

A. C. College Junior Awarded Coveted Carnegie Metal

William Willis, To Receive Famous Medal For Saving Life Of Drowning Man 2 Years Ago

William Willis, Atlantic Christian College Junior, has been formally notified that he has been one of the few selected for this year to receive the Carnegie Medal for bravery, a medal awarded to only a few people and only when the incident requires an unusual risk of one's life to save that of another.

The act of bravery for which Willis is to receive the medal occurred in the summer of 1931 at Swansboro, N. C. One of the members of a fishing party in which he was included decided to go in swimming after they came ashore, despite the warnings of those with him. It wasn't long before they noticed that the water being particularly rough that day, the man, Mr. A. B. Rivers, of South Carolina, was being washed away from the shore in spite of his struggles. Immediately, Willis, with a friend, took a life preserver and started out toward him; he was then, approximately, 100 yds. from the shore. They got to him just as he was making his final attempts to stay above the water and tied the life preserver around him. After a hard struggle they finally dragged him to the shore where they received more help.

Nothing more was heard of the event until last summer when a representative from the Carnegie Fund for Heroes came to Wilson to see Willis. The representative then traveled to Raleigh, Swansboro, and to South Carolina, taking approximately two weeks to check the authenticity and merits of the incident. He finally decided to his satisfaction that it was a deserving case and notified Willis and his friend at Swansboro, who is also to receive one.

The endowment for this foundation was made in 1904 by Andrew Carnegie, famous steel magnate, and amounted to \$5,000,000. With the medal goes a pecuniary award which can be used profitably. Thousands of applicants for one of these medals are made every year but only a few are ever recognized.

William Willis is a junior this year, a member of the Phi Kappa Alpha Fraternity, and a member of THE COLLEGIATE staff. Last year he came very close to making the highest scholastic record for the year, missing it only by a fraction. He is quiet, modest, and unassuming, so much so that it was only until recently that any one knew of this incident—not until his official recognition by the Carnegie Foundation was published in local papers.

He plans, after graduating here to go to Vanderbilt to study for his M. A. degree and possibly to get his Ph. D. It is possible that, along with the medal, will be awarded a scholarship to this university.



WILLIAM WILLIS

Atlantic Christian College student who was one of four North Carolinians awarded Carnegie medals for heroism this year.

EVA MAE WHITLEY ELECTED MOST VERSATILE MEMBER OF SENIOR CLASS

At a meeting held Monday night, November, 6, Eva Mae Whitley was elected the most versatile member of the senior class. This attractive young lady by her varied talents, deserves in every way the title bestowed upon her. She is one of the most popular girls on the campus, and has held many important positions since she has been in college.

Other superlatives who were elected were: most capable, Collins Yelverton; most athletic, Red Rogers; most studious, Sue Todd; most original, Mabel Cherry; best story, Frances Stott; witliest, Marian Holland, and most modest, Jessie Wethington.

The senior superlatives represent some of the members of the senior class who have in some way been outstanding during their college years.

MISSSES BRINSON AND TUTEN WIN FIRST PRIZE FOR NEATEST ROOM

On Home Coming Day the first prize for the neatest and most attractive room in the Girl's Dormitory was awarded for the second consecutive year to Misses Maria Brinson and Ina Rivers Tuten. As a reward for receiving this honor they were presented with a green desk lamp by Professor Martha Edmonston, who also contributed the other two prizes. The second place was won by Misses Mary Mayo and Dorothy Jones, who received as their prize a lovely magazine rack. The third prize, a piece of green pottery, was awarded to Misses Billie Edger-ton and Gladys Tart. Honorable mention was given to Misses Velma Gurganus and Neva Liverman, and Doris and Eva Louise Shelton.

The judges stated that all the rooms were arranged so attractively and conveniently that it was difficult to decide who the winners should be.

A. C. VOTES DRY

The fact that Atlantic Christian College is a christian institution was accentuated when the straw vote, held by THE COLLEGIATE, resulted in a victory for the dries.

Some boys were so strongly in favor of prohibition that they signed their names to the ballots for the whole world to see. The non-conventionalists carried the vote by a large margin, leading by 103 votes. Out of a possible 260 votes, 229 cast their ballots; of these, 166 voted to retain the eighteenth amendment and 63 voted for repeal.

College Men Meet Nov. 4-5 Draw Up Dormitory Student Government

Meet In Auditorium To Amend And Adopt Constitution. Constitution Now In Hands of Faculty For Approval of Amendments.

The men students of the college, who reside in the dormitories, met in the college auditorium, Thursday, Nov. 3, at eight o'clock for the purpose of organizing a dormitory student government and adopting a constitution and by-laws.

The constitution had been drawn up by a committee elected at a previous meeting, consisting of Clement Miller, Chairman, Erle Dall, Harold Tyre, Randolph Allen, and Clinton Murray, and had been in the hands of the faculty subject to criticism and revision for several weeks.

The purpose of the organization as stated in the preamble is to secure a closer relationship and better understanding between students and the faculty, and to train in democratic living and good citizenship.

The girls have had student government in their dormitory for nearly a year, but the boys have remained under the supervision of the faculty. It is the desire of the faculty to have the boys organize and cause to function, machinery that will make effective student government. The only obstacle that is faced now by both groups is a constitution that will be satisfactory.

The meetings held Thursday and Friday nights, Nov. 3 and 4 were presided over by Erle Dall, president of the senior class, who was elected temporary chairman at a previous meeting. I. E. Angel was elected temporary secretary. The meeting was conducted in a very businesslike manner; however, there was much spirited discussion. The constitution and by-laws were read, at which time many amendments were offered and quite a few adopted.

Some of the most important parts of the constitution are as follows: "The name of the organization shall be the Men's Dormitory Association of Atlantic Christian College. . . . The membership shall consist of all men who reside in the dormitory or annexes."

As to the election of officers, "The president shall be elected from the incoming senior class, the vice-president from the incoming junior class and the secretary-treasurer from the

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Atlantic Christian College Celebrates Home Coming Saturday, November 4th

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The cost of publishing THE COLLEGIATE is much more than the student appropriations. In order to make up the difference it is necessary to depend on the advertisers. The advertisers are depending on the students of A. C. to make their advertising pay. Patronize THE COLLEGIATE advertisers.

JOHN BARCLAY BRINGS ARMISTICE MESSAGE TO CHAPEL GROUP

Mr. John Barclay, the minister of the Christian Church, came to the chapel program on his regular Tuesday mornings, bringing a message of Armistice. He told of the loss of political, social, and spiritual leadership in England, as in all countries that participated in the war, because of the death of so many of the young leaders fifteen years ago. He said the present government is a government of old men and boys because the strong middle-aged leadership that should be in the seats of power lie buried in Flanders Field.

He also showed how certain impossibilities, social situations, are left as the terrible heritage of war. Among others he mentioned the fact that there are 1,800,000 more women than men in Great Britain today. The social implications of this terrible fact are very apparent. It has reduced the stability and the equality of marriage. There is no remedy for the situation until after this generation passes off the scene of action. He said the war also left this terrible heritage of hate which has only in a very small way, been dispated since the war. Today Europe stands again on the brink of chaos because of this hate that will not down. The nations live under the dread of suspicion, the psychology of fear.

In concluding he urged the college students, both men and women, to take their stand on teh side of absolute pacifism, and declare their intention of never participating in any future war, should war come again.

Moving pictures of the Animated Cartoon Variety are being used to teach designing to students at Cornell University.

Over 300 Students In Attendance; Glee Club And Orchestra Give Rendition; Barbecue Dinner Served.

Atlantic Christian College celebrated its 31st homecoming, Saturday, November 4, with more than three hundred members of the student body and alumni in attendance.

The day's events were opened by special chapel exercises. This program was given over to musical selections by the college orchestra under the direction of Prof. Ed Stallings and songs by the college glee club led by Mrs. Nannelle Hinton.

Addresses of welcome were delivered by Miss Frances Harper of the faculty and Miss Mabel Cherry, of Rocky Mount, for the student body. Response was by Zeb B. Brinson of Greenville, president of the Alumal Association. Devotional exercises were conducted by Prof. Perry Case, of Grifton. Following the chapel exercises a meeting of the alumni association was held at which ten new alumni chapters were formed and meeting dates were set. New chapters organized were Raleigh, Smithfield, Goldsboro, Wilson, Rocky Mount, Greenville, Robersonville, Kinston, Washington, Arapahoe and Dunn.

A substantial amount was raised to construct a new gymnasium and further the interest of the alumni. Dr. Dallas Mallison, of Oriental, was elected permanent secretary of the alumni.

A barbecue dinner was served on the campus at 1 o'clock following which the dormitories were inspected by visiting alumni. Prizes were awarded for neatest and most attractive rooms. Athletic events featured the afternoon program with the Athletics defeating the Hesperians at soccer football for the first time in three years. The score was 2 to 1. Freshmen won over upper classmen in a tug of war.

At 5 o'clock the president's tea was held and on Saturday night class reunions climaxed the biggest Home-Coming Day in the history of Atlantic Christian College.

MINISTERIAL STUDENTS ORGANIZE ST. TIMOTHY CLUB

The beginning of the school year brought to the campus many new students. Outstanding among them was Carl Saunders, who brought with him the idea for the organization of the students into a club.

The purpose of the club was to give training in sermon building and to provide an opportunity for young ministers to practice delivering sermons before a critical audience. Mr. Saunders' idea was quickly taken up by the ministerial students and soon the St. Timothy Club was organized to meet on Tuesday evenings at 7:30 o'clock.

The following officers have been elected for the club: President; Carl Saunders; Vice-Pres., Selz Mayo; Secretary-Treasurer, Hubert Rose. Under this able leadership the club is looking forward to a year of great benefit.

"STUDENT VOLUNTEERS" NAME OF NEW ORGANIZATION

There is another new organization on the campus in which there are no officers, no roll call, no set form of meeting. The meetings are held every Friday night in Professor Grim's apartment. The members discuss mission problems, present day social problems and various problems which occur on the campus. The aim of this organization is solely re-

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Youth Banquet Held Here At College Friday, Nov. 10th., Huge Success

Over 400 Young People Representing Twenty-Nine Churches

The Youth Banquet held here last Friday evening, November 10, with an attendance of over 400 young people representing 29 churches, was described as the largest gathering of its kind ever held among the youth of the Disciples of Christ in North Carolina.

The banquet marked the close of the 1933 annual convention of the Disciples, held in Rocky Mount, and was staged in the interest of the coming 1934 Youth Conference next June at Bonclarken, Flat Rock, N. C.

Highlights of the meeting included an address by Miss Cynthia Pearl Maus, national leader among the young people of the Disciples of Christ, who spoke on "Youth's Quest for the Best"; an inspirational talk by Miss Catherine Stoney on the "Value of Youth Conferences"; an address by Rev. John Barclay, of the Wilson Christian Church and

youth leader in this state, on "The Value of Youth Conferences to the Local Church"; and special music by Miss Elliott Straley, of Winston-Salem.

The College had made preparation for 300 guests and had only this number attended the meeting, it would have itself marked the largest Disciples youth meeting in North Carolina. According to Miss Maus, this was the first youth banquet ever held in conjunction with a State Disciples Convention on the campus of the nearest Disciples College.

Moving pictures were also shown of the 1932 Bonclarken Conference, these being substituted for the 1933 pictures which had been scheduled to be shown.

"Youth will find its answer to the quest for the best in the examples of the lives of great people who have gone before," according to Miss Maus, whose address was the main feature of the banquet. Each indi-

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COLLEGE ORCHESTRA PLAYS ON HOME-COMING DAY

On Home-Coming Day the newly organized college orchestra gave the following selections in chapel: Anthony's "Salute to the Colors," "Favorite Selections from the Operettas of Victor Herbert," and "Play Fiddle play."

The orchestra was organized this year under the direction of Ed T. Stallings. The members playing the violin are: Rebecca Carter, Eva Louise Shelton, Irene Renfrow, Myrtle Lamm, John Lewis Yelverton, Carl Saunders, and William Walls. The clarinet is played by Liza Dickenson. Mr. Will Parish plays the trombone and cello. Pianist for the orchestra is Russell Roebuck.

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