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FUND DRIVE—Shown above are ACC President Arthur D. Wenger and Thomas J. Hackney, Jr., chairman of the statewide fund raising campaign for the college which has recently been launched. Plans call for a maximum of \$750,000 which will be used to construct new buildings and to increase faculty salaries. Mr. Hackney, who is prominent in civic affairs in the community, was chairman of the Popular Gifts division of the 1957 campaign conducted by the college.

Exec Board Abrogates Present Point System

The Executive Board, meeting Monday night at 7:00 p.m. in the classroom building, voted to abolish the point system for student activities. In addition, the board discussed a plan for donations by students to the current fund raising campaign, decided to send two delegates to a National Service Corps conference in Washington, D. C., and voted to investigate the possibility of establishing a Student Discount Service. After receiving information from the National Student Association to the effect that the point system is now considered obsolete, Mr. John Cox moved that the system on the ACC campus be abolished. He pointed out that it is being constantly revised and has never functioned satisfactorily. Following further discussion, the board voted to do away with the system entirely. Since this would involve a change in the constitution, it must now be voted on by the entire student body.

The nature and purposes of the drive for additional funds for the college was explained to the Board and then a plan was introduced which would allow direct participation by the students in the campaign.

Donations by the students themselves could show outside donors that our student body has a real interest in the future of Atlantic Christian. The plan allows students to pledge any amount of money they feel they can afford to contribute and then gives them up to three years or more to fulfill the pledge. Pres. E. B. Shearin explained an idea received from NSA for a Student Discount Service. A survey is to be made both of student opinion and that of local merchants, and if the idea proves feasible, it will be put into effect. Students will have the opportunity of purchasing a card for a nominal fee, which, when presented at stores of Wilson merchants participating in the service, would allow the student discount prices on any merchandise purchased.

A conference has been called for Mar. 1, 2, and 3 in Washington, D. C. to consider the possibility of a domestic Peace Corps to which ACC is to send two delegates. The organization, which is entitled the National Service Corps, will, if established, aid in training the underprivileged of this country in the same way that the present Peace Corps serves overseas.

Feb. 10 Is Set As Parent's Day

Atlantic Christian College is planning a big welcome for hundreds of parents of ACC students expected on the campus on Parents' Day to be held on Sunday, Feb. 10.

Registration for the event will begin at 9:30 a.m. During the morning parents will have the opportunity to accompany the students to churches of their choice in the city of Wilson.

A special luncheon is planned in the college gymnasium for students and their visiting parents. Open house will be held beginning at 2 p.m. at which time the guests will meet members of the faculty and administrative staff and will have the opportunity to become acquainted with the educational opportunities offered their children at Atlantic Christian.

Parents will also be guests of a reception held in their honor at the home of President and Mrs. Arthur D. Wenger beginning at 2 p.m.

Canterbury Club Has Dinner Meet

Canterbury Club members enjoyed a Middle Eastern meal on Jan. 27. Members gathered around the fireplace in the Common Room of St. Timothy's Church to watch Bob Royal and John Day prepare the meal. Expert advice was offered by Mrs. John Saleeby, a native of Lebanon and Mrs. S. P. Morrill of Wilson. Following the meal an impromptu program of guitar ballads was given by John Day.

The Canterbury Club will attend morning Communion services as a group on Feb. 3. All students desiring to participate in this program are requested to meet at the Lee Street entrance to Harper Hall at approximately 10:30 a.m. on Sunday.

The next regular night meeting of the Canterbury Club will be February 10 at St. Timothy's in Wilson.

Parade Cancelled

The Homecoming Parade has been cancelled, according to an announcement by the Homecoming Parade Committee. Reasons listed for the decision included lack of response of campus organizations, the unavailability of marching bands, impending weather conditions and the possibility of the current flu epidemic reaching the Wilson area.

AC Launches Capital Campaign On Jan. 4

A statewide capital campaign for a minimum of \$750,000 was launched by Atlantic Christian College with acceptance of the general chairmanship by Thomas J. Hackney, Jr., of Wilson on January 4.

"The objective of this campaign is for a minimum of \$750,000, as this is the sum needed to meet the most urgent needs of the college," said Mr. Hackney. "I am proud to have a part in this vital undertaking and I am counting on other friends of Atlantic Christian to help out."

Announcement of the acceptance by Mr. Hackney, prominent in civic affairs and a leading Wilson industrialist, came from Dr. Arthur D. Wenger, president of the college. Dr. Wenger also announced that S. M. Cozart, K. D. Kennedy, and John D. Palmer, all of Wilson, had accepted general vice-chairmanships as aides to Mr. Hackney.

"We are most fortunate in having this leadership," said Dr. Wenger. "We have enlisted outstandingly capable and deeply interested men to serve in this exceedingly important project."

Phi Beta Lambda Holds Meeting

Reba Barefoot was elected to represent Phi Beta Lambda in the annual Homecoming Queen contest. The election took place at the first meeting of this semester held by the business organization Tuesday afternoon, 4 o'clock, in the classroom building.

Preceding the election, the group watched a film entitled "How to be a Success In Business."

Refreshments were served to the attending members.

Stage And Script To Present Plays

February 14 and 15 are the dates set for the bill of one-act plays which will include "A Child's Garden of Verses" which was originally done by Stage and Script's director, Cecil Willis. This play is being revived by request of many faculty and students. This one-act production was earlier presented in December.

"Flyspray," by James Howard, an Atlantic Christian alumnus, has been produced Off-Broadway with the author and Jo Davison, Jr. as members of the three character cast.

A short portion of George Bernard Shaw's "Caesar and Cleopatra" will be the final presentation of this program and will also be the college's entry in the North Carolina Dramatic Festival competition which will be held in Chapel Hill in early April.

He added that Mr. Hackney will begin at once to enlist top leadership in the community and elsewhere in the state to conduct the campaign. Dr. Wenger explained that the campaign will provide the funds to enable the college to raise faculty salaries, and to pay for urgently need-

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Bob Whitely Heads CSW This Semester

The Christian Service Workshop, under the leadership of its new officers, began its work last Wednesday afternoon with a speech by an illustrious guest — Dr. Herman Norton, Dean of the Disciples Divinity House of Vanderbilt University. Dr. Norton presented a perspective of the values and opportunities offered by the distinguished seminary. His talk was of interest to all the participating religion majors.

Officers elected to serve for the coming semester are: President, Bob Whitely; Vice-president, Sammy Jones; Secretary - treasurer, Sue Wrench; Worship Chairman, Gina Allen; and Social co-chairman, Susan Webb and Jeff Kilpatrick. Rev. Allan Sharp is the group's faculty advisor.

Student Drive To Begin Feb. 11

Solicitation of pledges and donations from the Atlantic Christian student body will mark the beginning of the \$750,000 fund raising campaign which encompasses all of North Carolina.

Directing the drive will be Hatten Hodges, chairman and Sandra Freedman, vice-chairman. Team captains, each of whom will select ten persons to work with them on the drive are as following: Mary Louise Westphall, Bob Stone, Lennis, Brinson, E. B. Shearin, Rex Horne, Jerry Ashworth, Susan Webb, Dianne Fleming, and B. H. Hinnant.

The drive will begin Feb. 11 and continue for three weeks, ending March 4.

The main purpose of the drive will be to give every student at ACC a chance to participate in the growth and development of the college.

Throughout the three week period in which the drive will be conducted, every student will be contacted and given the opportunity to sign a pledge card.

Although no monetary goal has been set, the student campaign committee has decided to strive for a maximum 100 per cent participation or as close to that percentage as it is possible.

Greek Week Is Discussed

An amendment to the Interfraternity Council Constitution was introduced by Sigma Phi Epsilon during a regular meeting held this week.

The amendment proposed to eliminate first semester rush, thus, making Spring Rush the only period in which a student could pledge.

Bob Bishop, president of Sigma Phi Epsilon, introduced the amendment, giving several reasons why such actions would benefit all Greek organizations.

One of the main reasons for having only a Spring rush, he stated, would be that it would allow all Greek organizations a greater opportunity to get to know the freshman class.

Backers of the amendment also pointed out that each Greek organization would have a full semester to organize and plan for Spring rush. This would allow more time to plan and develop a comprehensive pledge program.

One of the main reasons that the change is being advocated is that it will probably increase the ratio of pledges making a "C" average. The most important reason given for the amendment was that it would

enable freshmen, who wish to join a Greek organization, a better opportunity to adjust themselves to the college setting and allow them to establish a firmer academic foundation.

Another major concern of the meeting was the appointment of committees which will handle Greek-Week activities. Green Week will begin Feb. 27 and end March 2.

The following Greek organizations were assigned to committees: Greek Sing, Phi Sigma Tau and Alpha Sigma Phi; Stunt Night, Sigma Phi Epsilon and Omega Chi; Dance and Breakfast arrangements, Sigma Tau Chi and Delta Sigma Phi; Concert Committee, Sigma Pi and Delta Sigma.

Jay Barnhill, president of IFC, announced that the Ivy League Trio, a folk-singing group, would provide entertainment at the Greek-Week Concert. Also booked for the Concert is Lennie Maxwell, a comedian, who has appeared in several New York night clubs.

The concert will be held Saturday, March 2, at 3:00 p.m., in Fike High School Auditorium.

Homecoming Is Planned To Begin On February 8

Plans have been completed for Atlantic Christian College's annual Homecoming to be held Friday, February 9.

Leading off Homecoming activities will be the colorful Homecoming Parade which is to be held in town-town Wilson on Feb. 8, beginning at 4 p.m. Included in the parade will be bands, sorority, fraternity and class floats and a host of beauty queens.

The annual Coronation Ball will be held in the Classroom Building at the college at which time the Homecoming Queen will be crowned.

A full day of activities is scheduled for Feb. 9. Leading off the second day of activities will be Campus Open House which begins at 10:30 a.m.

Scheduled for 12:30 p.m. is the Alumni Luncheon and business session which is to be held in the campus cafeteria. At 2:15 there will be a special program in Howard Chapel honoring Miss Mildred Ross who recently retired following 42 years of service to the college.

A tea, honoring the Class of 1938, who is celebrating its 25th anniversary and holding its class reunion, will be held in the faculty lounge at 4:30 p.m.

Fraternity and sorority dinners will be held at 6 p.m. The ACC Bulldogs will play Campbell College in basketball at the Wilson Recreation Center gymnasium beginning at 8 p.m. Special half-time activities and entertainment are planned by the ACC Band.