

RELIGIOUS EMPHASIS WEEK IS HAILED AS BIG SUCCESS

J. Wayne Drash
Of Kinston Church
Chief Speaker

Religious Emphasis Week ended on Friday night, April 17, having covered a span of five nights and four days. Mr. J. Wayne Drash, Minister of the Gordon Street Christian Church of Kinston, North Carolina, was guest speaker. The theme of the week was "Living Abundantly." For the regular chapel hours and evening vespers, Mr. Drash chose his topics in keeping with the theme. Beginning with "Finding the Way of Life," and continuing with "Some Basic Convictions," "Making the Commitment," "Discovering Resources," "Using Resources," "Exercising Discipline," "Dedicating to the Kingdom," and "Eternal Foundations," Mr. Drash wove a detailed pattern for abundant living. This week of concentrated study was brought to a close on Friday night with a candle-light Consecration Service following the vesper message.

Mr. Drash is a newcomer to the state of North Carolina. He is a graduate of Phillips University, Enid, Oklahoma, and Vanderbilt University, Nashville, Tennessee. While filling a pastorate in Albuquerque, New Mexico, he attended the University of New Mexico. He came to Kinston from Clarksville, Tennessee. Since coming to this state he has been outstanding in Religious Education work. He has served on the Summer Conference faculty for two years, being Vesper Speaker one of those years.

Dr. T. T. Swearingen, minister of the Wilson Christian Church, assisted Mr. Drash throughout the week. Dr. Swearingen led the discussions at the Fireside Chats, and was a personal adviser to students.

All the local ministers were invited to attend and participate in the activities of the week.

On Monday night the Church Drama class, taught by Mr. L. F. Grove, presented *Prize Money*, a Religious Drama in one act. This play was the be-

Education Club Has Meeting on Friday

The Education Club met Friday night, April 10, in the Girl's Parlor.

The discussion for the evening followed the general theme of "The Significance of Religious Emphasis Week." Miss Irene Langston, a member of the Campus Religious Council, took charge of the discussion.

After the program the election of new officers was held. Miss Ruby Jones was elected president to succeed Mr. Maurice Holland; Miss Mary Louise Rose was elected vice-president to succeed Miss Ruby Jones; and Miss Blanche Stokes was elected secretary-treasurer to replace Miss Florence Pace.

On Saturday, April 25, the Club will be entertained by its Sponsor, Professor F. F. Grim, with an annual steak supper to be held at the municipal park. All people who have been members of the club this year, or who are eligible for membership, are invited to attend.

BOARD



Above are pictured the newly elected members of the Executive Board. Reading from left to right: Howard Blake, president; Naomi Morris, vice-president; Cassie May Cowell, Secretary; Robert Jones, treasurer.—(Photo by Workman).

Rose and Miller Head Publications

Editors and Business Managers of the two campus publications, the COLLEGIATE and the PINE KNOT, were chosen in the student elections held on April 13 and 14 for that purpose.

New editor of the COLLEGIATE is Mary Louise Rose, a Junior from Newton Grove. Miss Rose, the only candidate nominated by the Executive Board for that position, defeated Katherine Lewis and Phillip Banks and succeeds Kirby Watson of Wilson.

The position of Business Manager went to Carrie Davis May, a senior from Wilson. Running with Miss May were Aaron Fussell and Billie Adams. Mr. Fussell was eliminated in the first election, and Miss May defeated Mr. Adams in the final run-off the following day. She succeeds George Woodall and Joe Quinerly as Business Manager.

For Editor of the PINE KNOT, Betty Miller was uncontested. Miss Miller, an incoming Senior from Cumberland, Md., succeeds Ruth Beard.

For Business Manager of the PINE KNOT, Margaret Farmer won out over Johnnie Hicks. Miss Farmer is also an incoming Senior and is from Wilson. She was one of the four Business Managers elected at the beginning of the semester to take over the financial end of the annual after Charles Eagle's transferring to Duke.

Stunt Night to Be Held April 23; Organizations Prepare New Skits

Stunt night will be held this year on the night of April 23 from 7:30 to 10:00 o'clock. Different organizations have already begun to make preparations for their stunts.

Those organizations presenting stunts will be the A Club, Phi Delta Gamma Fraternity, Sigma Alpha Fraternity, Delta Sigma Sorority, Phi Kappa Alpha Fraternity, Phi Sigma Tau Sorority, Sigma Tau Chi Sorority, YMCA, YWCA, Freshman Class, Sophomore Class, Senior Class, The Girls' Dorm, and the Boys' Dorm.

Three prizes will be awarded: a first prize of \$1.50, a second prize of 75c and a third prize of 50c.

Stunt night is sponsored by

These four young men and women will need your help to do a bang-up job.

Dr. Nash Speaks To AC Students

National Peace Conference Leader Heard at ACC

Dr. Vernon Nash, Executive Director, National Peace Conference, New York City, spoke to the College students and interested visitors on March 23. Dr. Nash was brought to the campus through the influence of the Friends' Service Committee at the U. N. C. Chapel Hill, which organization is a member of the National Peace Conference.

Having traveled widely, Dr. Nash is familiar with the peoples of other countries. His experiences in East India, in Africa, in China, and in Europe acquainted him with the divergent characteristics of those peoples with whom and against whom the United States is fighting. Out of his understanding of these people has grown Dr. Nash's desire to solve the fundamental problem of international anarchy. For this reason he has filled many speaking engagements under the auspices of the "Union Now" movement.

He is co-drafter of "The Alternative to International Anarchy," published by the Federal Council of churches and the Foreign Mission Conference in 1938.

Dr. Nash spoke on post war plans and problems and asked his audience, "After the war—what?" Answering his own question, he advocated a world wide union of nations. A sort of international democracy in which no one nation holds the upped had. Dr. Nash's forcefulness as a speaker and his deep interest in the subject, have given him a large following among those who concur with his ideas, but also among those who have widely divergent points of view.



"Jerry" Shingleton, who left school his Junior year to join the Naval Air Corps, has recently been commissioned an Ensign in U. S. Navy. He is stationed at Pensacola, Fla.

Sororities Scrap Individual Banquets

The three sororities have agreed to do away with their Banquets this year. In the place of a banquet, a Spring Formal will be held on May 16. The Formal has been planned to be held at the Wilson Country Club.

This year the Greek Letter organizations have been asked to cut all possible expenses during the present national emergency. To this request the three sororities, Delta Sigma, Phi Sigma Tau and Sigma Tau Chi agreed to unite in the cause and their novelty act, "Model T," (Continued on Page Four)

BLAKE IS NEW PREXY OF AC STUDENT BODY

OFFICERS



Top row, left to right: Margaret Farmer, manager PINE KNOT; Betty Miller, Editor of the PINE KNOT; Mary Louise Rose, Editor of the COLLEGIATE. Bottom row: Frances Sermons, Chief Marshal; Virginia Atkins, Concert chairman; Celia Crowley, Chairman of May Day.

Campus Now Ready For May Day

Heading the May Day group this year is Miss Madeline Denning, of Coats, who, with the aid of her associates, has chosen the theme of "The Seasons" to be carried out. Entertaining and performing for the pleasure of the King and Queen of Spring on May 2, 1942, will be members of the various Physical Education classes and members of the May Court.

Reigning over the festival of May this year will be Elizabeth Ann Nall of Wilson, as Queen, and Joe Frank Draper, of Conway, as King.

Margaret Ange of Jamesville will attend the Queen as Maid of Honor.

Other personal attendants of the Queen will be Marjorie Barnes of Fremont and Katherine Wainwright of Wilson.

Personal attendants of the King will be M. W. Hudson of Wilson and Joe Holliday of Jamesville.

The other members of the court will be Madeline Godwin and Guy Smith, Frances Sermons and Bruce Davis, Edith Cartwright and Kirby Watson, Carolyn Baggette and Robert Griffin, Eleanor Blow and Kendrick Taylor, Eloise Creech and L. C. Davis, Polly Swindell and Earl Hardison, Margaret Glover and Johnnie Hicks, Cassie Mae Cowell and Edvan Thompson, Virginia Lancaster and Bill Laston. "Pec Wee" Grantham of Mount Olive and Sara Anderson of Wilson will be Heralders of May.

The dances include the Dance of Spring, the Dance of Summer (Continued on Page Four)

Juniors, Seniors Call Off Banquet; To Use Money For War Effort

The Junior Class will entertain the Senior Class with werner roast and a theatre party on the 24th of April. This entertainment will replace the Banquet usually given the Seniors by the Juniors. The Junior Class acted upon a suggestion from the Senior Class "that a milder form of entertainment be present with the understanding that the money saved by such a move go to further America's war effort!"

The day of activities will begin at 5:30 the afternoon of April 24 with a werner roast at Gold Park. While at the park the Junior Class will present a short entertainment program for the enjoyment of the Seniors. "Lib" Soney, chairman of the Picnic Entertainment Committee, has arranged a program for the afternoon. She expressed the opinion that the Juniors as well as the Seniors would enjoy the planned program.

The two classes will return from the picnic about 7 o'clock. After putting on their Sunday clothes they will go in a group

Naomi Morris Is Vice-President

Blake Defeats Naomi Morris, Kirby Watson

In recently completed Spring elections, Howard Blake of Fairfield defeated Naomi Morris and Kirby Watson, both of Wilson, to become president of the Cooperative Association. Other people elected to positions on the Executive Board for the ensuing year are: Vice-President, Naomi Morris; Secretary, Cassie May Cowell; Treasurer, Robert Jones. Town Representative, Jimmy Millhouse. President of Boy's Dormitory Council, Otis Carter; President of Girl's Dormitory Council, Frances Hamby.

Mr. Blake is a member of the present Junior Class. He belongs to the Golden Knot Honor Society, and to Phi Kappa Alpha fraternity and at present is its treasurer. He served on the Executive Board this year as its treasurer. During his sophomore year, he also served as treasurer of his class. Mr. Blake succeeds Joe Holliday as head of the Cooperative Association.

Miss Morris became vice-president of the Association by defeating Kirby Watson. She has taken a very active part in campus activities, having represented the town students on the Executive Board this year. She served as president of the Sophomore Class her second year here. She is a member of Delta Sigma sorority. Miss Morris has worked on the Staff of the Collegiate for three years, serving this year as Associate Editor. She was tapped into the Golden Knot Honor Society at the close of last year.

Miss Cowell was elected secretary of the Cooperative Association by putting both Miss Frances Hemby and Miss Katherine Lewis out of the race. Miss Cowell is a member of Phi Sigma Tau Sorority. She has

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Golden Knot Taps 7 New Members

In the late spring, it is the tradition of the Golden Knot Honor Society to take members into this organization at a special tapping service held in Howard Memorial Chapel.

To be tapped into this organization a person must have completed three college semesters with an average of 85 per cent for men and 87.5 per cent for women; he must possess outstanding moral character, constructive leadership ability and the willingness to serve in upholding the ideals of the organization.

After being tapped, each new member will receive a Golden Knot pin, a symbol of leadership, scholarship, character, and service.

This Society was formed by uniting Alpha Delta Chi, an honor society of women and a men's group of similar ideals.

Present members of the Society are: Wilma Williams, Naomi Morris, James Webster, Norma Clay Daniels, Elizabeth Stoney, Frances Hemby, and Howard Blake.