

several teams, which have won eleven championships in five years.

The most recent of these titles was won in the Tri-State basketball tournament at Charlotte, N.

Have you clipped the coupon, indicated your choice, and mailed in your ballot to Mrs. C. M. Cannon? Don't forget!

C, last March 9. His quintet, which had already been awarded the North State conference championship, entered the Quene City field, composed of "little" college teams from North Carolina, South Carolina and Virginia, and came out as tournament champions.

Beginning with the formation of the North State conference in 1930, Coach Walker has won a championship in some sport yearly since. His stretch of wins is still underway with the winning of football, baseball and basketball titles during 1933 and 1934.

His North State championship record follows: 1930, football and baseball; 1931, baseball and basketball; 1932, baseball; 1933, football, baseball and basketball; 1934, football, baseball and basketball. This record shows that Coach Walker has produced six consecutive conference-winning teams in 1933 and 1934.

He came to Elon college from A. C. C. in the fall of 1927. For

If you like the idea of having alumni numbers of the college paper, let the association know it.

several years before and during that time he had been associated in professional baseball. During 1921, '22 and '23 he was with the Wilson, N. C., club in the Virginia league. In 1924-25 he played with Rochester in the International league from where he went to Norfolk to play in the Virginia league in 1926. In 1927 he returned to the Wilson club for a year after which he signed with the York, Pa., club in the New York-Penn. league, where he remained for two years—1928 and 1929. In 1930 he joined the Decatur, Ill., nine of the Three-I league; in 1931 he played for Winston-Salem and in 1932 he played for Wilmington, both years in the Piedmont league.

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## Panning and Fanning

(BY JIM PARHAM)

While the poets claim a young man's fancy turns to love in the spring, some of us still think he lets his mind wander somehow to summer vacation, baseball, tennis and golf. Indeed, some of us honestly believe Mr. Young Man might even place a bit of thought upon his studies.



PAUL CHEEK

## W H Kimball Is President of Student Body

Lawrence Tuck Is Elected to Head Student Senate; Others Elected.

The annual student election was held Tuesday, April 9. The polls were open from eight in the morning until five-thirty in the afternoon. Excitement was very high during the day, and great interest was evidenced in the outcome.

After dinner, the electoral committee began its work of counting the votes, and at eight o'clock the returns had been posted on the bulletin board.

The results of the election were as follows:

W. W. Kimball, of Manson, N. C., president of student body; Lawrence Tuck, of Virgilina, Va., president of Student Senate; Hazel Martin, of Dodson, N. C., president of Student Council; L. E. Smith, Jr., of Elon College, N. C., cheerleader; Charles Holmes, of Caldwell, N. J., president of the senior class; Luther Boyd, of Henderson, N. C., vice president of senior class; Elmina Rhodes, of Windsor, Va., secretary-treasurer of senior class; Rebecca Smith, of Elon College, N. C., editor of Phipps; Charles Evans, of Charlottesville, Va., president of junior class; Marcella Ackenhausen, of Cincinnati, Ohio, vice-president of junior class; Margaret Chason, of Lumber Bridge, N. C., secretary-treasurer of junior class; Bill Cooper, editor of Maroon and Gold; Joe Pointer, president of sophomore class; Jacques Brothers, of Suffolk, Va., vice-president of sophomore class;

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of high school graduates who do not college material, that they are not mentally capable of success in higher education.

Conditions determine the capability of the high school graduate as much as preparation, or grades won. If the student has had a poorly graded school and inefficient teachers his worth and ability are not indicated in high school certificates. College work is different. College teachers are different from high school teachers in many instances. A college atmosphere, with its increased advantages over high school, may discover within the youngster himself possibilities and abilities which neither he nor his high

Act at once. Cast your vote. Clip the ballot, and mail your choice at once to Mrs. C. M. Cannon, secretary-treasurer, Elon College, North Carolina.

school instructors ever dreamed of.

As a rule, I should say every high school graduate should have the opportunity to make a trial of college and of college opportunities and responsibilities. Some of the finest young men and young women that North Carolina has yet produced are denied college advantages and opportunities because of the lack of funds with which to pay the cost of higher education. This is a tragedy, a great loss to the state, one that should be remedied. Men of means should provide scholarships for the young men and young women of North Carolina with superior intelligence and gifts that they might be prepared to make their contributions to church, state, and nation.

The high school graduates of Alamance county and of surrounding counties, living within a radius of twenty-five miles of Elon College, are fortunate and

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## Class Of Twenty-Five To Hold Its Reunion

Attention, Class of 1925!! "Four score years and ten"—Well, any way, the "ten" part of that is true! Yes, sir, believe it or not, it has been ten long years since we took our diplomas away and left Alma Mater. Now, how about coming back, all together, for another collective "How'd you do" and an old time reunion?

Plans have already been made for that very thing, and the committee, composed of Margaret Rowland, Mary Lee Foster, and Cliff Elder, are expecting you and YOU to be present. In fact, we don't see how it'd be possible to keep you away. Pro-

**Department**  
New Dean Comes to Elon Next Fall; Graduate of Carolina And Columbia; To Receive Ph. D. From N. Y. U. in Spring

## HAWTHORNE PRINCIPAL

Mr. Johnson is Well-Known in North Carolina; Principal at High Point High School.

L. Roy Johnston, of Hawthorne, New Jersey, native of Aamance county, North Carolina, and graduate of the University of North Carolina, will assume duties at Elon College as dean of the college and head of the department of education beginning with the next college year in September, according to announcement by President Leon E. Smith of the college.

At present Mr. Johnson is principal of Hawthorne high school, which position he has held since 1933. Since 1932 he has been connected with the summer school department of New York University, and will come to Elon directly from the Manhattan institution.

Mr. Johnson has a wide and varied background of educational

When have you attended commencement last? Why not arrange now to be present this year? An interesting program is in the making. Meet your old associates.

training and experience to his credit. He received his A. B. degree in 1914 from the University of North Carolina from where he went to the Teachers college of Columbia University to obtain his M. A. degree in secondary education. He will complete requirements for the Ph. D. degree at New York University this spring.

His experience includes teaching mathematics and science at Oak Ridge Military Institute, 1914-1917, 1919-20; instructor of mathematics at High Point high

Have you responded to the letter mailed out from the Alumni Lantern Festival committee? It promises to be an interesting spectacle.

school 1921-22 and principal of High Point high school for 11 years until 1933. He joined the education staff of the woman's college of the University of North Carolina summer school in 1926 and instructed education in the

M. Z. Rhodes, 1923, was named vice president. Miss Dorothy Miller was chosen secretary-treasurer. The social committee consists of Alton West, chairman, Mesdames Marvin McPherson and C. W. Gordon, and Miss Ida Wilkerson and Mr. Lester.

Arrangements for the meeting were made by C. W. Gordon, of the class of 1926. Mr. Gordon turned the meeting over to George D. Colclough, who presided. Brief talks were made by several of the guests present. Members of the faculty at Elon were recognized. Mr. M. L. Patrick, president of the General Alumni Association, outlined the activities of the different units and set forth their

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relationship to the larger association. He pointed out that the different units can function to increase the membership of the General Association, enroll former students and graduates in the given localities, and assist in the collection of the alumni fees. It was his expressed desire that the association continue through the rest of this year and into the next administration to build up more units throughout Carolina, Virginia and in other states where alumni are found.

Dr. L. E. Smith, president of the college, delivered the main address of the evening, and spoke at length on the future of the Elon. He expressed optimistic hopes for the days ahead. He reviewed the growth of Elon College during the past two years, and declared that he believes the long period of service Elon has

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## Committee of Lantern Festival In Open Letter

Dear Alumnus:

At the mid-year meeting of the Alumni Association at Elon it was voted to inaugurate the custom of having an Alumni Lantern Festival with an Alumni March on Alumni Night. In order to make this possible we are asking each Alumnus to give fifty cents toward the purchasing of the lanterns.

That the lanterns may be ordered in time for commencement, please send your donation AT ONCE. Either send 50 cents in stamps or if you send a check for \$1.50 we will credit \$1.00 on your Alumni dues.

This custom of having the campus illuminated with lanterns at Commencement has proved high-



MIKE BRIGGS

## Eastern Unit Of Virginia Has Banquet

Dr. Darden Jones Elected in Ninth Annual Meeting Held at Suffolk.

Dr. Darden Jones was elected president at the ninth annual banquet of the Eastern Virginia Elon College Alumni Club, held Friday night, February 22 at the Fellowship Hall of the Suffolk Christian church with 156 guests present.

Other officers elected were Mrs. Russell Bradford, of Town Point, Nansemond County, vice president; Mrs. Annie Staley Calhoun, secretary and treasurer.

The hall was decorated in ivy pine and ferns and Elon pennants with maroon candles in silver holders and calendas in silver baskets and the Elon College colors of maroon and gold were carried out in the favors and dinner which was served by the ladies of the Christian church, with Mrs. W. H. Yates as chairman.

Dr. I. W. Johnson, president of the club presided and others at the speakers table were Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. Annie Staley Calhoun, Rev. F. C. Lester, Dr. L. E. Smith, of Elon College, who made an address Rev. and Mrs. William Redd Turner, of Portsmouth; Dr. J. E. Rawles and Col. J. E. West, trustees of Elon College; Mrs. E. Rawles, Rev. O. D. Poythress and Rev. J. F. Morgan, of Norfolk. Dr. and Mrs. N. G. Newman, of Franklin; Dr. Elwood Jones, of Franklin; Mr. and Mrs. Russell Bradford, Rev. H. S. Hardcastle, of Norfolk; Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Lenthers, Rev. and Mrs. John G.

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(BY JIM PARHAM)

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ances we have a temperamental ball club this spring. They play one game like polished pros while in the next they pull

There will be another issue of the MAROON AND GOLD, just before commencement. It will not carry the ballot. Vote.

Roy Howard Richardson, '27, and John C. Whitesell, '24, are the nominees for the vice-presidency. Miss Sadie Ponville, and M. L. Patrick are the two offered by the committee for the secretary-treasurer. Drs. P. E. Lindley, '20, and F. L. Gibbs, '25, are selected as Alumni Orators. The one receiving the higher number of votes of the two will be the orator, while the other will be the alternate. It is customary to have both a speaker and an alternate.

The departure from the usual manner of selecting the officers for the Association is felt to be more in keeping with democratic principles. Too, it should give people off the campus an opportunity to have their voices felt. While it is desired that as many former students and graduates return for commencement as possible, it is recognized that only a minority do so. Consequently, the Association wishes to extend the right to help select the officers to

Be present at the Alumni Association business meeting. Bring your suggestions. Let the Association grow with you.

those who find themselves unable to attend Alumni Day at the college.

In submitting their slate, the nominating committee join with the present administration in urging prompt action from the alumni and alumnae. Every graduate and former student should see to it that his ballot is mailed at once to Mrs. C. M. Cannon, secretary-treasurer, Elon College. She will keep the ballots for final tabulation at commencement.

A matter that came up for consideration in the mid-year meeting was whether voting for the officers of the association should be restricted to the paid-up members of the association. After

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