

Peace Oratorical Contest Held Here on Tuesday Night Is First Contest For Women

Three Girls Speak

Misses Levering, Guilford; Elliott Meredith; McElroy, Elon, Are Contestants. Win in Order Named.

CONDUCTED BY MR. BLAIR

Dean A. L. Hook Presides. Judges Are Rev. J. W. Patton, Mrs. Grace Connally and Miss Hattie Ashburn.

The first inter-collegiate oratorical Peace contest ever held for women was held here on the evening of Armistice Day. Mr. F. S. Blair, of Mt. Holly, N. J., who launched the movement, and who has conducted similar contests for men for the past fourteen years, had charge of the program.

Representatives from three colleges, Guilford, Meredith, and Elon, spoke in this first contest. Guilford was represented by Miss Margaret Levering, who won the first prize of \$60.00 with her essay, "A Service of Love in War Times." Miss Madeline Elliott was Meredith's representative, and Miss Frances McElroy represented Elon.

Miss Levering, in the prize-winning essay, stated that the alternative of war is the irresistible power of good will. She told of the work of the Quakers in reconstructing the devastated countries of Europe, of how those who went to do the work met every situation with alacrity and judgment, and tried Christ's way of helping others by doing a service for love. She declared that the best part of the Friends' work was the restoration of hope, and that their influence will live long after the work they have done has perished.

The second prize of \$40.00 went to Miss Madeline Elliott, whose subject was "The Part of Colleges in Perpetuating Peace." This essay showed the necessity of educating for peace if war is to be avoided. Miss Elliott pointed out the facts that colleges have helped the unthinking majority to accept war as inevitable by upholding war heroes and glorifying their deeds. Colleges must determine the stand that youth

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PSYKALEONS' REGULAR PROGRAM IS GOOD ONE

Judges Decide in Favor of Misses Kernodle, Lackey, Smith and Barrett.

The Psykaleon Literary Society met in regular session Monday night. After the business meeting the following program was rendered:

Original Dialogue—"Mr. and Mrs. Briggs," by Carrie Belle Kernodle and Annie Mae Lackey. Miss Kernodle took the part of a sophisticated married lady and Miss Lackey was the henpecked husband.

Synopsis of "The Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse" by Olyn Barrett. This book is a story of the World War.

Reading—"The Land of Beginning Again," by Alma Smith. She gave it in a very pleasing manner.

"Humor," by Ruth Kimball. This was an exceptionally good paper.

The judges decided in favor of Misses Kernodle, Lackey, Smith and Barrett.

MR. J. S. THOMAS SPEAKS HERE SUNDAY EVENING

The Religious Activities Organization was fortunate in securing Mr. John S. Thomas as its speaker Sunday night. Mr. Thomas is a rising young lawyer of Burlington and brought a message that was really worth while. His subject was "Service." He handled his subject in such a way that his points were clearly brought out and was very interesting.

W. B. Terrell was leader and introduced the speaker.

DUMB SUPPER GIVEN AT LADIES HALL BY GIRLS

Four Girls Entertain at Unique Hallowe'en Affair. Elaborate Refreshment Course.

Friday afternoon, Oct. 31, a number of mysterious invitations were received by several girls at the Ladies Hall, saying that their future would be foretold that night in room 15, from 11:30 to 1:30. When the hour arrived, the guests were ushered into a room which was artistically decorated for the occasion. The soft glow of the candles gave the room a very spooky atmosphere. The guests were seated quietly around the table and a chain of ghost stories was told. Just a few minutes before twelve o'clock the hostess informed the guests that this was to be a "Dumb Supper," so the windows and doors were thrown open, the light turned very low and every one waited silently. Strictly at twelve "A Man" appeared, and stirred in no other glass than that of Miss Kathleen Paschall. Miss Paschall was very much frightened and gave her "future husband" a kick out the door. The silence could be kept no longer and all broke into merry laughter. The candles were hastily relighted and each joined wholeheartedly in the delicious refreshments which consisted of an elaborate ice course, sandwiches, cakes, and candies. The guests of the evening were: Misses Lucy Dick, Ila Graham, Ruth Lyerly, Mabel Michael, Alice Watson, Kathleen Paschall, Elizabeth Hall, Thyra and Mabel Wright.

PSIPHELIANS RENDER AN EXCELLENT PROGRAM

Misses Kathleen Paschall, Patton and Oliver Were Judged Best on Program.

The Psiphelian Society held its regular meeting last Wednesday and after the business session an interesting and varied program was rendered, as follows:

Some Facts About N. C., by Willie Mae Paschall.

Reading—"The Way of a Woman," by Gwendolyn Patton. This portrayed the modern girl taking advantage of leap year.

Humor—Norma Mattock.

Current Events—Sallie Mae Oliver.

Synopsis of "The Story of the East and West," by Kathleen Paschall, was exceptionally well given.

The judges decided in favor of Misses Kathleen Paschall, Patton and Oliver.

RICHMOND'S ORCHESTRA NEXT CONCERT NUMBER

Will Come to Elon Nov. 21 for Program. Has Great Reputation Throughout East and South.

The Richmond's Little Symphony Orchestra, the second number of the concert course of the Music Lovers' Club of Elon College, will give its concert here on Friday night, November 21, in the Whitley Auditorium.

Music lovers who demand the best in music, both in selection and interpretation, will certainly be pleased with the appearance of this number of the concert course. This master attraction comes with the cordial endorsement of music clubs and critics throughout the east and south.

Selections from the most loved Operas, such as The Triumphal March from "Aida", the Sextet from "Lucia" and the Barcarolle from "The Tales of Hoffman" introduced by informal comments, add much to the musical appreciation of the audience. The company is composed of high-class artists and has been coached under the direction of Aaron Richmond, the well-known Boston Impresario. Movements from the classic symphonies, selections from the operas, excerpts from the musical Broadway successes and the old familiar heart strains like Kentucky Home and Old Black Joe, especially arranged for this orchestra, will be played in their concert.

August Teissier, the violinist, will make the heart beat faster with his "Gypsy Airs," and a rare and seldom heard combination of the cello and the flute will be included. Also the program will be interspersed with duets and string quartette selections. Rare delights on every hand await those who hear this concert, brought to Elon College at a very low price by the Music Lovers' Club.

C. M. CANNON.

FRESHMEN CONTINUE TO ORGANIZE THEIR CLASS

Professor Barney Elected Sponsor. Paul Walker and Hazel Knott Elected to Office.

The second meeting of the Freshman class was held last Friday immediately after lunch for the purpose of electing other officers. At this time the sponsor, student senator and council representatives were elected. The senate and council representatives claimed their attention first and the result of their voting made Paul C. Walker, student senate member from the Freshman class. Mr. Walker is very popular with the members of his class and also upperclassmen. Miss Hazel Knott was chosen by the young women as their representative at the student council table. This over the class undertook the task of choosing a sponsor. To this position Prof. J. W. Barney was elected by acclamation. This is his first year here, but he has become very popular among the students in the short time that he has been here. Because of limited time the class adjourned until Thursday, at that time they will complete their staff of officers.

Miss Dessie Banks visited relatives in Durham this week-end.

Miss Louise Dunn visited on the hill Saturday and Sunday.

C. W. Gordon spent the week-end at his home at Brown Summit.

B. O. B. GIRLS ENTERTAIN AT HALLOWE'EN PARTY

Twenty-four Freshman Girls Entertained Royally by the Beta Omicron Beta.

"Have on your costume; Don't be late; Ghosts will call At half past eight."

Such was the wording of a number of invitations received about a week ago by twenty-four Freshman girls. Who or what the ghosts would be was the subject of much talk and of many questions directed at everyone who might possibly be a ghost. However costumes were made and at last Thursday night arrived. Ghosts were seen creeping about the halls of West Dormitory beckoning to the guests, who, after a spooky journey, were conducted to the girls gymnasium. There they were led to a cheerful room lit by candles and a warm glow from a real fireplace. Pumpkins, leaves and cornstalks gave the Hallowe'en effects while rugs and cushions furnished comfort.

The ghosts unmasked and by giving their yell and singing revealed themselves as the Beta Omicron Beta girls. After welcoming the guests with a short poem, apples and peanuts were served while games were played, and ghost stories told.

The guests then visited the Haunted Alley where blood-curdling things were found, followed by a trip to the Fishing Pond, then by a scramble for fortunes, receiving many surprises at all these places. A contest was held, Miss Susie Elder being the winner.

Punch came next, and while this was being served more games and informal stunts took place. The guests were then presented with witch favors, and were told good night by a shower of kisses.

Those present were: Misses Susie Elder, Rosebud and Ruth Kimbal, Emma Morgan, Anna Phillips, Hannah Newman, Carrie Belle Kernodle, Mae Oliver, Ida Lewis Kapps, Estelle Kelly, Elsie Jones, Bob Gatewood, Gladys Holt, Lillian Cooper, Frances Sterrett, Elizabeth Patterson, Julia Clem, Eleda Summers, Annie Lou Brannock, Alberta Atkinson and Louise Caveness.

THREE DAY CONFERENCE SESSION APPLE'S CHAPEL

Many of Elon Faculty and Students on Program. Great Number Are Attending From Elon.

The ninety-ninth session of the North Carolina and Virginia Christian Conference convened at Apple's Chapel Church near McLeansville, Tuesday morning.

Dr. P. H. Fleming of Burlington, president of the Conference was in charge. Rev. Stanley C. Harrell of Durham is secretary.

The Apple's Chapel Christian Church is one of the oldest and finest country churches in the county. Rev. C. E. Geringer is the pastor. The sessions which began on Tuesday morning will last throughout three days.

Many Elon people are on the program at this convention including:

Rev. J. E. McCauley, Dr. J. O. Atkinson, Dr. W. A. Harper, Dr. W. P. Lawrence, Rev. H. E. Crutchfield, and Dr. W. S. Alexander.

Many students from the College and people of the community are attending this conference.

Miss Nannie Sue Dunn has returned to her work, after an illness of several weeks.

ARMISTICE SERVICE HELD HERE TUESDAY

LIEUT. T. E. POWELL IS SPEAKER

Appropriate Music Rendered by Miss Nolan at the Organ. Service Very Impressive.

College classes were suspended after eleven o'clock on Tuesday in honor of Armistice Day.

Several students went over to Durham to see the Wake Forest-Trinity game, but the greater number of them went to the chapel to enjoy the Armistice Day program, which was in charge of Professor Powell and Coach Corboy.

After the organ prelude everybody joined in the singing of "America." Then Professor Powell made a brief, to-the-point talk, suited to the occasion.

He spoke from the standpoint of a veteran of the World War. High tribute was paid to the boys who went "West" during the conflict.

Then he showed how our boys went to the front ready to have extinguished the divine spark of life which was theirs to pass on to the future.

With a parting injunction that we should so shape our lives that the great principles for which lives were sacrificed might be perpetuated in the hearts of man, he closed and Mr. Amick, dismissed with prayer.

BOOSTERS CONTINUING HIGH SCHOOL PROGRAMS

Schedule Has Been Changed on Account of Activities Here. Club Shows Improvement

The program of the Boosters' Club continues to be a big hit with the high schools. During the past week three engagements have occurred, at Haw River, Monticello and McLeansville. Enthusiastic audiences greeted the boys at each place.

Heavy student activities around the Thanksgiving season necessitated the curtailment of the itinerary somewhat. Only one more program is scheduled between now and Thanksgiving, that being at the Eli-Whitney High School, Wednesday night, November 19, at Saxapahaw.

Steady improvement is seen in the numbers on the program, and the program will be in fine shape to take on the larger schools shortly.

CHAPEL SERVICES FOR THIS WEEK ARE GOOD

At chapel service Monday morning we had as speaker Rev. W. F. Stevens. Mr. Stevens is remembered as being one of the greatest basketball players that ever set foot upon the Elon campus. He was also one of the most popular students, being high in scholarship and character. His talk was greatly enjoyed by everyone who heard him. He gave wholesome advice to the students. Gave them something to think about.

The chapel hour Tuesday was given over to the Armistice Day program, conducted by Lieut. Powell and Coach Corboy. Very impressive program.

Wednesday the speaker was Professor F. S. Blair of Guilford College. He brought for the student body's approval a resolution asking that a "Peace" lesson be included in the International Sunday School Lesson. The student body approved of this by a vote. After this he made a short talk upon the subject of peace. Prof. Blair is quite an interesting speaker.