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Final Exercises Begin Saturday

Commencement exercises at Atlantic Christian College have been scheduled for Saturday and Sunday, June 5 and 6.

Speaker for the graduation exercises to be held on Sunday afternoon, June 6, at 5 p.m. on the front campus, is Rev. Ira A. Langston of New York City, a member of the board of trustees of the college and an ACC graduate in 1933. Langston is former minister of the Park Avenue Christian Church of New York.

Rev. Raymond L. Alexander, Minister of the Christian Church at Washington, N. C., will be the Baccalaureate speaker at services scheduled at Wilson's new First Christian Church on June 6, at 11 a.m.

Another highlight of the Commencement weekend will be ground breaking ceremonies for two new buildings to be constructed at ACC. This program is scheduled on the building sites at 3:30 p.m. on Sunday, June 6. Ground will be broken for a new science building and an infirmary.

Graduation Ball

The commencement weekend will open at 8 o'clock Saturday night, June 5, with a reception in honor of the graduating seniors and their parents on the Harper Hall terrace. The reception is being presented by the college and the alumni association. A graduation ball open to all students will follow on the terrace.

At 12:30 o'clock on Sunday, a family style picnic luncheon will be held on the college's center campus. This will be followed by a meeting of the board of trustees of the college in Hardy Library at 2 p.m.

A concert by the Atlantic Christian College band will be presented on the front campus at 4:30 p.m. on Sunday and the graduation exercises will follow.

Honorary degrees will be presented to Langston and to C. C. Ware of Wilson, retired secretary of the North Carolina Christian Missionary Society.

Sixty-four Atlantic Christian seniors will be graduated at the Commencement this year receiving the A. B. degree.

Yearbooks Arrive On Time



The 1954 edition of The Pine Knot was delivered to students last week. To make a final check-up with the publishing company in Raleigh several members of the yearbook staff went to the printing plant the week before. Looking at the stack of pages are Mr. Russell Arnold, faculty editorial adviser; Eddie Johnson, member of the editorial staff; Lois Moore, 1953-54 business manager; Jo Ann Moore, 1953-54 editor; and Mollie Hester, business manager for next year's Pine Knot. Editor next year will be Mary Hudge.

Lamm, Mozingo, Williams and Mattox Receive Major Awards At Final Chapel

Major awards were presented to students in a special program in Howard chapel last week.

Winner of the Rotary cup for outstanding scholarship for the year was Kenneth Lamm of Wilson, a sophomore.

The organization scholarship cup presented annually by Sigma Alpha fraternity was presented to Phi Sigma Tau sorority.

Winner of the Denny cup for the best essay on the college motto, "They shall Have The Light Of Life," was won by Ernestine Mozingo of Kenly, a freshman.

Jerry Williams, a sophomore from Fugquay Springs, was pre-

sented the Kiwanis club cup as the outstanding intercollegiate athlete on the campus.

The Women's Athletic association cup for the outstanding woman athlete went to Nan Mattox, a senior from Wendell.

The program also marked the dedication of the college yearbook. It was dedicated to Miss Mildren Ross, a long time member of the staff at the college and now the bookkeeper. The editor of the annual, Jo Ann Moore of Greensboro, presented an engraved copy of the annual to Miss Ross at the ceremonies.

Another highlight of the program was the installation of officers of the student government for the coming year. The oath of office was administered by Dr. Travis A. White, president of the college.

The officers installed were James Hemby of Ayden, president; Suzanne Gill, Wilson, vice-president; Kenneth Lamm, Wilson, treasurer;

Elena Lawler, Camp Lejeune, secretary; Doris Strickland of Spring Hope, representative from the Women's Dormitory Council; Darrell Huffmap of Newport, representative from the Men's Dormitory Council, and Evelyn Yionoulis, town student representative on the board.

Faculty members of the board of the student government installed were, Allen Sharp, student elected faculty representative; Edward Rider, faculty elected representative; Dr. James M. Moudy, academic dean, Miss Sarah Bain Ward dean of women, and Dr. Randall Cuthip, dean on men.

The oath of office also was administered to the officers of the women's dormitory council, the men's dormitory council and the publications staff for the college yearbook and newspaper.

AC College Intramural Athletes Get Awards At Chapel Program

Awards for outstanding accomplishments in intramural athletics for men and women were presented to students of Atlantic Christian college in chapel exercises last week.

Named intramural athlete of the year for the men students was W. H. Hood, a senior from Bonneau South Carolina.

Receiving the top awards for the women were three seniors, Nan Mattox of Wendell, Mickey Raynor of Wilson, and Mildred Blackmon of Whitakers. They received individual trophies presented by Miss Rebecca Tomlinson, a member of the faculty in the Department of Physical Education.

The intramural football award for men was presented to Phi Kappa Alpha fraternity. The men's ping pong award went to Robert Webb, a senior from Wilson. The volleyball award for men went to Phi Delta Gamma fraternity. The basketball trophy in the intramural playoffs for men was presented to Caldwell hall. Sigma Alpha fraternity was the winner of the trophy for the men's softball championship. The intramural badminton award for men went to Charles Hester of Greensboro.

The men's intramural awards were presented by Jimmy Willis of New Bern, student director of men's intramural athletics.

Individual awards were presented to women students for outstanding work in intramural athletics by Miss Tomlinson.

Those receiving numerals were Callie Proctor, Stantonburg; Evelyn Yionoulis, Wilson; Judy Creekmore, Wilson; Edna Cole, Clayton; Marjorie Byrum, Portsmouth, Va.; Christine Joyner, Mount Olive;

Joan Kelley, Cameron; Betsy Lee, Dunn; Joan Langston, Four Oaks; Vivian Muns, Aiken, S. C.; Betty Jean Outlaw, Saratoga; Shirley Parker, Raleigh; Marjorie Blinson, Clayton, and Barbara Weir, Wampanash.

Women's intramural stars were presented to Jerry Allen, Greenville; Dolores Best, Mount Olive; Janie Creel, Seven Springs; Hilda Crocker, Pine Level; Lois Moore, Ayden; Edna McPhail, Clinton; Ruth Lockamy, Newton Grove; Carolyn Lee, Barnesville; Margaret Harris, Roanoke Rapids; Mamie Davis, Black Mountain; Lovia Creech, Smithfield; Maxine O'Connell, Wilson, and Velva Pearce, Zebulon.

Intramural women's letters were presented to Jerry Ball, Charlotte; Bronna Brooks, Wilson; Peggy Nicholls, Greenville; Edna McPhail, Clinton; Christine Lewis, Eureka; Carolyn Lee, Barnesville; Annie Morris Joyner, Wilson; Shirley House, Charleston, S. C.; Aileen Davis, Elm City; Lovia Creech, Smithfield; Callie Proctor, Stantonburg, and Pat White, Tarboro.

Another highlight of the presentations occurred when two trophies were presented to the college. They were won by teams representing the college. The trophy which the college basketball team won for runnerup honors in the annual North State conference basketball tournament was given to Dr. James M. Moudy, Dean of the college, by the captain of the team, James Peebles of Raleigh.

Miss Tomlinson presented the college with the bowling runnerup trophy won by a team of ACC women students and Miss Tomlinson in the city bowling league.

Ground Prepared For Two Buildings

Ground breaking services for the new Infirmary and Science Building will be held at 3:30 p.m. on the afternoon of graduation day. A Litany of Dedication will be given for each building.

Dr. Travis White will preside over both services. The invocation will be given by Dr. George Cuthrell, minister of the Hood Memorial Christian Church in Dunn. Dr. Ed Rusberry will make the address concerning the new infirmary.

Presenting a new ground breaking shovel will be Dr. Perry Case. Those who will break the ground for the infirmary are Nurse Mary Wilson, Dr. W. C. Hunter, and Mr. Lawrence Moya.

Mr. Bruce Riley will give the address at the Science Building service. Also taking part in the ground-breaking affairs will be Mr. J. P. Tyndall, Mr. John Cosell, and Mr. George Adams.

The Shoveling Pages will be David Etheridge for the Science Building Service and Richard Ziglar for the Infirmary ground breaking.

Both services are to be held on Sunday, June 6, at 3:30 p.m.

Summer School To Open June 10

Fifty courses in eight departments will be offered in the Summer Session to be held at Atlantic Christian College beginning on June 10, according to Dr. James M. Moudy, Dean of the college and director of the Summer Session.

Summer courses are being offered during two five week terms. Dr. Moudy pointed out. The first term, opening on June 10, will close on July 15. The second term will begin on July 18 and will close on August 20.

Three Types

Dr. Moudy said the courses are designed to fill the needs of three distinct types of students. They are teachers who wish to meet certification requirements or the renewal of certificate needs; regular college students who wish to obtain additional credits during the summer months, and high school graduates who desire to accelerate their college program by getting an early start during the summer months.

A student may obtain six semester hours of credit per term in the Summer Session, he announced.

The departments offering courses in the Summer Session are business, education and psychology, English, fine and practical arts, health and physical education, modern languages, religion and philosophy, science and mathematics, and social studies.

Sleeper Advises On Exam Study

"I slept my way through college," said Nebraska college graduate A. W. Turnbow, who received his degree last June.

This startling statement came as a complete surprise to ex-student Turnbow's professors who had once predicted his college career would end in failure.

Last week graduate Turnbow disclosed his secret. He had been "Sleep-learning."

"I'd read many articles on the theory of sleep-learning," he said, "but none told me how to go about it. So I made my own sleep-learning device and experimented. I was working full time and trying to carry 19 credit hours at college. I was told I was failing, so I figured I couldn't lose anything."

"It was hard the first few weeks," he said, "but anyone can learn while they sleep if they stick to it. It's the easiest way in the world to get an education once you start getting results. Sleep-learning will revolutionize education once the public accepts it," he added.

Student Turnbow's unusual method of obtaining knowledge was first applied to his course in Russian.

To You, Seniors

"The end is but the beginning" is eminently true as you come to the end of your undergraduate college years. No sooner will your diploma be tucked neatly under your arm, symbolizing the successful completion of your college career, than you will be looking forward to a new and greater chapter in the story of your lives. This is as it should be.

I want first of all to tell you how much I have enjoyed the happy associations of this, my first year and your last at Atlantic Christian. I sincerely hope that the happy friendships which have been formed will continue through the years. My heartiest congratulations to each of you on the successful completion of your work.

Let me also wish you Godspeed in your endeavors for the future. Some of you will be moving on to graduate school and others out into the business and professional world. Whatever your destiny, let me assure you that we will be watching, with genuine interest, your progress. If we can be of assistance to you in your advancement at any time, just know you are free to call upon us.

One further word. Our college, which is your Alma Mater, stands at the crossroads of opportunity. Her future as a great college depends upon many factors — none more important than the support of her Alumni. May I urge you to become an active member of the Alumni Association. Help us tell the story of A. C. College wherever you go. Direct eligible young people here for their college training. In other words, boost A. C. that she may render a worthier service and remain always an institution you can be proud to call your Alma Mater.

Step out to meet the future with confidence. You can — and with God's help you will — win.

Sincerely,
Travis White

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