs. Hooker was a member of St. Matthews United Methodist Church. She was a faithful member of the Chancel Choir, Bible Studies, Older Adult Program and United Methodist Women. Mrs. Rosa Hooker will long be remembered for her kindness, good nature and her willingness to lend a helping hand to others. She leaves to cherish her memory: her husband, Coley; daughter, Cheryl of the home; granddaugher Fallen Evon of Del Ray Beach, Florida; her mother, Mrs. Rosa Fennell of Burgaw, NC; four brothers, Mr. James A. Fennell of Winston-Salem, NC, Mr. Grady Fennell, Mr. John P. Fennell all of Burgaw, NC; two sisters, Mrs. Bernetha Holmes of Castle Hayes, NC and Mrs. Lilly Randolph of Bolivia. NC.

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ALMA MATER

Bennett now our voices raise, Harmonies of grateful praise; We thy daughters find thee fair Loyally thy colors bear, Truth and honor in thy halls, Faith and love within thy walls; Ever dear to us thou art. Firm within each loyal heart.

CHORUS

Alma Mater, now we sing, Hail the light that thou dost bring; True we've been throughout the past, True to thee while life shall last.

May we never smirch the good Gendered here in sisterhood; May we ever choose aright, Guide but by honor bright; Ever lovelier shalt thou live, As thy daughters freely give; Ever glorious above, Testimonies of our love,

'Til the evening shadows fall 'Til we heed our last clear call Mother, may we offer thee Lives of worth and purity? Go with us throughout the years, Smile on us in doubts and fears; Bless us with thy tender care, Mother, fairest of the fair!

