

GOVERNOR OF SOUTH CAROLINA TO MAKE COMMENCEMENT DAY LITERARY ADDRESS

Dr. John C. Walker Is Baccalaureate Speaker

Student Body Votes For Favorites In Campus Election

Here's the news you've been waiting—the topnotchers, those students you picked as the best or the worst in their various achievements.

Girls	Boys
Most Popular— Jeanne Hook	Gene Poe
Best Looking— Alice Cross	Earl Farrell
Maxine Jackson	
Best Dressed— Hazel Walker	Carl Neil
Most Collegiate— Alice Cross	Shiek Riley
Best Spanish Athlete— Meg Graves	Gene Poe
Hardest Worker— Frances Gunter	Shannon Morgan
Most Intellectual Nell Crenshaw	Shannon Morgan
Most Versatile— Florence Braxton	
Jeanne Hook	Emerson Whatley
Laziest— Martha McDaniel	Bill Meacham
Best All-Around Athlete— Edna Rumley	Fred Register
Best Jitterbug— Lou Ratliffe	Shiek Riley
Best Dancer— Joyce Matthews	Leon Gibbs
Best Polisher of Apples— Mary Cox	Gene Poe
Most Sophisticated— Eva Carpenter	Tom Horner
Wittiest— Joyce Smith	Earl Farrell
Biggest Flirt— Joyce Matthews	Jim Tatum
Most Original— Mary Ellen McCants	Earl Farrell
Best Musician— Jeanne Hook	Howard Cates
Best Actor and Actress— Faye Thomas	Joe Franks

AMERICAN ADVISER TO CHIANG KAI-SHEK VISITS CAMPUS

Dr. George William Shepherd, for 20 years a missionary in China, and for seven years a personal adviser to the present ruler of free China, addressed the chapel assembly, and was the guest of President Smith on May 12.

Dr. Shepherd spoke on "A Challenge To The Modern World," and showed the necessity for a union of the classical principles of human thought which have become a part of three great civilizations now influencing world religions.



DR. JOHN C. WALKER, who will deliver the baccalaureate address to the seniors.

May Day Exercises Are Held In Gymnasium

Although it seemed as if the weather were going to change our regular plans regarding the May Day exercises, we Eloners are a brave and stubborn group, and when the heaven began to shower us with its blessings, we undauntedly removed the thrones and other necessary decorations into the Gymnasium.

At 4:30, on May 6, before an audience of more than two hundred, the procession marched slowly and majestically to their respective places, to the familiar strains of "Pomp and Circumstance." Shannon Morgan, president of the Student Body crowned Hazel Walker the Queen of May and Earl Farrell the King of May. The Junior Attendants were Elizabeth Holland, Clarence Biddix, Eliza Boyd, and Walstein Snyder; the Senior Attendants, Virginia Jeffreys Darden, Spike Harrell, Lucille Bialock and Mark Andes. After the coronation, a girls' chorus sang, "Now Is the Month of Maying." This was followed by the "Waltz in Blue." The participants of this picturesque dance wore light blue net evening dresses with long full sleeves. The performers of the "Russian Dance Trepak" wore black gathered skirts, with bright orange sashes around their waists. The gayest, and probably the most well-received dance, was the "Virginia Reel." Although this was an all-girl dance, some of the girls were dressed as farmers with overalls, bright plaid shirts, and straw hats, while their partners wore bonnets and pinafores. Between dances Piner Kenyon and Jeanne Hook rendered several solos. The girls in the graceful "Waltz of the Flowers" were dressed in pink and green play suits, which were scalloped around the edges. The final rendition was the traditional Maypole Dance, with the girls wearing white skirts and blouses, and a red or blue streamer across their shoulders. The streamers of the Maypole were red, white and blue. After singing the School Song, the court marched out.

Mr. Colclough And Mr. Barney Are Honored

Mr. George Colclough, Field Secretary of the college, and Professor John Willis Barney, Associate in the Department of English, were named to office in the village elections on May 2.

Mr. Colclough was elected as Mayor. Mr. Barney was chosen as one of the Board of Commissioners. Other members of the new board include Mr. Charles D. Johnson, Mr. Leslie Wagner, Mr. L. D. Martin, and Mr. M. W. Hook.

The college congratulates Mr. Colclough and Mr. Barney. We are certain that they will serve faithfully in the cause of public welfare, and that their characters and abilities warrant this expression of public confidence.



THE HON. OLIN D. JOHNSTON
Governor Of South Carolina

Maroon And Gold Graham To Head Ministerial Group

All students, alumni, and faculty, hear ye, hear ye! The desire of the staff of your college paper is to make constant improvement. We aspire. We want, someday, to produce the best. We hope to see a time when the MAROON AND GOLD is more widely known, when its editors will be a part of a great tradition and will be sought after as rising young journalists.

We need a slogan, something original, with a spice of pepper in it. We have racked the editorial brains all winter to no avail; and, believing that many heads are better than few—believing in the power of union and democracy, we come now to you with this appeal. Send in a slogan. If we find one that stands the test of real newspaper excellence, you will be rewarded by seeing it on bi-weekly parade below the masthead for many years.

Send several. Mail them to the editor any time between now and next October. We shall not be satisfied until we find one that has the appeal of the ATLANTA JOURNAL'S "Covers Dixie Like The Dew," a slogan which we think is the best of all time. And we can't use a carbon copy—Wake Forest beat us to it with "Covers The Campus Like The Magnolias." But we live in hope. Put on your think cap. Use the noggin. A good slogan, one that can last a century, that's what we want, and we won't be satisfied with less. We want to find some of the publisher's magic which made Ben Franklin; or, more properly, which Ben Franklin made, and which has successors on the SATURDAY EVENING POST have kept alive now for almost two centuries. Elonites, join in our slogan parade.

Bob Graham was elected president of the ministerial association for next year at its weekly meeting on May 1. He has been very active in the group during the year. Other newly elected officers are Tom Horner, vice-president, and Jack Sunburn, secretary.

The out-going officers are Mark Andes, president, Wally Snider, vice-president, and Fred Register, secretary.

The last meeting of the year will be held Monday evening, May 15, in Doctor French's classroom, at which time the new officers will take charge.

Hilda Ohlin Heard In Concert Here

On Thursday evening, May 11, before an audience of students, faculty, and townspeople, Miss Hilda Ohlin, soprano, of Denver, Col., and New York City, sang with the utmost ease and beauty of a well chosen program. The recital was presented in Whitley Memorial Auditorium and Miss Ohlin was accompanied at the piano by Irving D. Bartley, head of the college music department.

Aside from being an excellent artist, Miss Ohlin displays a fine personality and at all times makes those in her presence feel very comfortable.

To Speak Here On Monday, May 22

Lt. William Maness Returns From The South Pacific

A navy fighter pilot, flier of a carrier-based Grumman Wildcat plane, Lt. William Maness of Yanceyville and Kaeford, N. C., brought his young and beautiful wife with him to campus on a visit on May 2. Mrs. Maness is a Florida girl, but we caught only a flying interview and regret that we can not give the reportorial standard account of her.

Several times reported missing in action, Lt. Maness was in three major battles, and was once forced down at sea, his plane somersaulting and driving him down to a depth of about twenty feet before he could get clear. Fortunately, he came up in front of one of our destroyers—commanded, he said, by a man from Mebane, N. C.—and was immediately rescued. Lt. Maness took part in several raids on Rabaul. He has been assigned to instructor duty in the U. S. A. for the present.

A member of the class of '38, he won a national sales award from the Liberty Mutual Insurance Company, and also worked for a time at Sellars in Burlington before entering flight training. He received his wings just six days after Pearl Harbor, and has been on duty in the Pacific since January of '42.

He will be remembered as a popular manager of football in the days '36 and '37—when football here was really a big time game. His association with the great teams of these days makes a hit with us, of course; and we're proud to recall that, lightweight though he was the coaches put him in for a letter; but what makes us proudest is the fact that he has some Jap planes to his credit. When you win in that toughest of all trials—air combat, you pass something peerless indeed. Present address of Lt. Maness is Route 4, Box '30, 4563 Timuquana Rd., Jacksonville, Florida.

Campus Calendar

- Sunday, May 14: High School Baccalaureate Service. 11:00 a. m. Address by Dr. D. J. Bowden.
- May 17-19: Final quarter examinations, as directed by instructors.
- May 20: Class Day Exercises, 10:00 a. m. Barbecue Luncheon, 1:30 p. m. Alumni Meetings: Initial Meeting, 11:00 a. m. Business Meeting, 2:30 p. m. Banquet, 8:00 p. m.
- May 21: Baccalaureate Sermon by Dr. John C. Walker at 11:00 a. m. Vespers Recitals, 4:30 p. m. Faculty Recital, 8:00 p. m.
- May 22: Commencement Day. Board of Trustees meeting, 9:30 a. m. Address by the Hon. Olin D. Johnston, 10:30 a. m.

President Leon E. Smith has announced a complete program for Elon College commencement, May 20-22. Governor Olin D. Johnston, of South Carolina, will deliver the literary address Monday morning, May 22; the baccalaureate sermon will be delivered by Dr. John C. Walker, pastor of the Second Congregational Christian church, Waterbury, Connecticut. Both Governor Johnston and Dr. Walker are well known throughout the country as public speakers. Governor Johnston is now serving his second term as governor of South Carolina. He is a graduate of Wofford College and holds the M. A. and LL. B. degrees from the University of South Carolina.

Governor Johnston, who was born near Anderson, S. C., has gained national attention by his sensible program for the advancement of agriculture, education, and industry in his home state. He is a veteran of World War I, having served in France during 1917-18. His wife may come with him on this visit to our campus. She is the former Gladys E. Atkinson, and is related to the prominent local family of that name.

Dr. Walker is a native of Kalamazoo, Michigan, and during the World War I served with the 54th C. A. C. in France as a second lieutenant. He holds the B. S., B. A., M. A., and Ph. D. Degrees from Kalamazoo College, Manitoba College, University of Manitoba, and University of Edinburg, respectively. Dr. Walker is one of the leading ministers in the Congregational church. He is well known as an author and lecturer throughout the New England states. His sermon will be delivered at 11 o'clock, Sunday, May 21.

Class Day exercises have been announced for May 20.

Other highlights of the Elon College commencement will consist of Alumni Day, May 20, which will start with the business meeting at 2:30 and with the annual banquet beginning at 9 o'clock with Mrs. Graham Rowland Wisseman, of Greensboro, as the main speaker.



MRS. GRAHAM ROWLAND WISSEMAN, who will be principal speaker at Alumni Banquet.