

## Editorials

### A Poor Tradition

By LARRY SAGE

It is not surprising to see many class office positions and S.G.A. offices, with the exception of Vice President, go unchallenged. With the exception of last year, this type of student response to the opportunity to run for office is a tradition at Elon.

What is really sorry about the whole situation is the fact that the office of the SGA President goes unchallenged once again. Last year there were four candidates, which provided one of the most exciting elections Elon had ever experienced.

Of course the question why, crops up when asking the reason for this lack of interest or whatever in running for office.

Is the present president unbeatable? Does the student body feel that he is the best man around and therefore why challenge him? Or is it because the students really do not give a darn?

Whatever the answer, the answer is bound to be based on apathy. A certain other president stated once there is really no apathy at Elon, if there is, it isn't bad. If this is true, then why, that prevalent question, isn't there more active concern about student government?

## SAM Elects Officers For 70-71 Year

The Elon College Chapter, University Division of The Society for The Advancement of Management, announces the election of officers for the 1970-71 year. They are: President, Walter Lineberry; Vice - President, Gary Morgan; Treasurer, Buster Ingold; and Secretary, Lois Matheny.

The new officers have had several meetings to make plans for programs and projects for the 1970-71 year.

At a dinner meeting recently at which the elections were announced, Dr. Harold Fischer, of Lancaster, Pennsylvania, was the principal speaker. Dr. Fischer is President of the University Division of SAM, and spoke to the group on the aims and purposes of SAM and how SAM members could help with community projects.

"The University Chapters are dedicated to the development of tomorrow's managers today. They provide a bridge between the theoretical training of the University and the practical world of business and management. More than 210 chapters have been chartered in leading colleges and universities all over the world." The immediate objectives of SAM are:

"To bring together executives in business and students preparing to go into business; to serve as an effective medium for the exchange and distribution of information on the problems, policies, and methods of management and industry; to provide students with the opportunity to participate in the organizing, planning, directing and controlling of the activities of an organization dedicated to the promotion and advancement of the art and science of management."

Members of the Elon Chapter have also been attending the Senior Chapter meetings in Greensboro.

### Ecos on Campus

(Continued from page 1) participants displaying the yellow button with a blue and green diamond.

There is a "teach-in" planned for April 22 when a speaker will be on the campus to talk on environmental problems. Beginning in April, a committee was to be set up consisting of interested students and faculty members.

Ecos is the Greek word for environment. The bumper sticker reads: "Support your Ecosystem - it supports you".

## Maroon & Gold

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## LITTLE MAN ON CAMPUS



"COME OUTFIT IN CALIFORNIA MADE TH' DUMMY - 'A.V.' MADE TAPES OF ALL MY LECTURES - THEN TH' NEXT THING I KNEW TH' BOARD BOUGHT UP MY CONTRACT AND FIRED ME."

## LETTERS TO THE EDITORS



### Hungry Minority

To the Editors:

A number of students at Elon are trying to work their way through school or at least help their parents with expenses. The school policy does not allow a student to live on campus without paying for his meals. Because their jobs are not on campus, some students miss a number of meals each week that are already paid for. The students have to eat and generally end up buying food in the Student Union, which is run by the same Food Service that operates the cafeteria. These working students are paying double for each meal they buy.

This problem was brought to the attention of the Cafeteria Manager at a recent confrontation with a proposed solution of allotting a designated amount of credit in the Union for the students in this particular predicament. The Manager of the Food Service stated that he could not afford this type of solution. What we can't understand is that if the students have already paid for their meals, why should a couple of hamburgers a day ruin the Food Service's well being?

Something should be done for this hungry minority!

-Chuck Ball  
-Ron Beanes

### Spring Weekend

To the Editors:

This year's Spring Weekend entertainment is an absurd joke. The money was spent too rashly and quite unwisely. Not only have these groups, Iron Butterfly and The Happenings, been rendered into oblivion, but are at the present

time only appreciated by the culturally immature. Oh, the embarrassment or rejecting the superb talent of Judy Collins for a group my tenth grade brother would not wish to see.

Here at college we are supposed to be the protectors of quality. Oh Miss Collins, I am deep in sorrow for your wounded ego, because here at Elon we "groove on the HEAVY sounds of the Iron Butterfly."

Farthest from my mind is an attempt to dictate music tastes, but it is obvious someone else has done that here. With two failures in his hands this year, I'm initiating a campaign to expel Neil Hening as Entertainment Committee Chairman. Should we send him to Elon Middle School to sell tickets to raise money for a show that can be appreciated, or should we get rid of him now? In compliance with previous experiences, it is evident that expulsion is the only answer. Your support could be seen in other letters to this column.

-Edgar White III

### Correction

To the Editors:

Re the articles of "wrestlers Eligible for NAIA Finals" and "Elon Defeats UNC-CH in Consolation Game" which were printed in the March 12, 1970, edition of the MAROON AND GOLD: The University of North Carolina at Charlotte was erroneously referred to as UNC-CH. The correct reference to the the Charlotte campus is UNC-C. The students of the Chapel Hill campus, which is UNC-CH, have suffered through a year of poor athletic records and the addition of two more losses is unwelcome. The



### Religious Life

### Sponsors Lectures

Dr. George K. Schweitzer was the guest speaker for the Religious Life Committee's three day religious emphasis seminar April 8, 9, and 10.

The theme for the occasion, the first in several years, was "Science, Religion and a Planet in Crisis."

Dr. Schweitzer kicked off his visit with an 11:30 lecture on "Scientific Faith and Religious Knowledge" in the Senate group was composed of philosophy, religious and chemistry classes and others who were interested.

Informal discussions were held on both Thursday and Friday in place of regular chapel.

use of the correct initials of the respective University of North Carolina campuses in your articles of the future would be appreciated.

-Jim Holloman

UNC at Chapel Hill (The Maroon and Gold regrets this error.)

### Fish-Game Lecture

To the Editors:

I would like to thank you for the two articles that appeared in the most recent issue of the Maroon and Gold regarding the Elon Fish and Game Club and the new radio program series being aired on WBBB.

On Thursday, April 16 one of our students, Chris Walsh, who has a very deep interest in conservation of natural resources and problems of pollution will be speaking to the Fish and Game Club on these general subjects. We would like to extend an invitation to all interested students, faculty, and staff to come to hear Chris at this meeting. It will be held in Mooney 101 at 7:30 p.m. on April 16.

When your reporter interviewed me regarding the radio programs, I failed to give credit to Bob Wicker, who is actually doing most of the work so that we can have a program aired each week. Bob is the one responsible for having all programs recorded and taken to the radio station.

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