



ROYALTY POSES — The King and Queen of Hearts, Harvey Reinhardt of Hillsboro, and Jean Duck of Franklin, Va., appear with their attendants, left to right, Bill McCants of Wyoming, Del., Judy White, Hampton, Va., the King and Queen of Hearts, Chuck Barham, Raleigh, and Janelle Langley of Rocky Mount. The party was sponsored by the Baptist Student Union.

## CARMEN

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 dered Jose back to camp. The Corporal refused a fight and Jose was forced to escape with Carmen and her smuggler friends.

At the smugglers mountain hideout, Carmen, already tired of her soldier, welcomed the arrival of Escamillo. A superstitious girl tells Carmen that she has discerned from the cards that her life will end tragically. Miceala again appeared, bringing word to Jose that his mother was dying. Taunted by Carmen, he left with the threat that he would be back.

Carmen, visiting with her new lover, Escamillo, was warned by friends that Jose had been spotted in the crowd outside. She was determined to have it out with him, although she was convinced that in so doing her life was at stake.

Jose, mad with jealousy, pleaded with her repeatedly to leave with him. Scornfully refusing, she declared her love for him was dead. As she rushed by him, Jose stabbed her and fell beside her body, grief-stricken, as the curtain closes.

## DIRECTOR

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He has traveled some 13,000 miles visiting the schools and recruiting new students.

Mr. Cadle says more students have already been enrolled for the fall term, beginning in September, than were enrolled at the same time last year.

With the new 116-bed dorm ready by September—and this is the hope of the administration—it is hoped that Chowan will reach a goal of 500 students for the fall term. There were some 450 enrolled last fall.

# Royalty Elected at Annual B. S. U. Party

By AUDREY MARRINER

On Wednesday night, February 10, at 7:30, in the auditorium, the B. S. U. sponsored its annual Valentine party. The various student organizations nominated both a boy and girl as candidates for King and Queen of Hearts.

Miss Jean Duck of Franklin, Va., and Harvey Reinhardt, of Hillsboro, were crowned King and Queen of Hearts for 1960. Miss Geneva Congleton, the 1959 Queen of Hearts, and her escort, James Albright, crowned the new King and Queen, who represented the Freshman class.

Other candidates were: Chowanian—Annie Pearl Braswell, Nashville, and Raymond James, Raeigh; Phi Theta Kappa—Serina Davis of Davis, and Roy Earl Parker, Pandleton; Chowanoka—Judy Piant of Winton, and John Griffin, Yanceyville; Y. W. A.—Janelle Langley of Rocky Mount, and Chuck Barham, Raleigh; Sophomore Class—Peggy Carr of Pinetops, and McCoy Dilday, Colerain; NEA—Judy White of Hampton, Va., and Bill McCants, Wyoming, Del.

Each candidate for queen had a wrist corsage of red carnations and candidates for king had white boutonnières. Queen Jean received a bouquet of red and white carnations which formed a heart.

The students attended a reception in the recreation room of the girls dorm after the crowning.

The activities were directed by Janice White, Princess Anne, Va., and her committee.

# Bill Sowell Subject of Scout Story

Editor's note: William B. (Bill) Sowell, instructor in the School of Graphic Arts at Chowan College, was the subject of a story on Boy Scout work that appeared recently in the Virginian-Pilot. He was one of the first "We Are Proud Of . . ." subjects to appear in The Chowanian. And we are still very proud of this Chowan alumnus. The Virginian-Pilot story, which follows, was written by Mrs. Roy Johnson of Murfreesboro.

MURFREESBORO, N. C.—"I enjoy going out camping, working with boys and seeing them advance," William B. Sowell, scoutmaster of Murfreesboro Boy Scout Troop 125, declares.

The boys, sensing that he has a genuine interest in them, are fond of their leader who has a calm dignity which demands respect. Though he is firm in discipline the boys feel that he is one of them, especially on weekend camping trips when they play, work, and learn together.

### Graphic Arts Instructor

Sowell is graphic arts instructor at Chowan College which he entered as a student in 1953. He is continuing his studies in education at Chowan while teaching and expects to transfer to East Carolina College during the summer to gain his degree in vocational education. He says he expects to continue



William B. Sowell

with the graphic arts department at Chowan.

He met his wife, June Tucker of Sligo, while he was a student instructor and she a graphic arts student. They have a son, Berry, 3. Mrs. Sowell's father, William Tucker of Sligo, was awarded the Silver Beaver award this month in Norfolk for outstanding work with boys.

### South Carolinian

Sowell was born in 1930 in Pageland, S. C., where he was an active scout and graduated from high school. He served 4½ years in the Coast Guard and says the experience was very valuable. He believes that every young man should enter service, for he has noticed the

great improvement in many boys as a result of the training they receive.

Bill, as he is called, sings in the choir of the Murfreesboro Methodist Church. He is also a Mason.

Fishing is one of his main hobbies. He enjoys golf and likes to attend all sports events.

### Scouting Develops Citizens

"Scouting helps develop good citizens. It teaches responsibility, gives boys the opportunity to work with and be associated with other boys, and teaches them useful skills." Sowell says he can see a difference in boys who are scouts.

The local Rotary Club sponsors the Boy Scouts, and several dozen men and women of the community serve as expert councilors for help in securing merit badges.

### Much Progress

The scouts have made much progress since Sowell began helping them nearly five years ago.

Scoutmaster Sowell is proud of his 24 Boy Scouts and 8 Explorer Scouts, especially for the community service they render in helping with various drives and programs and for their individual progress. There are five Star Scouts—Bucky Wise, Newsome Williams, Walter Hill, Terry Evans, and Sonny Lackey, the last two of whom have completed requirements for Life rank but must remain as Stars for three months before being

promoted. Charles Johnson is the lone Eagle of the troop.

### Rotarians Help

Last summer the Rotarians sent Jimmy Stephenson to Philmont Scout Ranch, New Mexico. Bucky Wise and Sonny Lackey also attended.

Joe Evans and his nephew, Terry Evans, are planning to attend the National Boy Scout Jamboree at Colorado Springs this summer.

In the summer of 1957 Walter Hill, Newsome Williams and Charles Johnson were assisted by the Rotary Club in attending the National Jamboree at Valley Forge.

A large number of local scouts plan to attend the camporee near Rich Square in April. The scouts and their master take numerous camping trips throughout the year.

Seven Methodist scouts are working on the God and Country award with the assistance of their pastor, the Rev. Owen Fitzgerald. This requires one year to complete.

Always remember, there's never been a boss as ignorant as his employees think he is.

"Hold up on that finished layout, Harry, Mr. Jones just called it a finished sketch."

The trouble with those soft jobs—they're so hard to hold!

Habit is like a soft bed—easy to get into but hard to get out of.

Kindness is a hard thing to give away. It usually comes back.