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## Dr. Stevenson, Yale Graduate, to Be Guest Speaker April 22-4

Religious Emphasis Theme: "Students' Need for Religion"

Morning Watches Held

This year's Religious Emphasis Week will be held April 22-24, with the Reverend Dwight E. Stevenson, Minister of Bethany Memorial Church, Bethany, West Virginia, as the main speaker.

The theme for this year is "College Students' Need for Religion." It will be remembered that the theme last year was "Life's Foundation." There is a very close connection between the two themes, and the opinion is that each student should benefit highly from the week of religious experiences.

The Reverend Stevenson, a graduate of Yale University, is Instructor of Philosophy at Bethany College and is also Director of Student Religious Activities and for six years has served as Minister of the Bethany Church. Morning Watch

For several weeks the Y. W. C. A. has been sponsoring morning watch in a pre-religious emphasis period. At the beginning the attendance was small, but with good programs and inspirational meditations, the attendance swelled.

To Talk In Chapel

On Tuesday, April 22, the Reverend Stevenson will speak during the morning chapel period and also conduct the evening vesper services at 7:00.

The following day Dr. Howard W. Odum of the University of North Carolina will speak from the platform of the Howard Chapel.

Personal interviews will be held during the week and the evening vesper services will be under the direction of the Rev. Stevenson.

### TRIPS

## Glee Club to Tour Eastern Churches

This spring the College Glee Club is expecting a busy season. As usual, the Glee Club began making trips at the first sign of warm weather. Already they have visited Waltonsburg, Farmville, Vanceboro, Kinston, Belhaven, and Red Oak.

It is the custom of the "songsters" to travel over the eastern part of the state during the spring of the year, giving programs in the different churches. Every Sunday the college bus is seen out on the highways, dutifully (Continued on page four)

### Sigma Tau Chi Places

## Juniors Sponsor Stunts

By I. ROSE

About all I know is what I learn while "snooping around." But it doesn't take "snooping around" to learn a few things when Stunt Night comes around. Some people's ability to act just "pops" out.

Of course, every one knew that Sigma Tau Chi's stunt would be among the leading ones, since they have such outstanding actresses as Johnny Green and Virginia Lancaster; but who would have thought they would walk away with "top honors?" Agnes Best, impersonating a squirrel, must have caught the judges' eye.

Boy, oh boy! Did "Peewee" put on an act with his "T model" Ford or not? Frankly, folks, I think he did, and I'm certain the judges thought so, too. At least his cranking, Burney's noise, and all the tires going flat, won second prize for the "A" Club. Sometimes I wonder if the orig-

### Publications Elections

## Watson, Woodall to Head Paper; Beard, Eagles Annual

### Editor Collegiate



KIRBY WATSON

### Stoney Defeated by Popular Vote

Closely contested Spring Elections brought to light the interest the students have in the Publications, as they elected Kirby Watson, editor of the Collegiate; Ruth Beard, editor of the Pine Knot; George Woodall, business manager of the Collegiate; and Charles Eagles, business manager of the Pine Knot.

Mr. Watson won by defeating Virginia Lancaster and Joe Holliday on the first balloting. "Kirby," as the campus knows him, is a sophomore and for the past year has been Sports Editor of the Collegiate. He is outstanding both in campus and local Wilsonian lights.

Miss Beard was elected in one of the closest contested of races over Miss Elizabeth Stoney of Winston-Salem. Miss Beard is very much interested in the field of journalism at present holding positions on the Collegiate and Pine Knot staff and being college reporter for the Wilson Daily Times. The Y. W. C. A. is another of her important extracurricular activities.

Mr. Woodall was elected by defeating Earl Hardison in the second run-off, Preston Parsons having been eliminated earlier in the campaign. Mr. Woodall is active in the Y. M. C. A. He is chemistry lab. instructor and has held several important positions in his fraternity.

Mr. Eagles was elected business manager of the Pine Knot by eliminating "Bill" Gray from the race. Mr. Eagles is a member of the Phi Kappa Alpha fraternity, being secretary this year. He is a member of the Quester's Club, the Y. M. C. A., the band, and will be a courtier for May Day this year.

### Pageant

## Sorority Sponsors Joint Y Program

Isabelle Williams Writes and Directs Pageant

The YW and YM met jointly on Monday night, March 31, in the Howard Chapel to observe the pageant "Came the Dawn," presented by the Sigma Tau Chi sorority. The pageant was written and directed by Isabelle Williams, a senior of the sorority. The pageant truly stirred the Easter spirit and emotions in all who were present.

Those taking part were: Angels—Virginia Lancaster and Lina Edwards; Women—Lillian Guthrie, Minnie Dees, and Carthene Hoell; Guards—Eleanor Blow and Dolly White; Peter—Frances Nelson; Disciples—Agnes Best, Sarah Fulghum, Marguerite Lane, Ann Wainwright, Carrie Davis May; Poet—"Johnny" Green; Reader—Isabelle Williams; Electrician—Betty Miller. Music was sung by Sally Lucas, Claudia Lucas, Howard James, and Charlie Harrison. Mary Colones accompanied at the organ.

This pageant brought the biggest crowd of the year to a meeting of this type.

It is hoped that this program will stimulate the other Greek letter groups to take a more active

### UNC Glee Club

The Glee Club of the University of N. C., Chapel Hill, will present a program of "Music and Words" in Howard Memorial Chapel, April 25, at 8:00 o'clock. This program is under the auspices of the Entertainment Committee, headed by Miss Susan Allen Waller. Arrangements are being made with Pat Whiston, Business Manager of the club.

### Cooperative Assoc. Elections

## Aldridge Named President; Williams, Vice-President; Blake Treasurer, Davis Secretary

### Colones Director of Concerts; May Day by Denning

Norma Clay Defeats Libby Ann for Marshall

For the coming year the Entertainment Committee will be headed by Miss Mary Colones and Miss Madeline Denning will direct the May Day program. Miss Norma Clay Daniels has been elected chief marshal.

Miss Colones was elected chairman of concerts over Jack Martin. She is a member of the Junior class, and until this semester has been a bus student. Her short stay on the campus has already revealed her capabilities.

Miss Denning defeated Margaret "Maggie" Glover to win the position as chairman of May Day. Madeline is well known to the students for her musical talent; she is the youngest member of the Rotary Club, chief postmistress, manager of the "Y" store, treasurer of the Y. W. C. A., and represents the Junior class on the Woman's Dormitory Council.

Miss Daniels was chosen chief marshal over Elizabeth Ann Nall. Miss Daniels is a town student, active in campus activities, serving at present on the Women's Dormitory Council. She is at present biology lab instructor and vice-president of the present Junior class.

Y. W. C. A.

Newly elected officers of the Y. W. C. A., chosen by "Y" members are: president, Ida Earl Pierce; vice-president, "Lib" Stoney; secretary, Earle Williams; treasurer, Irene Langston.

Miss Pierce has been active in the Y. W. C. A. during her three years at A. C. C. Running against her were Virginia Lancaster and "Lib" Stoney. Miss Lan-

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### Council Elections

## Kelly Heads Girls' Dorm; Webster Heads Men's

Wharton, House President

Next year the boys dormitory council will be headed by James Webster, president; Thurman "Weeb" Harper, vice-president; and Expie (Dutch) Miller, secretary-treasurer, according to results of the spring election which was held under the supervision of the retiring president, Lester Edwards.

Ola Mae Kelly has been elected president of the Women's Dormitory council, and under her are Frances Hemby, vice-president; Eloise Taylor, secretary; Cassie Mae Cowell, treasurer; Ida Earle Pierce, president of YW; and Myra Wharton, house president.

### Men's Dormitory Primary

Kendrick Taylor lost out of the presidential election and James Webster was named to succeed Lester Edwards as president. Webster has been prominent on the local campus, president of the junior class, member of the Y. M. C. A., and was recently a candidate for president of the Cooperative Association.

"Weeb" Harper came through to take the position of vice-president by upsetting the popular candidate, Charley Harrison. "Weeb" is a member of the Collegiate staff, Phi Delta Gamma fraternity, Y. M. C. A. and for a while was a candidate for the baseball squad.

"Dutch" Miller, an outstanding member of the freshman class and second baseman of the Bulldog baseball squad, outclassed Lyman Gray, Bulldog freshman pitcher, for the post of secretary-treasurer.

### President



GORDON ALDRIDGE

May 3, 1941

## Campus Prepares for Reign of May

Spring is here again! With this new season most of our minds turn toward baseball and May Day. Our attention is divided between the front campus and the ball park. At least, this is true of Lillian Guthrie, chairman of May Day, and her assistant workers.

On the first Saturday in May, traditionally, the queen of the forest sits with her "chosen" king, on the throne, while her children, the fairies, come out and perform before her. They dance, they romp, and they frolic all for the enjoyment of the queen. They all rejoice together for the new spring, new growth of flowers and trees, and the bright sunshine which means a new year is growing on.

The queen of all this beauty on May 3, 1941, will be Miss Janey Fitzgerald, Pine Level, North Carolina. The king will be Mr. Winton Odham, Grifton, North Carolina.

The personal attendants of the queen are Carthene Hoell, Vanceboro, North Carolina, and Minnie Dees, Fremont, North Carolina.

The personal attendants of the king are Frank Wiley, Grantsboro, N. C., and John K. Wooten, Grifton, N. C.

The other members of the court are: Madeline Denning and Burney McCotter, Eloise Taylor and Charles Eagles, Rachel Glover and Foy Goforth, Frances Nelson and Frank Jones, Katherine (Continued on page four)

### Morris to Represent Town Students

Gordon Aldridge was elected president of the Cooperative Government Association in the general elections. Other officers of the government for another year are Miss Wilma Williams—vice president; Miss Jewett Davis—secretary; Mr. Howard Blake—treasurer; and Miss Naomi Morris—town representative of the association.

Mr. Aldridge is a member of Sigma Alpha fraternity. He was chosen by eliminating Wilma Williams, James Webster, and George Woodall from the race. He is, at present, treasurer of the Cooperative Association. During his sophomore year he was secretary of the Men's Dormitory Council.

Miss Williams was elected vice president by defeating James Webster, George Woodall having withdrawn his nomination on an earlier date. She is the present secretary of the Cooperative Association. To the girls who work in the lounge and Dean's office she is "boss," being supervisor of the offices. She is active in the glee club, the Y. W. C. A. and the dramatic club.

Miss Davis is a transfer student from Pinebluff College in Silerburg. She has recently been initiated into the Phi Sigma Tau. Soon after her arrival on the campus, she made acquaintances which have proved lasting, a characteristic of a "swell" person.

Mr. Blake is a member of Phi Kappa Alpha fraternity. He is outstanding in the Y. M. C. A. and is present treasurer of the sophomore class.

Miss Morris is a member of the Delta Sigma sorority. She is president of the present sophomore class, is outstanding in athletic fields, and is co-chairman of the social committee.

### Entertainment

## Wilson Concert Ticket Bought by Student Body

The student body voted to appropriate funds from the student activity fee which will entitle the student body to season tickets for the Wilson Concert Association.

The artists are chosen by a local committee. Mr. Chappell, Superintendent of the Wilson City schools, and an instructor in the education department here at the college, is chairman of this committee. (Continued on page four)

### Jr. Sr. Banquet

## AC Juniors Feed Seniors In Annual Banquet

R. C. Deal, E. C. T. C., Speaks

The annual Junior-Senior banquet of Atlantic Christian College was held Friday evening, February 28, in the Carolina Room of the Christian Church. James Webster, president of the junior class, acted as toastmaster. The guest speaker of the evening was Mr. R. C. Deal, professor of French, Eastern Carolina Teacher's College.

Candles flickering on the tables were the sole lights. Lovely cut flowers were arranged on the table and pine cones and boughs covered the mantel. On the stage was a scenic background of pine woods in which there was a tall, white, lighted candle with a streaming white ribbon and the words "Jr.-Sr. Banquet, '41."

Mr. Webster first introduced "one of the most talkative fellow classmates"—Charles Eagles, who gave the address of welcome. Elmer Mottern, president of the senior class, made the response.

toast to the sophomores by Wilma Williams. Miss Williams' witty remarks were matched by a response made by Miss Naomi Morris, president of the sophomore class.

The toastmaster then called on Norma Clay Daniels who gave a toast to the freshmen. Response was made by Earle Williams, taking the place of Jimmy Paschall, president of the freshman class, who could not attend because of illness.

After this Miss Jewett Davis gave a toast to the Alma Mater, the response to which was made by Dr. H. S. Hilley.

Mr. Webster then introduced one who can always be depended upon to provoke laughter—Miss "Johnnie" Greene. Miss Greene gave an original reading in which she told of the peculiarities of dormitory life at A. C. C.

After the speeches the juniors and guests left for the Brides Ho-