

# REID THIS!



A fifth of a century ago when I was at Elon, there were few married students on campus. I remember one studious lad who had a big romance going and then had to drop out of school because his money was going, too. It was a case of a lack and a lass.

I wound up in a government class one time with one of my many roommates, Leopold Malcolm Smith, who had come to Elon via Bluefield, W. Va., and Raleigh, N. C. The professor was having a particularly difficult time getting through to Leopold.

"Who is the Speaker of the House?" the instructor demanded. "Mother," said Leopold.

I remember a girl from Siler City, N. C., named Betty Bob Stone. Friend of mine had a little trouble with his speech and he never could quite pronounce her last name although Leopold and I never made fun of him because we realized Stone was a hard name.

We had a mad on with the administration one time and whenever this happened, Leopold was always summoned to see the man who was president then, Dr. Leon Edgar Smith, one of the old time college officials who behind his old-timey formal attitude must have been a gayer dog than any of us suspected at the time. When things went wrong on the campus, Dr. Smith made speeches and promises of penalties but he seldom went further than that. Well, as I said, Leopold got the call to see Dr. Smith who went through the same old fashioned bit — "Young man, have you ever been up before me?" "I don't know, Doc Smith. What time do you get up?"

One of the few constructive things I did at Elon was to establish the school's first summer school newspaper, "The Chanticleer." I was rather proud of this and conned some others into thinking about a parade with floats and everything over at Burlington to call attention to our newspaper project. I even had a B. O. B. sorority girl to say she'd consider being in the parade as Lady Godiva and we could envision the crowds on Main Street. It had been a long time since the city folks had seen anybody riding a horse.

## ELON GRANT

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that received by Elon College, the company also makes direct grants for specific purposes, provides merit scholarships to children of employees, provides matching grants for gifts made to colleges by Gulf employees and furnishes funds for graduate fellowships and faculty supplementation grants.

## Spotlighting The Christians

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confirmation, on tap for the Elon link team. The Conference has instigated a new scoring system this year and golf prospects are promising.

Coach Sanford and his boys worked on the baseball field throughout February. The sound of ball against bat was heard by yours truly in sleep lab over at Cox House last week. Regular practice should start soon and the Elon baseball outlook this year is excellent.

Winter football practice will conclude March 7 with Elon scrimmaging the Catawba Indians on the practice field behind the gym. Coach Tucker and his staff have issued an invitation to the general public and has suggested a collection for the purpose of the much

# Guilford Defeats Elon In Tournament Game

Boom!

It was just like that as the Guilford Quakers quite literally exploded a bomb right in the middle of the Fighting Christian basketball camp, and the Elon hopes for the 1964 Carolinas Conference basketball championship went glimmering in the smoke of a first-round upset loss to the suddenly potent Guilford Quakers.

It all happened in the first round of the Carolinas Conference basketball tournament at Lexington on Thursday night, February 27th, when the Quakers turned back Elon 77 to 63 in a first-round game, and suddenly the season was over for the Maroon and Gold cagers.

The blow seemed no easier because it was the third consecutive upset of the tournament's first round. Pfeiffer had ousted Western Carolina 63 to 44 and Lenoir Rhyne had topped Catawba 57 to 51 the previous night, and thus three of the four top-seeded teams were sidetracked. Only High Point of the seeded group survived as the Panthers whipped Appalachian 88 to 57, and High Point fell in the finals.

The Guilford cagers, forced to defeat Newberry on Monday night in a play-off game to even get into the tournament, hung tight with Elon through a ragged first half last Thursday night and trailed by only 35 to 32 at half-time, and then Chuck Scott threw the bomb.

In fact, Chuck Scott was the bomb. The be-spectacled forward, who only became eligible at mid-year, surprised everyone as he outdid even Jesse Branson and Dan Kuzma when he banged in 25 points to lead the Quakers to victory. Scott hit 7 of 9 floor shots and 11 of 12 at the free throw line. Scott also got 15 rebounds, tops for both teams.

It was at the free throw line under the boards that the Quakers won their game. There were so many fouls against Elon that the Quakers were already on "one-and-one" before Elon ever got a single chance at the charity stripe, and Guilford hit a torrid 31 of 39 foul shots.

Elon scored three more field goals than did Guilford, but the 31 free throws for Guilford almost tripled the bare 11 charity shots that the Christians got. The smaller Quakers also outdid the Christians in rebounds, and in that one phase of the game lay a big key to the upset. Guilford hit 23 of 41 floor tries for 56.2 per cent, while Elon got only 26 of 80 for 30.3 per cent.

Jesse Branson paced the Christians with 21 points, but Roland Miller's 12 was the only other Elon score in double figures. By contrast, Guilford had four men in the double digit column.

The summary:

Pos.	Elon (63)	Guilford (77)
F—	Branson (21)	Kuzma (19)
F—	Such (7)	Odum (9)
C—	Andrew (4)	Scott (25)
G—	Miller (12)	Turlington (12)
G—	Morningstar (4)	Parker (12)

Half-time: Elon 35, Guilford 32.

Elon subs — Smith 9, Winfrey 4, Atkins 2, Hall. Guilford subs — Allred, Shirley, Updegraff, Halperin, Montgomer.

# Four Teams Unbeaten In Intramurals

As the campus intramural basketball season moved into its final week of the season, the first place honors were yet to be decided, with Sigma Phi Gold, Kappa Psi, East Dorm and ITK Black all still very much in contention for the season crown.

In the American League, Sigma Phi Gold and Kappa Psi were tied for top honors with perfect 6-0 records, while the National League honors were divided between East Dorm and ITK Black, each of which had records that matched the American league leaders.

Both of the league-leading pairs were scheduled to battle each other in decisive battles, but the real issue will be decided next week when the top four teams in each league again play to decide the league representatives for the final championship game.

While East Dorm and Sigma Phi Gold rate as strong favorites to meet in the final game, both of these teams won over third and fourth place teams in their respective leagues by only slim margins. Tournaments often provide upsets, and this year's intramural finals should prove no exception.

The top individual scorers thus far include Hinton (Carolina Five) 12, Hodge (ITK Black) 102, D. Pruitt (Alpha Pi Red) 97, Rost (Top Virginia) 96, Taylor (East Dorm) 91, Denny (Wildcats) 90, Graffeo (Kappa Psi) 90, Mitchell (East Dorm) 83, Cohen (Playboys) 81, and Clinton (Cherries) 80.

The league standings follow:

AMERICAN LEAGUE		
	W	L Pct.
Sigma Phi Gold	6	0 1.000
Kappa Psi	6	0 1.000
Cherries	5	2 .714
Alpha Pi Red	4	2 .667
I. T. K. Red	3	3 .500
Top Virginia	2	4 .333
Raiders	1	5 .167
Playboys	1	6 .143
Sigma Mu Gold	0	7 .000

# WILL SPEAK



DR. ARTHUR S. LINK

Dr. Arthur S. Link, professor of history at Princeton University, will be a guest speaker at chapel services in Whitley Auditorium at 10 o'clock next Friday morning, March 13th, speaking as part of the Visiting Scholars Program which is sponsored by the Piedmont University Center. His topic will be "On Writing Contemporary History: Challenges and Opportunities."

## NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W	L Pct.
East Dorm	6	0 1.000
I. T. K. Black	6	0 1.000
Rinky Dinks	4	2 .667
Sigma Mu Blue	3	2 .600
Wildcats	4	3 .571
Sigma Phi Black	3	4 .429
Carolina Five	1	5 .167
Alpha Pi Grey	1	6 .143
Beatles	0	6 .000

## Cage Records

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Dewey Andrew's record of 21.2 points per game set in 1962.

Two other season records credited to the big forward were most free throws and most free throw attempts. He dropped in 195 charity tosses to break the old record of 164 set by Jug Irvin in 1961, and his 273 free through attempts also smashed the old mark of 216 tries that was set by Jug Irvin in 1961. The one record credited to the entire Elon team was for the 67 rebounds against Frederick in the opening game of the season, breaking the old mark of 66 loose balls that had been pulled down against Pfeiffer in the 1961-62 season.

# One Hundred Eight Are Placed On Dean's List

One hundred eight Elon College students have been placed on the dean's list after making honor grades on their courses for the fall semester. The list, released from the office of Dean Fletcher Moore, shows four students with no grade less than "A" on any subject. The others had an average of "B" on all their work.

Those who made an "A" on all their courses included Douglass Allard, Linda Rich, Glenna Smith and Stephen Snider. Others with a "B" average included Ann Amasn, David Kodes, Harrell Andrews, Donna Apple, Mary Ann Barnes, Janice Basden, Millicent Basden, Patricia Mason, Jewelle Bass, Robert Bannister, Wanda Bennett, Cecil Bland, Jack Brammar, Martha Brandon, Janie Carr.

Alpha Carter, Jane Cheek, Robert Johnson, Patsy Cole Scott Crabtree, Dodson, Penny Conatser, Michael Duncan, Linda Edwards, Lora Elder, Sara Foley, Thomas Ford, Agnes French, Louise Gamble, Rachel Garrard, William Graham, John Crook, Patricia Dean, Peggy William Griffin, Tommie Griffin, Nancy Grissom, Nora Guthrie, Judy Harrison, Billie Jo Harvey, Richard Hedrick, Karen Helm, Michael Herbert, Hilda McPherson, Judith Hudson, Paula Hudson, Ellen Huffines, Glenda Hurdle, Donald Johnson, John Paul Jones, Evelyn Bell Kent, Sue Kimball, Donald King, Arlene Kolber, Phillip Ladd, Janet Lamm, Greg Lee, Cameron Little, Alan McDonald, Edward Mason, C. V. May, Sarah McDuffie, Ellen McPherson, Hinson Mikell,

Roland Miller, Thomas Milspaw, Lea Mitchell, Ada Mullis, Geraldine Murray, Edna Okey, Thomas Page, Betsy Parsley, Wilbert Paschal, Robert Pease, Jane Pointer, Edgar Powell, Glenda Prigen, Samuel Rankin, Phyllis Register, Harold Rogers, Ann Sanders, Robert Seymour, Judith Shannon, Lamar Smith, Tamara Smith.

Varerie Spangler, Fred Shepher, Durward Stokes, Linda Stratton, Victoria Swift, Peggy Thomas, Stephen Tickle, Carol Trageser, Betty Turman, Richardson Turner, Denny Wagoner, Julie Weeks, Robert Wicker, William Wilder, James Wilson, Brenda York and Gay Yule.

# Thorp Guest Speaker On Elon Campus

Dr. Willard Thorp, a professor of English at Princeton University, who is widely known as a student of American literature, was a guest speaker on the Elon College campus Tuesday, February 25th, appearing under the auspices of the Piedmont University Center of North Carolina.

Dr. Thorp spoke on "The Fear of Poetry" when he addressed the Elon College students and faculty at the regular chapel convocation in Whitley Auditorium that morning. He met with a smaller group of those interested in the study of literature at a luncheon at noon.

The visiting speaker, who is the Holes Professor of Belles Lettres at Princeton, has also served as visiting professor at Yale, and he has appeared as a lecturer in English at the University of Hawaii, University of Virginia, Harvard University, the University of Minnesota, Duke and Rice Institute.

A member of the Modern Language Association, the American Studies Association and the American Council of the Learned Society, he has written numerous books on both English and American literature. He has served as co-editor of both "An Oxford Anthology of English Poetry" and of the "Literary History of the United States."

The visit to Elon by Dr. Thorp is part of the Visiting Scholars Program of the Piedmont University Center, the recently organized group of sixteen institutions of higher education in the central portion of North Carolina, the purpose of which is to enrich the campus programs at all member institutions through cooperative effort interlocking use of the facilities at member colleges.

## Opera Stars

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Va.; Oscar Fowler, Whaleyville, Va.; Bob Gwaltney, Durham; John Fleming, Chesapeake, Va.; Wayne Kanoy, Hampton, Va.; Hinson Mikell, Charleston, S. C.; Wayne Seymour, Gibsonville; and Terry Sink, Winston-Salem.

# Of Players And Playmaking At Elon

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malion," while the other top award went to Jerry Loy for his work in "The Glass Menagerie." Supporting role awards went to Ann Stoddard from "The Sisters MacIntosh" and to Adolph Mellburg from "Pygmalion."

The 1964-65 season, which marked the end of the two-year service of Prof. Cox, was marked by three full-length stage shows. They were "Blythe Spirit," "An Enemy of the People" and "The Imaginary Invalid." Leading role awards that year went to Sue Moore and Wright Williamson for their work in "Blithe Spirit," while supporting role awards were given Jan Williamson and Nick Theos, both for roles in "The Imaginary Invalid."

## Wooton Takes Over

Prof. Melvin E. Wooton arrived on the Elon campus in the fall of 1965 and immediately began the series of uniformly successful stage shows which marked his five years of service. During the 1955-56 season, his first as head of the stage work at Elon, Professor Wooton produced "Out of the Frying Pan," "Little Foxes," "Dial M for Murder" and "The Tempest." Awards for leading roles that year went to Margaret Sharpe and William Watson for roles in "Little Foxes," and honors for major supporting roles were given Horace Giddings and Helen Gilbert, also for parts in the same play. Awards for minor supporting roles went to Roger Rush for "Little Foxes" and to Dorothy Apple for a part in "Dial M For Murder." The fact that five individual awards went to actors in "Little Foxes" makes that play one of the most outstanding in Player history.

Three major shows, including one Shakespearean production, featured

the 1956-57 season, the plays being "Harvey," "The Rainmaker" and "Julius Caesar." The Players also cooperated in a sunrise outdoor cantata at Easter. Honor awards that year for leading roles went to Margaret Sharpe from "The Rainmaker" and William Watson from "Julius Caesar." Tops for major supporting roles were Tommie Boland from "Julius Caesar" and Eddie Robbins from "The Rainmaker," with minor supporting role honors going to Jean Cannady and Dale Shepherd, both from "The Rainmaker." Wayne Rudisill was honored as "most useful" Player.

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## Fourth Year

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We as Elon students must realize that we must accept Elon for what it is. In some respects our school is poor. Some of the equipment is old and obsolete or broken. This is the fallacy of being a student.

We can only see Elon for what it is now. I dare say that very few of the campus students have any idea as to how far Elon has progressed over the years. We are fortunate to have what we have, and those coming behind us will be even more fortunate. Each and every student should strive to aid the college in whatever way possible or at least refrain from degrading it.

The Elon College basketball squad has participated in three national NAIA cage tournaments at Kansas City. The Christians won the right to represent District 26, which includes the NAIA members in the two Carolinas, in 1952 and again in 1956 and 1957.

## Lenoir Rhyne

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then Cochrane caged a rebound two-pointer. With 25 seconds left McGeachy hit two free throws for 62-58, and Winfrey's jumper at the whistle was just too little too late.

## ELON PLAYERS

Jesse Branson for Elon and Miatkowski for Lenoir Rhyne each had 22 points to tie for the night's scoring lead, and Elon's Morningstar and Lenoir Rhyne's McGeachy were tied for runner-up honors with 16 points each.

The summary:  
Pos. Elon (60) Lenoir Rhyne (62)  
F—Branson (22) Cochrane (6)  
F—Smith (6) Miatkowski (22)  
C—Andrew (6) Deehan (6)  
G—Morningstar (16) McGeachy (16)  
G—Winfrey (7) Ehlers (3)

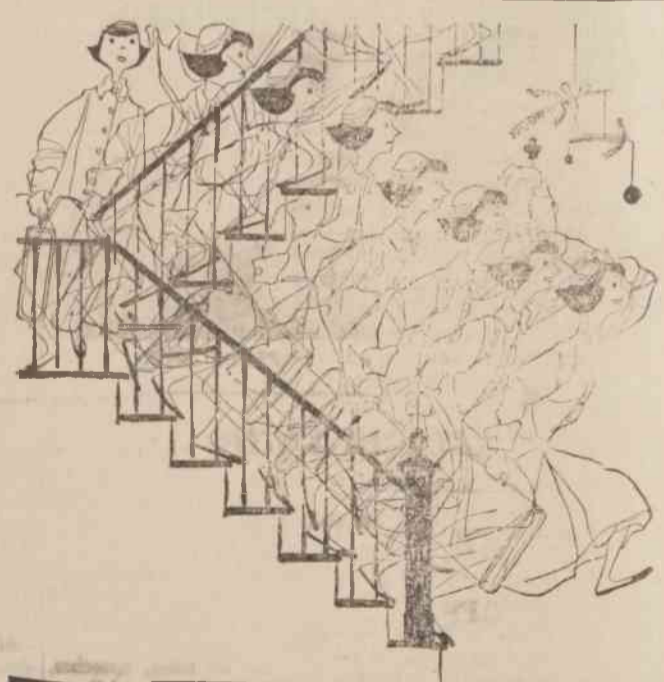
Half-time: Elon 30, Lenoir Rhyne 22.  
Elon subs — Such 3, Atkins. Lenoir Rhyne subs — Bua 9.

## Player Show

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Larry Biddle. Make-up and stage crews include members of the Elon Players and of the play production class.

"New Directions For Drama, 1964" is a challenge to the Elon Players and to the audience. The program, which will introduce new trends and new faces, offers interesting insights into the world around, and it promises to be a stimulating experience for all who attend. Students will be admitted free with a SGA card, and the program is open to the public.



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