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Presidential Election Next Week

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Atlantic Christian College's political cauldron was simmering today and some heated activity during the coming few days will have it boiling to overflowing by Tuesday when the biggest political show of the year goes onstage.

It's time to elect a new president of the Atlantic Christian College campus family and this fact always brings political drama.

Three hats are in the ring and verbal fireworks are scheduled in Howard Chapel Tuesday — the annual political stump climbing presentation.

All three candidates, Juniors Ken Brinson, Bobby Dunn and Everett Bryant, will appear before the student body and faculty at assembly Tuesday along with their campaign managers and retinue.

Brinson and Dunn were candidates nominated by the Executive Board of the Cooperative Association. Bryant made his way onto the nominations list by means of a petition signed by 20 members of the cooperative association.

Actual elections will be held in

the lobby of the Classroom Building Wednesday, but the big ballyhoo will take place Tuesday.

Very little has been heard from

the three candidates. They will save their platform planks to hand out at the assembly when they tell their constituents what is in

store for the coming year if elected.

Brinson is a native of Rocky Mount, and is a member of Sigma Phi Epsilon Fraternity. Dunn is a

Pinetops native and represents Alpha Sigma Phi Fraternity. Bryant hails from Cramerton and is a non-fraternity man living in Caldwell Hall.

Brinson has done some outstanding campus work in various capacities including the Atlantic Christian College Chorus. Dunn is a basketball and tennis player and has served previously as treasurer of the Cooperative Association. Bryant transferred to ACC this year from Brevard College and is active in the work of the Social Science Department. All three are outstanding students with high academic records.

Students will go to the polls by classes Wednesday. The polls will be open from 8:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. A line will be established for each class and voting booths will be used for the first time.

If a run-off election is necessary, it will be held Thursday with voting being held in the Classroom Building from 8:30 a.m. to 2 p.m.

The unsuccessful candidates will automatically become vice-presidential timber for later voting.



KENNETH BRINSON



BOBBY DUNN



EVERETT BRYANT

Parking Crackdown Slated To End Student Violations

The Wilson Police Department reported this week that a student driver at Atlantic Christian College was partly at fault last week in a two-car collision at the intersection of Gold and Whitehead Avenue.

The student was not even near the scene of the accident at the time it occurred. However, he had parked his vehicle improperly at the corner and beyond the allowable limits, therefore, blocking the vision of drivers entering Gold street from Whitehead.

A vehicle entering Gold street from Whitehead was struck by a vehicle moving down Gold street. The driver on Whitehead said he could not see into the intersection

because of the improperly parked student car.

Officials of the local police department told Dr. Millard P. Burt, ACC Dean, this week that many students have been parking vehicles improperly around the college campus. The department spokesman said the police plan to crack down on students who park their cars improperly.

Dr. Burt said today that students can expect many more parking tickets than have been issued in the past.

The parking situation at Atlantic Christian has become a major

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Business Department Program At Atlantic Christian Unique

By BOB COLLINS

The fact that the youngest department of Atlantic Christian College is now the largest department in the college prompted The Collegiate to look for the reasons behind the fact and to uncover the philosophy of the Business Department.

In an interview with George Harry Swain, Chairman of the Business Department, it was disclosed that the Business Department is rather unique. Mr. Swain pointed out that few colleges are purely liberal arts schools. When the program of the Business Department was set up in 1953, the programs of every college comparable to ACC in the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools was studied, and the strong points of each were incorporated into the program of the ACC department. Since that time, numerous schools have corresponded with this department to get information about the program in order that they might use those ideas.

Mr. Swain enumerated some of the aims of the Business Department as it works with the students.

Basically, the training received in the Business Department is vocational in nature. However, this

department strives to keep its program centered around a broad liberal arts background. Even though most business courses are specialized, the department seeks to include general areas of study.

This department seeks to help people gain an understanding of the forces and factors that produce higher standards of living. The program is also designed to help people realize that the heart of all economics is what one does to satisfy his wants and to meet his needs. These two forces must be brought together in all phases of

a person's life.

The business department teaches with the aim of leading people to realize that everything that is done today is done with the future in mind. Therefore, the business courses are taught in such a way that one appreciates the past and applies experience gained in the past to the future.

At the present time there are 259 upperlevel students who have chosen business as their major. In addition to these, there are nearly

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Nationalization Dates Are Set

Concrete plans for the nationalization of Phi Delta Gamma Fraternity were announced today by officials of the local fraternity on the ACC campus.

Colin Schlar, Phi Delta Gamma President, said today that final nationalization procedures have been worked out and that his fraternity is slated to become the Beta Rho Chapter of Sigma Pi National Social Fraternity on Saturday, April 25.

Schlar said several events will

take place prior to the final nationalization.

Next Friday, members of Phi Delta Gamma going national, will go to Raleigh for an informal initiation to be conducted by Rho Chapter of Sigma Pi at North Carolina State College.

Next Saturday night a party, honoring the members of the new chapter at ACC, will be given by members of Rho Chapter in Raleigh, it

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Original Plays To Be Staged Here Next Thursday, Friday

Students, faculty members and friends of Atlantic Christian College will have an unusual opportunity to see the dramatic work of students from the pen to the spoken word on the college stage next week.

Stage and Script Club at ACC will present three plays written by ACC students next Thursday and Friday nights in Howard Chapel at 8:15 p.m.

All ACC students and faculty members will be admitted free. A slight attendance charge will be made to others who wish to see the plays.

The three plays to be presented are "The Fledgling," by Claude Anthony, "The Old Man And The Church," by Carl Metz, and "High Hill," by Sanford Peele.

The play by Anthony, an ACC senior from Wilson, was honored recently when it was awarded second prize in the Arts Festival conducted by the Woman's College of the University of North Carolina.

Miss Betty Smith, famed author of "A Tree Grows In Brooklyn," served as judge in the contest and had this to say about Anthony's play: "The playwright has tackled a routine contemporary topic which is difficult to handle. He grabbed a problem which touches nearly every adolescent's life. It has a flash of tenderness and understanding that is quite rare in young writers."

Scenery for the plays is being constructed and painted by the Play Production class of the college with John Vernon, Don Wrenn

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STAR IN PLAY—Gerald Southerland, left, and Joanna Huffer are shown in a scene of "The Fledgling," a play by Claude Anthony, an Atlantic Christian College senior. This play and two other student written productions, will be presented here next week by Stage and Script. (Collegiate Photo by Claude Anthony)

Students, Faculty Differ On Amount Of Cheating

The fact that the Central Committee on Instruction of the college is investigating the matter of cheating on the Atlantic Christian College Campus, and the realization that several students of the college are deeply concerned about this matter, motivated The Collegiate to study the problem, and to get the opinions of students and faculty on the matter of cheating.

As in a past survey, the students and faculty had differing opinions on some aspects of the problem. The general outlook of the faculty is that there is widespread cheating on the campus, and that something should be done about the problem. The students showed less concern than the faculty.

Sam White, president of the Interfraternity Council, when asked if he felt that there is enough cheating on the campus to merit more extensive study and investigation by the faculty and administration, replied, "I think a questionnaire to be answered by all students should be circulated in order to get the consensus of all the students in this matter of cheating."

When asked who should be re-

sponsible for disciplinary action in cases of a person caught cheating, White said, "In most cases the individual instructor should be responsible for the action. However, if there is a severe case, the teacher should have the right to turn the matter over to the Discipline and Morale Committee." It might be noted, that White was one of the few students who showed great concern about the matter.

Another student, who refused to be quoted, said he did not feel there is enough cheating at the college to merit any intensive action on the part of the administration, faculty or students. He went on to point out that infrequent and isolated cases of cheating often cause a great frenzy of action, but that actual reported cases of cheating are few and far between.

Another student, who also stated that he did not wish to be quoted, said the primary responsibility for seeing that students do not cheat is the instructor's and that if the instructor does not prevent cheating either on tests, term papers, or other class work, then the fault is

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