

60 Seniors Sign For Washington Trip Planned For May 1-4

Reynolds, Durham Secure Admissions For Students To Enter Public Buildings

With the names of approximately 60 students already on the "paid" list, Principal A. P. Routh is now completing final preparations for the annual senior trip to Washington. Leaving from the Y. M. C. A. on two busses, Thursday morning, May 1, at 6 o'clock, the group plans to remain in the capital city three days at the Ambassador hotel, and to return Sunday, May 4, by way of the Skyline drive and Endless caverns, New Market, Virginia.

Stops on the tour include the Federal Bureau of Investigation, the Pan-American building, the Supreme court, and the New National art gallery.

Mr. Routh has received entrance passes to public buildings and the White House from Senator Robert R. Reynolds and Congressman Carl Durham. The students, therefore, will have an opportunity to see the Senate and the House in session.

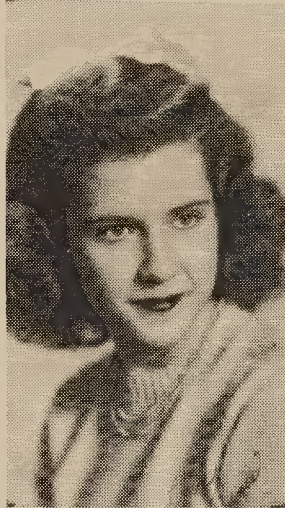
Chaperons Announced

Miss Mary Ellen Blackmon, Mrs. Blanche Smith, and Mr. and Mrs. Routh will accompany the group.

Students who have signed up for the trip are as follows: Martie McLennan, Mildred Robertson, Beverly Heitman, Horace Kornegay, Mary Lee Jacobs, Rose Holderfield, Mary Jane Laughon, Katherine Sineath, Frances Winslow, Nancy Cowherd, Dorothy Sitz, Bella Prince, Amelia McNeill, Rachel Baxter, Richard Kiser, Faye Sprinkle, Elaine Rierson, Herman Cone, Ford Little, Doris Jones, Mamie Hedgepeth, Mary Grace Maus, Ann Glass, Francis Stallings, Margaret Welker, John Pleasants.

George Whittington, Sara Jeffress, Alvin Waynick, Miriam Young, Elzie Gordon, Frances Stone, Catherine Carter, Berry Reid, Lois Hutton, Warren Milloway, Dorothy Baughn, Henriette Mangel, Bayard Whitehurst, Paul Stewart, J. B. Bateman, Eva Allen Travis, Jane Sloan, Dorothy Collins, Bobby Beane, Clarice Crutchfield, John Menses, Hazel Snipes, Tom Mitchell, Aleta Overstreet, Mary Hampton Scott, Pat Fordham, Donald Durham, Virginia Haynes, Peggy O'Connell, John Person, Jeanne Nowell, Jane Eller, Mary Jo Phippin, and Evelyn Glass.

Dance Chairman



After a fortnight of intense work, Jean Garber, general chairman for the student council dance, relaxes to await the results of her work tonight.

Council Dance Begins At Armory At 8:30

For the first time in the recent history of Senior high school, students will dance under school sponsorship and supervision when the student council entertains with an informal dime dance tonight at the Armory, from 8:30 to 11:45.

Jean Garber, general chairman for the event, Joe McBane, Martha Sholar, and Dianne Page compose the committee in charge of arrangements, while sponsors include Mell Alexander and Martha Sholar, of the junior class, and Miriam Young and Dianne Page, seniors.

Four Committees Participate

Bill Halladay, Charlie Weill, Betty Jo Ferrell, Margaret Welker, and Jewel Hyatt, members of the floor committee, will see that the dance runs smoothly.

Sale of soft drinks and crackers will be under the direction of the refreshment committee, composed of Bill Brinkley, Beverly Heitman, Herbert Hattaway, and Jean Holleyman.

Bobby Perry, Lelia Atkinson, Douglass Hunt, and Eleanor White will

(Continued on Page Five)

State Music Students Assemble in City For 22nd Contest

Local Band to Compete Friday Afternoon or Night; 25 Groups Participate

As 25 North Carolina bands convene in Greensboro today for the twenty-second annual state music contest at Woman's college, Greensboro high school's band will compete against the four other class A groups late today or tonight. An announcement of the time will be made over the amplifying system today.

The selections the local group will play are "King Orry Rhapsody," by Hayden Wood, and the first movement of Borodin's "Second Symphony."

No Evening Concert

Breaking the usual custom of concluding the meeting with a concert, there will be no concert this year. The band parade, however, will be held at 4:30 Thursday afternoon.

To judge the contest, the music committee has secured the services of Jan Barnum, from Northwestern university, John Henry from Stetson university, and Fred Dreskell from Columbia university.

Last year the local musical group was the only one of the class A bands, Salisbury, Greensboro, Winston-Salem, Rocky Mount, and Raleigh, to win a 1 rating; hence it was the only group that did not have to attend the preliminary meeting at Winston.

Speech Contestants Go to Wake Forest

As they downed all opponents last week in the eliminations sponsored by the speech class and debating club, Aleta Overstreet, Frances Hodgkin, Douglass Hunt, and Paul Miller will represent Greensboro in the state oratorical contest at Wake Forest college, April 24.

Declamation Contest

In the declamation contest last Monday, Aleta Overstreet won first place with the selection, "Freedom in Our Society," by Dorothy Thompson; Nancy Cowherd rated second, and Faye Sprinkle third. Contestants for the after-dinner speaking event competed Tuesday, April 8, but no first places were awarded. Mell Alexander and Herman Messimore, however, tied for a second ranking.

Hedgin Wins Oration

Frances Hodgkin's winning oration on the subject of labor problems was the sole award, the judges giving no other places in this division.

In the final eliminations, April 10, Douglass Hunt won the extemporane-

(Continued on Page Eight)

School Board to Provide Seniors With Added Year

Under the conditions provided by the Greensboro school board at its meeting Tuesday night, approximately 27 students have planned to become members of the present junior class. To stay, a senior must present a signed statement that his parents wish him to remain an additional year and that they approve of the schedule planned by the student. This tentative program must provide an adequate course of study to merit the extra year of study.

Students Moved Thursday

Seniors wishing to stay over were informed immediately about the acceptance of their applications and were moved from senior to junior home-rooms. "The purpose of this," declared Principal A. P. Routh, "is to move these new 'juniors' away from seniors so that seniors may make plans for graduation as a unit."

College Day to Attract 30 Delegates, April 25

Juniors Elect Marshals For Senior Exercises

Marshals for the senior commencement exercises, June 1, 5, and 6, were chosen yesterday, when junior class members voted for seven boys and seven girls from 28 possible candidates. The students who will serve as ushers for the graduation are as follows: Neil Beard, Emory Green, Rex Hobbgood, Ralph Kay, Bob McFarland, Dave Sewell, O. B. Teague, Mell Alexander, Peggy Clendenin, Virginia Davis, Dottie Inabinet, Jean Lowe, Emily Sills, and Margaret Wilkerson.

Billy Donald, president; Charles Vache, vice-president; and Jane Morrison, secretary-treasurer, junior class officers, will automatically serve as marshals.

In serving the senior class, the junior marshals will usher at the Sunday afternoon concert given by the choir, a group will work at the baccalaureate sermon, June 1, and the full body will serve at the pageant, Thursday night, June 5, and the graduation exercises Friday, June 6.

Prospects Excellent For Technical School

News that a technical high would soon be established in Greensboro was disclosed by Ben L. Smith, superintendent of public schools, today.

Tentative plans call for setting up two divisions of the school: one at Greensboro Senior high, where another building would be constructed on the campus corresponding to the science building, and another at Dudley high," Mr. Smith declared. Having been assured of appropriations necessary for securing three additional teachers to direct such a project, the local school board has issued an appeal to the

(Continued on Page Eight)

Scholastic Press Institute To Convene in Chapel Hill

Having worked out a program of talks, open forum discussions, and critical clinics for individual papers, the North Carolina Scholastic Press Institute will hold its fifth annual meeting at Chapel Hill, May 2 and 3.

A tentative program includes not only discussions of "News and News Features," "Headlines and Makeup," "Business and Circulation," but also a contest to recognize the best editorials written for the state high school press.

Harris Proctor, Durham, will act as chairman and will assist Walter Spearman, instructor of the department of journalism of the University of North Carolina and director of the event, as host to the four official delegates representing each high school publication in the state.

Sea Scout Social Cruise To Take Place April 27

Preparation for the annual sea scout social cruise at High Rock lake, to take place Sunday, April 27, are progressing rapidly under the direction of the S. S. S. Davy Jones.

The event will begin at nine Sunday morning, and will last the entire day. Boats used for the cruise will be the 26-foot Buccaneer, the 18-foot Hagaki, and four motor boats.

Harvell, Armstrong, Davis, And Lewis Arrange Lunch; Ben L. Smith to Be Guest

With plans completed for College day, April 25, Beverly Heitman, student chairman, announced yesterday the schedule for students to confer with college representatives, who will be stationed in the library and in a second floor study hall. Students will be allowed to visit them in the following order:

9:00-10:00—part-time students.
10:00-11:00—home rooms 16, 10, 4, 12, 2.
11:00-12:00—home rooms 7, 3, 27, 14.
12:00-12:50—home rooms 8, 300, 6, 202.

Torchlight guides will meet the college guests in the foyer of the main building, where they will register and secure tags with name of their school.

Colleges to Attend

The following co-educational colleges accepted the invitation to attend: the University of North Carolina, Guilford college, Elon, High Point, Eastern Carolina Teachers' college, Mars Hill, Catawba, Lenoir Rhyne, William and Mary, Furman, and Duke.

Girls' colleges to send delegates include Hollins, Greensboro, Woman's College of the University of North Carolina, Peace, Meredith, Flora MacDonald, Sullins, Queens, Salem, Randolph-Macon, and Fairmont.

Business Schools Coming

The Citadel, Virginia Polytechnic institute, State, Davidson, Washington and Lee, and Wake Forest will represent boys' schools. The only two business colleges to send delegates will be McClung's and King's.

At 1:40 Mrs. Allen Strand's fifth period home economics class will serve lunch to the representatives in room 15. Miss Elizabeth Harvell, Sara Armstrong, Elsie Lewis, and Marion Davis are working on the menu and decorations. Ben L. Smith, superintendent of the city schools, will be a special guest.

After the luncheon, parents who are interested in talking to the representatives may meet them in the library for special conferences.

Nominees For Officers Made By Playmasters

Playmasters' nominating committee, composed of Martie McLennan, chairman, and Marian Morris and Hope Thornburg, members, met this week to select candidates for the offices of president and vice-president of the club. Since the offices of secretary and treasurer will be filled from next fall's incoming class, it was necessary to choose only rising seniors for this election.

At the organization's next meeting, in addition to the election, senior members will hand in a list of their activities during the year, and a vote will be taken to determine the recipient of the Playmaster trophy. The cup will be awarded at commencement as usual.

High Schools Send 256 Contestants to Debate

With the query, "Resolved—That the United States should adopt a policy of requiring one year of military training of all able-bodied men before they reach the age of 23," 256 debaters from 64 North Carolina high schools began yesterday a two-day competition in the finals of the 29th annual contest at the University of North Carolina.

The North Carolina High School Debating union is sponsoring the debate. The contestants, both affirmative and negative, are the winners of the state-wide triangular debates held March 28.

Spring Brings Such Things! Harems, Sunnings, Peroxide

Up and down, arm in arm, big ones, little ones, skinny ones, fat ones, they parade in an incessant stream along the walkway down front at lunch periods—gossiping girls, starchy-eyed room-masters, open air bull sessionists—all familiar sights on Ye Olde Campus Grounds, now that spring is really spring.

In the shade of the pines lie assorted nudes, some chewing grass stems, some reclining in blissful slumber with a book spread over their happy faces, some languorously memorizing Hamlet's soliloquy.

In the sunshine, "Pete" Byrd solemnly conducts his newly-revived harem: half a dozen juniors scramble madly through a game of leap frog.

Stretched out with limbs as long, sun-tan crazy females lie barelegged under the violet rays, trying for the first sunburn—and as a literal crowning glory to the setting, a recent brunette dries her golden tresses in the sun after a second application of the magic liquid, for she's now a blonde, by proxy!

State Department to Hold Annual Business Contest

With Vance Littlejohn as chairman and William A. Richards as treasurer, the State Business department will hold a contest in all high schools in the state the week of April 23. The subjects, which include general business, typing, shorthand, business law, and sales, will be handled by an advisory board of nine persons selected throughout the state.

State High Schools to Add Twelfth Grade in '42-'43

According to Lloyd Griffin, secretary of the State School commission, North Carolina school units, as a whole, will not be able to add the 12th grade until 1942-43.

Griffin stated that, while the legislature authorized the extra year, the appropriation of about \$50,000 required for the establishment would not be available for general use until 1942.