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COASTAL CAROLINA TO GRADUATE LARGEST CLASS: HOUSE SPEAKER REX CARTER TO ADDRESS GRADUATES

USC-Coastal Carolina College will graduate the largest class in the college's 25-year history on Saturday, May 10th. South Carolina House Speaker Rex L. Carter will deliver the main address of the graduation ceremony. The exercise is scheduled for 10:30 a.m., Saturday, May 10th, in Kimbel Gymnasium. Approximately 190 students will receive degrees.

Keynote speaker Rex Carter was elected Speaker of the House of Representatives in 1973, succeeding the Honorable Sol Blatt of Barnwell, who had served as House Speaker longer than any other American politician. A native of Honea Path in Anderson County, Carter graduated from Erskine College in 1950 and received his LL.B degree from the University of South Carolina Law School in 1952. Prior to entering college, he served in the U.S. Coast Guard in World War II.

An attorney practicing in Greenville, Carter was elected to the S.C. House from Greenville County in 1953. He was elected Speaker Pro Tempore in 1957 and was re-elected every two years until he was elected Speaker. He was re-elected to that position in 1974, 1976, and 1978 without opposition.

GRADUATION INSTRUCTIONS FOR MAY 10TH

All Participants in Coastal's graduation exercises should arrive at the Administration Building by 10 a.m. on Saturday, May 10th to robe and form the processional to the exercises. The march will begin at 10:25 a.m. Everyone is urged to be in line by that time.

The Coastal Carolina Chanticleers defeated Winthrop College 13-8 Sunday to become the NAIA District VI Champions for the third year in a row. Congratulations Chants!

LIBRARY OBTAINS MATH JOURNALS

Dr. Joe Cicero and Dr. Subhash Saxena, of the School of Mathematics and Computer Services, have been instrumental in obtaining a large collection of mathematics journals from Dr. Wyman L. Williams, chairman of the Mathematics Department of USC-Columbia from 1942 to 1967. Dr. Williams is now nearly eighty years old, but very active in club work in Columbia. His lifelong collection of mathematics journals will be valuable assets to Kimbel Library. The longest run is the *American Mathematics Monthly*, with continuous issues from 1931 to 1979. In making the announcement, Roy Talbert, Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs, noted "Dr. Williams' selection of Coastal as the recipient of his collection is a significant recognition of our School of Mathematics and Computer Services."

MARINE SCIENCE STUDENT PICKED

Sharon Jansky, a rising junior in marine science has been awarded a summer grant from the S.C. Sea Grant Consortium to study new methods in the separation of zooplankton and detritus. Her work will be under the direction of Dr. Richard Dame and Dr. Don Rice of Coastal's marine program.

MARINE SCIENCE PROJECT DISCUSSED

Two undergraduate marine science research groups from Coastal Carolina presented their results at the spring meeting of the Southeastern Estuarine Research Society in Wrightsville Beach, N.C. Mike Crocken, Allen Saum, Diane Sery, and Jay Sims presented a summary of their project on the influence of oysters on the suspended material in a tidal creek on North Inlet. The influence of a new method of erosion control on Debie Du Beach was reported by Shellie Hursey, Tony Jacobs, Hamblin Phillips, Erik Shuck-Kolbin, and Steve Thompson. The projects were under the direction of Dr's Richard Dame and Doug Nelson and were funded by a Sea Grant.

A summary of recent results from an NSF grant to study the flux of matter in North Inlet was presented by Dr. F. John Vernberg, director of the Baruch Institute. This project has 12 principal investigators including Dr's. Dame, Nelson and Moore from Coastal. Numerous marine science students have participated in this research.

USC Coastal Carolina College is receiving applications for a secretary in the business office. Contact the Personnel Office at Ext. 114. Affirmative Action/EOE.

FACULTY PRESENTATIONS

Dr. James Beaty spoke to the Lions Club on Friday, May 2, on the Pee Wee Gaskins Murder case and the novel he is now writing about that grisly episode.

Dr. Joseph Pinson will speak to the Loris Garden Club on Wednesday, May 7. His topic will be "Gardening and Wild Flowers."

JONES RECEIVES GRANT

Thomas E. Jones, Assistant Professor of Speech-Theatre at Coastal Carolina College has been informed by the Graduate School and University Center of the City University of New York that he has received a grant from the National Endowment for the Humanities to attend a six weeks summer Humanities Institute in New York City on "Contemporary Eastern European Drama and Theatre: Poland and the Soviet Union."

The Institute's purpose will be to explore new ways of integrating the study of Polish and Soviet dramatic literature into American University curricula and to develop innovative cross-disciplinary programs incorporating the teaching of foreign languages and drama.

WISEMAN INVOLVED IN NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL PROJECTS

Dr. Dennis Wiseman just returned from a week in Washington, D.C. serving as a field reader for Title IX federal proposals on Ethnic Heritage Studies. The Office of Education brought 54 field readers to Washington to review approximately 630 proposals for federal money in the area of Ethnic Studies. The 54 field readers represented 29 different ethnic backgrounds.

Wiseman has also been selected as one of 12 individuals by the South Carolina Consortium for International Studies to go on a field seminar trip to Japan this summer. The trip will last for 6 weeks, visiting various areas of the country. A follow-up activity of the experience is to make presentations in this country concerning various aspects of Japan and to work in the writing of curriculum for the public schools also in this area.

ARCHAEOLOGICAL DEVELOPMENTS

On April 19, 1980 Dr. Reinhold Engelmayer and five students from the archaeology classes attended the Sixth Annual Conference on South Carolina Archaeology sponsored by the Archaeological Society of South Carolina and the Institute of Archeology and Anthropology of the University of South Carolina in Columbia, S.C.

During the same time Dr. Engelmayer served as consultant to Environmental Impact Projects for The Myrtle Beach and Andrews sewage treatment plants, as well as the Rum Bluff Development in North Myrtle Beach. As a result of these studies two lengthy research reports contributed new knowledge about the archaeology and early history of the Waccamaw Neck and the old Georgetown District. A third report is in preparation.

During the same time six members of the community brought paleontological and archaeological material for identification and authentication to the department. Finds ranged from Miocene Fossils to Peruvian Mochica and Inca Ceramics.

CAPS AND GOWNS IN BOOKSTORE

Bookstore Director Bob Elvington asks that all faculty please announce to their graduation classes that caps and gowns have arrived and can be purchased in the Campus Shop anytime before graduation exercises.

COASTAL STUDENTS ACCEPTED INTO MED SCHOOL

The ranks of Coastal students performing work in highly competitive medical school programs continues to expand. Coastal student Sheila Fisher has been accepted into the School of Medicine at MUSC. Jim Jenson has been accepted into the School of Dental Medicine. Michael Porter has been accepted into the School of Pharmacy at USC—Columbia. Two other Coastal students have applied to medical school and former Coastal students Annette Williams and Bill Hyman are now studying in med school.

ALL EQUIPMENT CHECKED OUT FROM THE MEDIA CENTER MUST BE RETURNED BY 5 PM WEDNESDAY, MAY 7TH.

NEW NUMBERS FOR HUNT AND CANDAL

Dr. Patricia Candal is now occupying office 212-B in the Academic Building. Her telephone extension is now 180. Dr. Gilbert Hunt is now occupying office 215-D and his new extension is 179.