Neophytes of AKA



From left to right—Mary Puryear, Dona Congleton, Mary Hocutt, Helen Johnson, not shown is Celestine Skinner Simmons.

Dr. E. B. Winston Speaks to AKA's Give House **SNEA** at Monthly Meeting

Ask Evaluation of **CREFAL Programs**

The P. W. Moore Chapter of the SNEA held its monthly meeting in Moore Hall recreational room, with Minnie Lowe is director of the Reading Clinic and member of the English Department. She is also concted with the program of the International Division of Education. She was invited to join a group of pro-fessors from the University of Michigan to go to Mexico last summer.

Dr. Winston gave highlights on the training of teachers at CREFAL, of 1959 cation Center for Latin American peoples)

CREFAL, located at Patzcuaro, Mexico, is the Fundamental educational program sponsored by UNES CO for the training of adults in Literary, Health Education, Music, Art, Home life, Agricultural life, and other programs for economic and back and share more of her experi-cultural improvemet. cultural improvemet.

The Latin American fundamental education center, located on the e

Thanksgiving Vesper Service Sponsored By The Y. M. C. A.

Thanksgiving Vesper Service sp sored by the college Young Men's Christian Association was held in Moore Hall Auditorium on Novem-ber 22, at 6:00 P.M.

The service began with the opening song entitled "Come Ye Thankful People Come" followed by the

scriptural reading and prayer.

Reverend H. L. Mitchell, a graduate of Shaw University and pastor of New Baptist Church in Gatesville, North Carolina, was the guest speaker. He gave a very impressive mess-"What shall I render to God for all his benefits towards me?' this message he stated three main points to take into consideration: (1)

tate of the former president Cardenas in Mexico, brings together profes sional students from the Spanish speaking countries of South America and Central America as well as Mexico. The main language in teaching Moore Hall recreational room, with for these professional students are Dr. E. B. Winston who was introduced located in the villages of the Tarascan Indians, near Lake Patzcuaro. Success in their training to work with people in these villages qualifies

the professional students for respon-

sible positions in home coun The University of Michigan International Workshop was invited to make an evaluation of the CRE n In addition to observing (Central Regional Fundamental Edu- programs of the student teachers at work, many thrilling and interesting experiences representing patterns of early Aztec Indian life made this a valuable experience for all who shared of 28. in this important event.

The acting president, Don Morgan

thanked Dr. Winston on behalf of the group and invited her to come

Student Forum Held In the Lighthouse

A student forum was held in the Lighthouse on December 6. "How to develop better student Leadership at S. T. C." was the topic for discussion

The purpose of the forum which was to have an open discussion on why we do not have good leadership here on the campus, was given by Clarence Biggs. George Kitchen, chairman of the Forum Committee, introduced the guest speakers, Dr. Pettigrew and student panel members.

The questions asked were (1) "Is leadership in college dependent upon high school experience? (2) Should everyone strive to be a leader? (3) When and where should leadership

Students serving on the panel One should have an active spirit; (2) Clarence Biggs, Newsletter; Oliver He should be a cheerful giver; (3) He George, Veterans Club; William He should have a citerful giver, (3) He Should have a Christian Spirit.

Reverend H. I. Mitchell's inspiring lips. Sphinx Club; Rosa Turnage, message brought joy at the time of Thanksgiving,

Y. W. C. A. and Robert Wynn, Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity.

To House Party

In keeping with a recent tradition the Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority gave a House-to-House Party on November 21, for a group of young freshman ladies and the Ivy Leaf Club.

The group were served refreshments at each house. At the first house the appetizer was served, and the meal continued in sequence until

There was an informal introduction at each house. The group sang "We shou songs at some of the houses, and the graduates." guest book was signed by the young

It was a wonderful Saturday afteron enjoyed by the entire group.

Feb. 29. 50 B. C .- First leap year. resulting from Julius Caesar's decree in 46 B. C. that in every fourth year February should have 29 days instead

Science Research Associate Consultant Visits Reading Clinic

of the Science Research Associates, terdepartmental cooperation with a nationwide educational research and view toward securing additional equipservice association, was a recent visionent for extending reading improvetor in the Elizabeth City State Teach- ment services at the college. College Reading Clinic.

Opportunity was provided for dem nstration of various types of maonstration of various types of him our professional growth and cultural terials used in Reading programs devolpment, as we "read our way sponsored by the Science Research Astroward top level goals." ciates throughout the country. The Multi-Level Reading Develor

ment program including reading selections with word study from the Annual Tea In elementary grades through senior high school met with particular appeal to students in Language Arts methods courses as well as faculty

Reading Rate Builders designed to increase speed and comprehension in ed.

WITH THE GREEKS

Six Initiated

Six young ladies were initiated on December 12 into Delta Theta Chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority

These young ladies possess many fine qualities and are very active o campus. Among the group are men bers of the Choir, the Dramatics Club, the Student Council, Dormitory Council, Junior Counselors Staff, Newsletter, and the Thalia Sorosis Club

Newly initiated were: Donna Bell Congleton, Everetts, N. C.; Annie Ruth Hocutt, Ahoskie, N. C.; Helen Constance Johnson, Seaboard, N. C. Iva Jane Lennon, Evergreen, N. C. Mary Hester Puryear, Virgilina, Va. and Evelyn Skinner Simmons, Elizaheth City N C

Immediately following the cere mony, the neophytes were guests of Delta Theta Chapter for a delightquet at the beautiful home of Mrs. Georgia H. Morgan

Candelight Hour

With an autumn setting of a very large pumpkin surrounded by corr and fruit, along with soft lights beautiful music, a Candlelight Hour was held in the Lighthouse on November 25

Clarence Biggs introduced Lenora Slade, Chairman of the Fine Arts Committee, and then presented Presi-dent W. N. Ridley who had initiated the Lighthouse program.

"This is a good time for giving thanks for many blessings, President, as he reminded the students and faculty of the many things for which people should be thankful. As the last stop, where dessert was served. he recognized the graduates, who were about to leave the campus, he said. "We should give thanks for these

> Music could be heard in the background as students read the Thanksgiving Proclamation and prayers Those participating were Don Morgan, Alice Myrick, Lula Roberts, Lenora Slade, and Lenoard Slade. The Thanksgiving Hour was very enlight ening and inspiring.

A bore is one who opens his mouth Mr. Jones, Registrar and puts his feats in i

Mr. Hannis Latham, Staff Associate ed student and faculty desire for inment for extending reading improve-

ers College Reading Clinic.

Lathan spent the day in group and individual work conferences with students, faculty and administrative of the conference cooperadents, faculty and administrative of- tion of faculty and students in the dents, raculty and authinistrative or ficers representing several areas of the college program. progresses toward higher standards in our professional growth and cultural

Bias Hall

Bias Hall residents were hosteses representatives in the English and for the annual Christmas Tea on December 13, from 3:00 until 5:00 p.m

was elaborately decorat-This added much warmth to the reading, the Student Record Book entire set-up. In the lounge stood a which motivates student self evaluareading, the student self evalua- huge Christmas tree with beautiful tion, as well as recommended methods lights and trimmings. On the table of study for which improved reading where the cookies and tea were skills are essential were displayed and served was a beautiful arrangement. Many of the students scussed.

The Pilot Reading Program in glowing red balls, outlined the

Beta Zeta Chapter of APA Inducts New Member

Reta Zeta Chanter of Alpha Dhi Alpha Fraernity inducted into Alphadom, William Henry Hager during probation week, December 5-12. William Hager is a junior. He is a dynamic figure on the varsity basketball team as well as the choir and the

Congratulations are extended to Mr. Hager as he successfully crossed the burning sands.

Adron Jones Crosses Hot Sands To Omega

The Lambda Gamma Chapter of the Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc. extended open arms to Adron Jones on December 12, as he crossed the burning sand to Omega Land.

Jones is a sophomore majoring in Elementary Education and is a native of Winton, North Carolina. He is a member of the Student Council and

Pyramid Club Sponsors Christmas Benefit Dance

In keeping with the Chri spirit, the Pyramid Club of the Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc., sponsored a benefit dance in the Lighthouse on December 12. A toy or an article of clothing was the admission to the Each year a benefit dance is given

the Pyramid Club for needy families of the community. The dance this year was a success as was shown by the many articles collected by the A stick of candy attractively wrapped in gay Christmas colors was pinned on each person as he entered the dance

Gladys Johnson is president the Pyramid Club, and other mem-bers are Helen Boone, Rubye Brown, Joyce Hoffler, Mary Mizelle, Pretlo Solice, Barbara Vaughn, and Joyce Welch

Addresses Assembly

Mr. Taylor Jones, Registrar at Elizabeth City State Teachers College, spoke recently during an assembly on the subject "Privileges and Responsibilities, as they pertain to College

"Education used to be a thing for the privileged class, but today education is open to anyone who is willing to work," said Mr. Jones.

He emphasized the great advantage a college education. The culture included in the many activities on a college campus was spoken of, as he said that studens should take advantage of the bodies of knowledge in which their parents have invested their money. Mr. Jones also stressed the point that many students have the ability, but lack the desire to participate in many campus activities that could use their skills.

Thelma Dillahunt, a sophomore, and the scripture and Margaret Russell, also a sophomore, introduced the

Mother: Mary, you were naughty last night. Did you do as I told you you and talk to God about it?

Mary: Wel-l-l, Mr God wasn't home, but I told Mrs. God and it's

Many of the students added more armth and color to the building by beautifying their own rooms and doors with attractive decorations.