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Bulldogs Host Holiday Basketball Tourney

Burgess Will Lecture On E.S.P.

The fine arts program will present a very interesting program for the students on January 16 when Russ Burgess presents a lecture on Extra Sensory Perception.

Burgess is a master at E.S.P. as well as telepathy, thought control, and precognition. He has formerly

worked with the Department of Justice and is a very widely known for his lectures on E.S.P.

This new concept in communication is rapidly gaining interest all over the world. The United States Army and Navy and numerous industries are experimenting with it and the Space Program is attempting to develop the idea. Russia has named the concept as one of its primary objectives.

Burgess' program features his reading unspoken thoughts of the audience with a knowledge beyond belief. Audience participation is one of the most essential requirements for a successful performance.

Burgess has stated that one week prior to his appearance, he will mail a letter telling what the headlines in the local papers will say concerning his appearance.

This should be a performance that the students as well as the members of the faculty will thoroughly enjoy. The program will start at 8 p. m. in the E. B. Hamrick Auditorium.



NEW CLUB FORMED—This year Gardner-Webb College has formed a chapter for the Phi Beta Lambda, a national organization for business students having a minimum grade point ratio of 2.0. The purpose of this club is to encourage its members to improve scholarship, acquire economic understanding, and develop leadership for business and business education. This organization engages in both individual and group projects of a business nature. At the first meeting, Phil Warlick was elected president; Joe Pearce, vice-president; Sharon Scruggs, secretary; Linda Cutshaw, treasurer; and Anne Wise, reporter. The club sponsors are Mr. Deck W. Andrews, head of the Business Department, Mrs. Betty Logan, and Mrs. Jane Harris.

Front row left to right are: Ramona Roark, Gloria Wright, Ellen Farmer, Linda Cutshaw, and Sharon Scruggs.

Second row left to right are: Phyllis Martin, Anne Wise, Tollie Moose, Diane Lowman, Eugenia Roten, Cheryl Hilton, Nancy Justice, Mrs. Jane Harris, and Mrs. Betty Logan.

Third row left to right are: Ray Crowe, Ronald Callahan, Joe Pearce, Donald Beason, Philip Warlick, Jerry Welch, Robert Willey, and Mr. Deck Andrews.

To Be Held In Bost Gymnasium

Gardner-Webb College and Bost Gymnasium will be the scene of a first rate junior college basketball tournament December 16-17 when four nationally prominent teams clash. The teams will be Ferrum of Ferrum, Va., Cumberland of Lebanon, Tenn., Brewer-Parker of Mt. Vernon, Ga., and Gardner-Webb College's Bulldogs.

Pairings for the event will see Gardner-Webb face Brewer-Parker in the opening round and Ferrum play Cumberland. The winners of the first round will meet for the championship Saturday night with the losers playing the preliminary contest.

Brewer-Parker is always considered a powerhouse in junior college basketball and is off to another successful season. At press time the team had a 7-2 record and had scored 100 or more points on three occasions. The Blue Barons played a two game series with North Greenville Junior College, the team considered by many as the team to beat in our own WCJAC Conference, losing the first 94-82 and then stopping North Greenville 67-64 in the rematch.

Ferrum is a team well-known to many Gardner-Webb supporters. Ferrum was the team that defeated Gardner-Webb in the Region 10 Tournament at Lenoir last year to

win a trip to the national finals.

Ferrum this year features an undefeated season through their first four ballgames with impressive victories over the freshman squads of VPI and The University of Virginia. Jerry Venable, a freshman from Staunton, Va., broke the school scoring record against Virginia's Freshmen with 44 points.

Cumberland is usually a strong team although no information is available on their team at this time. They finished last year's season ranked 9th in the nation.

The Bulldogs are off to their best start under head coach Eddie Holbrook as they are undefeated after six games. This is surprising considering the number of freshmen playing on this year's team.

The Bulldogs will have the home court advantage to go with the play of Laurence "Sonny" Johnson, Drew Bridges, David Brown, Karl Neilson, Rudy Reeves and George Poston.

Reigning over the tournament as Queen will be Miss Terry Baynes. Her attendants will be Sandy Lucas and Barbara Straughn.

The tickets will be \$2.00 for adults and \$1.00 for students. Students will not be admitted on their I. D. cards.

We hope the students will remain and support the Bulldogs.



MISS STUDENT NURSE—Linda Lavendar, a sophomore from Marion, has been named as Miss Student Nurse for 1966-67. Miss Lavendar is one of the most outstanding nursing students. While at Gardner-Webb she has made A's on all courses except for one semester of P. E.