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David Webb Defeats Richard Surles

Referendum Passes By Huge Landslide

Atlantic Christian College students overwhelmingly voted in favor of allowing Negro athletes to be actively recruited here in a campus-wide referendum last Monday and Tuesday.

The final vote, as released by Corky Ecklin, chairman of the Executive Board's Committee, was as

follows: 445 in favor, 161 against, and 107 who did not wish to express an opinion.

Adding emphasis to a general protest of the Board of Trustees' recent policy prohibiting the recruiting of Negro athletes was the passage of a motion last week by the Co-Op Executive Board which mandated that a letter be sent the Trustees protesting the adopted policy.

The ACC faculty also passed a motion last week by a substantial majority protesting the Trustees policy.

The decision adopted by the Trustees stipulated the following: "... we should not, at this time, recruit Negro athletes. . . any desirable student who meets the qualifications of the schools and is admitted, and who has the desire to participate in athletic events should be given that opportunity."

Thus far no official action has been taken by the Trustees to either reverse or qualify its decision. The next meeting of the Board will be held near the end of May.

Spring Vacation

DAYTONA BEACH, Fla. (CPS)—Students planning beach-party, fun-in-the-sun spring vacations are being discouraged from bringing their revels to this vacation resort.

The city, the police department, and the chamber of commerce are hoping to stave off the collegiate invasion that has become an annual rite since Fort Lauderdale withdrew its hospitality to students.

Instead of spending money for entertainment facilities to woo visiting students, as it did last year, the city is appropriating \$10,000 for police reinforcements to handle "crowd control."

Hale's Reasons

The following is a letter sent to the Chairman of the Election's Committee and to the editor of THE COLLEGIATE by Freddie Hale, a recent candidate for Cooperative Association president.

"I feel that it is necessary for me to withdraw from the campaign for the presidency of the Cooperative Association. The office of presidency carries with it a heavy responsibility, to the student body. There are extenuating circumstances coming up in the year 1965-66, that, if elected, I feel would limit my fulfilling the duties of President.

In the fall semester I will take a two-month leave from school to practice teach in Greensboro. This means that I would be absent from all student affairs for two of the nine months in office.

In the spring semester I must complete four courses in the science department to fulfill my double major. Each course carries with it an afternoon lab; consequently, I would be prevented from keeping the required afternoon hours in the Co-operative office.

In the field of athletics, my intentions are to participate in the spring baseball program, thus, another time consuming factor. Without the athletic grant-in-aid I could not continue my college education because of financial conditions.

It is my personal opinion that this office should be carried out by a person free from such activities; therefore, I feel it would be an injustice to the student body to serve as president under these circumstances.

I would like to thank those who have supported my campaign with their encouragement and trust. The fact that you have considered me worthy of such a high position is very gratifying. I regret I will be unable to fulfill this position with the full effort it requires and deserves."

Sincerely yours,
Freddie Hale

Webb Receives 56 Per Cent Of Total Votes To Win Presidency

David Webb has been elected president of the Cooperative Association at Atlantic Christian College.

Webb defeated Richard Surles in a run-off election Wednesday by 78 votes polling 363 votes over Surles' total of 285.

The President-elect made the following statement to THE COLLEGIATE Wednesday night: "I'm thrilled that I won and I appreciate all the help that I received. I sincerely hope that everyone will unite together and work for the common

good of the campus."

Commenting on the election result Surles said, "The students voted for whom they wanted and I hope they like what they get."

Fred Barber, a third candidate for the office, was ousted from contention in the primary election last Monday and Tuesday, Barber received only 117 votes in the two-day balloting out of a total of 751, thus mandating a run-off election between Webb and Surles.

Freddie Hale, a fourth candidate for the top student position at Atlantic Christian, withdrew from the race last weekend. Hal's reasons for withdrawing are printed in a letter on page 1 of THE COLLEGIATE.

In the other races for cabinet positions of the Co-Op, Cookie Wickham, incumbent secretary, soundly defeated Gid Alston for Co-Op vice president tallying 530 votes to Alston's 230 votes. Carol Wells crushed Kathy Traylor in the race for secretary receiving 516 votes to Traylor's 243. Elwood Vann won the position of treasurer uncontested receiving 724 votes.

Nominations for all other student leaders, except Day Student representatives, were held Thursday. Candidates for Day Student president and DS senator will be held on March 30.



DAVID WEBB



THANKS MRS. WENGER—This is the idea behind the gift as Lee Horne, President of the Cooperative Association, presents to Mrs. Arthur D. Wenger a silver tray as a token of appreciation for her service to ACC students.

Mrs. Wenger Is Speaker

The Executive Board held its annual spring dinner Monday night at the Imperial Inn. Guest speaker for the occasion was Mrs. Arthur D. Wenger.

After dinner Mrs. Wenger was introduced by David Webb, who said that Mrs. Wenger had demonstrated many times that she was a friend to all ACC students.

The theme of Mrs. Wenger's speech was "Do you care enough to give your very best?" She went on to note that history is filled with those who cared enough, and that the influence of one person often does make 'the' great difference in history.

Mrs. Wenger said that in order to care you must be genuinely concerned. A person must also be articulate, because he who does less is full of sound and fury but not of thoughtfulness. To these words must be added responsible, and finally the word effective. She said, "College is a time of being more effective. Those who speed haphazardly get only a small view of the scenery." She noted that grades are only one indication of preparing to be more effective, and that extra-curricular activities are another way.

Mrs. Wenger concluded her speech by saying, "Those of you who care enough, you are truly the light of the world."

Following the address, Co-Op President Lee Horne presented Mrs. Wenger a silver tray as a gift from all the students in appreciation for the things she has done on the students' behalf.

Stuart Lee Makes Appeal To Dr. Wenger

Stuart Lee was placed on social probation and asked to resign as President of the Sophomore Class by the Discipline and Modal Committee last Thursday night. Lee was charged with "attempting to operate a public dance," and was found guilty of the charge.

The case developed when a radio announcement made last week announced the presenting of the sophomore dance held on March 12. Lee said that he had had the announcement made with the understanding that the dance was not to be opened to the public.

The feeling of the Discipline and Morals Committee was that the announcement did invite the public to the dance, and that this went against a ruling made by the Social Committee last semester which stated that Atlantic Christian College dances are for the students and, thereby, not open to the public.

Commenting on the decision of the committee Lee said, "I believe the Discipline and Morals Committee over-dramatized the situation because of the lack of precedent and a misunderstanding of the intention of the radio announcement."

Lee has appealed the decision and presented new evidence to Dr. Wenger, and as of Tuesday night the final judgment was still pending.



NEW CURRICULUM LAB—Shown above is the new curriculum lab which was set up recently in the library in an effort to strengthen the teacher education program of Atlantic Christian College.

More On Curriculum Lab

hanan's "Programed Geography." Materials and textbooks concerned with the "new mathematics" are in heavy demand by the students. Located in the collection too, is a selected group of current magazines and periodicals from the field of education.

With this separate facility, the future teacher can locate, in one place, a science textbook designed in fourth-grades, an anthology of poetry for gifted students, a discussion on the creation of effective bulletin boards, or the certification requirements for teachers in New York.

While the bulk of the material can be borrowed for short loan periods, the laboratory serves as reference function primarily. In order to give effective help to the user the room is staffed by library personnel.

This fully catalogued and indexed collection is expected to continue to grow at an accelerated rate until it contains approximately three thousand books and pamphlets.

In an effort to strengthen the program of teacher-education at ACC, a curriculum laboratory was recently established in the C. L. Hardy Library.

Otis Coefield, the librarian, stated that the laboratory is essentially a separate collection of books and other materials of pertinent value to prospective teachers. The core of the collection is the group of state-adopted basal textbooks used in North Carolina public schools, both elementary and secondary. While the collection is still in formative phase, it does include various supplementary material such as encyclopedias, dictionaries, maps and atlases, and books on the latest teaching methods and techniques. Of particular value are the course outlines, and curriculum studies from North Carolina and other states of the nation. Also found in the collection are recent programmed learning titles such as "English 2600 - A Programmed Course for Grammar and Usage", and C. D. Buc-

CCA Reveals Meeting Here On Morality

The Campus Christian Association announced this week that April 5-9 has been scheduled for the Campus Christian Morality Conference. The conference will be engaged in an examination of campus morality today.

Principal speaker for the conference is Dr. Thomas E. McCollough, Professor of Religion at Duke University.

Following morning lectures, which include question-answer periods, times are being set aside for various small group discussions and dinner meetings.