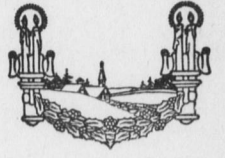


Merry Christmas and Happy New Year



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Guilfordian To Get New Look

Will Use Smaller Type

Beginning with the first issue of next semester, The Guilfordian will have a new look.

The face lifting will begin first with a new size of type. Heretofore, the Guilfordian has been setting all its news articles in 10 point type, but the new look will see a smaller type for the paper, making it possible to print more articles.

In the past issues several articles have had to be left out simply because there was a lack of space in the paper. We hope to remedy that situation by having the type smaller, in eight point type.

The name of the paper, seen at the top of the front page, will also be set in a more modern type.

With the forthcoming changes, the Guilfordian will be able to afford campus organizations more complete coverage.

Second semester publication dates are as follows: Feb. 14 and 28; March 14; April 11 and 25; May 9 and 23.

There will be no issue of the paper in January due to semester exams which will begin Jan. 22 and continue through Jan. 30. The month of March will have only one issue due to spring vacation.

NEWS BRIEFS

Vacation begins tomorrow at 1 p. m. It will end January 3. This means that classes begin on that day.

Due to a conflicting Physical Education Convention, Play Day will be postponed until a later date.

Blazers which were ordered from the WAA will be mailed home to the girls during Christmas holidays.

On January 4 the Guilford basketball team will be playing High Point here.

The MSG was in charge of decorating the Christmas tree in the circle in front of Memorial Hall.

The office of the Registrar has published a tentative schedule for semester exams. Anyone having any conflicts is requested to notify the registrar's office, so that the schedule might be revised.

Athlete of Year

(See Sportscope, Page 5)



PAT BRADY



CHRISTMAS CHEER AT HOBBS HALL

Mary Cashwell Crowned Queen Of Christmas

Miss Mary Cashwell, a Senior from Hope Mills, N. C. was crowned Christmas Queen by Miss Denny Walters, 1956 Christmas Queen, Saturday night at the annual Christmas dance sponsored by the Monogram Club.

The Senior members of the Monogram Club were presented with their dates before the crowning of the Queen. A special dance was dedicated to them and the Queen.

Seventeen Seniors were honored, Bob Newton escorting Denny Walters; Ray Schirmer, Betty Stanford; Macon Mixon, Pat Estes; Joe Pegram, Peggy Hollingsworth; Ralph Nelson, Faye Wooten; Bill Roddy, Carol Blackburn; Jack Crenshaw, Wilma Lou Snipes; Bob Henderson, Patty Munk; Joe Satterfield, Mary Ann Hoover; Roger Roan, Gerta Wright; Jimmy Askins, Sarah Atkinson; Mack Baker, Mrs. Mack Baker; John Bell, Mrs. John Bell; John Slopey, Darcus Epperson; Don Hemerick, Barbara Monnett; Gordon Haight, Barbara Kerr; Charles Benedetto, Lee Hardy.

The music for the dance was supplied by the "Rhythm Vets" from A & T College. The decoration was in the traditional outdoor winter scene with trees lining the inside of the gym. Added attraction to the decoration was a large fireplace hung with stockings to represent the "night before Christmas."

Students Attend Press Conference At Catawba

Last Saturday, December 7, eight members of the Guilfordian staff were privileged to attend the meeting of the North State Conference Press Association held at Catawba College. The NSCPA is an infant organization. This was its first meeting as a separate group.

The conference was divided into six sections: Business, News, Features, Sports, Make-up, Editors. Those students who went were Don Swing, Business; Bill Bloom, Features; Doug Kerr, Editor; Lillian Burrow and Margaret Hawthorn, Make-up; Robin Heritage, Anne Taylor, and Carolyn Nimitz, News. The purpose of the meeting was to evaluate problems incurred in the process of compiling and printing a newspaper.

The schools represented were, besides Guilford, High Point College, Catawba College, Appalachian State Teachers College, Atlantic Christian College, Western Carolina College, Eastern Carolina College. Elon was unable to attend.

STUDENTS REPORT FROM U.N. SEMINAR

The six students who went to the United Nations Seminar learned some facts and arrived at certain questions and conclusions which they would like to share with the student body.

They learned that at this moment, most of the United States planes are in the air carrying loaded hydrogen bombs. The U. S. has a string of military bases all over the globe encircling the Soviet Union. On the other hand, the Soviet Union has the ICBM and Sputnik, the two most advanced scientific achievements of the present day. One of these is being built for the purpose of destroying.

With these and other facts, the students felt that it is no wonder that the Russians mistrust and fear the U. S. just as the U. S. mistrust and fear them. The logical step next as concluded was that when one is threatened with extermination, one sets up a defense with the greatest expediency which will best ward off destruction. Logically, this is exactly what the U. S. is doing, and one of the purposes of the U. N. Seminar was to discuss and find whether this is a logical race or a suicidal race and inhuman race.

The latter seems to be the feeling of many persons whom the students met, and these persons were well aware of the facts. The students also heard many prominent persons express the fact that Washington is in a panic, and panic is unreasonable.

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Live To Enjoy Christmas

By ANN TAYLOR

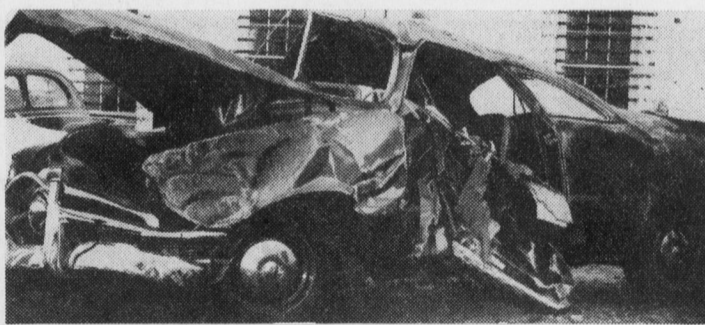
"Hey, Joe, what time d'ya' think we'll get in?"

"Shouldn't be over a half-hour more. We've made good time considering that we've been in heavy traffic."

"Yeah, wonder how many more of these cars have kids in them going home for the Holidays? Me, I can hardly wait. Step on the gas, man."

It had been snowing—very lightly—but enough to make the road slippery. As Joe increased his speed more and more, he suddenly came to a sharp curve which he was unable to make.

When the patrolmen and ambulance reached the site of the accident, it was too late to do anything more than try to find some sort



DON'T LET THIS HAPPEN TO YOU

of identification on the victims, and notify the families and the nearest funeral home.

Christmas was not very happy that year for the families and friends of Joe and his companion. How could they rejoice when someone so near and dear to them had been killed in a traffic accident that could have been avoided if the travelers had not been in such a hurry.

When Joe had left school for home, and his friends had warned him to 'take it easy,' 'be careful,' he told them, "I've heard it all before . . . don't speed, don't take chances . . . well I'm a good driver; nothing's going to happen to me." But it happens even to those who think they are the best drivers; one careless chance, a burst of excessive speed, and that's all that is needed for the driver and his passengers to become another statistic of traffic accidents.

Each year at Christmas, as well as on other holidays, so many people are needlessly killed in accidents. While "Dreaming of a White Christmas," also dream of the fact that snow and ice make excessive speed one of man's worst enemies.