

Finley Atkisson Is Elected President Of Class Of '26

FLOOR NOMINEE

Qualifications of a Leader Set Forth by Miss Summerell.

CARLSON AND MOORE DEFEATED

Bob Caveness Elected Manager of Senior Supply Room—William Campbell to Be Assistant Manager.

At a called meeting of semester 6, Monday, May 17, Finley Atkisson was elected president of that class for the year 1926-27. The two nominees put up by the nominating committee were Mary Lunn Carlson and Beverly Moore. Finley Atkisson defeated Mary Jane Wharton in the nomination from the floor.

Prior to the election, Miss Jane Summerell, faculty advisor of the class, spoke on the success of the class in its senior year and the qualities of a leader. "Perhaps the most important qualifications of a class is unity. Without unity, especially in so small a class, it is hard for the class to progress," Miss Summerell stated. "Another thing that is necessary to the success of the class is a division of responsibility." Miss Summerell advised the class to "place responsibility upon as many different leaders as possible." The three qualifications of a senior class president given by Miss Summerell were: (1) a person who knows you well, (2) a person whom you know, whom you can trust to lead you and upon whom responsibility has been successfully placed, and (3) a person whose scholarship is on par with that average student of the class.

Bob Caveness was elected manager of the supply room for the coming year. William Campbell was chosen his assistant.

NEW BOYS CLUB IS RECENTLY ORGANIZED

Get-Together Club Is Backed by Temple Emanuel—However, It Is Strictly Non-Sectarian.

A boys club has been formed in the city drawing the vast majority of its membership from the high school ranks. It is called the Boys Get-Together-Club, and was organized a few months ago with headquarters at the Temple Emanuel on Wainman and Fisher Ave. The Temple board has allowed the organization the use of a large basement room which will be fitted up as a club room and gymnasium.

At present the membership consists of about thirty boys, of whom all but four or five are High School students. John Lindman is president, with Bobby Scott as vice-president, and David Stern as secretary-treasurer. There is a council made up of the three officers, and Jack Wimbish, and Ed Michaels.

Activities so far have been confined to athletics because of lack of facilities for further development; however, plans for expansion including the building of a reading room, the establishment of a library, an increase of gymnasium equipment, possible organization of a dramatic club, and generally, the establishment of increased facilities for boys' activities and pleasures. The directors believe the plan gives great promise for the future.

Among those to whom thanks are due for the successful organization and directorship of the club are Sammy Goode and Joe Armfield who have gone to great trouble to whip the athletic activities into shape, Rabbi Milton Ellis who helped materially in the organization of the group, and Mr. Herbert Falk whose efforts in teaching the group the fundamentals of boxing were warmly received and greatly appreciated. Instructors in the other branches of athletic activities will be asked to give some of their time in the future.

Although the meetings are held at the Temple, the club is strictly non-sectarian.

"How did you get that lump on your head?"

"Oh, that's where a thought struck me."

PRESIDENT CLASS OF '27



FINLEY ATKISSON

COLEMAN TALKS TO BAPTIST BOYS CLUB

Two Vital Questions of Life Discussed—Boys Plan to Disband for Summer.

There are two big questions which every boy must answer for himself in his own heart; every other question in the world will fall under one or the other," Miss Inabelle Coleman told the members of the Baptist's Boy's Club at their regular meeting Monday, May 10.

"Those two questions are 'what shall I do with Jesus,' and 'what shall I do with myself,' Miss Coleman continued. "I've myself", Miss Coleman continued. "If let Jesus enter into our lives and greatest blessing that ever comes to mankind is ours."

In discussing the second question, the speaker discussed the following five points: a God-given purpose for every life; not every boy made for the same work; all honest work is honorable; the importance of choosing for yourself; and the success assured by planning with God in selecting a profession.

Miss Coleman's talk was received with the closest attention by the boys, and evidently made a deep impression upon them.

There will be only three more meetings of the club before it disbands for the summer. Plans are in process of the formation for a final get together and social before disbanding.

COLETRANE TALKS ON THE EXTREMIST

Hi-Y Club Plans Supper for Those Selling Chautauqua Tickets—Party Tonight.

The Hi-Y Club held an important meeting, Wednesday, May 11, at which time business was discussed and Mr. W. Homer Coltrane gave a talk on the "Extremist."

Guy Hill outlined a plan for sponsoring the sale of Chautauqua tickets and the boys expect to put it across. A committee will canvass all the schools in the city also the non-credited schools around the city. A fine supper will be given the individuals who sell as many as five tickets. Plans were also made for a best girl party which will be given tonight.

Mr. Coltrane closed the meeting by a talk on the "Extremist". He stressed the importance of not going to extremes and that doing so would cause one's downfall. He illustrated this by lines of great men who went to the extremes in their work and suffered a miserable death. The boys were urged to take warning from these men and stay within their bounds.

BOYS HEAR TALK BY MR. STEPHENS

Stephens Quartet Renders Several Numbers—Mr. George Dibble Also Sings.

Reverend W. F. (Bill) Stephens talked in chapel Wednesday afternoon, May 5, at the 8th period. His subject was "citizenship". Preceding his talk the tabernacle quartet composed of Mr. George Dibble, Mr. Anton Ceaderholm, Mr. James Heaton, and Mr. W. F. Stephens, sang. Mr. Dibble also rendered several solos, sometimes accompanied by "Brother Bill", who whistled.

Due to the fact that the program began late in the afternoon, the closing bell rang before Mr. Stephens had time to develop his subject very far. The main thought was "Develop your mind and body in order that you may be useful to your country."

SECOND EXTRA OF HIGH LIFE MAKES APPEARANCE

Wednesday, May 12, the second "Extra" of the year was published by the HIGH LIFE staff announcing the election of Willard Watson as president of the student body. The issue consisted of an entirely new front page containing twelve news articles. The same second, fifth, and sixth pages were used as issue number fifteen published May 7.

Editors of HIGH LIFE sold copies of the "Extra" from 8:25 A. M. to 8:45 A. M. Wednesday morning. A total of 250 copies were sold, which will cover the expenses of this extra edition.

RANDOM REFLECTIONS

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the theatres tonight. But right down on Greene street will be unfolded human drama—tragedies, comedies, such as no theatre has ever seen. All the pathos, all the sorrows, all the hope and hopelessness, in the trenches. Greensboro's gold star mothers were added to every day.

Some of them are back in Greensboro today, but do they speak of 1917-18 in France? No, for they would have memories of dying, butchered buddies, of the sickening twist as their bayonet was jerked out of the heart of that German that time, and his life blood spurted forth, called back to them. They have seen the hideous monster, War, face to face. They want no more war.

Will we high school boys who marched down Elm street so jauntily behind our band see the Monster too? Will we wear khaki and bear a murderer's gun on our shoulders? Will we go out to murder and be murdered, for war is nothing but legalized, false-hate-inspired murder? Probably.

George Stephens

Nightly thousands sit on the hard rows of benches under the big wooden tabernacle and thrill to his words. For he packs a message that can come from no mortal source, does that man. When he goes on the platform he seems to become consecrated and moved by some great and unseen Force, for his every action, every inflection of voice, emphasizes and drives home his words in a manner that is beyond the human power of mere mortals.

A truly great evangelist, such as George Stephens undoubtedly is, can sway a crowd, can play upon them, as no great speaker, no talented musician, of golden melodious-voiced singer possibly can. For George Stephens is not alone when he walks upon the deserted platform, under the bright glare of the lights, and a tense silence settles upon the multitudes. No wonder that we mere mortals are silent—for even the most indifferent of us sense the wonder, the love, and the eternal greatness of that other Presence.

SPECIAL MEETING OF DEBATING CLUB

Since Exams. Are Near, the Debating Club Has Cancelled Charlotte Engagement.

Due to the fact that examinations are so near at hand and the members of the debating club are worked unusually hard, the club voted at a special meeting Friday, May 14, to cancel the Charlotte debate which had been planned. Charlotte wanted to debate there and here before school assemblies. This could not be arranged here. They could not furnish an affirmative team on the triangular debating query and the club wished to take the negative. Since the plans could not be carried out in accordance with the challenger's request, it was thought best to not debate. However, the club hopes to debate some city next year before the triangular debate comes off.

BRIGHT OUTLOOK FOR GREENSBORO'S FUTURE

"You High School students are the future citizens of Greensboro, and it is right here in high school that you should prepare yourselves to take up the heavy burden of responsibility that will be yours as such," or something to that effect, is what the majority of speakers in chapel have tried to impress on the student body. If those speakers could have witnessed the fierce political battle that was waged in chapel Monday, May 10, they would feel confident that the future success of Greensboro is insured.

The young politicians advanced splendid arguments in support of their candidates for Student Government President, and showed a marked ability to think quickly in order to break down points of their opponents, and in replying to the pertinent queries of the opposing side. Although, in the heat of enthusiasm, the youthful campaigners lost sight of the fact that "a word spoken can never be recalled," on the whole they acquitted themselves in an orderly and creditable manner. Several "silver tongued orators" as Phil Shelton for instance were brought from most utterly obscurity into the limelight.

If the student body at large continues to fight for what they want and believe to be right with the same spirit that was displayed at the Primary, there is not the least shadow of doubt that the children of the "future citizens of Greensboro" will not dream about a new school as the children of the present citizens do.

THE WORLD COURT DEBATED BY CLUB

At the regular meeting of the Debating Club on Friday, May 7, the World Court question was debated according to the rules and in the manner of the United States House of Representatives. A roll call revealed the assembly to favor the minority report.

The majority report of the standing committee on International Relations was made by Representative Norvell of Illinois, who pictured the whole world thirsting for peace while the United States stands by with disconcert. It was stated that the minority of the committee desired to file a report which was permitted by the speaker. Representative Brooks of Ohio led the minority forces, Representative Wilder of Kansas was one of the outstanding opponents of the bill and the center of several warm tilts and disconcerting questions. The Kansas spokesman's chief antagonists were Representatives McNairy of Washington and McSwain of Missouri, Congressman Moore of California was the target of many of Mr. Wilder's sharp questions. Congressman Cates of Connecticut also upheld the position that the United States should take a place in the World Court of International Justice. Following a vote the House adjourned.

In the brief business meeting which preceded the program, George McSwain was elected as the toastmaster for the forthcoming Debating Club banquet.

HELEN SHUFORD TO LEAD SEMESTER FIVE NEXT YEAR

Is Scholar of High Standing And An All-Around Student.

FINANCIAL REPORT GIVEN

Treasurer Reports Ninety-six Dollars in Treasury—Decide to Sell Candy At "Just Out of College."

At a meeting of the semester five Juniors, Monday, May 17, Helen Shuford was elected President for the coming term. Helen is at present, treasurer of the class. The coming President has all the qualities of a leader. She is a scholar in high standing. She is an active charter member of the new Debating Club. During the past year she has been a member of the Latin Clubs and secretary of her room.

The treasurer in her report stated that there was \$96 in the treasury. The class proposes selling candy at the play *Just Out of College* in order to raise more money.

The remaining officers will be elected at the beginning of next semester.

KILTIE CLUB MEETS

WEDNESDAY, MAY 5

Members Were Entertained by Piano Selections by Mr. A. T. Rowe of the High School Faculty.

Mr. A. T. Rowe of the Greensboro High School faculty, entertained the members of the Kiltie Klub with several piano selections at the First Presbyterian Church, Wednesday, May 5. The club joined in and sang a few of the numbers.

Preceding the program, the debators to represent the organization gave a report of their challenge to the Baptist Boys' club to a debate. The meeting was closed with sentence prayers. Mr. Wunsch, club leader, was absent at the meeting of May 12, and the club was dismissed immediately after supper.

REV. "BILL" STEPHENS COACHES FOOTBALL

Under Captain Lipscombs Leadership the Team Has a Good Chance for State Championship.

Due to the fact that hot weather and examinations have arrived football practice for this year ended May 7. Little was heard around the school about this work that was going on but, nevertheless, a great deal was accomplished. The men were taken out on the field and taught enough football to enable them next fall to have a better chance to make the team and to give Greensboro High a smooth running team. In fact Coach Fordham is confident that much has been accomplished in the preparation of a championship team for next year.

Many new players were out for practice besides several veteran players who are: Captain Ned Lipscomb, Willard Watson, Bill Petree, Ray Henderson, Le Grand Johnson, Charles Burgess, Pete Wyrick, and Willis Hargrove. There are also several of last year's squad on the track team, so this prevented them from being out for spring practice, but they promise to be on hand when practice begins next fall. Rev. "Bill" Stephens helped coach the boys one afternoon in running signals, returning punts, tackling, and other fundamentals of football.

Under the leadership of Captain Lipscomb there is not any reason why next year's team should not give some one a race for the state championship.

"Dear!"

With a glance she tried to cow him. But he only looked sheepish.

"Dog!" she exclaimed.

He choked. There was a frog in his throat. Then realizing he had made a monkey of himself by acting like a bear, he ducked.