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Gail Kirkman Selected Homecoming Queen

Many School Leaders Introduced To Pupils In Assembly Program

"Know your School," the theme of the assembly program Tuesday, September 27, was designed to present students with more knowledge of the student leaders of the school.

Philip J. Weaver, assistant superintendent of Greensboro public schools, was the speaker for the occasion. A Duke University graduate, Mr. Weaver stated that school is what the individual makes it and that those who give rather than receive are the ones who make GHS not only the biggest but also the best high school.

Before the devotion, given by Louise McGee, senior, Danny Thompson, sophomore, accompanied by senior Lisa Anderson, sang "Silently Into the Night." Dick Robinson, Senior Class president, then announced the sophomore registration and election dates.

Bob Herford, student body vice-president, recognized all home room presidents, after which Houston Groome, pres., of the student body, acknowledged the council members of 1955-56. Those from the Senior Class are Leon Boggs, Wayne Griffin, Gail Kirkman, Zade Turner, Janie Walters and Bill Williamson. Representing the Junior Class are Bob Baynes, Susan Brooks, Buck Hoyle, Nancy Lambeth, Jane Lynch, Karl Ray, Harriet Wells, and Pete Wyrick.

Traffic chief, Manley Dodson, introduced the new squad members and Payton Neal, junior, told of bookroom activities. He stated that there are 16,000 books for use at GHS this year.

Mitchell Cook recognized this year's stage crew and Bob Herford acknowledged the bus drivers.

Bose Ravenel, business manager of WHIRLIGIG, told of the year-book's progress. Editor of HIGH LIFE, Jim Martin, introduced several of the staff members and announced the subscription drive soon to begin.

Recognition was also given Mrs. Margaret Malone, school secretary, and Mrs. Albright, the new cafeteria manager for Senior High.



Torchlight Members Pick Lisa Anderson President

Lisa Anderson, senior, was elected president of the Torchlight National Honor Society Thursday, September 22, by the five members of Torchlight.

Other officers assisting Lisa are Janie Walters, vice-president, and Gail Kirkman, secretary. The treasurer will be elected after the new members are tapped this fall. John Gardiner and Leon Boggs are the other members. Miss Sara Mims, head of the English department, will continue advising Torchlight this year.

The first activity of this year for the Torchlight members will be on October 19 when they will be host for the annual College Day. Also planned for this year

are the two tappings; the one in the fall will be for seniors only. The second one in the spring is for both juniors and seniors.

The exact date of the ceremony and the names of the new members to be tapped will not be released except to members of Torchlight and their adviser Miss Mims until the tapping takes place.

To be eligible for Torchlight, students must excel in leadership, service, character, and scholarship. In preparations for the tapping, seniors with averages of 90 or above have been filling out sheets of paper listing all their various activities. Torchlight members are planning to buy electric torches to

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Walters And Turner Are Selected To Be Co-sponsors Of Senior High

Gail Kirkman was chosen Monday, September 31 by the football squad to reign as Queen of the Homecoming Celebration October 21 during the half-time of the Greensboro-Reidsville game.

Houston Groome, president of the GHS student body, will escort Gail. Since her sophomore year, when she was secretary, has served on the Student Council and has been a member of Torchlight during her junior and senior years. She is a cheerleader this year.

Egbert Elected Prexy Of 1955 Playmasters

Officers for the 1955 Playmasters, Senior's Dramatic Club, have been selected with Gordayne Egbert serving the group as president.

Jackie Mabie was elected vice-president; Elizabeth Antrim, secretary; and Mike Powell, treasurer.

This group of 37 thespians meet to pool their dramatic talents each day at seventh period. Once a year they put on a paid performance which displays the fruits of their efforts for the student body.

"Our Hearts Were Young and Gay," a comedy in three acts, has been selected as this year's major production. It will be dramatized in November.

In addition to the 17 acting parts in the play, there will be jobs dealing with scenery supervision, make-up, props and business transactions. All the plans are incomplete, but the cast will be disclosed as soon as possible.

Miss Mozelle Causey is in charge of the dramatic aspirants and has supervised debates, oration contests, and play productions.

Junior Varsity Clubs Tangle In Game Here

Tomorrow night at 8 o'clock the junior varsity clubs from the Universities of North and South Carolina tangle in a Kiwanis-sponsored benefit game at the Senior High stadium.

The aggregation of businessmen and civic leaders who are members of the Greensboro chapters of Kiwanis International have promoted the game as a service project. Proceeds from the admission charge will be divided for three uses. Twenty-five per cent of the one dollar per person cost will go to the school selling the tickets. The campaign has been organized at Senior by the Key Club, the high school service club sponsored by Kiwanis. Tickets may still be obtained from any club member or from the school store.

A second percentage of the profits will be donated to a fund for establishing children's playgrounds throughout the city. The remainder will be used to defray the expenses of staging the game.

An hour long band program provided by all the musical organizations in the city school system will furnish half-time entertainment.

Superlatives Chosen By Senior Class Pupils

Members of the Senior Class have recently completed the election of superlatives for the 1955-56 year. Votes are being counted by the Senior Class officers and Miss Ida Belle Moore. There have been no additions, or subtractions from those superlatives of last year.

The Student Council elected Janie Walters and Zade Turner as the co-sponsors of Senior High. Her escort will be the boy of her choice.

Betty Bell and Kelly Maness, from the Class of '54, and Sue Simmons and Jimmy Jordon, from the Class of '55, have been chosen for the alumni sponsor.

Betty Bell, who was secretary of the student body in 1953-54, was a member of the Student Council her sophomore and senior years; was in Torchlight during her junior year and secretary during her senior year. She was a cheerleader during her three years to Senior High and was voted "most courteous girl" in her Senior Class.

Serving as president of the Student Council in 1953-54 was Kelly Maness. He was a member of the WHIRLIGIG staff, Key Club, choir, Torchlight, Youth Center Council, and the Hi-Y Club. He was voted the "most popular boy" in the Class of '55.

Sue Simmons, Senior High's sponsor for the homecoming game last year, was a member of the Student Council for two years, and was vice-president of the student body in 1954-55. She was in the May Court all three years at GHS and was in the choir during her last two years.

President of the student body last year, Jimmy Jordon was also the Junior Class president during his junior year and was voted "most popular boy" in his Senior Class.

Reidsville High will elect their own sponsors for the game.

The entertainment for the Celebration will be furnished by the band and choir. The numbers which they will do together includes "The Surrey With the Fringe On Top," "Oh What a Beautiful Morn'g," "People Will Say In Love," and "Oklahoma."

The sponsors will be introduced during the half-time.

The committee working on plans for the Homecoming Game is Wayne Griffin, Nancy Lambeth, Jane Lynch, Bill O'Brien, and Bunk Hoyle.

Kay Wrenn, graduate of 1955, was the Homecoming Queen last year during the Greensboro-Salisbury game. She was escorted by Jimmy Jordon.

Students Begin Sales To Increase Funds

Greensboro High's Sophomore and Junior Classes have gotten under way with their annual class sales which began two weeks ago and continued through Friday, September 30.

The Junior Class began by selling engraved and plain stationery, which sold for \$1 a box. Each home room was responsible for selling a certain number of boxes.

The class will follow the stationery sale by a fruit cake sale for Thanksgiving, for which the

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Sophomore Class Candidates Presented

Candidates for all Sophomore Class offices were presented at a special sophomore assembly Wednesday, September 28 by Dick Robinson, president of the Senior Class.

Registration of all sophomore voters was Tuesday and Wednesday, September 27 and 28, under the supervision of the Student Council. Voting took place Thursday, September 29 with Dick Robinson in charge of the elections.

Only 90 students out of the approximately 685 sophomores vied for an office. This figure is less than that of last year although the class is 80 students larger.

Prexy Candidates

Six candidates placed their name on the ballot for the office of president. They were, along with their campaign managers, John Burwell, whose manager was Jack Field; Boyce Crothers, with Carol Weitzel as his campaign manager; Jay Deifell, with Peggy Sink as his campaign manager; Rob Grant,

managed by Jim West; Wallace Williams, whose manager was Roy Michaw; and Kennie Miller, with Melvin Kriegsman acting as campaign manager.

Vice-presidents on the ballot included Steve Bernholz, Susan Levine, Cynthia Parkins, Anne Robinson, Rufus Russell, John Stanton, Eddie Stubbins, Ronnie Murrelle, and Prissy Wyrick.

The position of secretary was sought by eight students. They were Denny Broadhurst, Linda Cashwell, Margaret Cox, Jeris Edwards, Sally Parkins, Carolyn Orell, Carolyn Pattishall, and Paula Sain.

Ann Davis, Nancy Hewett, Meyressa Hughes, Nancy McDowell, Stanford Neerman, Joe Ritchie, Harry Smith, and Linda Thompson were the eight sophomores competing for the office of Sophomore Class treasurer.

Nine students were chosen out of the 59 contenders for the position of Student Council representative. This number vying for the job is nine less than those bidding for the office last year. The

candidates were Mary Lee Adams, Kenny Aydelette, Elayne Battle, Brenda Barnett, Pat Bowser, Nancy Brady, Riley Brown, Rusty Brown, Evelyn Byrd, Connie Coltrane, Bobbie Cook, Kit Cooper, Pat Ellis, Jimmy Eskridge, Pat Garrett David Garrison, Spencer Gaylord, Tommy Glascock, Jack Fjeld, Julia Graham, Mac Hall, Bob Hammers, Linda Harrison, Sandra Holderness, and Judith Lea.

Representatives

Others running for the Student Council representative office were Sandra McDonald, Jimmy McGregor, Lynn McGregor, Becky McQueen, Willford Lineweaver, Lois Lynch, Carolyn Manuel, Jean Medearis, Roy Michaw, Elizabeth Miller, Chas. Mills, Marilyn Pearce, Linda Pultz, Betty Rose, Joe Scruggs, Judy Shope, Rita Stevenson, Bonnie Sikes, Peggy Sink, Janice Smith Judy Snyder, Edgar Stockwell, Florence Somers, Sarah Jo Stanley, Betsy Stevens, Angelyn Stokes, Frances Taylor, Becky Tuck, Katesy Webb, Kathryn Weikel, Carol Weitzel Kitty White, and Ann Wolfe.