

Cheer Leaders for School Year '54-'55



Shown above are the cheerleaders recently elected by the student body to serve for the current year. They are, left to right: Pat Stout, Joyce Stephenson, Lib Moore, Mariene Steel, Betty Staton, and Shirley Reavis kneeling. Miss Reavis will serve as chief of the group.

READY FOR ACTION

Miss Reavis is one of the two returning cheerleaders. She is 20, and is from Winston-Salem. She graduated from Hanes High there. Among her many achievements while at Hanes are basketball, tennis, cheerleader, band, senior marshal, president of Girl's Athletic association, Latin club, and most athletic girl of her class. At Gardner-Webb last year she was in the band, in the May court, on the Pilot and Anchor staffs, and played basketball.

Miss Ward is the other returning cheerleader. She is 19, and lives at Jacksonville, Fla. She graduated from Myers Park High in Charlotte where she was in various clubs. She was on the Anchor staff here last year.

Miss Henderson, a sophomore, hails from Toccoa, Ga. She graduated from Shelby High school where she was a cheerleader, played basketball, and was in the glee club. Last year she was in the college choir and was on the Pilot staff.

Miss Staton, a sophomore, is from Charlotte and graduated from Tech High there. At Tech she was a cheerleader, president of Hi-Y, and member of the National Honor Society. Last year she worked on the Pilot and Anchor staffs and was in the Delta Psi Omega fraternity.

Miss Moore, a sophomore, comes from Shelby. She is a graduate of Shelby High where she played basketball, was a member of the Monogram Club, the FHA, and newspaper staff. She was on the Pilot staff and in the glee club here last year.

Starnes, a sophomore, comes to us from Fayetteville. He is a graduate of Fayetteville High. He was a member of the dramatics club, played baseball, and was class officer while in high school. He was a member of the Delta Psi Omega here last year and took part in several plays.

Miss Stout, a freshman, hails from High Point. She graduated from Stony Point High. Among her activities in high school were basketball and the holding of class offices.

Miss Stephenson, a freshman, hails from Raleigh. She graduated from Newcham-Broughton. While in high school she was in a number of plays, a member of the V-teens, and the Girls Athletic Association.

RECREATION PROGRAM

BY DEE NANNEY

On August 30 a group of more than 100 citizens of Boiling Springs met at the Boiling Springs Clubhouse to discuss plans for a summer recreation program for the community.

W. Lawson Allen was elected to serve as chairman of a committee of 12. The purpose of this committee is to study the project and to submit a report as to what should and can be done.

Coach Norman Harris of Gardner-Webb College has been engaged to direct the recreation program; however, he will continue to coach the Cherryville Legion Baseball Team during the summer months.

Although no definite plans were formed as to what activities will function, proposals have been made to construct a swimming pool and to offer such games as softball and tennis.

The objectives of the program are to provide summer recreation for both young and old, to develop a better community, and to provide college students who are interested in community recreation with summer jobs to help pay their way through college.

"The program has been needed for a long time," Coach Harris commented. "I hope to put on as good a program as possible, but it will be necessary to have the co-operation of every citizen in the community, especially that of the young people and their parents."

HOMECOMING — OCTOBER 30

A crisp October day, cars decorated with red and black crepe paper, girls wearing chrysanthemums, a pep rally, a variety show, a barbecue, red and black banners fluttering in the breeze, old friends everywhere—this will be the scene on Gardner-Webb's campus October 30—Homecoming.

Post cards were sent out to 400 alumni announcing plans for the gala weekend which is to start with a bon fire and pep rally Friday night on the athletic field. There will be peppy marches furnished by the Boiling Springs Band, cheers led by the cheerleaders, and pep talks by the football players and coaches. The climax of the rally will be a burial ceremony with Asheville-Biltmore symbolizing the corpse.

Saturday at 4 o'clock in the Hamrick auditorium, there will be a variety show with members of the faculty, the present student body, and alumni participating. Starting at 5 o'clock there is to be a barbecue for anyone who wishes so to attend, in the dining hall of the O. Max Gardner building. The price will be \$1.25 per person. At 7 o'clock a caravan of cars bearing the school colors will leave from in front of the Hamrick Building bound for the football game which begins at 8 o'clock in the Shelby Stadium.

Here's hoping the festivities end with a seven letter word—VICTORY!!

LETTER PAYS OFF

The idea that good things come to those who wait was recently proven a concrete fact on Gardner-Webb campus. It seems that in 1930, Miss Ina Greene, a student in Boiling Springs College (now Gardner-Webb) wrote a letter to Dr. Allison Gaw, asking him to contribute some books to the library.

Miss Greene, now Mrs. Ike Pepper, lives in Belmont. Dr. Gaw was head of the English department at the University of California for many years. Dr. Gaw died recently, and Mrs. Gaw found the letter among his papers.

In a letter received from Mrs. Gaw, she states that she has given most of Dr. Gaw's books to the University of Southern California, but that she still has several hundred of her husband's volumes. As Mrs. Gaw is still interested in fulfilling the request, she asked the college officials if they would still like to have the books.

Perhaps the appreciation of the books will be greater after 24 years.