

## Sixth President Inaugurated November 1 Stage And Script To Give Three-Act Play

### Romeo And Juliet To Be Staged Here Nov. 15 And 16

Stage and Script has started the season well, with a large number of new members. The keys for work in dramatics which were awarded to Fred Boyce and Bernelle White last spring were presented at the first meeting of the club this year.

Rehearsals are underway for the performances of Romeo and Juliet to be given on November 15 and 16. Committees for scenery, costumes, and properties are making plans, headed by Fred Boyce, Nell Beaman, and Beth Bissette.

Romeo will be played by Ed Alston; and Juliet, by Bernelle White. Tom DeVaux, a new comar, will play Capulet, and Beth Bissette, Lady Capulet. Oliver Rand is appearing for the first time in a Stage and Script production as Benvolio, and Felix Labaki, as Tybalt. Fred Boyce will play Mercutio, and Ronald Tuton is Paris.

Others in the cast are Laurice Daniels, Norwood Dunn, Bill Waters, Warren Mallard, Peter Moskos, Larry Parler, Glenn Brigman, Durward Tyson, Atlas Pate, Mary Ann Oliver, and Virginia Hauser. Dancers are Virginia Harrell, Janet Grimes, Dot Taylor, and Johnnie Mae Sawyer.

For the production the stage manager is Jack Holton, and assistant stage manager is Dot Taylor. Those helping with scenery are Peter Moskos, Felix Labaki, Janet Grimes, Ronald Tuton, George Taylor, June Holton, and Warren Mallard.

Assisting with the costumes are Alice Berry, Venus Lamm, Barbara Farmer, Wilma Massengill, Mildred Allen, Rebecca Collins, and Thelma White.

Chairmen of lights and make-up committees are Ed Alston and Bernelle White. Their helpers are Fred Grady and Donald Kennedy, lights, and Norwood Dunn, Wilma Massengill, Tom DeVaux, and Fred Boyce, make-up.

Property workers are Martha Webster, Mary Ann Oliver, Jessie Quinerly, Elizabeth Adams, Johnnie Mae Sawyer, and Durward Tyson. House manager is Marilyn Hudson.

Mrs. Doris C. Holsworth is the director and her assistant is Mrs. Marguerite Noe Coley.

### Greeks Make Future Plans

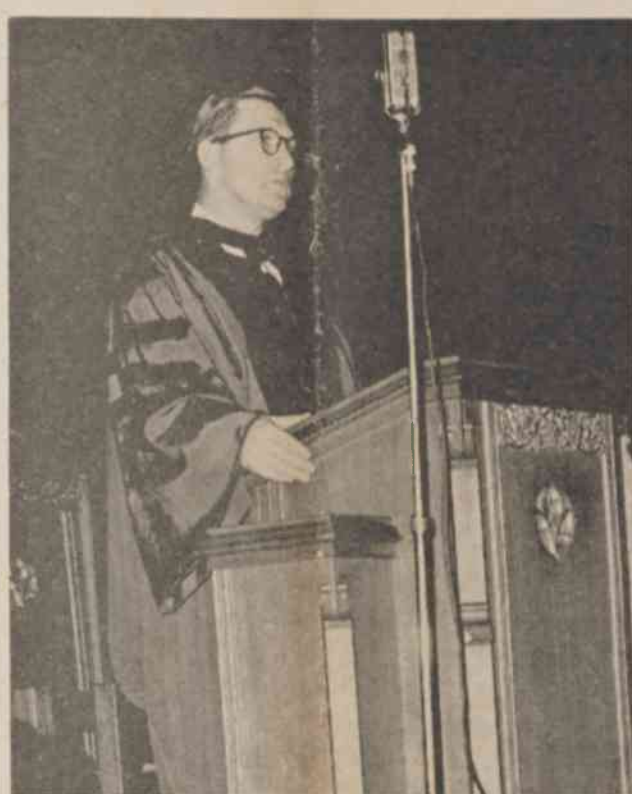
After the members of the Greek letter organizations elected Connor Lee as president of the Pan Hellenic Council, things began to happen around the campus. A stranger landing on "ve olde A. C. grounds" would have had his doubts concerning the sanity of the students because October 11, 12, and 13 were initiation days. As a result of those three days, each sorority and fraternity reported new increases in membership.

Phi Kappa Alpha lead all the others with nineteen new members. Faculty sponsor is Mr. J. P. Tyndall. Future plans for this fraternity include the Womanless Wedding which is an annual affair.

The members of Sigma Tau Chi announce eleven new members. Mrs. Wallace Sherer and Mrs. Lessie Murray were elected sponsors, and plans have been made for an Autumn Dance, November 10, and the annual Song Feast, November 19.

Phi Delta Gamma, reporting nine additions, is again sponsoring the Thanksgiving Drive this year and has other plans that can't be revealed as yet. Mr. Lessie Murray and Mr. Milton Adams are their sponsors.

The new members will be helping Delta Sigma publish the "You Name It" this year. Faculty advisor of this sorority is Mrs. Robert Reynolds.



Shown above is Dr. D. Ray Lindley as he made his inaugural address on November 1 in Howard Chapel.

### Dr. Denton Ray Lindley Inducted At A. C. College

History will be made on the A. C. C. campus November 1 when Dr. D. Ray Lindley will be officially inducted as the sixth president of Atlantic Christian College.

The inaugural ceremonies will bring to the campus a host of dignitaries including high officials of the Disciples of Christ, representatives of learned societies, colleges and universities of the state and nation, and ministers of Christian churches of North Carolina.

### Homecoming Day Scheduled Nov. 11

A host of alumni and former students of Atlantic Christian college will trek to the campus on Saturday, November 11, for the annual Homecoming Day festivities, it was announced today by representatives of the executive board.

Climax of the day's activities will be the football game between the up- and - coming Bulldogs of Atlantic Christian and the Appalachian Mountaineers at 8 o'clock.

The college family — students, faculty and staff — will be hosts for the occasion. "We want to make this one of the best Homecoming days the college has ever had," said Jack Albrook, president of the Student Cooperative association. Connor Lee, member of the executive board, expressed confidence that students will cooperate to make the event a memorable one.

The annual business meeting of the A. C. Alumni association will be held on the campus as a part of the day's activities. H. F. Bell, local banker and president of the association, will be in charge of the meeting. It will be held in Howard chapel.

Detailed plans for the entire afternoon and evening will be announced by officials of the executive board in the near future.



A colorful and impressive inaugural procession with participants in full academic regalia will form at the girls' dormitory at 10:30 and proceed to Howard Chapel for the inaugural ceremonies. The procession will include representatives of the various schools and agencies, the trustees of the college and the college faculty.

President Lindley's inaugural address will take place immediately following the charge to the president given by Dr. Liston Pope, a native of North Carolina and dean of the Yale University Divinity School. Dr. Pope will deliver a major address to guests of the college at a 1 o'clock luncheon for guests at the Bert Hardy dining room on the campus.

The President's reception will be held from 3 until 4 o'clock in the parlor of the girls' dormitory. At that time President and Mrs. Lindley will receive the delegates and guests.

Various student groups of the college will participate in the day's activities. The college band, under the direction of Professor Ray Luke, will play the processional march, while the college glee club will sing at the inaugural service in Howard Chapel. Professor Lynn Brown will direct. Members of the college Class of 1951 will flank the line of march during the inaugural procession.

Dr. Lindley, who came to Atlantic Christian on July 1, 1950, was formerly dean of Bible College of the Bible, Texas Christian University, Fort Worth, Texas. Since coming to Wilson, he has spoken before numerous church and civic groups in Wilson and throughout the state. Under his leadership the entire program at A. C. C. is being greatly expanded.

Dr. Lindley, speaker at the 1 o'clock luncheon, has made significant contributions to American thought in the field of social problems. He is recognized as one of the nation's foremost religious leaders.

### LETTER TO THE EDITOR

In the next seven issues of the "Collegiate" the staff hopes to publish a "Letters to the Editor" column. This column will be composed of letters written by you to the editor asking for information, giving the staff information, complaining about something, or congratulating some member or group of the school.

The letter will be published and in so far as possible will be answered with a solution if one is needed or with information if it is desired.

If there is a successful paper here at A. C. C. then the student body must cooperate. Let the staff hear from you, students.

### Students Elect Class Officers

In a meeting following a Tuesday chapel session, the Senior, Junior, Sophomore, and Freshman classes elected those who will guide them through this school year.

The Senior class chose the following to steer them on the "home stretch": Ted Ingraham, president; Bobby Tart, vice-president; Sarah Smith, recording secretary; Harriet Breehland, corresponding secretary; and Raymond Fleming, treasurer.

Fred Boyce holds the reins on the Junior class as president; Guy Elliott, Jr., vice-president; Margaret Brown, secretary; and Lee Potter, treasurer.

For the second lap the Sophomores elected Herbert Ross, president; Edwin Alton, vice-president; Mary Lois Griffin, secretary; and Bobby Horne, treasurer.

Heading the Freshman class is Gilbert Ferrell as president. Other officers are Warren Goff as vice-president; Janet Grimes secretary, and Carl Jones, treasurer.

Faculty advisors were also elected at that meeting and the results show Dean L. L. Murray as faculty advisor for the Sophomore and Junior classes, with Dr. Mildred Hartsock advising the Freshman and Senior Classes.

### Former Student Sings In Chapel

Gene Barnes, of New York, appeared in concert Tuesday before the student body of Atlantic Christian College. He was accompanied by Russell Roebuck, an alumnus of the college, of Wilson and Williamston.

Mr. Barnes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Barnes, 408 Whitehead Avenue, of this city, has been studying voice in New York for the past two years since graduating from A. C. C. He appeared before his audience with dignity and poise which accompany an assured performer. His audience was very enthusiastic and applauded vigorously for encores.

Mr. Barnes sang "Oh, What A Beautiful Morning" and "Surrey With The Fringe On Top" from the hit show "Oklahoma", and "I Got The Sun In The Morning" from "Annie Get Your Gun". His other songs were "Shortin' Bread," "Frankie and Johnny", and "Without a Song."

While Mr. Barnes was at Atlantic Christian College, he was very active in the campus organizations. He served on the Executive Board and Men's Dormitory council. He was a member of Stage and Script, Golden Knot Honor Society, Phi Kappa Alpha Fraternity, Glee Club, Veterans' Club, and served on the staff of "The Collegiate."

He was editor of the college yearbook, "Pine Knot," during the school year 1947 - '48. He also served on the concert and social committees and as a king's attendant in the 1949 May Court.

One of the greatest honors bestowed upon Mr. Barnes while he was in college was being selected to appear in "Who's Who In Colleges and Universities of America."

He has appeared on television in New York which he says was a thrilling experience. He also stated that it was very interesting.

Since his arrival in Wilson for a short visit with his parents, he has been guest soloist at several of the local churches. He has also appeared on several radio programs.

### Five To Pilot Seniors



Pictured above are the five seniors who will guide the class of '51 through the year. Left to right they are Bobby Tart, vice-president; Harriet Breehland, corresponding secretary; Ted Ingraham, president; Sarah Smith, recording secretary; and Raymond Fleming, treasurer.

Mrs. Ruth Tooze, nationally famous teller of children's and religious stories, was on the campus of Atlantic Christian college October 18 and 19. She is a representative of Book Fairs, Incorporated, of Michigan City, Indiana.

During her stay on campus Mrs. Tooze lectured to classes of elementary education. She told her audiences the art of story-telling.

On Wednesday afternoon she held a story-telling clinic in Howard Chapel which was attended by 100 supervisors, principals, and teachers from all over eastern North Carolina.

She visited the Margaret Hearne, Woodard, and Winstead elementary schools during her stay in Wilson, which was sponsored by the local Future Teachers of America organization.

Mrs. Tooze spoke to the church women and church school teachers of Wilson on Thursday afternoon in the Carolina room of the First Christian church.

Her services are widely sort after by counties and communities all over the United States. She is expected to return to Atlantic Christian college again next year.

### Drop Seen In Enrollment

The enrollment of students at Atlantic Christian college has dropped a little this year, according to a report from the college office. The report stated that there are approximately 481 students enrolled in day school compared to the 500 of last year. Of this number there are only 90 veterans left in college this year.

There are 162 new students enrolled at Atlantic Christian college this year. This number includes transfers and freshmen.

### News Briefs

#### Alpha Phi Omega

Alpha Phi Omega, newly organized National Boy Scout Service fraternity, is the first to be organized in eastern North Carolina. The purpose of the fraternity is to serve the college and the community through social welfare agency projects.

Ward Gibbs of Wilson, an Explorer Scout of Wilson's troop Six, has been elected the first president.

#### Science Club

The Science Club's officers for this year are Virginia Harrell, president; Jo - Anne High, vice-president; Christine Williamson, secretary, Charles Winstead, treasurer. Faculty advisers are Mrs. Noel C. Carr and Mr. J. P. Tyndall.

#### Debate Club

The Debating Society of Atlantic Christian College, which was organized last spring, has begun to plan its activities for the year.

Bill Waters, president of the club, has announced that membership is open to all who wish to participate in debating. At present, there are twelve members of the organization: Bill Waters, Bruce Whitley, Silas Lucas, Wilbur Ballenger, Ronald Tuton, George Brinson, Al Hardison, Lloyd Dale, J. O. Jernigan, Morgan McKinney, Jim Parker, Glen Brigman, and Arleen Celine. Mrs. Holsworth and Dr. Hartsock are faculty advisers to the group.

Plans for this year include a trip to the Dixie Champion Forensic Tournament in Charlotte, North Carolina, on November 30 and a trip to the Grand National Forensic Tournament in Fredericksburg, Virginia, in March. Debates have been tentatively planned with East Carolina Teachers' College and with Elon College.

The topic to be debated this year by colleges is: Resolved: That all the non - communistic nations should come together to form a new international organization.