

## NEW MAROON & GOLD STAFF APPOINTED

### BRETTON WOODS-DUMBARTON OAKS DISCUSSED

#### Peace Analyzed By Dr. Eugene Pfaff Of International Relations Council

The preliminary plans for world peace and the organization of related programs for a world economy were analyzed by Dr. Eugene Pfaff of Chapel Hill on April 10 at an assembly in Society Hall. Dr. Pfaff is an executive secretary for the southern branch of the International Relations Council, a subsidiary of the Carnegie Foundation.

Dr. Hans Hirsch of the Department of History presented the guest speaker on behalf of Pi Gamma Mu, honorary social science organization. Problems discussed were of vital importance to Americans, and were analyzed approximately as follows:

Dumbarton Oaks is one brick, and only one, in the building of a House of Peace. It seeks to establish machinery for preserving peace and order—by force if necessary. Those who are not for the league (even if it costs something by way of compromise) are enemies of the peace.

The Dumbarton Oaks proposals ask for a World Assembly with a Security Council of eleven members, five from each of the great powers and six elected at large. This council is to be on duty at all times.

As the organization is now planned, however, the right of veto is in reality vested in any one of the five great powers. The proposed league is far from perfect. But it is our one hope, and we must strive to make it work. To gain at least partial security for the future of the peace, we must agree to some compromises in order to get started.

A third part of the plan sets up a World Court for the impartial settlement of disputes according to International law. Part four will be a Secretariat, a group of experts permanently on duty the world over to carry out the orders of the league. There will also be a Committee of Eighteen to deal with social and economic problems.

The Bretton Woods Conference has proposed an International Bank, and an International Currency to be used in rebuilding the ruins of war and reorganizing national and international economies. The first objective is to avoid a postwar depression, to maintain full employment. This may well be the most important brick in the house of peace.

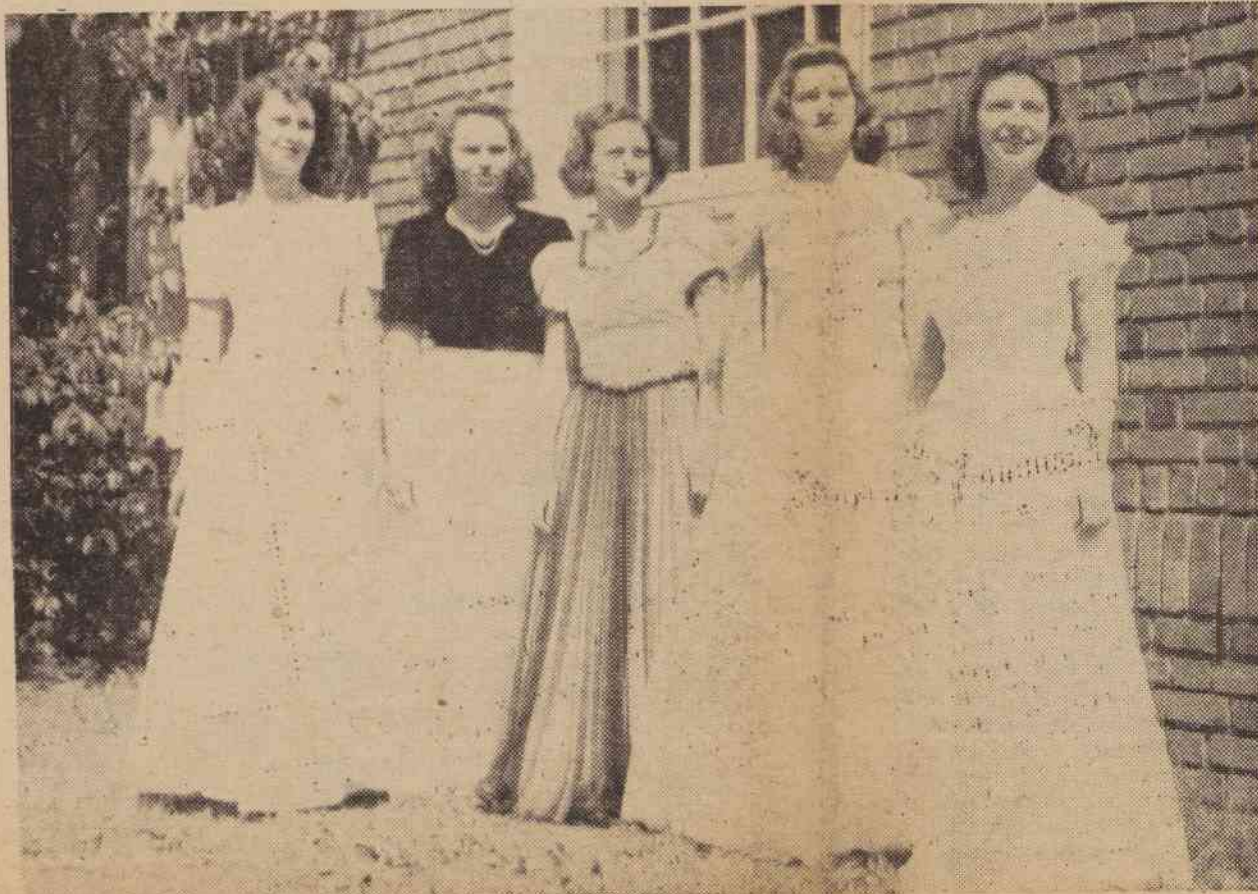
Finally, and of great importance, there are also plans under way for an international program of education for peace and wise co-operative living.

Dr. Pfaff made a plea for letters to our senators and congressmen insisting on action for assuring our participation in the league.

PROFESSOR IRVING BARTLEY  
WRITES FOR ETUDE

An article entitled "What Is Expected Of An Accompanist?" written by Professor Bartley appears in the April issue of the Etude Music Magazine. Other articles of Professor Bartley's soon to be included in the columns of the same magazine are "How To Maintain Interest In Routine Playing" and "The Value of Studying Hymns."

#### May Day Attendants



Pictured above are the five girls who will attend the Queen-of-May, Eliza Boyd, at the annual May Day Celebration on the West Campus, May 5, 1945. Reading from left to right they are Jessie Thurecht, Elizabeth City, Junior Attendant; Frances Gunter, Sanford, Senior Attendant; Edna Rumley, Elon College, Senior Attendant; Margaret Rawls, Suffolk, Virginia, Junior Attendant; and Jeanne Hook, Elon College, Maid-of-Honor.

## Nation Mourns President Roosevelt

#### Summer Quarter Announcements

The summer quarter will have two terms, the first from June 5 to July 14, and the second from July 17 to August 19. Registration will be on June 5.

Courses will be offered from the usual curriculum in all departments. Students wishing to graduate in three years may do so by adding three summer quarters to the work done during three regular academic years. High school graduates may enter as Freshmen during the summer, and others who wish to get special work or to make up credits may do so.

Courses in Business, Pre-nursing Study, Art, Music, History, English, Science, Religion, Mathematics, Aviation, etc., will be available.

Students interested may obtain complete information from the Dean's Office.

#### PANVIO TAKES FIFTEEN NEW MEMBERS

The Panvio Literary Society met in Society Hall on April 4 and greeted their new members. After assembling they hiked down to the home of Hilda Neese, a member of the society, where the regular meeting was conducted by Edna Reitzel, president.

Dale Burkhead, vice president, took charge of the program. Those participating on program were Marguerite Hudson, Joyce Smith, Ruby Braxton, Florine Braxton, Rachel Hopkins, and Ruth Webster. Punch and cakes were served by the hostess, Dell Burkhead, Jane Lewis, Helen McBane, and Hazel Johnson.

The following new members have been initiated into the society: Joyce Whitlock, Helen Gunter, Eunice Ebsner, Marguerite Hudson, Janet Ward, Margie Simpson, Marie Bogue, Esther Knuckles, Gertrude Ward, Mildred Pittman, Elnor Argenbright, Hilda Roberts, Lib Johnson, Dot Shephard, and Rachael Hopkins.

This week's work on the MAROON AND GOLD was interrupted Thursday by the news of the death of our Commander-in-Chief, President Franklin Delano Roosevelt. The effect of this announcement upon Elon students was much the same as upon people the nation over. With the death of this man, we lose not only a great person, but also a true leader to the American people and to all the Allied Nations of the world. Worn-out by the strain and worry of World War II, President Roosevelt has given his life for his country. Just as a man who falls on the field of battle and is proclaimed a hero, so will the late Franklin Delano Roosevelt be remembered.

In memory of this man, students, faculty, and townspeople of Elon College gathered for a service of prayer and song Friday morning. The simple and beautiful words of comfort from the Twenty-third Psalm were read to the congregation by Rev. Millard Stephens, pastor of the First Congregational Christian church, Burlington. Special music, including Kipling's "Recessional," was sung by the college choir and by Miss Margaret Whittington, director and soloist. The speaker for the service was Dr. Thomas Anderson, pastor of the Congregational Christian church, Atlanta, Georgia. Rev. Anderson made comparison of our present-day sadness with the Biblical account of the Children of Israel for their great leader Moses. At Moses' death in the wilderness, God sent another leader to take His people into the Promised Land.

We college students are saddened by the President's sudden death. We understand the effect it might have upon the world of tomorrow; but with our faith in God and with strong will and determination, we offer to Harry S. Truman, now president of the United States, our complete support.

#### College Players To Present "The Rock" May 3

Mary P. Hamlin's "The Rock," a dramatic study drawn from the life of St. Peter, is a beautiful and moving study of New Testament characterization. This production will be given in Whitley Auditorium on May 3 under the direction of Mrs. Elizabeth R. Smith.

The setting is Palestine. The principals will be Al Burlingame as Simon Peter, Marjorie Moore as Adina, Marie Bogue as Delorah, Earl Daniele as Ucal, and Esther Knuckles as Mary of Magdala.

Bob Graham will be stage manager, and committees include Marjorie Simpson and Kathleen Young on properties, and Ruth Webster, Ermine Davis and Helen Gunter in charge of make-up. Costumes, which will be somewhat difficult to design and make, are being furnished under the direction of Frances Pegram, Ann Strader, and Pauline McCrimmon.

There will be an admission fee of twenty-five cents. Further announcements will be made concerning this play on "Moor Born," the story of the Bronte sisters, which is to be given at a later date.

PLEASE KEEP US INFORMED ABOUT THE CURRENT ADDRESSES OF OUR MEN AND WOMEN IN SERVICE.

## Horner To Edit 1945-46 Publication

#### Maj. Lloyd Whitley, Former Student, Dies In Action

High Point.—Maj. Lloyd E. Whitley, 27, son of Mr. and Mrs. Z. E. Whitley, of this city, was killed on Iwo Jima on March 26, in a Japanese counterattack, according to information received from the flier's wife, Mrs. Dorothy Main Whitley, a navy lieutenant serving in the south Pacific.

Major Whitley died fighting off an unexpected attack on the island after it had been officially declared free of Japanese, and he was on the ground at the time.

His wife was flown from another Pacific island, but arrived too late for funeral service and burial. He was buried in the Fourth marine division cemetery.

Born in High Point Major Whitley made an outstanding record as an athlete in high school and later at Elon college, where he was graduated in 1940. For a year he served as physical education director of the High Point Y. M. C. A. He entered the service in February, 1941, and for 12 months, after completing training, was stationed in the south Pacific, where he completed 75 missions. He returned to the States and served for a year as an instructor in Florida and California. He transferred from a bomber pilot to a fighter pilot and returned to the war against Japan.

Major Whitley received his promotion from the captaincy only recently and was married on January 24 of this year. His wife was a nurse from Parsons, Ark.

#### MADAME DENISE DAVEY ADDRESSES STUDENTS

In behalf of the Speakers' Bureau of the National War Fund, Madame Denise Davey, of Paris, France, spoke to Elon students Thursday morning, April 12. Madame Davey herself attended school in the United States at Smith college, where she received her M. A. degree in English literature.

During the time of the occupation of France by Germany, she worked in a canteen in a railroad station. Her actual experience of seeing the wounded come in, and the great number of refugees fleeing from their homes has made her well-aware of the need for American aid to her people. Madame Davey gave astounding statistics concerning the vast number of French casualties, both military and civilian. In somewhat of a psychological sense, she pointed out the effects of the liberation on the French patriots. In no way has it weakened these courageous people. Under the greatest danger, the French underground worked night and day, and even held up German advancement of crack regiments toward the Normandy beachhead.

Madame Davey, in a final statement, asked that we cooperate with the next War Fund Drive, not only in giving money, but also in keeping up a never-failing morale and courage.

Appointments to the editorial and news staff of this publication have been tentatively made, it was announced today by Tom Horner, New Bern, editor, and H. Reid, Norfolk, Va., co-editor. The new editors congratulate all who have helped to make the past year under Miss McCants a successful one, and regret that graduation and necessary changes will cost the paper the services of some capable veterans. But new reporters and staff members will take over the time old beats, and we shall be able to retain a number of this year's staff members.

Dr. Merton French, whose capable, voluntary help in photography has been so much appreciated, will be retained if we can persuade him and his other duties are not too heavy. We are counting also on Charles Brown to return as our printer; Miss Martha McDaniel, Anderson, S. C., as feature editor; Junius Peedin, Glendon, associate editor.

The business staff will retain Miss Mary Coxie of Wagram as business manager. Miss Coxie has a record of efficiency unequalled by any manager of recent years. Ed Daniel, Virgilina, Va., will continue his good work as circulation manager, and will be assisted by Miss Virginia Ezell of Phoebus, Va. This department is now caring for the mailing of the M. & G. to every known address of Elon's men and women in service. Mr. Daniel and Miss Ezell will appreciate your help in keeping this mailing list corrected. Please place in the Maroon and Gold box a correct, complete copy of all service addresses you receive. It is a small thing to do, but it means so much to our program of service to the men and women who serve the nation the world over.

Emerson Whatley of Ulah, will continue as Sports Editor, except when he is big game hunting. Al Burlingame of Cambridge, N. Y., will be associate sports editor. Elizabeth Benton, Norfolk, Va., will take over Edna Reitzel's dution on Girl's sports editor, and will probably double as society editor when occasion requires. Bill Clapp will continue his excellent column on "Science in the News."

Reporters to be added include Catherine Cooper, Jo Earp, Verdalee Norris, Kathleen Young, and Dale Hensley.

Prof. C. R. McClure, who has so capably served as faculty advisor for the past three years, will continue in that capacity. H. Reid, co-editor, will serve as cartoonist.

#### MCCLURE ADDRESSES LITERARY SOCIETY

Prof. C. R. McClure addressed the Dr. Johnson Literary Society at its regular meeting held in Lecture Hall on last Wednesday night. The topic of the talk, was the life of James Whitcomb Riley. Prof. McClure began with Riley's experience as an apprentice printer, followed with the adventures, the poet immortalized in verse, and concluded with the recitation of several of Riley's best known works.

The society is to have charge of the regular student chapel on Monday morning. Gene Poe will be master of ceremonies for the program.