

ACC Completes Homecoming Schedule

Things on campus are really beginning to buzz as everyone from students, to the administration, to alumni prepare for ACC's Homecoming which will be held on November 5.

Homecoming activities will begin with the Homecoming concert to be held Friday night, November 4 in the new Wilson Gymnasium at 8:15 p.m. The concert will feature the popular music group, "The Tams." A special feature of the concert will be the crowning of the Homecoming Queen during intermission. Tickets for the concert will be available to the public, and will go on sale October 28 in the lobby of the classroom building. Tickets will also be sold at the door.

Kicking off the activities on Saturday will be the annual Homecoming Parade to be held

in downtown Wilson beginning at 10:30 a.m. Appearing in the 40-unit parade will be a large number of campus beauty queens, colorful floats sponsored by sororities, fraternities and other campus organizations, and college and high school bands. Parade floats will be designed as takeoffs from current television shows and commercials.

Hundreds of alumni from across the country are slated to return for class reunions and take part in the festivities of the day. Registration for the event is to begin at 10:00 a.m. The annual Alumni Luncheon and Business Meeting is to begin at 12 noon and will be held in the campus dining hall. Presiding over the meeting will be W. Willard Woodard of Wilson, president of the Atlantic Christian

College Alumni Association. Officers for the new year will be elected during this meeting.

Because of this meeting and the luncheon for the alumni that will be held in the dining room special arrangements have been made for serving lunch to the student body Saturday. Lunch for the Students will be served at 11:30 in the old gym by Parker's Barbecue. Students will be able to use their meal books for this meal.

Afternoon activities will include dedication of the college's New Wilson Gymnasium, Case Art Building, Hilley Hall, and the naming of the classroom building in memory of the late J. W. Hines of Kinston. Speaker for the occasion will be Dr. Ira W. Langston, president of Eureka College, Eureka, Illinois, an

alumnus of the college. Later in the afternoon, guests will be taken on tours of the campus at which time they will have the opportunity to visit the new campus buildings. Another attraction which should be of interest to both alumni and students is the "Faculty Art Show" which is currently being held in the Case Art Building and which will continue to be held through Homecoming. On Saturday afternoon a Hospitality Center, located in Harper Hall Recreation Room, will also be open for use by the alumni.

Alumni and students will have the opportunity of seeing basketball stars of yesteryear in action against the 1966-67 ACC basketball team during the Blue-White game Saturday night. The game will be held in the New

Wilson Gymnasium and will begin at 8 p.m. A concert by the ACC band will precede the game and during the half-time the ACC Vocal Ensemble will perform. The Homecoming Queen and her court will also be presented at this time.

Other activities of the day will include dinners and reunions for classes of 1937, 1942, 1947, 1952, 1957, and 1962 as well as a Pioneer Reunion for Classes of 1903-20.

Homecoming activities will close with the Alumni Homecoming Dance to be held in the lobby of the J. W. Hines Hall. Music for this dance will be provided by the "Mighty Rockets" and it will be open to all students with I. D. cards and to all visiting alumni.

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Miss Nguyen Aids Army

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Odette Nguyen, ACC's foreign student from Viet Nam, left ACC's campus Sunday, October 23 to become an instructor of Vietnamese To American soldiers preparing to serve in her native Viet Nam. Odette said when she left that since American soldiers are dying in Viet Nam, she feels she should contribute all that she can to give them a better chance for survival. Odette's teaching of such phrases as "charge" and "hold that position" will provide the soldiers with stronger bases of communication in battle.

Contributing to the war effort is not new to Odette. While she was living in South Vietnam, she flew on missions with Americans and Vietnamese in order to interpret their communications. It must not have been easy for Odette to give up her education — she is a good student and an education will facilitate her receiving a position in her own government. But Odette has chosen to serve her country and ours at this particular time when the United States desperately needs services such as the one which she is going to provide. She will teach Vietnamese in El Paso, Texas for a period of six months and then she will either continue in the same capacity or return to school. Whichever Odette decides to do, she will be a definite asset to the Vietnamese situation.

Tickets On Sale For Tournament

The Wilson - Atlantic Christian College Invitational Basketball Tournament will be held on December 19 and 20. Reserved seat tickets at a special reduced faculty-staff-student rate of \$2.00 will be on sale daily on week days at the box office of the Wilson Gymnasium. These tickets will be put on sale on October 31 and will be available until Friday, November 18. All of these tickets will be sold on a first come - first served basis and they will entitle the purchaser to admittance to all four of the games.

These tickets will be limited to one per student and one per member of the immediate family of faculty and staff personnel. Students may purchase adjacent tickets at the standard \$3.00 price for any guests. After November 18, all unsold faculty-staff-student reserved seat tickets will be placed on sale to the general public.



"THE TAMS" will kick off the 1966 Homecoming activities with a concert in the Wilson Gymnasium on Friday night, November 4 at 8:15 P.M. Tickets for this concert will be available to the public and will go on sale on October 28 in the lobby of the classroom building. The price of the tickets will be \$1.25 for students and \$2.00 for adults.

S&S To Stage Tragedy By Maxwell Anderson

Winterset, a tragedy by Maxwell Anderson, will be playing in Howard Chapel, October 27 and 28 at 8:15 p.m. Theodore F. Shank states that it is "a play of social injustice, revenge, and renunciation, set in the New York slums in a dilapidated tenement close to the towering Manhattan Bridge; written chiefly in verse. Mio, the son of a radical named Romagna who was executed for murder, is consumed with the desire to clear his father's name. On the track of Garth, the one witness who could exonerate his father, Mio meets Miriamne, Garth's sister. They fall deeply in love. The girl and her father want to protect Garth, who is closely watched by the real killer, gangster Trock Estrella. An old and demented man, Judge Gaunt, who sentenced Romagna to death, tries to justify his decision. Mio could force Garth to testify, but Miriamne has caused him to lose the taste for revenge. In the end the lovers defy death together and are killed. Several minor characters, representing the very poor, form a counterpoint of squalor and frustration which is transcended by the poetic impact of the love story."

The principals are as follows: Sandra Edwards, Harold

Hummel, Jim Burroughs, Bob Noble, and Clifford Poole. *Winterset* is directed and designed by Cecil Willis.

Teaching

Some 50 public school teachers in Eastern North Carolina who will supervise Atlantic Christian College's student teachers in their respective schools during the current academic semester, will meet here on the College campus Saturday, Oct. 29, according to Warren R. Tait, director of student teaching.

The purpose of the meeting will be to acquaint the supervising teachers with the college, its education faculty and teacher education program. Among those participating in the meeting will be Dr. Lewis H. Swindell Jr., dean of the college and Dr. Kenneth D. St. John chairman of the ACC Department of Education and Psychology.

According to Tait, ACC will have 50 student teachers this fall. Eighteen will be teaching in the elementary grades while the remainder will be teaching in high schools. Participating school systems include Edenton City Schools, Elm City Schools, Johnston County Schools, Nash County Schools, Raleigh City Schools, Greensboro City Schools, Wayne County Schools, Wilson City and Wilson County Schools.

AC Teacher Education Program Is Accredited

Atlantic Christian College's teacher education program has received full accreditation by the National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education (NCATE), according to Rolf W. Larson, director of the organization. The college's accreditation came at a meeting of the council held in Washington, D. C., Oct. 4-6.

With the granting of this specialized accreditation, Atlantic

Christian College becomes one of five private and church-related colleges in North Carolina which have received NCATE accreditation, according to NCATE's most recently issued listing of accredited colleges.

The NCATE accreditation covers the college's programs for the training of elementary and secondary teachers at the bachelor's degree level and officially dates from Sept. 1, 1965.

Commenting on the NCATE announcement, Dr. Arthur D. Wenger, president of the college, said, "While Atlantic Christian College has been regionally accredited by the Southern Association of colleges and schools since 1955, this additional specialized accreditation of its teacher education program will provide its students in the field of teacher education with many important benefits. Among these are reciprocal certification by departments of public instruction in numerous other states which recognize the certification of NCATE-approved institutions."

The National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education is a voluntary accrediting body devoted exclusively to the evaluation and accreditation of teacher education programs. It is recognized by the National Commission on Accrediting as the only national accrediting body for the field of teacher education which includes the preparation of teachers for all grades and subjects at the elementary and secondary school levels.

The council is made up of representatives of five constituent organizations plus committee representatives. The major purposes of NCATE are: (1) The formulation of policies, standards and procedures for the accreditation of institutional programs of teacher education. (2) The

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