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Orientation Reaches High Mark

Dormitory Council Members Elected

Five sophomores and four freshmen from each dormitory were elected Monday night to represent their dormitory on the Dorm Council.

The Girls' Dorm Council will be made up of sophomores Wanda Exum, Lillie Mae Delamar, Jane Smith, Margaret Walters and Brenda Rose, and freshmen Jo Lynn Faulkner, Patsy Powell, Grace Markham and Molly Browning.

Representatives of the Dorm Council for the Boys' Dorm are sophomores Jerry Miller, Dicky Moore, Jerry Chesson, Ervin Culliper and David Caison.

Each council will elect a president and a secretary-treasurer. The elected presidents, along with the president of the Day Students Organization and the Student Govern-

ment Association president, and the Dean of Student Life will comprise the Student Life Organization.

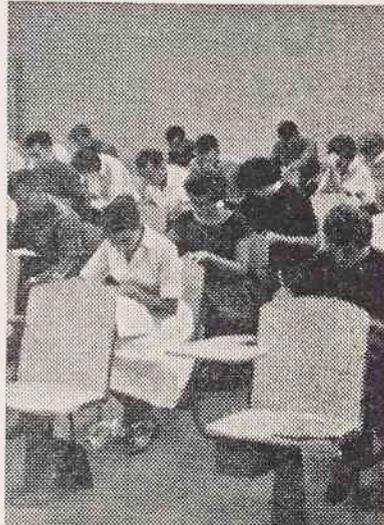
According to SGA President Vann Massey, the duties of the Student Life Organization will be to:

1. Coordinate the Wesleyan Spirit as it involves the discipline of students.

2. Approve additions and rules to be added to the Campus Code upon the recommendation of the Council judiciary branch of the SGA.

4. Promote a cooperative attitude and to establish a sense of responsibility among the governing self-government.

Members of the Day Students Council will be elected and announced at a later date.



CLASSROOM SCENE—Here is a typical classroom scene as Wesleyan College students begin a new term.

New Students Get Welcome

"Welcome" was the password for the week of September 12-17 as the sophomore class and the faculty of Wesleyan College initiated the first orientation program to be held on the new campus. Some 130 new students participated in the week of fellowship and training.

Two-fold Purpose

"Orientation week serves a two-fold purpose," stated College President Thomas Collins. "It furnishes a new student the best introduction into the college community, and it helps him know the citizen he is expected to be, as well as learning what the college has to offer him."

Another purpose of an introductory week is so that the college may know the abilities and interests of each student. This is the reason for the testing. These tests offer a good basis for counseling and advising the new Wesleyan student.

Termed Successful

From both vantage points, the faculty staff feel that the orientation program has been a real success this year, President Collins said.

Student Government Association President Vann Massey spoke on the success of the social aspects of orientation week:

"From the social viewpoint, I believe that the orientation program has been very successful in that it has afforded a variety of activity in which every student could participate. It is also the Wesleyan spirit, that everyone is important to the community, which has made this week successful."

Committee Responsible

"A great deal of the success," Massey continued, "can be attributed to the hard-working Orientation Committee which spent many hours in preparation. We know now that improvements can be made and with the help of the present freshmen class we shall try even harder to have a better program next year."

Friday, September 15, was registration day for members of the freshman class.

Sophomores, transfer and special students were registered on Saturday, September 16.

Activities of Orientation Week were climaxed Sunday afternoon, September 17, with the opening worship convocation.

Classes for all students began Monday morning, September 18.

Womble Elected On Community Council

Louis Womble, active Wesleyan student was recently unanimously elected to membership in the Community Council, the student organization which serves as the conscience of the Wesleyan Community.

The election was held during the first meeting of the Student Assembly, which meets every Tuesday morning in the Chapel.

In addition to his council post Womble serves as photographer for the student publications, and is an assistant in the College ham radio project.

He is a 1960 graduate of Rocky Mount High School and enrolled with the first class at Wesleyan last year.

Womble played shortstop on the college baseball team last year and will be among veterans returning to the squad next spring.

He also participated in intramural sports.

Womble plans to major in mathematics and is interested in the sciences.

Enrollment Doubles

Enrollment here reached an all-time high as 197 students registered for the fall semester, doubling the enrollment total of last year.

Occupying the newly-built dormitories are 105 students, while the number of day students to register was 92. Sixty of these students are returning for their second year at Wesleyan.

Wesleyan students come from all parts of the United States. Some 15 states are represented.



FIELD DAY ACTION—Basketball was a featured attraction of Field Day competition held on the campus Saturday.

Field Day Competition Honors Go To Sophs

The sophomores won over all by a slight margin in the Field Day competition Saturday. Therefore, the blue beanies, being worn by the freshmen will continue to decorate the campus until September 30.

The freshman boys didn't make the showing that had been anticipated, but the freshman girls held their own, winning three out of four of the events.

Sophomore girls participating in

basketball were: Lillie Mae Delamar, Brenda Rose, Betty Anderson, Joan Lamberth, Gara-Lu Sherette, Wanda Exum, Margaret Walters, Jury Garriss, Jane Smith. Pulling a winning streak in the basketball events were freshman girls: Patsy Powell, Jo Lynn Faulkner, Robin Lunn, Parmie Moore, Kay Hobbs, Louise Kepley, Faye Ellington, Bonner Spence, Char-

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