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## Fred Sahlmann To Appear With N.C. Symphony



FRED SAHLMANN

Fred Sahlmann, pianist, will appear as soloist in the Grieg Piano Concerto in A minor with the North Carolina Symphony Orchestra under the direction of Dr. Benjamin Swalin in Whitley Memorial Auditorium on Thursday evening, April 8, at eight o'clock.

Fred comes to Elon from Charleston, South Carolina. This is Fred's second appearance as soloist with a symphony orchestra, having appeared during his junior year in high school with the Charleston Symphony.

One is always aware of brilliance as well as sensitive artistic playing when listening to Fred.

Admission to this program will be by tickets purchased at the door for \$2.00 or by student tickets purchased in advance at \$1.00. Veterans' wives may attend on tickets purchased in advance at \$1.00. Dorothy Jones is in charge of advance sales.

The program will include the Beethoven Seventh Symphony and a group of lighter numbers.

This musical attraction will be one of the highlights of the current season.

## Lavalle Auditions Held in Whitley

The Paul Lavalle Scholarship Auditions for North Carolina were held in Whitley Auditorium, Tuesday, March 30.

Jack McFadyen, baritone, student in the Music Department represented Elon.

William Kirkpatrick of Burlington placed first and will represent North Carolina in the regional finals to be held in Atlanta on Saturday, competing for the national prize of \$500 and an appearance with Mr. Lavalle's orchestra.

## Jane Lewis Gives Recital



JANE LEWIS

Jane Lewis, soprano, was presented in her Senior Recital by the Department of Music yesterday afternoon at four o'clock. Jane has taken a most active part in the music activities on the campus. As soloist with the College Choir, she has become one of the outstanding voices on the Elon Sunday afternoon program over WBBB.

During her junior year, Jane served as president of the House Council for Ladies' Hall. She is a member of Pi Kappa Tau, social sorority.

Jane possesses a very promising lyric soprano voice. The natural qualities that produce well controlled tones are at her command and give to her audience a very pleasant musical experience.

Jane presented songs from a number of composers, including Mozart, Puccini, Strauss, and Schumann. She closed her recital with Rachmaninoff's "In the Silence of the Night."

Wayne Moore accompanied Jane at the piano.

## Diplomas Given By Pi Gamma Mu

Pi Gamma Mu diplomas were awarded in Student Assembly last Monday by Prof. C W Paskins to Paul Brown, Arthur Dickson, Ralph Edwards, Robert Ellis, James Leonard, Paul Plybon, Dorothy Shackelford, Wayne Smith, Carolyn Thompson, and Alton Wright.

Pi Gamma Mu is a national honorary fraternity in social science, corresponding to Kappa Delta Pi in the field of education. Elon College has the distinction of sponsoring the North Carolina Alpha chapter of this fraternity.

Requirements for membership are a "B" average in twenty semester hours of social science. The candidate must also be either a junior or senior.

## Debate Team Places High In Grand National

The debate team returned from the Grand National Forensic Tournament at Mary Washington College, Fredericksburg, Va., after hanging up a very creditable record of victories over several colleges and universities, some of them much larger than Elon.

The affirmative team, consisting of James Cook and Kenneth Jacob, defeated Wingate Junior College, Eastern Carolina Teachers College, and the University of Pittsburgh. They lost to Mary Washington College, Westminster College, and the University of Pennsylvania.

The negative team, James Widenhouse and James Washburn, defeated Middle Tennessee State Teachers College, Westminster College, the University of Pennsylvania, and the University of Vermont. They lost to Central Michigan (state champions of Michigan), the University of Cincinnati, and the University of the South (runners up for the Grand National Award).

Baxter Twiddy entered contests in dramatic reading, poetry reading, and impromptu speaking. James Washburn entered the contest in after dinner speaking.

There were 67 colleges and universities represented in the tournament. Of the more than 150 debate teams entered in the contest, only 50 were eligible for the finals (Elon was one of these). The first debate of the Elon affirmative, which was with Middle Tennessee State Teachers College, was won by default, because of the failure of the latter team to appear.

Other debate activities for the year included debates here with Pfeiffer Junior College and Lenoir Rhyne Col-

## Elon Loses To ACC 7-2

The Fighting Christians tasted the dregs of defeat for the first time Saturday afternoon, when the Atlantic Christian Bulldogs clubbed Anderson and Andrews for 11 hits to win 7-2.

This was the second victory of the season for J. D. Thorne, who hurled a brilliant four-hit masterpiece.

The winners scored in the first stanza, when they touched Ray Andrews for two bingles for two runs. The Bulldogs led from that point, and it was not until the eighth inning that the Elon team was able to break the scoring ice, when the Christians combined a hit, three Bulldog miscues, and a fielder's choice to tally twice.

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Batteries: Anderson, Andrews and Griggs, DeSimone; Thorne and Aycock.

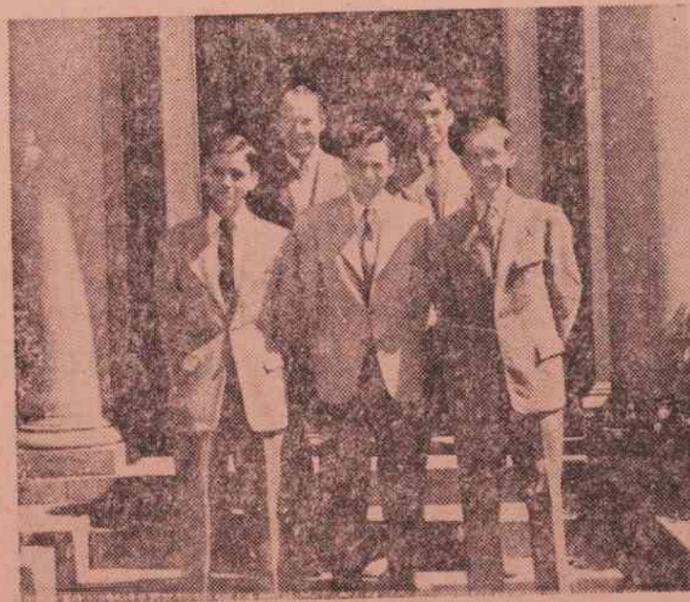
lege; the Appalachian Mountain Forensic Tournament, where James Washburn won first place in after dinner speaking and second place in poetry reading and Baxter Twiddy won first place in impromptu speaking; and the South Atlantic Forensic Tournament at Hickory, where James Washburn was in the finals in extempore speaking.

James E. Danieley is coach of the debate team.

Davidson College is to debate one of the Elon teams in a public debate in the near future. A definite date has not yet been set.

Don't take life too seriously. You'll never get out of it alive, anyway.

## Debate Team



Front row, left to right: Kenneth Jacob, Norfolk, Va.; James Cook, Mebane, N.C.; and C. Baxter Twiddy, Norfolk, Va. Back row: James C. Washburn, Elon College; and James B. Widenhouse, Kannapolis, N.C.