

Attend 'Best Dressed Girl' Contest on March 5 in the Commerce Auditorium

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"Best Dressed Girl" Contest Underway

Kathleen Casey, Editor-in-Chief of *Glamour Magazine*, today announced the opening of the 1962 "Ten Best Dressed College Girls in America" contest. The *Campus Echo* has been invited by the exclusive magazine to help find ten outstanding young women in America by se-

lecting the "best dressed girl on campus" at North Carolina College. Betty Battle, now an NCC graduate student, won this honor in the 1961 contest.

The magazine has set up a clear standard for selecting the local best dressed lass. She must have a good figure, beautiful

posture; clean, shining, well-kept hair; good grooming—not just neat, but impeccable; a deft hand with make-up (enough to look pretty but not overdone); and a clear understanding of her fashion type.

Furthermore, the best dressed girl at NCC must have a work-

able wardrobe plan; individuality in her use of colors, accessories; and an appropriate—not rah rah—look for off campus occasions.

At *Echo* publication date four finalists in the local version of the "best dressed girl" contest had been announced by college officials. These four candidates are Joan White, representing Annie Day Shepard Dormitory; Alma Ormond, representing Old Senior Hall; Yvonne Martin representing New Residence Hall; and Barbara Jean Howell, representing McLean Hall. Two yet unannounced candidates, representing Rush Hall and the Off-Campus Women, will round off the total six competing candidates. These candidates

were selected by the residents of their respective dormitories.

The final contest will be held March 5, Monday night at 7:00 p.m. in the auditorium of the Commerce Building. There the six candidates will model publicly in a typical campus outfit; an off-campus daytime outfit; and a party dress, either full or cocktail length. The contest will be judged by three members of the NCC faculty. Hilton Cobb, *Echo* staff member and President of the Freshman Class, will preside at the contest.

The winning candidate will represent the entire female enrollment of the college, and she will be entered in the national competition.

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EDUCATOR VISITS NCC—Famed educator, Dr. James Conant, formerly president of Harvard University, headed a team of educators visiting the North Carolina College campus last week. The team investigated the teacher education program. Conant, picture between Dr. William Cartwright of Duke University, (left) and President Alfonso Elder of North Carolina College, will include his findings at NCC in a forthcoming book on the status of teacher education in the United States.

Conant Team Probes Teacher Education At NCC

A team of experts on education, headed by Dr. James B. Conant, former president of Harvard University, recently met with faculty members of the NCC Department of Education to discuss the teacher education program at NCC.

The Conant team is sponsored by the Carnegie Corporation of New York City and it is making a two-year study on the education of American teachers. The team is visiting various types of schools in 15 states in order to get the total picture of teacher training in the United States.

The team met with NCC faculty members Dr. R. B. Browne, Dean G. T. Kyle, Dr. J. A. Pittman, Dr. Norman Johnson, and Dr. Walter Brown, who, from the standpoint of service, have worked longest in teacher education at NCC. This group discussed courses in stu-

dent teaching.

Following this meeting, the Conant team, the members of the Education staff, the Council on Teacher Education and certain student teachers attended a coffee hour in the lounge of the Education Building.

At eleven o'clock Dr. Conant and members of his staff met with Dr. Paul Smith, Dr. William Smith, and Mrs. Octavia Knight to discuss courses in the area of "the pupil" which are required of all candidates in the field of teacher education. Afterwards, they met with Dr. Sherwood Augur and Mr. T. J. Mayberry to discuss the social foundations in education in other courses at NCC.

Dr. Conant and his staff were luncheon guests of the Executive Committee and the Department of Education.

Members of the team are Dr.

E. A. Dunham, head of the Education Department of Duke University; Dr. Jeremiah Finch of Princeton University; Dr. Robert Carbone, who recently received a degree from Chicago University; and Dr. John I. Goodlad of the University of California at

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Annual Religious Emphasis Week Will Feature Dr. Vernon T. John

"We Believe . . . In What?" is the theme for the observance of Religious Emphasis Week, at North Carolina College, March 25-29.

Dr. Vernon John, of Petersburg, Va. will highlight the observance as guest speaker at Vespers, Sunday, March 25. Dr. John is the former pastor of the Dexter Avenue Baptist Church, once pastored by Martin Luther King in Montgomery, Ala. He is also the former President of the Virginia College Seminary in Lynchburg, Va. Dr. John is the editor and publisher of the *Second Century Magazine* on the life and history of Negroes in America.

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Coed Weekend Set

The thirteenth annual Coed Week-end is set for March 9-11, 1962 on the North Carolina College campus. The theme for this year is "North Carolina College Women View New Frontiers—College, Community, and the World."

The activities will begin Friday, March 9, with a Coffee and Conversation Hour at which time Dr. Catherine Caldwell will address women student leaders. Following the hour, a movie on make-up and personal grooming will be shown.

A symposium will begin the (Continued on Page 8)

Dr. Pauling Will Address Vesper

One of this generation's greatest scientific minds will be on campus on Sunday and Monday, March 4-5. He is Linus Pauling from the California Institute of Technology, professor of chemistry and chairman (1937-58) of Chemistry and Chemical Engineering.

Dr. Pauling has been a visiting professor at Oxford University, University of Illinois, Massachusetts Institute of Technology and at many other colleges and universities. In addition to holding the Nobel Prize (1954), he has received the following awards; American Chemical Society Award in Pure Chemistry, Nichols Medal,

Gibbs Medal, Richards Medal, Gilbert Newton Lewis Medal, Avogadro Medal, Pasteur Medal, Pierre Fermat Medal, Sabatier Medal and the Davy Medal of the Royal Society.

For discoveries in medicine Dr. Pauling holds medals from the National Nephrosis Foundation and the American College of Physicians. He has received honorary doctorate degrees from sixteen universities, including Chicago, Princeton, Yale, Cambridge, Oxford, London, Paris and Berlin. He is a member of academies of science in 12 countries.

Dr. Pauling was president of (Continued on Page 7)



GRANTS FOR SUMMER STUDY—Seven members of the North Carolina College faculty have been awarded scholarships for summer study under a \$10,000 grant to the college from the Danforth Foundation. Pictured above, the grantees include (seated, left to right) Marian Thorne, to study educational psychology at the University of Pennsylvania; Omeda Livingston, Spanish, art and painting, University of Madrid, Spain. The other grantees (standing, left and right) Dr. Stewart B. Fulbright, philosophy and logic, University of Pennsylvania; Earl Sanders, history, University of Indiana; Jean Norris, philosophy, University of Michigan; Dr. Ruth N. Horry, anthropology and modern art, University of Pennsylvania; and Dr. Robert W. John, creative writing, University of Massachusetts.