

Freshmen Women Put In The Know

By Guytanna Horton

The two freshman women's dormitories, McLean and Annie Day Shepard Halls, presented recently separate cultural programs in the parlors of the respective dormitories.

Immediately following the regular vesper services, a cultural program began in Annie Day Shepard Hall with Mrs. Julia Harris, the first house mother, as guest speaker. Mrs. Harris, who has grown with the school, gave the young women a vivid account of its history. She related to the young women many human interest stories.

She spoke of the time when Dr. Shepard, the president, was upset because there was no food for the students. He asked his wife not to ring the dinner bell that day. His wife insisted that the bell be rung. At 4:30 p.m., the bell was rung and at 5:00 p.m., the students were fed.

Mrs. Shepard had sent a distress signal to Mrs. Shepard, the president's mother. The president's mother had secured the aid of many friends in the neighborhood who sent food to the school. These stories cannot be found in the cold facts of the history of NCC, but they were very instrumental in NCC's development.

Mrs. Harris also related the story behind the naming of the buildings on campus. She included O'Kelly Field. There was an instructor, Cad Grant O'Kelly, who was very interested in the athletic program of the school. (In his years here, O'Kelly served in various capacities: vice-president, personnel dean, and teacher in various fields.) He not only supported the athletic program with his attendance but aided financially and secured funds to help in the program. The name "Eagle" was suggested by him to be the school's emblem and it was accepted by the committee. Later, the football field was named for him.

Besides the address, a solo was presented by Vernall Cowan accompanied by Doris Rice, a senior counselor. Parthenia McCall, a senior counselor, presided with Mrs. K. Thompson, the house directress. The group was served coffee and cake.

Later during the same evening in McLean Hall another cultural program began. Dr. R. S. W. John, Chairman of the Music Department of NCC, addressed the group of young women on the lyceum series. Dr. John ex-

plained how the annual series is chosen, and what is scheduled for the coming year. Dr. John's speech aroused curiosity, and was followed by a question and answer period.

Hermione Prioleau accompanied by Doris Green, both freshmen, rendered music for the event. Constance Howie, a senior counselor, was mistress of ceremonies along with Miss J. Smith, house directress of the hall.

The refreshments were punch and cookies. The young women presented a gift to Dr. John as a token of their appreciation.

The Cynic

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moved to more vigorous protest it kicks the benches beneath it; if it becomes angry it may frighten an actor off the stage with olives, figs, or stones. In the play there is no suspense and no surprise, but instead, the pleasures of anticipation and recognition.

A frightful audience indeed did the Ancient Greeks make. But in comparison with the 1960 Dionysian worshippers they were as calm as grandmothers in a Sunday knitting session. While the play was in progress this modern audience shouted its approval or disapproval, and alternately cursed and praised the actors.

The play of this modern-day festival had a large cast—22 actors dressed in vari-colored clown suits—and a simple plot—chase the ball. This play, entitled "Football," was performed by truly professional actors. They stomped on each other, threw each other down, butted heads, and committed all sorts of violent acts feasible in the limited time set aside. The play itself, in which there was no suspense and no surprise, ended with one set of actors outstomping, outbutting, and outmayheming the other; much to the approval of the worshippers.

During the 1960 Great Dionysia the worshippers general attitude was that one who did not attain a state of exuberance through the use of Dionysus' alcoholic wares was a witless fool. Consequently, there were very few witless fools about, and nearly all worshippers attained that state of frenzied exuberance required of Dionysus.

That all this should occur on the campus of an institution of higher learning—for shame!

Streeter Chosen To Represent Phillip Morris

As a part of its work scholarship program, Phillip Morris Incorporated has announced that Lacy C. Streeter has been selected campus business representative here. The appointment is for the full school year.

The cigarette firm, which was first in the industry to support college-level education by this method, also makes grants for higher education to children of its employees and contributes to educational and research institutions in many areas of the country.

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Lacy Streeter, 1401 West Third Street, Greenville, North Carolina, Mr. Streeter will serve as liaison between this campus and the company's New York offices and he will develop and work on advertising and promotion projects for Phillip Morris, Parliament, Marlboro and Alpine brands.

Now in his fourth year at North Carolina College, Mr. Streeter is president of the North Carolina College Student Government Association, active in various other organizations and is a Chemistry major. He is a member of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity.

Coach Walker Addresses Forum

Dr. Leroy T. Walker, professor of physical education and track coach at North Carolina College, was the College's U. N. Day speaker in the Forum Series presentation of October 17.

Walker, who coached both the Israeli and Ethiopian track teams in the 1960 Olympic Games at Rome, spoke on "The 1960 Olympics: A Contribution to International Understanding."

The NCC track coach was represented in the Olympic Games by his prize pupil, Lee Calhoun, who won a gold medal for the United States in the 110-meter high hurdles. Calhoun was a two time winner, having scored a victory in the same event while wearing the North Carolina College colors in the Games staged at Melbourne, Australia, in 1956.

Leading up to the Olympic Games this past summer, Walker toured the Middle East on a goodwill mission for the U. S. State Department. Since his return to the United States late in September, he has been in great demand as a speaker and lecturer on the 1960 Games as a factor in improving international relations. He has also been invited to contribute articles on this subject to national publications.

Walker holds an undergraduate degree from Benedict College, a master's degree from Columbia University, and the doctorate in physical education from New York University.

Following Dr. Walker's appearance last week, other Forum presentations at NCC include a speech by Dean A. L. Turner of the Law School on October 24 and President Alfonso Elder, Dean G. T. Kyle, and Dr. Helen Edmonds in a panel discussion concerning the Fiftieth Anniversary Celebration of the College on October 31.

McCall Proclaimed Senior Of Month

By Sheryl E. Schooler

It was four years ago that a conscientious young lady planted her feet on North Carolina College's soil to reap benefits from all it had to offer.

Having been inspired to grasp all the knowledge she could

next year, after which she looks forward to being a French interpreter.

At 20 years old, this stately young lady has participated in many activities and held several outstanding positions. Presently, Miss McCall is president of the Women's Student Government Steering Committee, a Senior Counselor for freshman girls in Annie Day Shepard Hall, and Co-Editor of the school's yearbook. Among her other activities are: membership in the Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Thespian Club, and the French Club.

Of course, Miss McCall doesn't work all the time; she enjoys playing basketball as a hobby. During her sophomore year she received a trophy for being the most valuable girl basketball player at NCC. This modest young lady also enjoys dramatics as a hobby. Quite a creative artist in dramatics, she co-starred in the play, "All My Sons," last year.

Miss McCall says, "The reward is in the end, and one should do all in his power to gain the reward."



PARTHENIA McCALL

while in college, Miss Parthenia McCall, this month's "Senior of the Month" set about immediately to accomplish all she could within a four-year period. It is only due to her diligent and conscientious study and selfless participation in worthwhile activities that she is chosen "Senior of the Month."

The French major and Education minor resides in Southern Pines, North Carolina. She has a great desire to do further study in her major in France

Speigner Attends Meet

Dr. T. R. Speigner, associate professor of geography and director of the division of Resource-Use Education at North Carolina College, attended the 40th annual meeting of the National Council for the Social Studies in Boston, Mass., Nov. 24-26.

LITTLE MAN ON CAMPUS



"AFTER LOOKING OVER THESE TEST PAPERS—I'D SAY SOME OF YOU COULD WELL AFFORD TO PAY MORE ATTENTION IN CLASS."



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