

## MAROON AND GOLD

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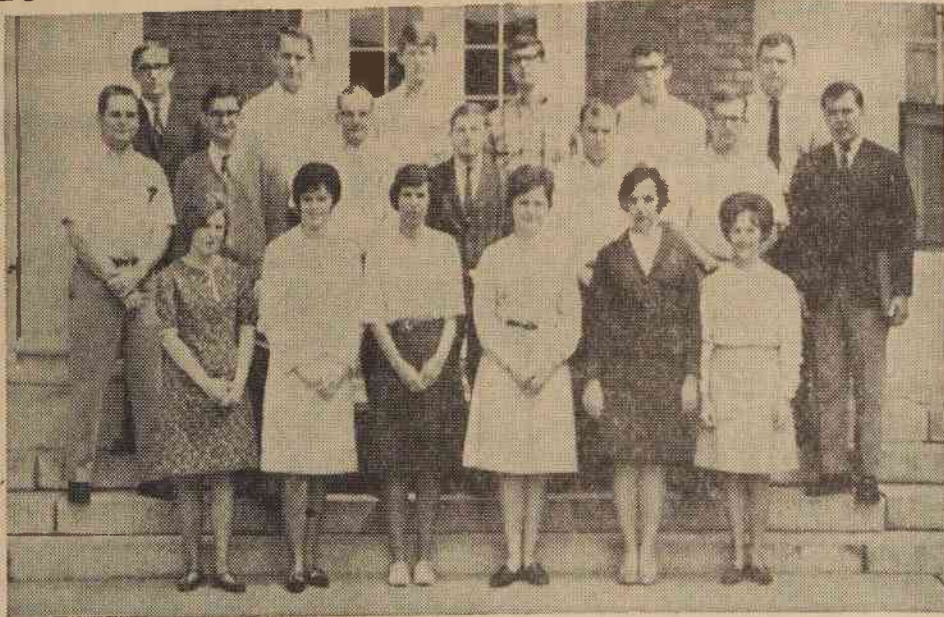
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## ELON STUDENTS ARE HONORED AT AWARDS DAY



The Elon College students who were honored at the annual Awards Day program in Whitley Auditorium, pictured left to right above, are as follows: Front Row—Willa Campbell, Burlington; Sharon Cable, Graham; Sally Ann Caudill, Burlington; Nancy Thomas, Burlington; Linda Ann Hardie, Elon College; and Anita Rich, Burlington. Second Row—Sam Troy, New Britain, Conn.; Russell Schetrons, Natalie, Pa.; Fred Busick, Reidsville; David Johnson, Orlando, Fla.; Ray Wilson, McCall, S. C.; Thomas Conally, Burlington; and C. V. May, Jr., Burlington. Back Row—Fred Moon, Burlington; Don King, Burlington; Sam Rankin, Charlotte; Larry Mixon, Jacksonville, Fla.; John Nicks, Durham; and Pete Jarvis, Burlington.

## Twenty Elon Students Are Paid Tribute During Annual Awards Event

Twenty Elon College students were presented with trophies, cash awards or scholarships at the annual Elon College Awards Day program, which was held in Whitley Auditorium on May 15th. In addition, two other students were honored as recipients of graduate fellowships for next year.

Linda Ann Hardie, of Elon College, was the winner of the John W. Barney Scholarship, a cash award given each year in memory of the late Prof. John W. Barney, member of the Elon English faculty for 33 years. The award was presented by Dr. J. E. Danieley, who also presented the two Basnight awards.

These awards, given each year in memory of the late Stein H. Basnight, of Chapel Hill, longtime member of the Elon College board of trustees, are for excellence in Bible study and athletics. The Bible study award went to Russell Schetroma, of Natalie, Pa., while the award as Elon's outstanding athlete of 1966-67 went to Pete Jarvis, of Burlington.

The Ned F. Brannock Scholarship for excellence in chemistry was presented to Thomas Conally, of Burlington, the presentation being made by Dr. Paul Cheek, chairman of the Elon chemistry department. This award honors the late Dr. Ned F. Brannock, for 50 years a member of the Elon Faculty.

The William Moseley Brown Award, given each year by Sigma Mu Sigma Fraternity in honor of the late Dr. William Moseley Brown, of St. Petersburg, Fla., was presented by Roy Drinkwater to Don King, of Burlington, who served this year as editor of the Maroon and Gold in addition to being active in other phases of student government.

The annual award of the President's Plaque, given by the Student Government Association, was presented by David Johnson to C. V. May, Jr., of Burlington, who served as president of the SGA during the 1966-67 term that has just ended. May himself then presented other SGA awards to Vice President David Johnson, of Orlando, Fla., Secretary Sharon Coble, of Graham, and Treasurer John Nicks, of Durham.

In addition to these awards to the retiring elective officers of the campus government group, C. V. May, Jr., also presented two SGA awards to Sam Troy, of New Britain, Conn., and Fred Moon, of Burlington, for their outstanding contribution to the

### 'THIRTY'

Each year when commencement time rolls around when the college year draws to a close, the Maroon and Gold also closes another year of publication and writes the symbol "30" to indicate that another journalistic task has been finished, the story of another college year has been written.

That "30" symbol is used by reporters at the close of stories and articles they write, and it is equally fitting that it be used as the symbol and signature to indicate the end of the year too.

Like all years on the Elon campus, this 1966-67 term has brought many fine accomplishments on the part of both students and faculty, and to each of those people the Maroon and Gold extends a word of congratulation.

There have been moments of sadness, too, in the passing of persons closely tied to the life of Elon College, but those stories of sadness as well as the stories of success are part of every newspaper year.

Just now, there looms a moment of triumph for the Elon seniors who are soon to receive diplomas and degrees, and to each of them the Maroon and Gold extends congratulations and best wishes for the future.

And now, with this mixture of pride, sadness and best wishes, the Maroon and Gold closes its Volume 47 by writing "30" the final sentence.

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student government program as non-elective officers. There was also another award for Fred Moon, who was presented the Senator Award as the most outstanding member of the Student Senate this year.

The Shackley Awards, given each year in memory of the late Dr. George Shackley, of St. Petersburg, Fla., were presented by Prof. Walter Westafer to Anita Rich, of Burlington, as the student showing the most improvement in organ during the year.

The Jerry Dalton Strader Awards, given each year in memory of the late Jerry D. Strader, for many years a leader in religious, civic and educational affairs in Burlington, were presented by Prof. John Graves to Sally Ann Caudill, of Burlington, for outstanding work in Christian education, and to Sharon Hepburn, of Southwick, Mass., for fine work in the campus dramatics program.

The Physical Education Majors

Club Award, presented by the club to the outstanding senior who is majoring in physical education for achievements in scholarship and professional attitude, was presented by Sandra Bergman to Ray Wilson, of McColl, South Carolina.

The Dudley Ray Watson Award, given in memory of the late Prof. Dudley Ray Watson, formerly of the Elon business faculty, was presented by Prof. James Toney to Willa Campbell, of Burlington. This award is given under sponsorship of Elon chapter of the Society for Advancement of Management, and Prof. Toney also presented an award from that group to Fred Busick, of Reidsville, who has served as SAM president this year.

The Pi Gamma Mu Scholarship Award, given by the Elon Alpha Chapter of Pi Gamma Mu, which is an honorary society in the field of history and social science, was presented by Prof. James P. Elder to Larry Mixon, of Jacksonville, Fla., who was named the outstanding student at Elon in the division of social sciences.

## Cheerleaders Are Selected

Seven new cheerleaders will be joining the Elon College pep corps when the 1967 football season rolls around next September, with Captain Sandy Bergman and Co-Captain Cecilia Cobo leading a group of four members of this year's squad which will be back on the cheering line.

Captain Bergman, who hails from Uncasville, Conn., and Co-Captain Cobo, who comes from Arlington, Va., will be joined by Betsy Patterson, of Burlington, and Jo Nelle Skipper, of Madison, other members of the 1966-67 group. Other members of this year's squad are either graduating or elected not to try for next year's squad.

New members joining the cheerleaders are Kathy Copeland, of Norfolk, Va.; Gail Porter, of Wilmington, Del.; and Connie Theodore, of Bellmore, N. Y., as regulars. Alternates will be Martha Kellam, of Spencer, Mass.; Nancy Myers, of Ossining, N. Y.; Julia Treece, of Concord; and Linda Wesley, of Roxboro. All of the

## ELON REMINISCENCES

By DON KING

As June 5th draws closer, I tend to reminisce more and more. I can remember my first days at Elon, full of excitement and expectation of college life. How different my conceptions and philosophies of college life are now from those I held when I first entered the gates of Elon. Just like everyone else in this Class of 1967, Elon has made its mark on me.

It has taught me that there is more to college and life than just the academic society. Even though academics is the most important phase of this stage of our lives, it is still just a small part of college life. There are cultural opportunities, student activities, sports participation and social events and many other things that make up the life of any student.

A student does not have to be overly active in any of these phases of college life, but he should be exposed to all of them to some extent, for these things allow him to communicate with others, no matter what his

race, color or creed might be. Constant communication with other people is an excellent stimulus toward a full and rewarding life.

Some students believe that these various phases of college life should be handed to them "on a silver platter." They must now realize that they can no longer rely on others for everything, for they will now be forced to much work on their own so as to acquire the things they want.

During my four years at Elon, I have learned that you get out of anything only as much as you are willing to put into it. Therefore, each student should set a goal for himself and try constantly to attain it, but never once should he sacrifice his beliefs or ideals in working toward achievement of his goal.

These are the things that Elon has taught me and the things I will always remember about my four years within these walls and under these oaks. For these things I am grateful, and I say in closing, "Here's To Dear Old Elon."

## ADVOCATUS DIABOLI

By TOM PEARSE

The end is in sight; soon the members of the senior class will take their first unsteady step toward service, business or teaching.

In many respects it has been a prosperous experience, but in other ways it has been very disheartening. It is pathetic to see a student body which is so intimidated that it is afraid to breathe. We are to rock the boat even a little bit.

But, even so, there are some people on this Elon campus who do merit recognition for trying to work for the betterment of Elon College.

First, Dave Johnson for his timely comments at the Awards Day program.

Next, Dale Morrison for attempting to right an injustice of Elon's double standard.

The students named above do not make the campus, for there are some professors who have indeed influenced the students: Prof. John Graves, in guidance; "Doc" Reynolds, for his lively classes at 8:00 in the morning;

group will return to Elon early in September to practice for the opening football game with Guilford.

Prof. James P. Elder, the lesser half of the Dynamic Duo for the Whitley fallacy and his interesting stories of English history.

Nor must we forget Prof. Paul Sebo, whose class runs from the ridiculous to the sublime. But this is needed on the campus, the blowing of the Sebavian Trumpet.

Recognition should also go to Prof. Baxter, for it was he who worked so closely with the students with his "Ball of Fire" class. The other administrator due mention is Dean W. J. Berry caught between the devil and the deep blue, over worked and under paid. Prof. Andrew Beale also deserves the "Golden Egg" recognition for he has seen the light and is making that great transmigration.

Finally, I would like especially to recognize Prof. Byrd, who has allowed me to write these articles. It has been most enjoyable to be able to express certain views which are held.

In the end, I would like to thank the students and the faculty who have read this column. I have received many comments and have taken them to heart. It is my hope that some good will come of them.