

SGA POSITIONS JEOPARDIZED!



"ALLEN SIMS"

Board Chairman Receives Degree

Allen H. Sims, Chairman of the Board of Trustees of Brevard College, will be awarded an honorary Doctor of Humane Letters degree at the 1969 commencement exercises at Pfeiffer College in May.

Announcement of the honor to be bestowed upon the Gastonia banker was made by Dr. John O. Gross, acting president of Pfeiffer, who described Mr. Sims as an outstanding, concerned citizen whose professional and community contributions have enriched the lives of hundreds of individuals.

Mr. Sims has been a member of the Board of Trustees at Brevard College for the past 25 years, serving as chairman of that body for the last eight years. During that time, the Methodist layman has been most active in securing scholarship funds and in raising money for the capital expansion drive at the two-year institution.

"The leadership of Mr. Sims has been an inspiration to all members of the college community," commented E. W. Hardin, Jr., Chairman of the Presidential Council and Business Manager at Brevard College. "I know of no one who has given more unselfishly of his time and resources to the program of Brevard College."

RECITAL

Donys Kaye Holtzclaw will be the featured recitalist for the first formal student recital of this semester. Donys

Kaye, pianist, will be assisted by Deborah van Sciver at the 2nd piano for the finale selection. Kathy Yokley, clarinetist, will also appear on the program accompanied by Martha Poole.

The program will be on Friday, January 31, 1969 at 9 P. M. in Dunham Auditorium.

Committee Is Acting; Needs Student Help

The Committee on Social Behavior plunged back into its work on January 20. From the 20th on, the committee is holding three meetings each week for approximately a month.

The chairman of the committee is Mr. David Holcombe.

48 Students Make Honor Roll, Deans List

Fourteen Brevard College students made the Dean's List last semester, and thirty-four made the Honor Roll.

Recognition on the Dean's List is accorded students who have attained a 2.5 average (sophomores) or a 3.5 (freshmen) for a given grading period. Recognition on the Honor Roll is given students for a 2.0 average (sophomore) or a 3.0 (freshmen.)

The students are as follows:
Dean's List — Pat Arrowood, Bill Blanton, Bill Broom, Michael Brown, Janice Crane, Nelda Greene, Donys Kaye Holtzclaw, Dannette Jacks, Larry Ledford, Robert Misenheimer, Sylvia Monteith, Cindy Slate, Trey Tingle, and Jean Wicker.

Honor Roll — Kay Asbury, Sherry Baldwin, Betty Bennett, Malinda Blythe, Phil Cloninger, Jacquie Collins, Susan Cross, Betty Dennis, Jenny Fortune, June Garren, George Gunza, Linda Halls, Keith Holland, Connie Johnson, Linda Johnson, Linda Johnston, Rita King, Bobbie Kipps, Harry Lockey, Gloria Locklear, Wayne Morton, Jim Myers, Madelyn Rizk, Terry Sherrill, Elyse Sloan, Nancy Sloan, Linda Smith, Charles Sykes, Cheryl Taylor, Diana Ting, Gretchen Tomlin, Gary Trotter, Debbie Westrick, Bob Williamson, and Sheri Woody.

NOTES

Modern medicine is really great. We're now knee-deep in left-over Presidents!

Two weeks ago was Pres. Nixon's official inauguration. His un-official inauguration occurred on November 5, when millions of Democrats swore him in - under their breath!

Let's really get tough with the Viet Cong - by sending over 10,000 college students to start riots!

The ultimate comment on the right to dissent was made by a cannibal chief; "Any man disagrees with me hasn't been properly cooked."

It's sort of frightening to think, anytime we all get sick of this push-button world, there's another button we can push.

Members of the committee include Sally English, Mrs. Doris Potts, Miss Gayle Anderson, Bill Rankin, Mr. Richard Wilson, Bonnie Brewbaker, and Ken Eaton.

The purpose of these meetings has to do with interviewing people who are interested, concerned, and involved with the social behavior of the students at the college. This includes students, faculty members, administration officials, etc. Persons having already been interviewed include Dean Whicker, Miss Tillotson, Bill Payton, Dave Wendelin, Mr. Tauscher, Mr. and Mrs. Bowles, Wayne Morton, Mr. Tawney, Mike Carver, Miss Nicholson, and Sharon Rhodes. If any student, teacher, or official is interested in speaking to the committee, please get in touch with one of the committee members as soon as possible.

These interviews are conducted openly and the committee invites anyone, especially students, to come and listen and perhaps present some ideas.

There will be a session tonight at 5:15 with all the dormitory directors in the Library Seminar Room. And on Thursday, February 6, at 5:15 in the Library Seminar Room there will be interviews with Dean Burgess and Dean Roberts.

Please remember: these meetings involve the student and his life at Brevard College. They are important to every student. The administration has no veto power over the recommendations that the committee decides upon.

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★ ★ ★ SGA Constitution Is Misinterpreted

The positions of four Student Government Association officers, several dormitory officers, and numerous hall proctors came to almost an abrupt end January 22, following the first meeting of the new semester of the SGA, the student governing body.

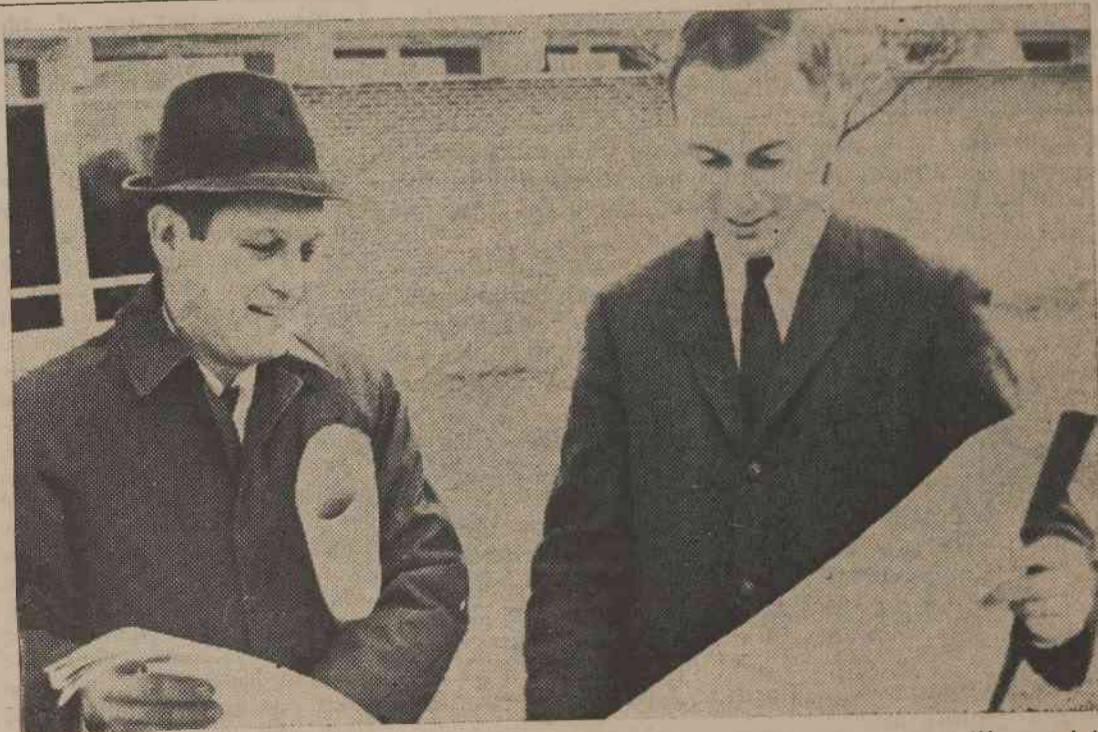
After President Bill Payton welcomed the group back after the Christmas vacation, business proceeded as usual until near the conclusion of the regularly-held weekly meeting. A list of computed averages of all student leaders was presented by Miss Beatrice Burgess, Dean of Women and ex-officio member of the SGA, in support of her understanding that President Payton, Secretary - Treasurer Teresa Lax, Social Co-Chairman Jackie Tyler, and Jones Hall President and SGA member Carol Charles did not meet the academic requirements of membership in the SGA. Immediately, there were faces simultaneously characterized with a smile of jest and a frown of disbelief.

The list of student leaders, stated. was supported by Eston Roberts, Dean of Students and Men, and ex-officio members, also contained the names of dorm officers and many hall proctors who failed to attain the requirement. Students of the body journeyed back to their dormitories with expressions of incredulity.

The following day, clarification was asked of Grady Whicker, Dean of the College, as to why the student leaders were dismissed. After much deliberation of the matter, which was by this time bringing comments from students and faculty alike, Dean Whicker re-instated Payton, Miss Lax, and Miss Charles. The matter involving Miss Tyler is, at press time, still under consideration by Dean Whicker and other administrators. Several dorm officers and hall proctors were also re-in-

The entire matter evolved from what has been termed by the SGA members "ambiguity." Article I, section 1, paragraph a states: "All officers must have a cumulative 'C' average with no more than one 'F' or two 'D's." Article I, section 2, paragraph a states: "(Members of the Executive, Legislative, and Judicial Departments) 'Must have at least a 2.0 cumulative average at the time of election and at the end of each semester and for the duration of the office.'" The latter was interpreted by Dean Burgess and Dean Roberts as stating that one must have a 'C' average for the preceding semester, that requirement which was not met by Payton, Miss Lax, or Miss Charles. The same would also hold true for dorm officers and hall proctors as the same latter clause also

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THE NEW ADDITION to Boshamer Gymnasium is soon to be a reality as architect Henry C. McDonald and E. W. Hardin, Jr., business manager of Brevard College, examine plans for the \$231,700 construction.

The structure will consist of a women's gymnasium, classroom, four offices, conference room, and varsity dressing room. The contract also calls for the paving of the lot in front of Boshamer Gymnasium.