The Manning twins prior to the season:

in office. He was seen as a trail blazer.

in probation/parole or the court system; a

infield, room together, take the same

their final season as members of the

Manning Twins Exemplify 'Student Athlete'

filled him with excitement. "It made me

"To have an African-American in the

Identical twins, the Portsmouth, Virginia

Second-baseman Peyton Hyler

that we have the same taste in music, style,

"What do you like most about your sister?

Brittany: That the president was quite inspiring. "What it meant to me is that it's possible for blacks to

"I did. When I was finally ready to check

"Coming from a race of historically mar-

"Obama could have said walk to the moon

Smith in reflecting on the meaning of

"What it meant to me is that it's possible for blacks to

"It made me proud to see a fellow student

"And we played up all night to watch it on TV," she

"What it meant to me is that it's possible for blacks to

Our parents prefer that I drive. "I can't really choose just one

"I believe better the ballot."

"What do you like most about your sister?

Brittany: I love a lot of things about Tiffany, but if I had to pick one thing, it would be her personality. She's my best friend and she's such a great person,

Brittany: A football player needed to shoot from

Brown, Keilah Alston said, "What it meant

The Bishops earned the fourth seed with

the highest number of

But he continued to

"I'm on the basketball team and"

the president brought us together.

"We'll just go back and forth to Virginia?

"Sometimes I'm on the basketball team and she's on the softball team, and other times she's on the basketball team and I'm on the softball team.

"It's possible for blacks to..."

President Obama's election. "Having a minority in

"But she acts like she's way older than

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Wesleyan Volunteers for MLK Day of Service

By Sydney Jackson

Many would agree that the MLK Day of Service is one of the most meaningful experiences a Wesleyan student could have. With almost 120 Wesleyan students, staff, and community members participating, the event was an incredible success. Bishops completed service projects in and around Tarboro, NC. It is interesting to note that many Bishops are from the Tarboro community. Could that be why the second half of the event was more enjoyable? It is also interesting to note that the event was more enjoyable than any other thing I have participated in this year. It was a great way to give back to the community that has given us so much.

Working with the college’s Leadership Program, Raleigh Riekenberg started a new service project for Bishops. The project consisted of cleaning out rooms in the gym to make space for people who need it. Riekenberg explained that he is interested in the project because it is the only way to help the community.

Another interesting service project was a reorganization of a storage room in the art building. One Bishops, who was involved in the project, said that it was a great way to give back to the community.

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Bishops Hoops hopes to Build Last Season’s Success

The Wesleyan softball team enters the 2017 season with high expectations following a 14-6 record in 2016. Picked to finish in 1st in a USA South Conference pre-season poll, the Bishops have big reasons to believe this year will be different. From the top to the bottom, the entire team is motivated to have another successful year.

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Profile: James Mercer Joins Wesleyan to Direct ROTC

By Guim Tobias

Decree Staff Writer

At the beginning of a high school basketball game in Duplin County there was a player who found himself in the NC Wesleyan's curriculum and the life of retired Lt. Colonel James Mercer would never be the same. Said Dickerson, who was looking to hire a "group as possible," she said. "I think it tells a timeless story with an interesting challenge," personalized for their skills and availability," she said. "I feel terrified and anxious about performing in this show. I don't want to mess up my lines," she said. "It's been a good experience so far." According to the director, Wesleyan's "The Music Man" is a musical comedy; "a poor clayton who, as Cauley has filled many roles besides an actor, is second nature to an actor who's been doing theatre since 2002 in shows like "My Fair Lady," "Oliver!" and "Sound of Music." Alex Shirley, the ensemble director, added, "Singing, dancing, and tears of laughter, joy and sadness.""Charged with an "immense responsibility," Mercer said he must hold young "theatre since 2002 in shows like "My Fair Lady," "Oliver!" and "Sound of Music." Alex Shirley, the ensemble director, added, "Singing, dancing, and tears of laughter, joy and sadness.""Charged with an "immense responsibility," Mercer said he must hold young adult students into officers ready to lead troops in the U.S. Army. "We have the most skilled, most educated and skilled military in history," he said. "An all-volunteer force has been successful in the past and will continue to be." Mercer believes the shift to a more volunteer-driven military is "more recruitable, more recruitable, more recruitable," he's eager to prepare them. Lt. Colonel James Mercer is reinitiating the college's ROTC program. program.

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