

Honor Group Is Announced By Registrar

One hundred fifty-nine students earned honor grades for the Fall Quarter and were placed on the Dean's List, according to a statement from the office of Prof. A. I. Hook, college registrar. Fourteen of the group made "A" on all subjects, while 145 others had a "B" average or better on subjects taken.

The "A" honor roll included Robert Baxter, Pat Chandler, Terry Emerson, Sylvia Jones, Meryle Mauldin, Sue Moore, Barbara Moore, Robert Moore, A. H. Patterson, Robert Phelps, Erwin Porterfield, John Stone, Betty Thompson and Natalie Toms.

Those who averaged "B" included Carolyn Abernathy, Dorothy Acree, Hilda Alexandre, Don Allen, Bill Armfield, Richard Bailey, Jimmy Bell, Mildred Billingsley, Ronnie Black, Peggy Blakely, Margaret Boland, Russell Borjes, Grace Bozarth, Whitney Bradham.

Laverne Brady, York Brannock, Gerald Bray, Ernestine Bridges, Euna Jean Brown, Yvonne Buff, Barbara Carden, Robert Cashion, Judith Chadwick, Shirley Chapman, Billy Chilton, Anita Cleapor, William Cobb, Mary Sue Colclough, Alice Cole, Marie Councilman, Noel Cox.

Shirley Cox, Janet Crabtree, James Crump, Joan Darling, Fred Darlington, Dolly Dennis, J. C. Disher, Wanda Dofflemeyer, James Duckett, Dickson Dunlap, Sylvia Eaton, Joan Eaves, Kathleen Euliss, Frances Fitch, James Flynt, Lacy Fogleman, Susan Fuchs, John Garner, Betty Garrett, Patsy Gentry.

Glenda Hancock, Anne Harris, Constance Harriman, George Held, Homer Hobgood, Jacklyn Hodge, Betty Jean Hooper, Anna Virginia Howell, Judith Ingram, Don Johnson, Marlene Johnson, Mary Jo Johnson, Dorothy Johnson, Norma Jones, Ann Kearns, Lowell Kernodle, Jean Kittinger, Frances Knight.

Kenneth Lambert, James Leighton, Jerry Lowder, Martha Jane Lowe, Diane Maddox, Grace Massey, Ruth Matthews, Grace Matthews, Nannette Matchan, Iris Matkins, Annie Vince May, Walter McCraw, Kathleen McDonald, Louise McLeod, Sarah Frances Miles, Jack Mitchell, Jerry Moize, Marvin Moss, Dorothy Motley, Edgar Murray.

Frank Nicholas, Walter O'Brien, Mabel Oliver, Don Packard, Oleg Panuff, Donnie Lee Park, Joe Parker, Charlotte Parr, Jean Patillo, Donald Pennington, Roger Phelps, Charles Phillips, June

THEY LEAD SENIOR CLASS ACTIVITIES



Officers who lead senior activities at Elon this year (standing left to right) are Richard Newman, of Mebane, treasurer; John Womack, of Olivia, vice-president; Gary Sears, of Portsmouth, Va., president; and Phillip Mann, of Cypress Chapel, Va., student legislator. Seated is Ernestine Bridges, of Lawndale, secretary.

Varsity Basketball Games

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ber 10th. The Palmetto State team moved out to an early lead and widened the margin in every quarter.

Don Packard, Elon guard, was the only one of the Christians to hit double figures. He had 16 points for the night. Dave Thompson topped Presbyterian with 17 points, but Bob Thompson, Ragan, Toole and Sloan all hit ten or more points.

The line-ups:
Pos. Elon (65) Presbyterian (82)
F—Malloy (2) D. Thompson (17)
F—Gauldin (6) Burgess (9)
C—Maddox (6) B. Thompson (10)
G—Packard (16) Toole (14)
G—Tommons (7) Sloan (10)
Half: Presbyterian 31, Elon 29.

Elon subs—Lafferty (4), Hamrick (2), Kieval (6), Mitchell (4), Powell, Kathleen Powell, Ann Puckett, Fred Rice, Bobby Robertson, Richard Ruth, Charlie Schrader, Walter Seamon, Bill Simmons, Ann Slaughter, Bob Smith, Jimmy Smith, Silvia Smith, Jean Smohetly, Arlene Safford, Glenda Starnes, Bobby Stewart, Ann Stoddard, Ann Strange, Clifford Strutton, Marjorie Sutton, William Sutton, Adie Taylor, James Terrell, Terry Thomas, Leonard Thompson, Nancy Lee Tingen.

Robert Vernon, Wayne Vestal, James Waggoner, Curtis Welborne, Barbara Weldon, Mary Wiseman, Shirley Womack, Thomas Wright, Jewell Wynne, Curtis Young, Paul Vest and Violet Zarow.

McDaniel (2), Whitley (5), Presbyterian subs—Ragan (13), Stone (2), Beaumont (4), McQueen (3).

ELON 80, McCrARY 65
The Christian basketballers defeated the McCrary Eagles 80 to 65 here last Saturday night, December 12th, to sweep their two-game series. It was the first time in recent Elon cage history that the Christians had beaten the Eagle twice in one season.

Elon moved out early to an 8-point lead, but McCrary cut the margin to 17-16 at the quarter. The Christians widened the lead to 40-28 at half-time and maintained the 12-point spread through the third quarter, which ended 57-45.

Bobby Timmons paced the Christians with 15 points, with Dave Maddox, Tommy King and Jack Mitchell all hitting double figures. Jim Duncan and Bob Shoaf paced McCrary with 15 points each.

The line-ups:
Pos. Elon (80) McCrary (65)
F—Hamrick (8) Shoaf (15)
F—Mitchell (10) Inman (6)
C—Maddox (13) York (3)
G—Timmons (15) H. Nance (4)
G—Packard (5) Davidson (4)
Half: Elon 40, McCrary 28.
Elon subs—King (11), Whitley (7), Kieval (4), Lafferty (3), Crump (3), Malloy (1), Brown, McCrary subs—Routh (8), Allen (1), Duncan (1), Hodges (6), Henry (3), D. Nance.

BELMONT ABBEY 75, ELON 65
The Christians wound up their pre-Christmas cage activities by dropping a 75 to 65 decision to the Belmont Abbey Crusaders at Belmont on Monday night of this week. It was the second successive loss to the Crusaders, who defeated Elon 81 to 78 in the season-opener here.

Dave Maddox, lanky Elon center, racked up 21 points for the Christians, but he was the only Maroon and Gold marksman to hit in double figures, Jack Underwood, speedy guard, was tops for the Abbey five with 22 points.

The line-ups:
Pos. Elon (65) Bel. Abbey (75)
F—Malloy (4) Gaetano (4)
F—Gauldin (7) Theberge (14)
C—Maddox (21) Ciol (8)
G—Timmons (8) Marcell (12)
G—Packard (7) Underwood (22)
Half: Belmont Abbey 39, Elon 30.
Elon subs—Hamrick (6), Mitchell (1), Lafferty (7), King (3), Whitley (2), Crump, Warren, Belmont Abbey subs—Dragon (9), Connors (1), Mead (1), Harding (4), O'Brien, Taglieri, Wexel.

CHOIR TRIP
Soprano solo roles were filled by Judith Ingram, of Greensboro, Harriett Talley, of South Boston, Va., and Shirley Chapman, of Hillsboro, N. H.; while Retha Morris, of Burlington, did the contralto solos.

Tenor soloists were Kenneth Lambert, of Norfolk, Va., and Jerry Smyre, of Greensboro; while the bass solos were by Lacy Fogleman, of Greensboro, Ronnie Black, of Burlington, and Roger Gibbs, of Elon College. All soloists except Gibbs are students. Gibbs, a former student and choir member is now field secretary.

VET VOLLEY BALL TEAM LEADS RACE

A tall team of volley ball artists from Vets Apartments, under the leadership of Bill Armfield, is setting a fast pace and boasts an undefeated record in the Intramural Volley Ball League. The Vets have chalked seven straight wins in early games.

Trailing just behind is the ITK outfit, with Sigma Phi Beta, East Dorm and North Dorm putting up some excellent battles. East tallied sixteen straight points in a brilliant comeback that netted a victory over North in a recent game.

The volley ball campaign will close soon after the Christmas holidays, and plans are already underway to start the campus basketball season and also to stage a ping pong tournament. Both events will get underway the second week in January, according to Prof. Scott Boyd, director of the intramural program.

SEEING SPORTS

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looking for something — what we're not sure of, but kindly bring it to them for we'd hate to see anyone left out and especially the poor little Pirates from East Carolina who's sports editor claims that they had one of the best teams in the nation???

Once you've taken care of the Pirates you can come back on campus and bring Glenn Beale and Eddie Bridges an outlay of the land that will hold for them some rabbits and squirrels. They've taken to the woods these days, since football season is over. Norman Rinaldi could use some additional new fishing gear for the college pond, and Holland Taylor would like to get a good shot at a ten-point buck. Doc Reynolds would like a folio on mounting fish as he feels that his fish in the grill (mounted also) is small, compared to the one he plans on hooking this summer.

Santa, maybe you can find a place for all our requests, and we certainly hope so. One last request — for all to have a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Sincerely,
Gary

RULERS OVER ELON'S 1954 MAY COURT



JUDITH INGRAM



GARY SEARS

Named to rule over Elon's annual May Day festival next spring were Judith Ingram, of Greensboro, and Gary Sears, of Portsmouth, Va., who are pictured above. Other members of the May Court are named in the story on the first page of this paper. Each of the May Day rulers has been active in many phases of campus life here at Elon, and each was named this year to the collegiate "Who's Who."

LIBRARY NOTES

The Elon College Library is represented by Mrs. Oma U. Johnson at the annual meetings of the North Carolina Literary and Historical Association in Raleigh on December 4th and 5th, when awards were made to various North Carolina writers for the state's best work in their specific fields.

The Roanoke-Chowan Award for poetry went to Frank Borden Hanes for "Abel Anders," a narrative poem; and the Mayflower Award went to Legette Blythe and Dr. Mary T. Martin Sloop for "Miracle Of The Hills." The Sir Walter Award for fiction was given Mrs. Inglis Fletcher for her historical novels on early North Carolina; and the R.D.W. Connor Award was given to Hugh F. Rankin for the best original research article in the North Carolina Historical Review.

Mrs. Johnson has secured all of these prize-winning works for the Elon library, and they may be seen on a display table in the library, along with another display of Christmas books. The prize-winning books will be in circulation after the holidays, and it will be interesting to know whether students will agree with the judges in their choice.

not the case in Ramallah, for this town is practically all Christian.

With regard to their experiences in America, both Violet and Laila feel that life in the United States will prepare them well for their work when they return. Both girls are satisfied here at Elon and are grateful for the opportunity to study here.

From Across The World . . .

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They want to be certain they will be able to support a wife. As a rule American men marry as early as 18 or 20, and by the time they reach 30 or 40 find out if they can support their wife.

The young people of Jordan do not date, and when they do go out together they go in groups with a chaperone. Mom and dad arrange the marriages, but they do not force their children to marry.

One thing for sure, one always receives a cup of coffee when a guest of an Arab woman. If one is well liked, one might receive fruit, sweets, nuts, and coffee. The Arab woman commits a grave social error if she fails to offer a guest coffee before he leaves.

The two girls feel a deep concern for their homeland and definitely miss life in Palestine, and they both pointed out that they desire to return when prepared. They are taking freshman work here at Elon and are pleased with the opportunity for an American education.

One portion of life in Palestine

which the girls expect certainly to miss will be Christmas. Both Violet and Laila will witness an unusual Christmas this year, as compared to others they have celebrated.

It is quite interesting to note that Violet's ancestors some 300 years ago founded the town of Ramallah, which is not far distant from Bethlehem, the town which is known as the birthplace of the Saviour. One should pause to consider the significance of this interesting fact. According to the girls, Bethlehem is approximately 15 miles south of Ramallah. Although many of the Arab cities are Mohammadan in faith, this is

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