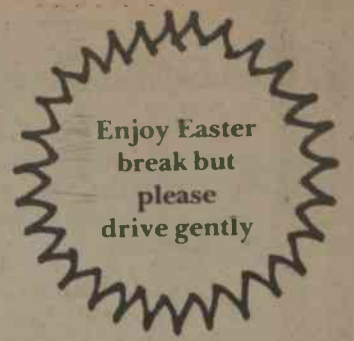




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"Ma." Greg Hamilton displays beauty and charm in the swim suit competition during last week's Womanless Beauty Contest. (Kay Raskin, Photo)

"Womanless" beauty pageant provides laughs and excitement

The womanless beauty contest sponsored by the Music Educators National Conference was the biggest thing to hit Elon since the Fire. The laughter and hysteria exhibited by the audience indicated that this contest has a promising future.

The judges for the contest were Emma Lewis, John Graves, Carole Troxler, Terry Woodex and Joel Brown, who, along with Gerry Francis as the master of ceremonies, seemed to enjoy themselves as much as the audience. Each contestant was judged on casual dress, talent, bathing suit, and evening gown, with point deductions for vulgarity.

This year's contest boasted nine contestants; they were Trey Baldwin, Sigma Phi Epsilon; Cooper Maddox, Kappa Sigma; Greg Hamilton, Zeta Tau Alpha; James Mantanzo, Tau Kappa Epsilon; Bryan White, Phi Mu; Perry Warren, Student Union Board; Bruce Boyd, Alpha Phi Omega; Kemp Liles, Pi Gamma Mu; and Rick Murray, Emmanons.

Trey Baldwin, with flowing black hair, sang and

accompanied "herself" on guitar in her own rendition of a Crosby, Stills and Nash favorite. Cooper Maddox in the talent competition followed as a stand-up comedienne. The second runner-up was Greg Hamilton who could be seen as the loveliest of all the lovelies. James Montanzo, who had a most graceful walk, was voted Miss Congeniality. The first runner-up was Bryan White with bearded face who did an original Charleston dance. Perry Warren, a most stately contestant, entertained the audience with a clown act. Kemp Liles vamped out on

stage with a song and dance act with mike in hand in "her" talent act which also included a proposition to Mr. Graves. A lovely Rick Murray also took the stage and amazed the audience with a drum act while "Miss" Bruce Boyd stunned the audience with "her" skimpy bikini and came through in the end to be crowned Miss Elon Womanless 1977.

In an assessment of the contest as a whole, it can easily be implied from audience reaction that the talent and bathing suit competitions were most enjoyable of all.

Elon professor writes accounting textbook

Dr. Allen B. Sanders, professor of business administration at Elon, has published an accounting textbook for use in Canadian schools.

Dr. Sanders, who came to Elon in 1965 after retiring from the U.S. Navy, holds a B.S. degree from West Virginia University, an M.B.A. degree from George Washington University and a Ph.D. from the University of North Carolina.

Student's Self-Study Guide for Basic Accounting, Canadian edition, was published December 1976 by Holt, Rinehart and Winston of Canada, Ltd. and is now being used throughout that country. Professor Henry Dauderis of Concordia University adapted for the Canadian edition the original study guide written by Dr. Sanders.

He is a member of the American Accounting Association, the National Association of Accountants, and the Institute of Management Accounting. He holds the Certificate in Management Accounting (CMA), being one of only 61 persons who passed all five parts of the first national CMA examination in 1972.

Students, faculty join in fast

Last week's CROP fast sponsored by PIRG and the religion department was successful in relating the problem of world hunger to the Elon College community.

Carol Dragos, a student promoter of the fast, felt that the students and faculty gave a good effort in support of the program. Between 40 and 50 people participated, but it is too early to estimate the money

raised for CROP; since all pledge forms have not been turned in yet.

The fast started at 6:00 p.m. on March 30 with Terry Bonnette, the director of CROP, leading a discussion in Mooney Theatre. CROP is a world church related organization trying to help relieve the hunger problem throughout the world. The fast was concluded with a communion service

conducted by Dr. Carole Chase and Steven Caddell, the campus minister, on Thursday night at 12:00. Fasters were allowed a juice break at 3:00 on Thursday.

Many college organizations including Zeta Tau Alpha Sorority, Civenettes, and the SGA sponsored students. Programs such as the CROP fast are being planned for the future to help with hunger and poverty.

O'Herron to address SAM meet

The Elon College chapter of the Society for the Advancement of Management (SAM) will hold its first annual spring banquet Tuesday, April 19, at 6:30 p.m. in McEwen dining hall.

The purpose of the banquet is to honor business students who have been inducted into the two business honor societies, Sigma Sigma Epsilon and Epsilon Beta Epsilon. It is open to the public, and tickets can be purchased by calling Gary Spittler at ext. 346 by April 13.

Guest speaker for the occasion will be Edward M. O'Herron Jr., chairman of the board of Eckerd Drugs, Inc. He has been with Eckerd, which operates in more than 235 stores in seven southern states and employs some 4,000 people,

for most of his business life.

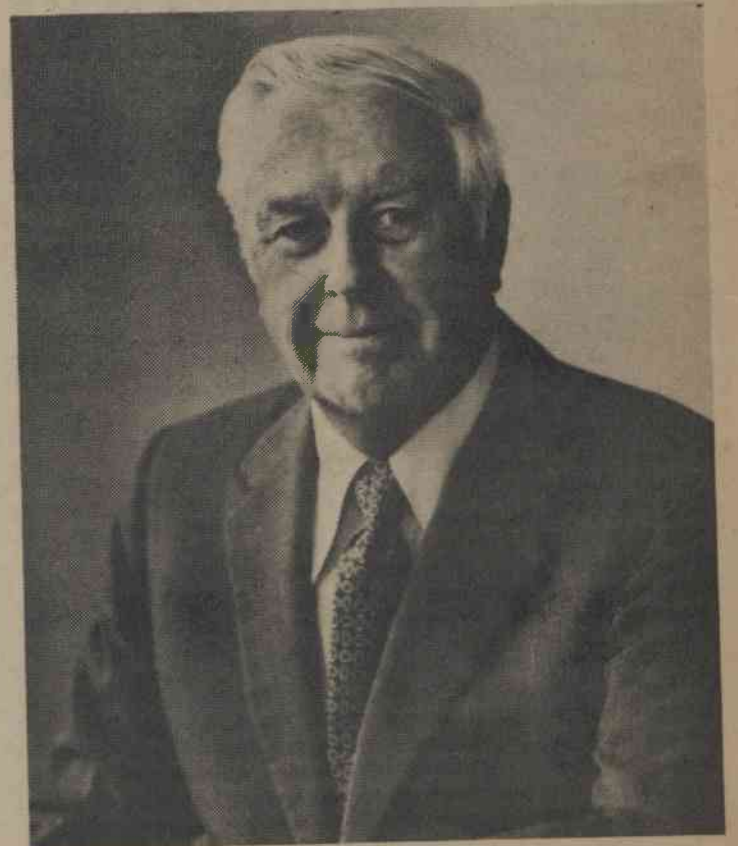
O'Herron, who was a 1976 Democratic candidate for governor, serves as director of Piedmont Aviation, Akzona Inc., Jack Eckerd Corp., and the Y.M.C.A. in Charlotte.

He is also vice chairman of the Charlotte-Mecklenburg Hospital Authority, which operates four hospitals, and he is a trustee for the N.C. Symphony Society.

The Charlotte resident has been a trustee of Converse College, a member of the board of visitors of St. Andrews College, on the Charlotte board of the Salvation Army and on the board of directors of The Crittenton Home in Charlotte.

O'Herron has also been a member of the Charlotte Health and Hospital Council, director of the Charlotte Merchants' Association, director of the National Association of Chain Drug Stores, director of Wachovia Bank and Trust Company, director of Piedmont Natural Gas Co., and he has served as a member of the Medical Care Commission of North Carolina.

O'Herron attended Charlotte public schools and the United States Naval Academy and received an A.B. degree from the University of North Carolina in 1938. He served four terms in the N.C. Legislature. During World War II he served as a captain in the United States Marine Corps in the Pacific Theater and was awarded the Silver Star and Presidential Unit Citation. He retired as a major from the USMC-R.



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