

## Here and There

"I'M GOING TO peroxide my hair this spring," declared Joan Renger.

"Don't do that," advised Shirley Lowder. "Just use a wrench on it."

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"HOW MANY IN this class have played spin the bottle?" asked Coach Webb.

"Come on, Moose, and raise your hand," Donnie cried out.

"Oh, John David plays without the bottle," quipped Coach.

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AT A RECENT basketball game Frances Litaker was commenting on the height of the other team.

"Why, I bet every one of those boys is at least six feet tall."

"Oh, they aren't so tall," protested Judy Scaggs. "Some of them can't be over five feet twelve."

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"I WOULD HATE to live in Hawaii," John McLaughlin told Larry Chance the other day.

"Why?" Larry wanted to know.

"Well, just because Aloha means so many different things I couldn't tell whether a person was coming or going."

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IN PHYSICS CLASS Ross Mason was talking about Halloween. "I've got a Halloween mask," he remarked.

"Why don't you take it off?" asked Charlie James.

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"THOSE NEW CHEVROLETS don't use but four quarts of oil," stated Ned Lowder, bragging on his new car.

"They sure use them in a hurry, though," replied T-Model Swaringen.

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WHILE WALKING ACROSS the dark high school campus several weeks ago after a Tri-Hi-Y meeting, Carolyn Helms remarked to Susie Culp and Barbara Holt:

"There are only three of us and I see four shadows following us."

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AMORELLE TUCKER WAS trying to figure out an ad to put in the Fool Moon for F. & M. Coffee Co. when she asked, "What do they do over there?"

Opal Eudy thought a minute before she asked, "Do they make coffee?"

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"LEON, DO YOU worry?" Coach Webb asked in sociology class.

"Yes," was Leon Snuggs' reply.

"What do you worry about?"

The carefree Leon smiled sadly as he replied, "My studies."

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ABOVE THE CHATTER in the hall not long ago this was overheard:

"Louise, I know somebody who thinks you're beautiful," said Frances Ross.

"Good," Louise Cooper refused to bite. "That makes two of us."

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MR. PENDERGRAFT TOLD his fourth period French class, "French children drink a lot of wine, and for a good purpose too."

"To get drunk," T. I. guessed.

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THE JUNIORS IN ENGLISH class were having a "Who Am I?" contest using famous Negroes. It came Gary Piffer's time.

He stood up and gave his first clue: "My first clue to this person is that he has dark skin."

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A GROUP OF SENIOR girls were discussing what was showing at the drive-in the following week-end.

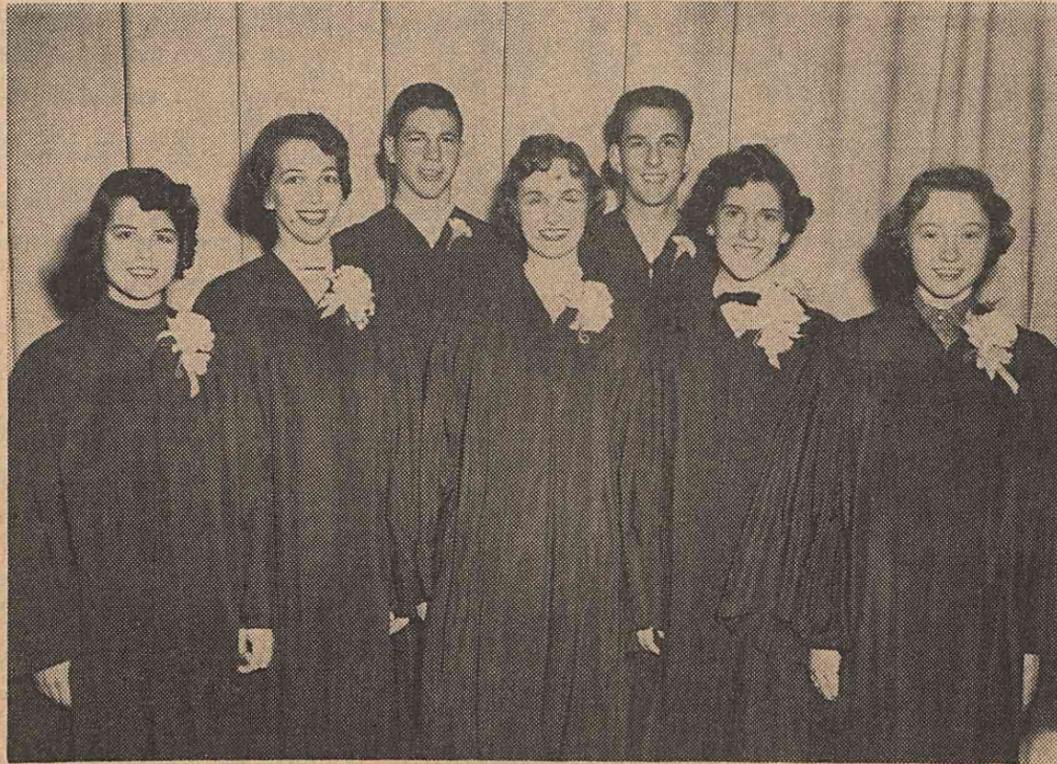
"Let's ask Judy," suggested Elaine Mills. "She went with Wormey last Saturday night."

"I don't know what's on," confessed Judy Scaggs.

An amazed Elaine asked, "Didn't you even see the previews, Scaggs?"

"What previews?" Judy wanted to know.

## NEW HONOR SOCIETY MEMBERS



Left to right: Barbara Holt, Zalotta Harris, Edshay Brunson, Joan Melton, Bill Fisher, Johnsie Russell, and Susie Culp.

## Seven Students Tapped Into NHS

Seven members of the junior class were tapped into the National Honor Society on February 26.

The seven tapped, all superior in scholarship, leadership, character, and service, were Barbara Holt, Zalotta Harris, Joan Melton, Bill Fisher, Johnsie Russell, Susie Culp, and Edshay Brunson.

Principal J. L. Cashwell, Superintendent Claud Grigg, and Rev. Boyce Brooks led the professional of the 16 senior members of the Honor Society. Dickie Cashwell, president, presided during service and introduced Rev. Boyce Brooks, who spoke on the four standards of the National Honor Society. "Holy, Holy, Holy" was sung by the entire student body, followed by a Scripture reading by Elaine Mills. Roger Saunders furnished the special music, by singing "Without a Song".

The tapping ceremony began with each member being tapped, lighting a candle, and receiving a corsage and a copy of the society's creed. Mr. Grigg then administered the oath to the new members.

## 2nd Place Won By Bill Beeker

Bill Beeker won an "unofficial" second place in the regional finals of the American Legion National Oratorical Contest held in Kannapolis.

Bill's talk was on "The Constitution, Worth Having—Worth Defending".

## Council Elections To Be Held April 7; Issue Petitions

The election for the officers of the Student Council for the next school year will take place April 7.

The candidates elected at the two conventions were president, Wade Smith and Edshay Brunson; vice-president, Jo Ellen Brooks and Sue Page; secretary, Pat Starnes and Stanly Lawhon; and treasurer, Bill Fisher and Libby Hatley.

Preparation for the election started with candidate week, during which time each class met to decide on possible candidates for office. The president will come from the rising senior class, and the

## Harris, Holt Chosen Editors Of Next Year's Publications

### Debating Teams Defeat Lexington

Both the affirmative and negative teams are eligible to debate in Salisbury at the district contest as a result of winning over Lexington High School, March 18.

The AHS affirmative team composed of Pat Allan and Gene Burris and coached by Miss Jean Abrahamson, won over the negative team from Lexington in the debates held in the AHS auditorium last Friday.

Judges for this debate were Mr. Budd Smith, president of Winget Junior College; Mr. Holsouser, dean of Pfeiffer College; and Mrs. A. D. McNeill, of Norwood High School. Phyllis Greer presided as chairman.

The AHS negative team made up of Dickie Cashwell and Vivian Smith and coached by Mrs. Hiram Saunders defeated Lexington's affirmative team in the debates held in Lexington.

The teams debated the query, Resolved: That the Federal Government should initiate a policy of Free Trade among nations friendly to the United States.

Prior to the regional contest, Bill defeated Bobby Barbee from Oakboro to win the county finals, and Mrs. Faye Lanier from Biscoe to win the district contest and the twenty dollar first place prize.

ior class, the vice president from secretary from the rising sophomore class. The treasurer may come from either class.

Petitions requiring 50 signatures were issued for each for each potential candidate. After four days of petitioning the student body was divided into two conventions, which were held March 29 and 30, to select a candidate for each office.

Due to the recent amendment to the constitution, each convention was assured of having two candidates for each office. The registration of the student body followed the conventions, continuing for the next three days.

### Burriss, J. Almond Selected Business Managers For '56

Barbara Holt and Zalotta Harris have been selected as editors of next year's annual and Full Moon, respectively, while Jimmy Almond and Eugene Burriss will serve as business managers of the same publications.

Barbara Holt was selected as editor of the annual not only on the basis of her good scholastic record but also on her extra-curricular activities and her untiring effort to work at any job that is set before her. She has served many offices and positions during her high school career. Being the first person tapped into the National Honor Society recently has been about the biggest honor bestowed on her.

Zalotta Harris, who will edit the Full Moon for the coming year, has been one of the most active persons in her class for several years. She was recently tapped into the honor society and presently is a member of the Junior-Senior prom committee. Besides being a cheerleader and very active in Tri-Hi-Y she also holds a very high scholastic average.

The business managers are two hard working boys whose unending efforts to do a good job seem to please everyone. Both these boys are active in just about everything that takes places around A. H. S. Eugene Burriss, next year's Full Moon business manager, has been one of the main members of the Bible Club for some time. He also holds a place in the Mixed Chorus. Jimmy Almond has been an active member of the Student Council, being chairman of several committees and running for the office of vice-president of the N. C. S. C. C. at Shelby.

These selections were made by the present editors and business managers along with the advisors of these publications from applications filed by those interested in the positions.

The candidates from each convention will be presented to the student body at assembly on April 6. The following day will be devoted to the voting for officers.

## Piano, Voice, Band Students Were Awarded Superior Ratings

Students of the Albemarle High School Music Department made high ratings at the different district contests at Davidson and Salisbury recently.

On February 26 different choral groups and soloists went to the District Ensemble and Soloist Contest at Davidson College. They made the following ratings: boys' double quartet, superior plus; girls' ensemble, superior; Arce Rose Rich, superior plus; Elaine Lowder, superior; Edward Hatley, excellent; Sandra Lentz, excellent; and Roger Saunders excellent.

The different choruses, directed by Mr. Paul Fry, went to the District Contest at Catawba College on March 18. Their ratings were: Mixed Chorus, superior; Ninth Grade Chorus, superior; Boys' Chorus, superior; and Girls' Chorus, excellent plus.

The AHS band received one of the few superior ratings given at the District Contest at Boyden High School on March 19. Mr. Spencer Hatley handed a lot of the praise to Mr. Allan Bone, director of the Duke University Band, who directed the band during the clinic held here last Thursday.

Good ratings were also made by several of Miss Worsham's piano students. Amorelle Tucker, Libby Hatley, and Nancy Caldwell received superior ratings; and Peggy Smith received an excellent plus at the contest in Salisbury on March 19.

## Cashwell Named Morehead Winner

Dickie Cashwell, an outstanding member of the senior class, has recently been awarded one of the coveted John Motley Morehead scholarships given by the University of North Carolina.

Dickie was interviewed by the local Morehead board and the district board. He then went to Chapel Hill, where for three days he was interviewed by members of the central scholarship committee and the trustees' committee of the Morehead Foundation. At the end of his stay in Chapel Hill, it was announced that he, along with several others, would be awarded the scholarship which is valued at \$1,250 each year.

Cashwell is the first Albemarle boy ever to win the Morehead scholarship. He is also the first one from Stanly County to reach the state level in competition.

The scholarships are awarded annually on the basis of all-around desirability and merit.

## By Their Words

"Dating is no longer done at home by the fire, but in the car by the heater."—Coach Webb.

"You can't blame a fellow for trying to get an education."—Ross Mason.

"I got more brains in my head than you'll ever see."—Clyde Hill.

"Anyone who had rather date a girl than go fishing is crazy."—Coach Webb.

"Now nobody loves a practical joke better than I, but please, where are my erasers?"—Mr. Pendergraft.

"You're making a mole out of a mountain hill."—Shirley Lowder.

"My mother and father were twins, but I didn't look alike."—Charles James.

"He hasn't got enough sense to get into an insane asylum."—R. C. Hatley.

"You can't stop a car on a dime."—W. M. Morris.

"I left the car in the keys."—Judy Scaggs.

"I don't know any place they offer French credit for playing golf."—Mr. Cashwell.