

North Carolina Collegiate Press Association Meeting Held at Elon During Week

FILLANS SPEAKER

Greensboro Man Talks to Convention—Miss Savage, Lynam and Babcock Also Speak.

DR. HARPER ON PROGRAM

Outing and Banquet Break Monotony of Business Sessions—Officers Are Elected for Coming Year.

The North Carolina Collegiate Press Association held its eighth semi-annual meeting at Elon from May 1 to 3.

Thirteen colleges sent delegates to represent about thirty or more publications. Some of the colleges of the Association were not represented.

The meeting was one of the best held by the Association. It was full of inspiration and many plans were discussed and some adopted that will mean much to the college publications of this State. The Association voted to adopt a standard column for all the newspapers that are represented in the Association. The matter of college credits being given for work done on publications was also given further attention and will be pushed by the Association.

The question of advertising came in for quite a bit of discussion. Plans will probably be made whereby the different publications will be enabled to secure more advertising, especially foreign ads. Other problems were discussed during the meeting.

The convention opened Thursday night with a welcome address by Dean Louise Savage, Dean of Women at Elon. This was followed by a talk on advertising by Mr. Walt Fillans, of Greensboro. Mr. Fillans made an interesting talk and offered many helpful suggestions to the convention on securing advertising. It was the most helpful talk on the methods of advertising ever made before the convention. In fact, some of the plans which Mr. Fillans suggested will no doubt be worked out by the Association and adopted. Mr. Fillans represents a large advertising agency in Greensboro and is an authority on the matter of advertising.

The program was followed by an informal reception in the West Dormitory reception hall.

Friday morning's session was opened by the president's address, L. D. Elkins, of Davidson College. This was followed by a talk on "Editorial Writing," by S. M. Lynam, former editor of the Maroon and Gold. Mr. Lynam made a helpful talk and explained the importance of different kinds of editorials in newspapers.

Prof. H. Babcock of the English Department of Elon spoke on "The Magazines of Today." Prof. Babcock pointed out the different kinds of magazines in this country today and mentioned the class of people who read each type. He explained the characteristics of good stories, and the different kinds of stories.

After this talk reports were made from the various publications represented. These reports brought out that the college publications in North Carolina are making progress in most every way.

Friday afternoon an outing was held at Moonelon Park. Swimming, boating and picnicking were the features of the outing.

Friday night the delegates were the guests of the Maroon and Gold at a banquet given in the college dining hall.

W. B. Terrell, editor of the Maroon and Gold, was toast-master for the occasion.

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S. H. ABELL IS ELECTED HEAD SUNDAY SCHOOL

On last Sunday morning the College Sunday School elected officers for the coming year.

S. H. Abell was chosen as superintendent, W. S. Weathers assistant superintendent, and Miss Bessie Martin as secretary.

G. C. Mann has been superintendent during the past year and the college Sunday school has been very successful under student officers. This is the first year the Sunday school has had student officers in a long time.

SENIOR ORATIONS CLOSE AND SPEAKERS CHOSEN

Six Speakers Are Chosen to Speak at Commencement—Thirty-five Seniors Compete in Preliminaries.

Announcement of the Senior class representatives to speak at commencement was made Thursday morning following the close of the preliminary contests Wednesday night. Thirty-five Seniors entered the competitive contests to win places on the commencement program with orations and essays, three men and three women being chosen. Misses Mary Graham Lawrence, Mrs. C. M. Cannon, Messrs. W. T. Scott, S. M. Lynam, and J. D. Barber.

The young women will speak at the graduation exercises on Tuesday, May 27th, in competitions for the Moffitt essayists medal, given by Dr. E. L. Moffitt of Asheboro, and the young men will deliver orations in competition for the Stanford orator's medal, given by Col. S. L. Adams of South Boston, Va.

W. T. Scott, Greensboro, will use as his subject for this occasion, "The Preeminence of the Master;" S. M. Lynam, Apex, "Changing the Tolls;" J. D. Barber, Elon College, "Brother of the Pale Face;" Jennie Gunter, Sanford, "North Carolina Indians;" Mary Graham Lawrence, Elon College, "Music a Social Asset;" and Mrs. C. M. Cannon, Elon College, "A New Star in the East."

Besides the essayist's and orator's medal there are two other medals that go to the members of the Senior class at commencement, the Morrow thesis medal given by Dr. R. M. Morrow, Burlington, for the best theses presented by a member of the graduating class, and the Wellons Scholarship medal given by the late Julian S. Carr of Durham, to the member of the graduating class having attained the highest average of scholarship during his four years in college.

ELON PROFESSORS BUSY HIGH SCHOOL CLOSINGS

The Elon professors have a number of appointments at high school commencements this week and next:

On May 8th, Dr. Lawrence goes to Seagrave, and Professor Kennett to Candor. Professor Babcock speaks at Townsville on the 13th and at Littleton on the 18th.

Dr. N. G. Newman fills three appointments: Roxboro on the 11th, Jonesboro on the 18th, and the Mineral Springs High School near Winston-Salem, on the 22nd.

Dr. Lawrence will also go to Keuly on the 23rd. President Harper will speak at Mt. Pleasant School out from Burlington on the 17th.

FAREWELL SERVICE IS HELD BY SENIOR GIRLS

Miss Della Cotten Leads Y. W. Meeting in Which Senior Girls Say Good-by—Inspiring Service.

An inspiring service was held Sunday evening by the Y. W. C. A. when Miss Della Cotten and the Senior girls said farewell. They left encouraging words.

Miss Cotten, in opening the meeting, said that she had no farewell speech to make and that she felt like Tennyson when he wrote: "And may there be no moaning of the bar, when I put out to sea." She then called upon Miss Lucy Austin to tell "How Y. W. Has Influenced Me."

Among the points that Miss Austin gave were, that Y. W. had helped her to come in closer contact with the girls; that some things had been said in the meetings that had helped her very much. Another thing Y. W. helped her to think on her feet before audiences large or small.

Mrs. N. G. Newman, in a few words, gave the new cabinet and officers a glad and hearty welcome. She expressed her willingness to aid the new Board in any way possible, and asked them not to hesitate to call on her if she could help them solve problems.

Miss Mary Hall Stryker sang "Sweeter as the Years Go By."

Miss Essie Cotten gave a concise history of the Y. W. C. A. during her four years here. Miss Cotten said the very first thing she remembered about Y. W. was the hearty welcome that was given to the new girls. They were given a social in the Gymnasium and Blue Ridge meetings were held. The president, Miss Mary Elder, died during the spring, and the vice president, Miss Bertha Paschal, resumed her official duties.

During Miss Cotten's Sophomore year, Miss Kate Wheeler as president, with her cabinet and helpers, brought Y. W. forward. Blue Ridge meetings were again held, there were Hiking Clubs, and the Finance Committee gave a "County Fair" in the Boys' Gymnasium. They now hold their meetings on Sunday evenings. It was during this year that the Religious Activities Organization was organized; also the Budget System was installed.

For the Junior year, Miss Pattie Coghill was president. Delegates were sent to Trinity.

This Senior year delegates were sent to Indianapolis. More officers were included. The constitution was changed so that the Y. W. C. A. and the Student Council could meet together. Miss Cotten thinks that this union will effect a better spirit toward the Council.

Miss Victoria Adams as the next speaker said that every true Y. W. girl should have self-denial, should be honest, kind, and a sympathetic, Christian girl. These things make a beautiful character; a victorious girl. "Our Y. W. has meant more to me than any other organization on the campus: Elon is my second home. Our thoughts and prayers are with you," Miss Adams concluded.

Miss Mary Graham Lawrence played a piano solo, "By Smouldering Embers," by MacDowell.

"The Last Will and Testament," was given by Mrs. Cannon. "First, a greater striving toward physical beauty.

Second, a striving toward intellectual superiority.

Third, the best social development.

Fourth, a greater love and reverence for God's beautiful and holy world.

Fifth, a fuller development of the virtues of charity, fidelity, constancy, purity, faith, and truth in our daily lives.

Sixth, great love and devotion to our parents.

CONVENTION VOTES AN ENDOWMENT FOR ELON

Sunday morning at chapel service Dr. Harper referred to the work done by the recent Southern Christian Convention held in Norfolk. At the Sunday morning service Dr. Newman also mentioned some of the things done.

Among the important business transacted was the voting of \$400,000 endowment for Elon College. A committee was appointed to work out the details of this. Dr. W. A. Harper is chairman of the committee with Judge J. F. West and Col. E. E. Holland as the other members.

DR. J. P. BARRETT DIES IN WINSTON HOSPITAL

Ill for Two Months—Was Editor Christian Sun at Time of Death—Was in His Seventy-second Year.

Dr. J. Pressley Barrett, editor and minister of the Christian church, died Thursday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock in the Lawrence hospital at Winston-Salem, following an operation Tuesday. Dr. Barrett had been ill for about two months, and had been in the hospital for about one month before his death.

Dr. Barrett was 72 years old, born in Isle of Wight county, Virginia, educated at Richmond College, and has enjoyed a long and active life in the ministry, filling pastorates in Georgia, North Carolina, Virginia, and Ohio. At the time of his death he was editor of The Christian Sun, the official organ of the Southern Christian convention. He was also for 10 years editor of the Herald of Gospel Liberty, published at Dayton, Ohio.

After the operation Tuesday, Dr. Barrett got along well and was expected to recover until two o'clock Wednesday night when he suddenly took a change for the worse and died at two o'clock Thursday.

The remains were taken to Suffolk, Va., and interred there.

FATHER OF C. G. FOUSHEE DIES AT HOME THURSDAY

Mr. L. M. Foushee, of Jonesboro, N. C., father of Graydon Foushee, who is a student here at Elon, died at his home last Thursday. He was 62 years old and had been sick for several months.

Apparently he was better for he was sitting and talking to his wife and a friend, and was smoking a pipe. Suddenly he became unconscious and was placed on his bed where he died in a few hours.

The funeral services were conducted from Shallow Well church Friday morning at 10 o'clock.

Everything is moving rapidly to get things in shape for commencement here. Work is being rushed on the buildings.

Seventh, a more faithful attempt to unite the campus into a finer and better whole, with the development of a finer social fellowship, a truer conception of honor, and a greater respect for the personal rights of individuality.

Eighth, and last, a greater reverence and a just fear of God, a lover for Christ, and more earnest attention to the spiritual side of our lives.

The Senior girls do hereby commend this Will and Testament to the Y. W. C. A., hoping that it will result in a more beautiful development of well-rounded womanhood on the campus of Elon.

Miss Savage dismissed the meeting with a prayer.

TRINITY BLUE DEVILS GO ON RAMPAGE HERE

Beat Home Team by Score of 24 to 1; Game Rembles Track Meet in Every Respect.

The Elon-Trinity game here Monday turned out to be a slug-fest for the visitors, the Blue Devils winning 24 to 1.

Trinity led off in the first inning with four runs and by the sixth had pounded Barker for 16 hits. Underwood took the mound in this frame for the Christians but fared little better. Twenty-one hits was the visitors' total.

Elon's lone rally came as the result of Lindley's three-bagger. Dempster held the home team at his mercy throughout the game, allowing only five scattered hits. The feature of the game was the heavy hitting of the entire Trinity team, seven hits going for three bases, or more.

Elon	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Allston, cf	4	0	2	1	1	0
Lindley, ss	4	1	2	3	5	2
Kirkland, rf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Gillian, 2b	3	0	0	2	2	1
Braxton, lf	4	0	0	1	0	0
A. Brown, c	2	0	0	8	1	2
Barker, p	2	0	0	2	4	0
Underwood, p	1	0	0	0	3	0
R. Brown, 1b	3	0	0	9	2	0
Crumpton, 3b	3	0	1	1	1	2
Walker, 3b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	30	1	5	27	19	7

Trinity	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Smith, 2b	5	5	3	5	5	0
Towe, 1b	7	2	3	10	0	1
Turner, ss	6	5	4	2	5	0
Spikes, cf	4	2	3	2	1	0
Brown, 3b	5	2	3	2	1	0
Dempster, p	3	3	0	1	1	0
Johnson, c	6	2	4	4	0	0
Chappel, lf	5	1	0	0	0	0
Weinn, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Medearis, rf	4	2	2	1	0	0
Total	47	24	22	27	13	1

Score by innings:

Trinity 4 20 528 210—24

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Summary:
Home runs: Smith, Turner, Johnson.
Three-base hits: Turner, Spikes, Brown, Medearis, Lindley. Stolen bases: Smith, Towe, Turner, Johnson, Chappel. Sacrifice hits: Brown. Struck out by Barker 4, by Underwood 2, by Dempster 4. Bases on balls, off Barker 5, off Underwood 2, off Dempster 1. Hit by pitched ball, Barker (1), Dempster (1). Umpire, Henderson.

ELON GETS VICTORY IN DEBATES HELD TUESDAY

Wins From Presbyterian and Erskine Colleges—Erskine Defeats Presbyterian College at Elon.

Elon won both debates in the triangular debate held Tuesday night. Elon's affirmative team, F. L. Gibbs and J. N. Denton, won over Presbyterian College's negative team at Erskine College, while H. C. Hainer and J. T. Banks won over Erskine's affirmative team at Presbyterian College.

Here at Elon Erskine College won over Presbyterian College's affirmative team by a 3 to 0 vote. W. M. Brown, J. M. Fix, and W. E. Sharpe, of Burlington, were judges.

W. J. McCauley and J. H. Buzhardt represented the winning team from Erskine in the debate here, and H. J. McLaurin and E. T. Wilson were the losers. The question which was debated was: "Resolved, That the United States should grant a bonus to the soldiers of the World War."