

State High School Library Clubs Hold Convention At HPHS

Over 200 delegates from about 75 clubs attended the annual convention of the North Carolina High School Library Association held in High Point High last weekend.

Members arriving before 12 noon were invited to eat lunch in the school cafeteria. Following the registration, which began at 10 o'clock Friday morning, a two-hour session was held in the auditorium. The speaker at this session was Mrs. E. H. Ould, eminent speaker and advisor for young people.

Friday evening a banquet and dance were held at the Sheraton Hotel, with music furnished by Ray Marshall and his orchestra from Winston-Salem. Entertainment was provided by the Racketeers, Frances Irwin, Judy Callahan, and Polly Yow. Bill Bailey acted as master of ceremonies.

At the second session on Saturday morning state officers were

elected for 1954-55. Two awards, the Frank Driscoll Award and the International Relations Award, were presented at this time. Pat Russell, a member of the local club, was chairman of the awards committee.

The first was presented to the club "doing the most outstanding work during the year." The other award was based on the aid given by the club to foreign countries.

L. G. Wilson Travels With Davidson Band

L. G. Wilson, a Junior in home-room 312 has recently returned from a tour to Florida with the Davidson College Band.

L. G. went to Davidson College in February to participate in a band contest. He earned a superior rating with his French horn. Later, he received a letter from the college inviting him to travel with the college band to Florida.

He left with the band on March 28 for a 6-day tour of Florida. While there they went as far south as Palm Beach. The band gave concerts to various schools and colleges.

Another member of the band is Stuart Fountain, High Point High School graduate of '53.

Talent Show Nets Over \$700 Profit

The 1954 Talent Show, under the sponsorship of the Student Council, took in over \$700 in three performances.

The money which was taken in will be used for the purpose of sending delegates to a convention of the Southern Association of Student Councils next year and to send one delegate to the National Association of Student Councils.

Those in charge of the show this year were Dean Mac Pruette, director; Bill Bailey, assistant director; Betsy Lewis, script writer; and Jimmy Casey, master of ceremonies.

The acts included everything from song and dance routines to magic, and there was also a 26-voice chorus.

Greensboro, Winston Take Debate Honors

Highest honors in the triangular debates, in which High Point High School took part, were captured by the Winston-Salem and Greensboro teams.

On March 26, when the rival teams met, Winston-Salem won two victories and Greensboro one.

This forty-second debate of the high school debating union was the culmination of much hard work exploring the query, Resolved: That the President of the United States should be elected by the direct vote of the people.

Margaret Locke and Linda Groome debated on the affirmative side against Winston-Salem in Greensboro. Betsy Lewis and Peggy Kepley took the negative against Greensboro in Winston. Anita Eagle and Bonnie Tilly were alternates; Miss Hatch and Mr. Ousley accompanied the debaters.

While the High Point teams were away, Greensboro's negative and Winston-Salem's affirmative teams conducted their debates here in room 203. Winston was the victor.

Similar elimination contests were being held simultaneously all over the state. As result of winning in the triangle, Winston's two teams and Greensboro's affirmative team participated in the district contest last Thursday.

Each debater presented a 12-minute speech and a four-minute rebuttal.

WHPS Broadcasts Under Difficulties

Due to technical difficulties, WHPS-FM is, at present, able to broadcast only transcribed programs.

Because of defective tubes, the console of WHPS-FM has broken down. The console is the mechanism through which the radio station normally operates. Until it is repaired, no tape recordings will be broadcast. Mainly, the present programs are made up of recorded music and various transcribed features.

The broadcasting hours of the school station still remain the same—in the day time from 9:00 until 3:00 and in the evening from 6:00 until 9:15.

FHA Hears Dr. William Martin At Raleigh Annual Convention

"Next to group singing and family prayer, storytelling is the greatest common denominator of personality. My hope and purpose is that through storytelling, families will be united in a group activity which fosters tolerance and intimate understanding."

This was a comment made by Dr. William Martin, the "Winston Storyteller," who was the speaker at the annual state convention of

the Future Homemakers of America held in Raleigh on April 3.

Fourteen students and Miss Myrle Peoples, adviser, attended the meeting.

During the morning, in addition to the speech by Dr. Martin, there was a presentation of the North Carolina State FHA flag, greetings from the Future Farmers of America, and a brief business session.

The afternoon program consisted of a dramatization, "So Live in Faith," and the conferring of the State Homemaker degrees, one of which went to Harriett Shelton.

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Students Register For Coming Year

Students from Junior, Sophomore, and Freshman classes were permitted to register for their prospective courses here March 26.

Each class assembled in the auditorium on days preceding registration for instruction from Principal D. P. Whitley. Mr. Whitley advised those planning to go to college to pursue those required subjects for college entrance, including modern languages.

Results of the registration show that the number registered for both French I, and solid geometry and trigonometry has doubled since last year. It was also discovered that typing is the most popular non-academic course.

There were 100 students signing up for D. E. or D. O.

It is estimated that next year the enrollment of the high school will increase from approximately 1300 to 1450.

Students undecided about their courses will be given another chance to register at the end of the school year.

7 HPHS Students Visit Nurses' Home

Mrs. Carl Messerschmidt, R. N., acting for the Woman's Auxiliary of the Guilford County Medical Society, last Wednesday afternoon took seven girls who are interested in the nursing profession to the Nurses' Home. There the girls talked to Miss Ruth Willard, R. N., nursing arts instructor and student advisor, about the possibilities of a nursing career.

Christine Andrews, Dorothy Snyder, Shirley Yokley, Sylvia Lester, Carolyn Roberts, Margie McDowell, and Doris Ann Honeycutt are the girls who went to the Nurses' Home. All seven girls have filled out application blanks to go into nurses' training after graduation.

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