

Maroon and Gold

"CLIMB, THOUGH THE ROCKS BE RUGGED"

WE DID
STOP!
LOOK!
LISTEN!

NOW!
WATCH US ACT

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WE CAN DO MORE THAN PAINT TANKS

Friday Marked 6th Anniversary Of Elon Fire

Greater Elon Day is Also Greater Psykaleon Day.

Fine New Buildings Help Make Elon Bigger and Better.

On January 18, 1923, Elon College was burned to the ground. Then, it seemed a great loss and misfortune, but now it is to us a great gain. Elon should conquer, Elon will conquer, Elon did conquer.

In place of the buildings that were burned to the ground we have the following modern, up-to-date buildings: The Administration building, made possible by the citizens of Alamance county; the Duke Science building, made possible by the late Duke Brothers; the Christian Education building, made possible by M. Orban, Jr.; the Whitley Auditorium, made possible by J. M. Darden, and the Carlton Library, made

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B. O. B. GIRLS WERE DELIGHTFULLY ENTERTAINED

The B. O. B. girls were pleasantly entertained at a feed last Friday afternoon from 2:30 till 4:00 o'clock at "Uncle" Ned Brannock's home, with Misses Mary Brannock and Virginia Harden as hostesses. A delicious ginger ale salad course was served with home-made candy.

Those present were: Nellie White, Marjorie Moore, Marion Nalle, Alberta and Charlotte Roberts, Idell Jones, Virginia Brown, Dorothy Williams, Sue Ella Watts, Ruth Alexander, Lois McFarland, Sallie Elder, Evelyn Yates, and Nannie Stout.

PSYKALEONS GIVE GOOD PROGRAM

Since the memorable morning six years ago when old Elon went up in smoke and a new Elon was immediately underway, January, the eighteenth has been observed as "Greater Elon Day" and also as "Greater Psykaleon Day." It is at this time that the Psykaleons give their annual entertainment in the Whitley Auditorium.

The program for Friday evening, January the eighteenth, was as follows: Welcome—Clara Underwood.

Chorus—Viola Worsley, Frances Ring, Mary Rudd, Elizabeth Carper, Alma Kimball, Ruth Stearns, Clara Underwood, Mabel Coghill, Adna Lane Bruton, Sally Elder, Alberta Roberts, Anna Virginia Britt, Ruth Bateson, Moyd Fite, Charlotte Roberts, Clarice Dickerson.

January, Past and Present—Idell Jones.

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B. O. B.'s ENTERTAINED AT DRUG STORE PARTY

The new members of the B. O. B. Sorority entertained the old members Monday afternoon at a drug store party at White's Drug Store. Each old member was given the privilege of ordering what she wished.

Those entertained by Sally Elder, Nannie Stout, Lois McFarland, and Evelyn Yates were: Marion Nalle, Mary Brannock, Charlotte Roberts, Marjorie Moore, Dorothy Williams, Nell White, Alberta Roberts, Ruth Alexander, Virginia Brown, Virginia Harden, Sue Watts and Idell Jones.

NOTICE!

Orders will be taken for the Phipsieli in the near future. Every one will have a chance to get a 1929 Phipsieli. There will be no books ordered from the publishers except those that are subscribed for by the students. Students, take it upon yourself to get a book and show your loyal support of student publications.

All class dues are past due. These dues must be paid in order for our publications to be a success. If you do not know how much you owe, see your class treasurer, and then pay up.

INTERCOLLEGIATE DEBATERS HAVE BEEN CHOSEN

The preliminaries of the intercollegiate debating team are now over, and our teams are burning midnight oil preparing to represent "ole" Elon on the platform for this season. In order to select men for the teams, two try-outs were held. One was held last Thursday evening at seven-thirty o'clock and the other Monday afternoon at four o'clock. There were seven men, who tried for places on the teams. They were: G. D. Underhill, A. H. Johnson, Fred Smith, Daniel Boone, W. R. Highsmith, L. C. Williams, and H. N. Truitt. The judges were Professors Brannock, Van Cleave, and White. The question was: Resolved, that a substitute for our present day system should be adopted. Each speaker was allowed his choice of sides of the question.

There were already four men on the

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KAPPA PSI NU FRAT HAS FEED IN BURLINGTON

At last, the rushing season is over and many new men have been taken into the Fraternities. After this season is over the activities seem to begin at once.

Thursday night the new and old active members of the Kappa Psi Nu Fraternity journeyed down to Burlington, where they were the guests of the Alamance County Kappa Psi Nu men at a chicken supper.

The men assembled at the Washington Cafe at 9:30. After several minutes of introduction and handshakes,

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PROF. TOWER TALKS TO THE ECONOMICS CLUB

Last Thursday afternoon at 4:30, Prof. R. B. Tower talked to the Economics Club, using as his subject, "Business of 1928, Business Outlook For 1929." Prof. Tower had a well prepared talk and brought to us many worth while and interesting facts. He talked largely along the line of big business, such as General Motor Corporations, Big Banking Houses, and the Stock Market. He spoke of the many mergers in the business world during 1928. Business as a whole was good during

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Freshman Class Has Fine Officers

Prospects of Class of '32 Very Bright

The Freshmen will look, listen, and act, but they will not stop. The acting is not as much as that of the upper classes, but there will come a time. Yes, there will come a time when members of the Class of '32 will fill places now held by upper classmen and how. How? That is a bird of another color, but it is a pleasing color. Judging from the start the Freshmen have made, we believe there is a worth-while future for the class.

Although the Freshmen have not had much publicity, they are still here, and a "ready" class they are. With officers such as the Freshmen Class has, there is no wonder that it is such a "coming" class. The officers of the class are as follows: President, Fred Dickerson; vice-president, Ural Watson; secretary, Mabel Barrett; treasurer, Frances Ring. The activities of the class are not limited to the class, but they extend to all other activities of the school.

The Freshmen are represented in the Student Council by Mabel Coghill, and in the Student Senate by Walter Latham. The social clubs have even taken in some Freshmen who are easily told from those not having the fortune to get in, because they bring cushions to class with them.

At a recent meeting the class chose their colors, flower, and motto. At the beginning of the meeting a report was given by the committee which had been

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FRESHMEN ACHIEVEMENTS IN ATHLETICS AT ELON

Boys of '32 Doing Good Work in Football and Basketball.

As this week's issue of the Maroon and Gold is being put out by the Freshman Class we should like to call to your attention the things that the boys of the Class of '32 have accomplished in athletics already in these five months.

At the end of the football season, of the twenty men who still remained on the squad nine were Freshmen; almost one-half of the gridiron squadron. Out of this number five were playing regular positions on the varsity, and all were playing a jam-up game of ball. Watson, the Hoosier school boy from Indiana, and Hughes, a product of Graham, North Carolina, were holding down the guard positions in fine style. While Rollins, that lanky Kannapolis lad, was putting up a nice game at one of the flank positions. Then in the backfield the first-year boys had Walter Latham at one-half. Walter hails from Washington in the Tar Heel state, and is about the hardest working man on just anybody's old squad. "Pete" Williams, that West Point, Georgia flash, was the gentleman who held the

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GIRLS ELECT HEAD PROCTER

In a meeting after chapel Monday morning Miss Alma Kimball was elected head proctor to take the place of Miss Margaret Rietsell, who did not return for the spring semester.

The entire student body of Elon College joins with the Maroon and Gold staff in expressions of deep sympathy for Earl and Pitts Vickers in their recent bereavement. The death of their sister, Myrtle Vickers, a former Elon student, has caused a great deal of sorrow on the Elon campus.

Elon Basketball Squad Returns From Va. Trip

THE STAFF FOR THIS ISSUE:

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Sally Elder...Reporter
Virginia Lineburger...Reporter
Evelyn Yates...Reporter

These Freshmen with the help of the entire Freshman Class are responsible for this issue of the Maroon and Gold.

The Elon basketball squad returned Saturday afternoon from a four-day invasion of Virginia. During the trip some of the outstanding teams of Virginia were met. Emory and Henry was played Tuesday night, Virginia Polytechnic Institute Wednesday night, Virginia Military Institute Thursday night, and Bridgewater College Friday night. V. P. I. and Bridgewater College were defeated, while losses were suffered at V. M. I. and Emory and Henry.

The men making the trip were Captain Briggs, Z. Walker, Sims, Kelly, F. Caddell, Rollins, Latham, Watson, P. Caddell, and N. Parker.

MARIONETTES PROVE VERY INTERESTING

"Are you going to see Tony Sarg's Marionettes this afternoon and tonight?" You heard this all over the hill Wednesday morning and early afternoon. After the programs different questions were flying back and forth again. This time they were: "Did you go? Did you like them? Which did you like better, afternoon or night? Wasn't this good or wasn't that good?" etc.

The afternoon program was very different from that of the night. It opened with Greedy George, the Human Puppet. Following this was a most enticing little play of three scenes in which Little Red Riding Hood was shown leaving home and going to her Grandmother's cottage, where instead of finding her grandmother she found

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WEEKLY FRENCH CLUB PROGRAM RENDERED

The regular weekly meeting of the French Club was held Tuesday afternoon in the Y. W. C. A. After the reading of the minutes of the last meeting and the roll call, the regular business session was held. The Club elected Mr. Andrews vice-president, as this office was vacant.

The members of the Club are striving to learn several French songs, among these are "Alonette" and the "Marseillaise." Some time was spent in practicing these, and it could easily be seen that the members are learning to sing these songs. A reading, "Compassion," was given by Roy Richardson. Professor Guillet conducted a game, "Un Jeu Alphabetique," in which all the members took part.

The French Club under the direction of Professor Guillet is doing much to promote interest in the study and learning of French at Elon, and offers a good opportunity to all French students.

CLIOS TO PRESENT PROGRAM WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY

With Washington's birthday only one month off the members of the Clio Literary Society are hard at work. As every one on the "hill" knows, this day is set aside at Elon as "Clio day." On this day the Clios give their annual public performance, and they are now making definite plans for their entertainment.

To tell what the program will consist of would be letting the cat out of the bag ahead of time, so we'll just be patient. Suffice it to say that the Clios intend to put on one of their usual high calibre programs.

DR. HOWSARE BEGINS REVIVAL SERVICE HERE

Makes Two Impressive Talks Sunday

This week we are very fortunate to have with us Dr. McD. Howsare, who is secretary of Evangelism and Life Work of the Christian Church. Dr. Howsare is a man of wide experience in evangelistic work, is sympathetic, and has a true understanding of youth and its problems.

Dr. Howsare will speak in the auditorium every night this week and will conduct the regular daily chapel services throughout the week. We feel sure that each and every one will be greatly benefitted by Dr. Howsare's stay with us.

Dr. Howsare began his series of lectures Sunday morning. He explained

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DR. HOWSARE MAKES INSPIRING CHAPEL TALK

Dr. Howsare, Secretary of Evangelism and Life Work of the Christian Church, has secured and kept the attention of the whole student body by his inspiring talks in chapel.

Monday morning Dr. Howsare's topic was "The Two Agencies With Which We Are Able to Better Our Lives." He explained that the agencies were Divine and Human. His main thought was brought out in what he termed the "Outlets of Power." The first outlet

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PROFESSOR VELIE TO ACCOMPANY HACKETT

Professor Velie's services are very much in demand as an accompanist. Last season he accompanied Arthur Hackett, noted tenor, in a recital at Mississippi State Teacher's College. Recently he received a request from Mr. Hackett to play for two recitals in Florida next month. One will be given at Tallahassee, and the other at Key West.

Mr. Hackett has sung over the radio for the Atwater Kent Company. He was the assisting artist with Melba on her farewell tour in England.

Both the faculty and the students of the college appreciate having at the head of the Music Department a person as capable and well known as Prof. Velie.