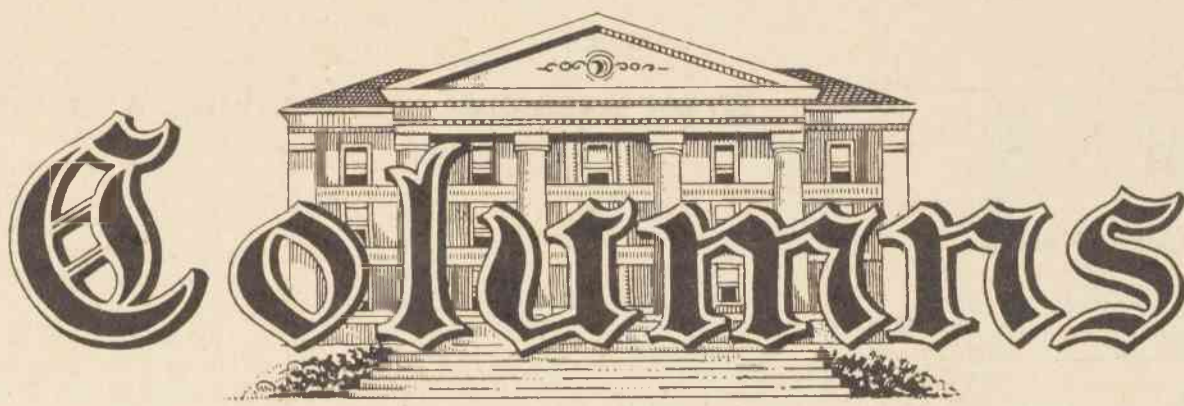


**Exam Time
Draws
Near**



**Support
the
Team!**

Volume XVII

Louisburg College, N. C., January, 1958

Number 2

SENIORS ELECT RIGGAN RESIDENT



JUNIOR CLASS OFFICERS are shown above. From left to right: Pat Strickland, secretary; Bill Brockett, vice-president; Nancy Garrett, treasurer; and Robbie Bullard, reporter.

Dramatics Club Presents Production, "The Fool"

An hour-and-a-half presentation of Channing Pollock's, *The Fool*, was the first major production given by the dramatics club. The play was presented in the college auditorium, December 16, 1957, at eight o'clock.

The play portrayed an experiment in Christ-like living in the midst of complex modern times. The drama, holding a place of distinction both in America and Europe, presented a challenge to the dramatics club.

Playing the title role was Wesley Jackson, who as Daniel Gilchrist, was the so-called fool, a young minister with a vision of service and a daring loyalty to his ideal. Portraying Clare Jewett, the woman who shared his love, but not his vision of a life of service, was Bea Canady. The supporting cast consisted of the following: Dr. Wadham, popular minister of an elite city congregation, John White; Mr. Goodkind, wealthy mine-owner, Charles Fuller. Jerry Mr. Goodkind's son, Burton Robinson; Mr. Benfield, a mining company director, Tommy Pappendick; Mrs. Gilliam, Dilly Gilliam, Mrs. Thornbury, Mrs. Tice, wealthy women of the church, Joyce Mustian, Phyllis Oakley, Caroline Padgett, Becky Garner; Barnaby, a servant in the Goodkind home, Jimmy Harris; Mr. Stedman and Mr. Umaniski, strikers, William Coghill, and Henry Williamson; Grubby and Mack ne'er-do-wells, Tommy Riggan and James Ballard; Mary Margaret, a lame girl of the slums, Betty Jean Edwards.

The play was under the direction of Miss Ruth Merritt.

FBLA Holds Two Meetings

The FBLA has held two meetings in recent months, one on November 6, at which a formal in-

stallation service took place and one on December 4, which featured a talent show. Grace Kennedy of Gold Sand, immediate past president and now an employee of an insurance firm in Raleigh, formally installed the 1957-58 officers in a candlelight ceremony in the college auditorium.

Officers installed were the following: Sylvia Whitfield, president; Gwynn Torrence, vice-president; Nancy Cloer, secretary; Jay Thompson, treasurer; Barbara Page, reporter.

Certificates of membership and copies of the National FBLA Forum were presented to new members by the newly-installed president and vice-president. The membership now totals over fifty students.

Prior to the installation ceremony Miss Kennedy spoke to the group about the importance of belonging to and taking part in the activities of such an organization as FBLA and also explained the nature of the work in which she is now engaged. At the conclusion of the program refreshments, consisting of punch, potato chips, and cookies, were served.

The second meeting, which was held on December 4, was a Talent Show put on by members of the chapter. Gwynn Torrence played "Winter Wonderland;" Barbara Jean Leonard sang "Silver Bells," Nancy Cloer played "White Christmas" and Sarah Davis did an entertaining "take off" of Minnie Pearl, star of "Grand Ole Opry." Gwynn Torrence was in charge of the program.

Following the program, there was a short business session at which Sylvia Whitfield presided. Plans were discussed concerning the possibility of sending representatives to take part in the various activities and contests at the State FBLA Convention to be held at the Battery Park Hotel in Asheville, March 14 and 15.

Language Fraternity Conducts Initiation

Sigma Pi Alpha, national language fraternity, recently initiated Helen Allen, Becky Garner, Bea Canady, and Betty Love as members in a formal ceremony, held in the faculty parlor.

Taking part in the initiation were Dr. Ann Blumenfeld, Mrs. Allen De Hart, and honorary member, Chick Turner. Officers of the fraternity present were Jim Fine, president; Marie Bateman, vice-president; Phyllis Oakley, secretary; and H. G. Hodges.

After the initiation a reception was held in the apartment of Dr. Blumenfeld. Entertainment consisted of records in Spanish and French, and the singing of songs of both languages.

Women's Government Elects Representatives

The Women's Student Government has recently elected Joyce Johnson of Pittsboro, N. C., and Audry Allen, of Tar Heel, N. C., as junior class representatives on the Student Council. Joyce has also been chosen as Women's Student Government reporter for the student newspaper. The representatives were elected by secret ballot by the members of the Junior Class. A person has to attain an overall "C" average and have outstanding qualities of character and leadership to be eligible for membership on the council.

The Student Government has several projects to fulfill. Recently they planned Christmas decorations for Wright Parlor. Along with the Christmas decorations, they also placed a box in the parlor, where students could deposit money for the needy people in this town.

Open House for the Davis Building was held on December 8, and once again the Women's Student Government was present to assist with showing the visitors the renovated building and to help with the refreshments.

Glee Club Presents Holiday Programs

The Glee Club presented its annual Christmas concert in Holton Gymnasium, December 17, at 7:30 p.m. Traditional Christmas music was sung by the entire group, the small group and several soloists.

On November 22, the Glee Club presented a selection of Thanksgiving songs in chapel. The club also sang at the Louisburg Methodist Church on the night of November 24. The small group, consisting of twelve members, were guests at the Raleigh District Conference of the Methodist Church in Henderson. The small group was also invited to sing for the Louisburg Rotary Club, where they sang a selection of Thanksgiving and Christmas songs.

Officers have been elected for the

(Continued on Page 4)

Rowe To Lead Juniors

Sadie Hawkins Day Termed Success

The Sadie Hawkins' Dance on November 26 was a tremendous success. All the members of the Yokum family were present, along with their many friends and neighbors from Dogpatch. The Dogpatch division of the college band, including Wayne Hyde, Nito Pelegrini, and Jamal Modizarch, livened up the dance with an occasional polka or foxtrot.

A glance across the floor revealed such spectacular characters as Charles Ward, who arrived with his "Yokum noose," smokum pipe, and tattered trousers; Daniel Boone (Lawrence Pitt), who thought he had found his happy hunting ground until Pappy Yokum filled him with buckshot; Wynters Moriyama, who took a slow boat from Hawaii and arrived just in time for the dance; Mary Lou Smoak, who had disembarked from a banana boat; Little Red Riding Hood (Bea Canady) who had been chased all the way to Dogpatch by the big, bad wolf (which one?); Jimmy Harris, Heap Big Washum Chief from the land of the Sioux; and Howard "Rip Van" Mallard who, having just awakened from a forty-year doze, thought this was a come-as-you-are party.

Grady Snyder and his Dogpatch spouse added a "Grab-your-girl-and-promenade-right" to the fun, and some of the dancers spent the remainder of the dance trying to catch that bird in the cage.

Mr. and Mrs. Dogpatch, 1914, (Allen and Flora de Hart) served as chaperones for the hilarious occasion.

A prize was awarded for the most original costume. Those participating in the finals were Mayson Freeman, Gary Groce, Bea Canady, Becky Houser, Jerry House, Charles Ward, and Donald Bridges. After much deliberation, the judges declared burlap-sack wearer, Jerry House, as winner.

On Wednesday, October 30, 1957, nominations for Senior class officers were made in a meeting held in the auditorium at chapel period. The nominations for president were Major Bowes, of Haw River; Tommy Brisson, of Tar Heel; and Tommy Riggan, of Macon. The nominations for vice-president were Mary Lou Smoak, of Canadys, S. C., and Bobbie Kennedy, of Louisburg. Pat Cording was elected secretary; Sylvia Whitfield, treasurer; and Ann Strickland, reporter. These officers were voted in by acclamation.

The election of president and vice-president was held on Friday, November 1, 1957, in the college cafeteria. Tommy Riggan won the presidency, and Mary Lou Smoak was elected vice-president.

Junior Class Elections, Held November 13, 1957.

The election of junior class officers, originally scheduled for November 12, 1957, was held on Wednesday, November 13, 1957, in the college cafeteria. The results of the voting, which was extremely close, indicated that Skip Rowe, a chemistry major from Aulander, had been elected President. William Brockett, a business administration major from Elizabeth City, was elected vice-president. Pat Strickland, a one-year business student, from Louisburg was elected secretary. Nancy Garrett, Arlington, Virginia, won over Lawrence Pitt, for treasurer. Roberta Bullard, Sanford, a social studies major, was elected reporter.

Phi Theta Kappa Holds Initiation

At a recent meeting of Phi Theta Kappa, J. B. Perdue was initiated into the fraternity. The ceremony was conducted by the officers of the club. In addition to the five members present, were Miss Elizabeth Johnson, Miss Ruth Merritt, Miss Zelda Coor, and Mr. Grady Snyder.



MR. AND MRS. S. ALLEN DeHART, chaperones for Sadie Hawkins Day, join in the festivities held in the gym. A new addition to our faculty, they add fun and zest to a hilarious event. Looking on is Jay Maybud.