

## Navy Announces Examinations For College Training Program

The Navy announced recently that the third nation-wide competitive examination for its College Training Program has been scheduled for December 1, 1948, and will be open to high school seniors or graduates within the age requirements. Successful candidates will be given a four-year college education at government expense and will be commissioned as officers of the Navy or Marine Corps upon graduation.

The program is open to male citizens of the United States between the ages of 17 and 21. The Navy expects to enter about 2,350 students into the program commencing with the fall term of college, 1949.

The students selected by these competitive examinations will be assigned to the 52 Naval Reserve Officers' Training Corps units which are located in various universities and colleges in the United States. If accepted by the college, they will be appointed Midshipmen, U.S.N.R.,

and will have their tuition, books, and normal fees paid for by the government. In addition they will receive pay at the rate of \$50.00 a month for the four-year period. Upon graduation they may be commissioned as officers in the Regular Navy or Marine Corps and required to serve on active duty for two years. At the end of this time they may apply for retention in the Regular Navy or Marine Corps, or transfer to the Reserve and return to civilian life.

Applications are available at high schools, Offices of Naval Officer Procurement and Navy Recruiting Stations.

At Elon, Dean D. J. Bowden, who is acting as the Navy's local civilian representative, will provide specific information about the program, including the time and place of the competitive examination, the method of making application, and the specific age and scholastic qualifications.

### MORE ABOUT ELON FACULTY

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campus friends as the "Commuter." He teaches at Elon, Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, but on Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays he goes to school at Duke for his Doctor's Degree.

He is a native of Mt. View, Arkansas but he drifted away from Arkansas and came to North Carolina. He states that he likes North Carolina and plans to adopt the state as his home.

In the Lone Star State he received his under-graduate work at Texas Christian University, Ft. Worth, Texas. Here they stressed the spoken language and showed motion pictures of the Latin American Countries and their attributes. Mr. Ivie believes that the Spanish Language hooks up with the Arabic language. In 1944-45 he received his Master's Degree from Chicago University in the field of Spanish, Persian, Arabic and Oriental History. He is now working toward his Doctor's Degree at Duke University, under Dr. William F. Stinespring, professor of Old Testament and Semitics. He expects to have the degree in three years.

Among his travels, a trip to South America has been the most recent. There he visited Guatemala, Brazil, and many other countries of that region. He emphasized the point that little children from poor families could express themselves beautifully, using the subjunctive form of the Spanish verb. He believes that the only way to learn the language is to listen to and observe the peoples of the countries.

Mr. Ivie, while he stays in Elon,

is living at Professor Brannock's home. "Elon is a fine school and I enjoy the spirit and cooperation both from the students and administration," explained Mr. Ivie.

Prof. Hoyle S. Bruton joins the English department as an instructor, and, as he puts it, "joins battle with a whirlwind" in his position as advisor for Maroon and Gold.

A native of Thomasville, N. C., Mr. Bruton took his A. B. in English at the University of North Carolina and finished residence work there toward his M. A. in English. His minor as a graduate student was folklore.

Most of Mr. Bruton's newspaper experience came with a three-year stretch of public relations work with the army in England, France, Belgium and Germany.

With a background of study under Dr. Ralph Steele Boggs, internationally known folklore scholar at Chapel Hill, Mr. Bruton has, for over two years, been a collector of North Carolina folklore.

Some of his collection has already been published in the first issue of "North Carolina Folklore," a quarterly, which he edits. Other material of his is to be published in the second issue which should come out some time this month.

"North Carolina Folklore," Mr. Bruton says, is the only magazine of its type in the United States. Other folklore journals are of the "learned journal" type. The new magazine, sponsored by the Folklore Council of the University of North Carolina, is meant for popular consumption. Too, it is to serve as a collecting point for folklore of the state.

# Freshman Officers Elected Tuesday

## Bookstore To Have Elbow Room At Last

The College Bookstore, whose crowded quarters have long been a subject of discussion, is to be moved to a more spacious site in Mooney building, according to an announcement made this week by James C. Hayes, business manager.

The long-unused stages in the center of the ground floor in Mooney is to be the Bookstore's new location. This will relieve the confusion caused by the long queues which block the passages of Alameda.

Semi-officially, Mr. Hayes said that the move had been approved by President Smith and the secretary of the Board of Trustees.

Though no official date has been set for the moving of the Bookstore to Mooney, it should be safe to say, Mr. Hayes said, that the plans will be carried out in the very near future.

It has been tentatively proposed that the remainder of the space in Mooney which has been used for dining be made into a combination recreation hall and lounge for the convenience of students.

This projected conversion is meant to answer a long standing need of the student body. There is no official word on the plan as yet.

**STUDENTS GET FIVE SHOWS**  
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this week by Mrs. Smith. The large bill includes comedy, drama, mystery and religion.

The plays to follow "What a Life" are: "The Fool," by Channing Pollock; "Arsenic and Old Lace," and "Life With Father," both by Howard Lindsay and Russell Crouse; and "The Betrayal." "The Betrayal" is a projected annual production for Holy Week.

### ANSWERS TO MAROON AND GOLD QUIZ ON PAGE 2

1. Bill Stafford, Bill Kivett, Ray McKenzie and Jack Snyder.
2. Harold J. Pope.
3. They will be returned to fraternities.
4. Prof. Albert Coble.
5. English 12.
6. When you work, work hard; when you sit, sit loose; and when you worry, just drop off to sleep.
7. Prof. W. D. Ivie.
8. Two losses, no wins.
9. \$1.80.
10. Three.
11. Five.
12. Miss Grace Bliss Stewart's.
13. Prof. Paul S. Reddish.
14. Lou Savini.

### SCIENCE CLUB

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son, vice president; George Patterson, secretary; and James Cook, reporter.

The next meeting of the club, Professor Reddish says, will be held in the Biology classroom Monday, Oct. 1, at 7 p. m. All students interested in science are invited to attend.

## Fraternities To Regain Rooms

The fraternity rooms in Mooney building, now being used by the kitchen staff, will again be available to the fraternities.

This reinstatement has been verified by both Dean D. J. Bowden and James M. Hayes, business manager. Mr. Hayes suggested that the rooms may be ready for occupancy by fraternities at some time near the Thanksgiving holidays, but he was unable to make a definite statement.

Dean Bowden, too, was unable to name a date at which the fraternities could repossess the rooms. "Even after the rooms are vacated," he said, "no fraternities should enter until the rooms are ready."

## Elonites Play In Jump Band For Cash And Kicks

By JACK SNYDER

Several times each week Bill Kivett, Ray McKenzie, Bill Stafford and I put our books aside, leave our worries just inside Elon's main gate, where they can be picked up conveniently on our way back in, and strike out for some point in North Carolina where we get paid for making a lot of noise with Jimmy Perkins' band.

Playing engagements usually range anywhere from Greensboro (where we played last week at Woman's College) to Davidson College.

All of us like music, and like it on the groovy side, but our reasons for playing are pretty materialistic. We'll play anything from "Dog House" to "Hill Billy" as long as we get paid for it. Too, of course, the music pays off in "kicks."

Kivett and McKenzie are both Sophomores, and played with Jimmy before the war. Both served in the Navy and rejoined Jimmy after the war. Too, they both play sax and clarinet. Kivett is from Burlington, and McKenzie lives in nearby Gibsonville.

Stafford and I were not in the service. A Junior, Stafford has been with the band for some time, handling the trumpet assignment. Before joining Jimmy's band, I worried the drums for Earl Bennett's band in Norfolk, Va.

It's a wonder there's any peace in our band family at all. The female singer for the band, Miss Jackie Robertson, just returned from winning a talent-beauty contest in Cuba. Rumor has it that a

## Bill Barger Gains Presidency In Hot Voting

Freshmen Class officers were elected in a meeting of the Freshman Class held Tuesday in Whitley Auditorium.

After a hotly contested ballot, the following officers were elected: Bill Barger, president; Virgil Money, secretary; Miss Virginia Latta, vice-president; and Miss Lacala Wilkins, treasurer.

The Misses Helen Jackson and Billie Green were elected representatives to the Woman's Council; Henry Hoppe and Al Eubank were elected representatives to the Men's Council.

Virgil Money hails from Mount Airy, N. C., and is a graduate of Mount Airy high school. In high school he was a member of the Hi-Y Club. At Elon, he is the treasurer of the pre-legal society and is majoring in business administration. He is also a member of the Interim Council of the Student Legislature of N. C. He was one of Elon's representatives at this council last year.

Lacala Wilkins, from Burlington, is a graduate of Burlington high school. In high school Miss Wilkins was treasurer of the Tri-Hi-Y Club, reporter of the school newspaper, and was the feature editor of the high school annual. At Elon she is a cheerleader. Her major is physical education.

Virginia Latta is also from Burlington, and a graduate of Burlington high school. In high school she was a member of Tri-Hi-Y. Her major at Elon is physical education.

No information is available yet on Bill Barger.

red Crosley, much like an Elon vehicle of the same make, has been seen at Miss Robertson's curb in Graham, but that is probably subversive propaganda designed to spread dissension in the ranks of the band.

Though all the Elon boys in the band like music, none of us plan to make a career of it. Kivett and McKenzie are majoring in business, and Stafford is majoring in Pre-Med.

## Season Tickets Now On Sale

The Elon Players begin their fifth season under the directorship of Mrs. Elizabeth B. Smith.

Five productions offered for the 1948-49 season.

The Best In  
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