

MISS STOUT STAGES THE
"SHOW OFF"
HERE FRIDAY NIGHT.
DON'T MISS IT!

ELON COLLEGE LIBRARY
—SEE—
THE GAME
HERE
THANKSGIVING!

ELON CHRISTIANS BOW TO EMORY AND HENRY

Ziegler Plays Outstanding Game For
Christians; Fighting Christians
Complete Nice Passes.

The Elon Christians were forced to bow to the Emory and Henry "Wasps" last Saturday in a very hard fought game. Both teams exhibited some excellent playing, but due to Emory and Henry's fast backfield the Christians were unable to score. The "Wasps" victory was due mainly to open field running and the completion of several long passes. They were also successful in intercepting several Elon passes, although the Christians completed some nice passes. Several times the Elon team marched down the field, only to be held on the ten or fifteen yard line for downs.

Emory and Henry's ground gains were based, for the most part, on trick-plays, rather than smashing football. The Elon men put up a hard fight throughout the game, but due to fresh material were unable to compete with the more experienced "Wasps" who were credited with 18 consecutive victories. The man who gave the Christians the most trouble was "Little John," left half for the "Wasps." This name seems to suggest the quality of this player. He seemed to have for his motto, "be swift," and he well lived up to it in this game.

Among Elon's outstanding players was "Ziegler," who played a great defensive and offensive game. "Zieg" filled the position at quarter well, running the play very smoothly. Smith was decidedly the best punter on the field, getting off several nice ones that set the "Wasps" back for losses. Eford also put up a hard fight at tackle. Latham was one of Elon's outstanding backs, backing up the line consistently. "Zac's" end runs and passes were missed greatly in the game.

ELON IS YOUR INSTITUTION

C. W. Gordon, '26

I have visited Elon several times this season, but failed to find the number of Alumni that I expected. Fellow Alumni, I am sure that this is not due to the fact that you do not love Elon. Are you going to let your interest in the institution die, or grow cold and indifferent? If you will be fair with yourself, you must admit Elon has done much for you. You should be grateful, and should show your respect and appreciation by visiting more often, and by giving your support. We can not afford to take an indifferent attitude, because Elon's reputation is our reputation, Elon's future will to a great extent determine our success in the eyes of the world. Some will say that the "Old Elon Spirit" is lacking. Whose fault is this, the present student body's or ours? Probably both; but to relieve ourselves of the blame, we should get back on the campus more often and let the faculty and students know that we are behind them; and the "Old Spirit," which we boast of, and are justly proud of, will revive.

Thanksgiving day is near, and if you have been indifferent get some of the "Old Elon Spirit" in your system, and bring it back to Elon for the Thanksgiving program. Don't forget the game with Lenoir-Rhyne. Come on out and help your team to victory.

Burlington, N. C.

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Geo. D. C.

ELON REPRESENTED AT N. C. AND VA. CONFERENCE

The one hundred and third session of the North Carolina and Virginia Conference convened at the Ingram Christian Church November 13-15. Elon College was well represented at the conference. Dr. W. M. Jay, Professor S. A. Bennett, Dr. T. C. Amick, and Dr. W. S. Alexander attended the conference as ministerial members from Elon. H. George Robertson and S. E. Madren attended as ministerial students. Our representatives played an important part on the program. On Tuesday night Professor Bennett delivered a very inspiring sermon to the conference. Others speaking in the session were: Dr. Jay, who spoke on "Religious Literature;" Dr. Alexander, who spoke on "Stewardship;" Dr. Amick, who spoke on "Education;" S. E. Madren, who talked on "Christian Endeavor;" Dr. Atkinson, who spoke on "Missions," and H. G. Robertson, who spoke on "The Ministry."

A male quartet, composed of Dr. Jay, J. H. Dollar, G. C. Crutchfield, and T. F. Wright, rendered several much appreciated selections. A delegation of ladies from Elon attended the session on Wednesday. They were: Dean Savage, Mrs. W. A. Harper, Mrs. Ross Ensminger, Mrs. Alexander, Mrs. J. P. Barrett, and Mrs. Thomas Chandler.

The one hundred and fourth session of the conference will meet at Virginia, Virginia, next year. All who attended the conference reported a good time and a fine session. The Ingram Christian church entertained in a very hospitable way.

A WORD FROM PUNY RICHARDSON

Ladies and Gentlemen of the Old Gang: After learning that there would be a conflict between the Virginia State Educational meeting and the festivities at Elon on Thanksgiving, I did the next best thing and went for a week-end earlier in the fall. Hoping that my word will not be doubted, I should like to say that a warm welcome awaits all of the "men and women who have come and gone" at Elon. Could more be said than to say that the trip is well worth while and that Thanksgiving to me will be a day of regrets because of the old friends I shall miss seeing by not being at Elon.

The New York "Yankees" incurred the wrath of Lindbergh by breaking the "Spirit of St. Louis." In like manner, I hope that the "Fighting Christians" will crush the spirit of Lenoir-Rhyne.

H. Richardson, '27.

OH, THAT CHICKEN DINNER!

By G. A. Brown, '23

The chicken, like every other living creature, has certain habits which govern his conduct. So strongly imbedded are these habits that the chicken turns without thought to his roost, in the evening. Chicken breeders have learned that the chicken that does not return to his roost is good for nothing save the frying pan.

In like manner the Elon Alumni have formed a habit of returning to the Hill for Thanksgiving, and it is a great loss that those suffer who have not learned to return HOME for that day. Alumni forgetting their Alma Mater are destined, as the chicken forgetting his roost, to come to some bad end. They will soon be forgotten by their classmates and fellow Alumni.

As a member of the Alumni Association, I want to urge each of my fellow Alumni to return to their ALMA MATER, THANKSGIVING and just have a good time.

Hillsboro, N. C.

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Mr. Ralph Coggins, former student here, teacher in the Flat Rock High School, was on the hill during the week-end.

THE SHOW OFF

Again, we call your attention to the fact that you must not fail to see THE SHOW OFF, because you will regret it if you do.

Everything is ready for THE SHOW OFF; so if you want to have an enjoyable and delightful evening, come on and see THE SHOW OFF.

Excellent music will be furnished by the orchestra under Mr. Elbert Rhodes' conducting. This will make the occasion more enjoyable for those who come to see the play.

Once more the Expression Department, as well as Elon College, extends to you a cordial invitation to see this play.

Opportunity comes but once; so don't fail to take advantage of it when it comes. WE EXPECT YOU TO BE PRESENT FRIDAY NIGHT, NOVEMBER 23, 1928.

STUDENT RECITAL GIVEN IN COLLEGE CHAPEL

The second student's recital of the year was on last Thursday afternoon in the college chapel. There were quite a number present for the program. It is decidedly gratifying to both instructors and students for the people of the college and community who are not studying music to attend these programs. It goes to prove that there is great benefit derived from the programs and that there is interest in the development of local talent. We wish at this point to extend to all of you who are interested in music a hearty invitation to attend as many of these programs as you find it possible to attend. We appreciate this interest and will try to repay you for it by providing something really worth while in the musical line. There are always uplifting things about such programs that can not be transmitted to one who was not present, but let it suffice to say in regard to last week's program that it was an excellent performance in every respect, and that it was very enjoyable indeed to see students so efficient in their work.

Those who took part in this program were: Rebecca Matlock, Frances Ward, Helen Barney, Margaret Styers, Nancy Caddell, Elizabeth Harden, Jewell Pressner, Frances Devinyne, Allen Laxton, Idell Jones, Bessie McKinney, Frances Ring, Mabel Barrett, Fletcher Moore, Agnes King, Rebecca Taylor, Lois Corbett, Elizabeth Barney, Annie Virginia Britt, and Edith Lockey.

PROFESSOR BLAKE VISITS ELON CAMPUS

It is rare that a person drops in for chapel and entertains us as well as did Professor Blake of the Theodore Presser Music Co., Philadelphia, Pa. Professor Velie, a personal friend of Professor Blake's, introduced him to the audience. Professor Blake, a very charming man, told the story of Mr. Presser's hard struggle for a musical education and how he finally won out. Mr. Presser became a multi-millionaire and provided a home for aged musicians and left a foundation to help boys and girls who need aid to get a musical education. After his very interesting talk, Mr. Blake sang several selections. Among his selections were: "Sunshine in Rainbow Valley," "Just a Thinking of You," "By the Waters of Minnetonka," and "A Little Irish Girl." Mr. Blake's singing was received with genuine appreciation. The hearty applause showed that the speaker and singer had won the hearts of the audience.

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PSIPHELIANS WIN IN INTER SOCIETY DEBATE

Birdie Rowland Best on Entire Program; Estelle Williams Best on Negative.

The Psiphelian and Psykaleon Literary Societies clashed in their first annual debate last Friday night. The speakers for the Psiphelians were: Misses Birdie Rowland, Eva Sykes, and Mildred Johnson. Those representing the Psykaleon Society were: Misses Alma Kimball, Estelle Williams, and Clarice Dickerson.

The query discussed was: Resolved, that training in the Christian Religion should be given in the Public Schools of the United States. The Psiphelians argued for the affirmative, while the Psykaleons ably defended the negative side of the question.

The judges for the debate were prominent ladies of Burlington who, we are sure, found it a hard task to decide the winners. The judges were: Mesdames W. R. Sellars, W. E. Walker, and D. R. Fonville.

After a very interesting and hotly contested debate the judges awarded the decision to the affirmative. They declared Miss Birdie Rowland, Psiphelian, best on entire program and Miss Estelle Williams, Psykaleon, best on negative.

This debate and the Philologian-Clio debate held Wednesday night were both great successes, and we wish to congratulate each Literary Society on its fine work.

YOU HAVE ASKED ME FOR SOMETHING I HAVE

Dear George:

You have written me on a number of occasions and asked for money for a social club, society, athletics or the college. In some cases I responded, and in others I did not. But this time you asked me for something I have, and I am sure every Alumnus has; and that is time. You have asked me to write an article for the Alumni column, and I think I should be very ungrateful if I didn't take a few minutes and write one.

It is said that the best thing a father or mother can leave a child is an education and a good attitude toward citizenship and sportsmanship. That's true, but I don't think we should stop there. That's just half of the tale. Now comes the question, what does the child owe to the mother or father? Let Abraham Lincoln answer the question. He says, "All that I am or ever expect to be I owe to my angel mother." Now, I don't see why every Alumnus of Elon College can't say the same as Lincoln said. All that I am or ever expect to be in the educational world, I owe to Elon College. It was at Elon that I learned the methods I use in teaching. It was at Elon that I completely changed my attitude toward citizenship. It was at Elon that I came in contact with some of the best men that ever lived. If the daughter of fortune, Miss Fortune, ever o'er takes me, it will be to Elon I shall go for help. If I had to have a character witness or a recommendation I would go to Elon for either. I believe that is the spirit of every Elon Alumnus. Then, Alumni, is it anything but just for that we should help Elon in anyway we can.

Now, you fat Alumni, thin Alumni, short Alumni, and Elongated Alumni, both masculine and feminine, let's go back to Elon, our Elon, on Thanksgiving and see our team beat Lenoir-Rhyne; and before we leave let's pay our Alumni Voice dues, pay the Maroon and Gold subscription, and help pay for the chairs in the Society hall.

Come on folks, and let's help the institution that helped us.

Sincerely yours,
O. C. Johnson.

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MR. BARLOW DELIVERS INTERESTING ADDRESS

Mr. W. S. Barlow, of the Bell Telephone Co., delivered a splendid address to the members of The Economics Club at its last meeting. Mr. Barlow's address was of vital importance, and it is certain that every one present enjoyed it.

His discourse was based upon vocational guidance. According to Mr. Barlow's opinion, after a student graduates from college, he has accomplished very little, or perhaps nothing, as far as a prominent position in the business world is concerned. He says that the mere fact that a person is a college graduate does not imply that he is ready to go out in the world and be successful in business or in whatever line of work he may undertake as his life's vocation. A college education is a mere training of the mind, which will enable a person to be a little more efficient in his work after he has obtained that education. Furthermore, he said, "if a student thinks that after he gets through college he is ready to find a position waiting for him, he had better get that idea out of his mind, because it is absurd." He mentioned the fact that a college graduate didn't mean anything to the company he represents, so far as a position is concerned. Professor Tower, our instructor in Business Administration, has also emphasized the fact that a college diploma does not signify that a person who holds it is entitled to make any success in life. We students now in college must become aware of that fact, so that we may be able to avoid tremendous disappointments in later life.

MEET ME AT ELON!

Coming at the beginning of the farmer's rest when the harvest is all gathered, this is a very joyous festival, and more than any other, abounds in reunions. What a joy it is going to be to return to our dear Alma Mater this Thanksgiving and partake of the pumpkin pie and Thanksgiving turkey with old classmates and college mates, together with the student body in which we are so interested. We must not forget a most important football game between Dick Gurley's Lenoir-Rhyne College football team and the Maroon and Gold. How we liked to defeat the N. C. State teams in which Gurley played, back in the early twenties; and we are pulling for our boys to defeat his team on Thanksgiving day.

A toast: To the inventor of pumpkin pie to peace with all nations—to the rulers of our country—to the farmers—to full stomachs and merry hearts—to their excellencies, the president and the governor—to Elon: May we obey all their commands, and especially the latter's command to return to Elon on Thanksgiving day, as willingly as when they tell us to feast. Abounding plenty, may we remember the source from which our benefits come. Our two national fowls, the American eagle and the Thanksgiving turkey: May the one give us peace for all our states, and the other a piece for all our plates. The turkey and the eagle; we love to have the one soar high, but wish the other to roost low. The great American birds; may we have them where we love them best—the turkey on our Elon tables, and the eagles in our pockets.

E. S. "Johnnie" Johnson, '22.

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