

# On And Off Campus

by Gill Rock

## Plunge Into Darkness

After writing last week about the work of the North State Student Government Association, I now find it necessary to voice opinion on a second student government association which is of interest to many St. Andrews students. This organization is the National Student Association — N.S.A.

Membership in the N.S.A. has been proposed for St. Andrews, and the question was sent to the Senate for consideration. After three weeks, the Senate Committee on Student Welfare reported in favor of submitting the issue to the student body for a referendum. How much study was actually done on this organization is hard to say. One member of the Welfare Committee said that that body had met only once in the three week period to discuss the N. S. A. When the committee report came to the floor of the last meeting of the 1962-63 Senate the committee was not certain of the dues to the national organization.

### What Does N.S.A. Stand For?

After listening to the report of the Welfare Committee I decided to do some further checking into what the N. S. A. stands for, and what the organization can contribute to St. Andrews.

Services such as reduced prices on certain books and discussion between member schools on governmental and social problems are among the offerings of the N. S. A. To this extent it is very similar to the N. S. S. G. A., but this is where similarity ends. The N. S. A. has become a center of radical liberalism in American colleges today. When the association first began it ran into trouble as many of its key members were associated with the Communist Party. After something resembling an inter-organization purge the N.S.A. claimed that neither they nor any of their members were connected in any way with Communism.

Forgetting this shaky past, let us look at the association today and some of the resolutions that have come out of its recent convention:

1. Defense of Japanese students rioting against President Eisenhower.
2. Praise for Fidel Castro's educational "reforms."
3. Recommendation that the House Committee on Un-American Activities be abolished.
4. Opposition to loyalty oaths for teachers and students re-

ceiving federal loans. The above measures— and there are others — sound like they cover from "A to Z" the typical left wing liberal vocabulary.

### REACTIONS

What have been the reactions to these measures taken by the N.S.A.? More than 300,000 students have voted against joining the N.S.A. or for dropping out of the organization during the last two years.

Among the schools voting against N.S.A. were Ohio State, where the national convention was held in '62, one month later students voted their school out of the organization; the University of Texas, where on March 28 1963, students voted 2002 to 1453 to withdraw. Likewise, Indiana University students voted 4071 to 2526 to withdraw its membership. These colleges and universities also voted against N.S.A.; Northwestern University, University of Oklahoma, University of Virginia, Vanderbilt University, Purdue University, Washington and Lee, Lynchburg College, American University (once known as the fatherland of student liberalism), and dozens of others. All told 46 colleges and universities have withdrawn from N.S.A. since 1961. It now represents less than one fifth of the nation's colleges and universities.

What can St. Andrews gain from this dying association? There appears to be little.

The true value of any student organization is found in its ability to help the students. The N. S. S. G. A. is our best bet for a working student association, and we should take an active part in it. We should not put additional money and give our endorsement as a part of the radicalism and the radical resolutions of the N. S. A.

## Honor Society Taps Four New Members

The St. Andrews Honor Society last Thursday accepted four new members into its ranks. Tapped for this recognition of their outstanding ac-

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# Average Pay Of Graduates

Census statisticians underscore the increasing correlation between income and education. For example, median income for families headed by college degree holders is \$9,300 — nearly two-thirds higher than the average. This factor is conspicuous at all levels of education — the more schooling, the more pay.

**Here's the way the education influence works:** Median income for persons with less than eight years of school is \$2,948. For eight years, i.e., elementary school education, income jumps to \$4,868. For one to three years of high school, \$4,853. For complete high schooling, it's \$5,552.

**College work adds even more.** One to three years of college education brings a median income level of \$6,022. Four years of college raises the level to \$7,586. For five or more college years, income is \$7,875. **Note:** more than 5 per cent of the individuals receiving five years or more of college earn in excess of \$10,000. Only 0.2 per cent of those with no education beyond high school pass the \$10,000 more in earnings.

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academic average were **Wayne Wooten, Faye Hooks, Vivian Dutton, Seniors, and Carol Brooks, Junior.**

The Honor Society was formed last year on March 29 when six Seniors and two Juniors were inducted. An average of 2.5 over an individual's entire college career is required for admission into the Society.

Dr. Gwynn presided over the ceremonies, assisted by Dianne Kearns who was elected to the Society last year. Also present at the proceedings were Dr. Rodney Fulcher, Dr. Harry Harvin, and Dean Davidson, who are all Phi Beta Kappa members. Dr. Gwynn is also a member of Phi Beta Kappa.

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Martha Kinney and Richard Lilly rehearse for their appearance with the Florence Symphony.

## Florence Symphony Presents Final Concert

The Florence Community Orchestra will present its final concert of the season on May 16 at Moore Junior High School in Florence at 8:30 p.m. Mr. Franklin West, Dean of the St. Andrews Conservatory, is conductor of the orchestra.

Featured soloist of the evening will be Mr. Lewis Hoy, piano instructor on the SA conservatory faculty. Mr. Hoy will play the "Mozart Concerto No. 17 in G Major" and a "Hungarian Fantasia" by Liszt.

The McClenaghan High School (Florence) Chorale will perform "The Disguised God" by Lars-Erik Larsson, a lyric suite for chorus and two soloists. Miss Martha Kinney and Mr. Richard Lilly, students at SA, will be the soloists and Mr. Arthur McDonald of the SA

faculty will read the narration.

The orchestra will present "Joe Clark Steps Out" by Dr. Charles G. Vardell, Jr. (1893-1962.)

Tickets for the concert are on sale at the secretary's office in the Conservatory.

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## Highland Players

The family will be played by **Bob Parkman, Carolyn Clark and Barbie Irby;** while the villains are played by **Billy Phelps and Jerry Hurst. Florence Girard and Howard Cobb** play the parts of the local chatterbox and a young naval lieutenant respectively.

The comedy will be 75 cents per person and all seats will be on a first-come first-serve basis. Advance sale tickets can be purchased in the lobby of the Student Center during the supper hour.

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