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## Downing To Head SGA Public Affairs

Ulysses Downing, a freshman, has been named Director of Public Affairs in the Student Government, replacing Charles E. Scott. The Student Congress will have to approve the change. Appointed along with Downing was James Enoch as Associate Director of Public Affairs.

Downing has been active since his arrival at NCC in September. He was an unsuccessful Student Party candidate for president of the Freshman Class.

Daye in a statement to the Echo said, "I have been impressed with Mr. Downing's reliability. I am certain that he can perform the functions of the office."

Student body demands a vigorous Public Affairs Department. We must keep the student body informed. I intend to see that it is done." He continued, "The trust placed in me by the students demands that I live up to it with the best of my ability. I shall not fail to take any action that I deem in our best interest."

Also removed, was Donald Williams, a Scott appointment, as Associate Director of Public Affairs.

## SGA Investigates One Queen Idea

The Student Government is currently studying the concept of one campus queen. Many colleges have only one queen who represents the college whenever a queen is called for. In the event of one queen at NCC, she would be a "Miss North Carolina College," thus eliminating the problems created by two queens, Miss NCC and a "Miss Homecoming."

Aside from reducing homecoming expenses for the Student Government, and eliminating divided campus loyalty, one queen would mean that the Coronation could be made an annual part of the Homecoming celebration. Such a proposal, if it should materialize, would require approval by the Student Congress and possibly a student body referendum.

It is reported that several high ranking student leaders, including the SGA President favor the one queen concept and would like to see it implemented at NCC.

## SGA Committee Studies Library

The Student Government, responding to mounting student criticism of the library, has commissioned a Study Committee to look into various problems concerning the library. Charles Daye, SGA President, authorized the study group and will spearhead the investigation himself.

Specific information sought will include (1) finances and appropriations, (2) book purchasing procedures and policies, (3) staffing adequacies, and (4) the policy on hours for opening.



Collins Baber and Collin Bull report the NCC news on WSRC.

## Baber and Bull Broadcast NCC News

"NCC In The News," a five-minute newscast, is featured every Monday and Friday of each week on radio station WSRC at 1410 on the dial. The reporters for the program, Collins Baber and Collin Bull are both students at North Carolina College. Baber is a sophomore

Spanish major from Long Island, New York, and Bull is a senior political science major from Wilmington, North Carolina.

The program is designed to inform NCC students and alumni and the entire radio audience of all aspects of the institution's programs with respect to the academic, social, and cultural affairs. This news program serves as an educational propaganda medium for the school in theory and in practice.

## Scott Dismissed From SGA Post

Charles E. Daye, President of the Student Government, has removed Charles E. Scott who had served in the Cabinet as Director of Public Affairs since September. The official statement listed Scott's having "increasingly failed to fully execute the obligations of the office" and the officers in the Student Government finding it "increasingly difficult to work harmoniously" with Scott as reasons for the order to resign.

Kept a tight secret in the Student Government, however, is that Scott has been increasingly dissatisfied and had previously turned in his resignation on October 28, 1965, to be effective March 1, 1966. Daye, in a letter replied that if Scott wished to resign, he would accept the resignation to be effective November 1, 1965. Following discussions with Daye, Scott decided to remain. The rift between Scott and the other SGA officials continued to widen. While Daye was in Georgia, with Vice-President Raymond Perry in charge of the SGA, Scott refused to carry out executive bidding of the Vice President who then dispatched a heated note to Scott who refused to resign. Daye's actions followed these developments.

Daye stated to the Echo, on the matter, "I regret the actions I had to take."

Although the program is new, the idea itself has been given years of thought. Many times it had been the expressed desire of James Daye, the station manager, that there be a program designed to give NCC's campus news as "NCC in the News" does.

The two reporters were chosen after an interview which included a number of students, and voice taping both at the college and at the radio station. The final selection of the announcers was made at the radio station.

The information for the program is gathered by both Collin and Collins. Info-forms were sent to all the campus organizations and a calendar was made posting all of the events and activities for the year. As each event and activity approaches, the "pair" is ready for the news in advance. Also, activities and projects that are continuous are followed once they are announced. To the articles of news is also sometimes added an occasional feature story.

The now twice-a-week program is becoming more and more popular, for more suggestions are being offered for bettering the program. It is hoped that soon the program will be heard more often a week, and eventually be made a daily program.

Many people have commented that, "NCC in the News" is a very efficient and sufficient thread which weaves the community and the affairs of the campus together.

## Massies Extend Holiday Greeting

Mrs. Massie, the boys, and I wish for you and your families a very Merry Christmas. We hope that 1966 is a prosperous year for you.

We look forward to 1966 with much hope. There will be expanded student programs, enriched curricular programs, completion of the women's high rise dormitory and the cafeteria, and the beginning of the student union.

We know that all of you will join us in making North Carolina College the best possible college.

President Samuel P. Massie

## Probates Cross 'Burnin' Sand'

"Line week" transpired December 4, as the several Greek aspirants endured those last few days of indoctrination and initiation. Ostentatiously parading up and down at breakfast and dinner for the entire week, the rituals culminated on Saturday afternoon as they made the long

walk for the last time.

The Delta Sigma Theta Sorority Neophytes of the Alpha Lambda Chapter dressed in white two-piece mohair suits and moutons were Mamie Alston, Scotland Neck; Lois Davis, Durham; Joyce Ellis, Wilson; Gwendolyn Gilmore, Reidsville; Barbara Howard, Wilson; Anna Jones, Garysburg; Dixie Lee, New Hill; Fernanita Mathewson, Tarboro; Mildred McKiever, Durham; Demetrius Poole, Jamesville Evelyn Williams, Wilmington; Jean Williams, Durham; Harriet Williston, Gastonia. All of the inducted Neophytes were all North Carolinians with an overall average of 1.982.

Pyramids Linda Compton, Quentine Finch, Letrice Galloway, Helena Huntley, Brenda Miller, Geraldine McIver, Marvete Pratt, Dorothy Shaw, Denyce Stokes, and Ruth Whitehead make up the Pyramid Club of the Delta Sigma Theta Sorority.

Four head-exposed "dogs" of the Omega Psi Phi Fraternity strolled the "big line," arrayed in tuxedos with black dog collars and tapped canes of accessories. The Omega probates: Paul E. Bennett, Wadesboro; Edwin C. Jones, Kinston; Philip E. Kithcart, Gastonia; and James S. Williams, St. Petersburg, Florida; walked with an air of sophistication and garlic. The overall average of the Ques was 1.687.

The pledges of the Lampodas (Continued on Page 2)

## Hirschberg Named To Temple Office

Dr. Nell Hirschberg, professor of biology at North Carolina College at Durham, was elected vice president of the board of directors and a member of the executive committee of the National Federation of Temple Sisterhoods at the group's national meeting in San Francisco last week.

A past president of the Sisterhood of Temple Beth Or in Raleigh, N. C., Dr. Hirschberg, a graduate of Smith College, holds advanced degrees from the University of Colorado and the University of Illinois. She has taught at the University of Illinois Medical School, at several hospitals, at a National Science Foundation institute in microbiology at the University of Colorado, and at the University of California's School of Public Health.

She joined the NCC faculty in 1963 and is currently director of the college's second NSF institute in microbiology for college teachers, to be offered next summer.



SEASON FOR GIVING—If it's more blessed to give than to receive, Joseph Gale doubles his pleasure in presenting Christmas gifts of stuffed animals to two attractive coeds at North Carolina College, where he is also a student. In the center is Wyonella Duke, of Peekskill, N. Y., and on the right, Phyllis Dupree, of Oxford. Both girls are freshmen. Gale is a junior of Raleigh.