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Social Clubs Pledge Twenty - Seven Members

Basketeers Battle Appalachian Five In Conference Scrap Here Tonight

Christians Are Seeking Fifth Loop Victory

Game This Evening Will Be First Meeting Between These Two Rivals

For the first time in the history of athletics at Elon college the local basketball five will take on a cage team from Appalachian State Teachers college when the quartet from Boone invade the campus for a North State conference battle here tonight. The game is scheduled for 8.00 o'clock in the Alumni building gymnasium.

Appalachian will be bringing a strong club here for the first battle between two major sports teams for the two colleges and plenty of excitement is promised when Coach "Peahead" Walker's boys tackle the boys from Boone. So far this season the Appalachian five has made a good showing within the North State Loop and are considered a dangerous club.

Coach Walker's club has been playing irregular this season. So far the Christian cagers have turned in some fine performances while some of the tilts have developed some erratic performances on the part of the local five. At the time of this writing the club was on a two-game trip to Hickory and Salisbury and the record for games preceding this series shows a result of seven victories against five defeats. North State loop champions last year the Christians will probably relinquish this title to High Point this season, as a result of a couple of loop defeats at the hands of the Purple Panther five.

Nevertheless Coach Walker has a strong outfit on the floor under the Maroon and Gold and the local five is expected to come through with a fine showing against the Appalachian boys in the battle here this evening.

The local mentor will have a lineup that is composed of veteran performers available to pit against the invading Appalachian team tonight with lettermen ready to start in every position. Capt. Earnie Askew and Howard Smith will probably get the call for the two forward posts. The center position will be filled by one of the greatest centers in the loop this season, Hal Bradley, sophomore, who has been doing some brilliant work at the center position this year. At the two guard posts, Coach Walker will very likely start a couple of veteran stars, Paul Royce and Paul "Lefty" Cheek. Royce is one of the best performers within the loop and is leading the local club in scoring this season while Cheek has been one of the greatest offensive men in the conference for the past two seasons.

Marcy and Cromlish were pretty lucky this past week-end. Jape turned up for Marcy's benefit and last year's "Dietee" came to Red's rescue.

MARK HOFFMAN WILL GIVE VESPER RECITAL

Mark Hoffman, director of school of music of Greensboro college, will appear in recital at the Sunday afternoon vesper services to be held in Whitley Memorial auditorium here tomorrow at 4:30 o'clock.

Mr. Hoffman is head of the music department at Greensboro college and is professor of piano and theoretical music. He has had extensive study in the field of music, attending the University of Rochester, New York university, and studying under Rudolph Reuter, in Chicago, and Earnest Hutcheson, in New York City.

In the recital here Mr. Hoffman will be assisted by Mildred Town, organist, and Blanche Burrus, pianist. Miss Town is professor of piano, organ and theoretical music at Greensboro college, and Miss Burrus is associate professor of piano and theoretical music.

PAGEANT TO BE PRESENTED HERE FRIDAY EVENING

Augustine Smith Will Direct Presentation In Auditorium With Sixty-Two Performers

On February twenty-first, Augustine Smith will present a pageant at Elon College in Whitley Memorial auditorium at 8 o'clock. The cast consists of sixty-two people, of which our local talent is presented. Chosen as the best speakers on the campus to take parts in the pageant are the following boys: Charles Ephland, Walter Fonville, W. Kimball, Lanson Gringer, George Gordon, John Collyer, and Walter Sloan.

Mr. Smith is a great hymnologist and has served for a number of years as head of the music department at Boston University. His chief aim is the knowledge of sacred music, and he has edited more hymnals than any other man living. He has written and conducted pageants in many foreign countries, and he also gives lectures in sacred art connected with sacred music.

The public is cordially invited to attend this performance. We can assure you of an enjoyable evening spent for your benefit.

Literary Club Holds Session

The Dr. Johnson Literary Society met Wednesday night for the first active meeting in the second semester of the school year.

In the business session the society elected Isaiah Sears as president, Clyde Rudd as vice-president, Eugene Gordon as secretary, and Kenneth Register as treasurer. James Parker, Walter Fonville, and Emmanuel Hedgebeth were

RACIAL QUESTION IS CHAPEL TOPIC

Dr. Beittel, of Guilford College, And Prof. Prior Talk At Assemblies

The student body of Elon College was very fortunate to have two outstanding authorities from the Elon and Guilford college faculties speak at the chapel hours on Wednesday and Friday. As it was the birthday of Abraham Lincoln, both speakers expounded on the racial question.

Prof. G. T. Prior, head of the Elon History Department, spoke Wednesday on Lincoln's attitude toward the racial problem. Prof. Prior stressed the point of Lincoln's attitude and belief toward

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LEADS SYMPHONY



THOR JOHNSON

ORCHESTRAL IN CONCERT HERE

University of Michigan Little Symphony Added Lyceum Course For February 29

Appearing for the first time at Elon College, the Little Symphony, of the University of Michigan, under the direction of Thor Johnson, will present an unusual concert in the Whitley Memorial auditorium here Saturday night, February 29, according to announcement by Prof. Dwight Steere.

The Little Symphony will be brought here as the extra number on this season's lyceum course program, Prof. Steere, head of the Elon college department of music, stated.

The group was organized in the fall of 1934 at the school of music of the University of Michigan for the purpose of gaining experience in professional concertizing and also to acquaint the musical public with the calibre of this in-

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LOCAL CLUBS GIVE OUT BIDS DURING WEEK

Many New Members Accepted As Sororities and Fraternities Hold Pledge Week

Twenty-seven new members were pledged by five social clubs as the annual fraternity and sorority bid-week was held here during the past week.

With three fraternities handing out bids to the men students and two sororities taking in new pledges for the co-eds, the Elon social clubs opened the annual pledge-week and began the mid-year initiation period. The two sororities, Delta Upsilon Kappa, and Tau Zeta Phi took in a total of 13 women students as new members while the total number of pledges for the fraternities were given to 14 men students.

The initiation period for the fraternities and sororities will last throughout the current week and will be completed Monday. Each night during the week the clubs hold the initiation periods and the new members of the organizations must respond to the wills of the veteran members.

The complete list of pledges for the five social organizations is given below:

Delta Upsilon Kappa Sorority: LaVerne Porterfield, Haw River; Frances Boland, Burlington; Scotty Andrews, Burlington; Julia Dameron, Star; Ina Futrelle, Rich Square; and Marguerite Blackmon, Haw River.

Tau Zeta Phi Sorority: Elizabeth Fowlkes, Yanceyville; Verna Mc-

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ALUMNI GROUP HAS BANQUET

Alamance County Chapter Meets In Burlington; Dr. L. E. Smith Gives Talk

In spite of the raw weather, more than sixty enthusiastic alumni met in the Christian church at Burlington, Tuesday evening, February 11. Prof. M. Z. Rhodes, vice-president of the organization presided over the meeting.

Dr. J. H. Lightbourne, who is not a graduate of Elon, but holds an honorary degree from this institution, made the main speech of the evening. Talking along the line of Loyalty to one's Alma Mater, Dr. Lightbourne, told why it is the duty of every one to love and labor for his or her college.

Pres. L. E. Smith made a short talk about the college. J. O. Atkinson, Jr., spoke about the work the alumni association is trying to do and insisted that all who can attend the mid-year meeting Feb. 15. Other short talks were made by faculty members and trustees after which the officers for the coming year were elected.

The following officers were elected for the coming year: M. Z. Rhodes, Pres., C. C. Fonville, Vice-Pres., Miss Dorothy Miller, Sec.-Treas., Miss Sadie Fonville, chair-man of the Social Committee with power to appoint her assistants.

FELLOWSHIP COMMITTEE TO EMPHASIZE RACE RELATIONS

The World Fellowship Committee of the Student's Christian Association has chosen the month of February to bring the question of race relations before the student body and to emphasize the relation of the negro to his white brother. The committee has planned an adequate and interesting program for presenting the question during this month. Dr. O. T. Biskley of Raleigh was the speaker at the Vesper on last Sunday night. Professor G. T. Prior spoke in Chapel Wednesday on the subject of the political aspects of race relations. The following Friday, Dr. A. D. Beittel of Guilford College, spoke concerning the Sociological aspects of race relations.

These speeches were all very interesting and presented the question clearly.

For the remainder of the month the committee has provided some very interesting events and speakers. Dr. H. L. Snuggs of the English department is to speak in Chapel on The Contributions of the negro to Literature. The English club has consented to devote its program to the reading and discussion of negro literature. On Sunday there is to be a panel discussion in Sunday School by some of the faculty members. Their discussion will be centered around the negro and present day life. On the last Sunday in February,

the students will have the privilege of hearing the Sedalia Singers in a musical program. They will present their program at the Vesper hour. On the first Sunday in March, the students will have the privilege of hearing Dr. Binkley again. This time he will lead a general discussion among the students on race relations. The program outlined for the month is most acceptable and should clarify the idea of race relations to a great extent.

The committee has placed pamphlets on the catalogue in the library and is going to see that books pertaining to this question are put within easy reach of the students.