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Drama Class Initiated

From time to time at W.C.C. we students find our choice of elective courses broadening as a need is felt for a special subject. Mr. Mayes has added one more subject to the list, "Introduction to Drama." Although this class is regular college work, it should be one of the more interesting in the college curriculum. The only real "busy" work is the writing of four papers or short reports per week on critical reviews. Three of these can be read from a newspaper or magazine while the fourth must come from the student's personal review of the material. In regular class the student will be able to write, act, or direct a scene. Special work may also be

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Student Advisory Council

The students listed below make up what will be known as the Student Advisory Council to the President. This group has been organized by Dr. Thompson to keep him in close contact with the students and student problems. This group will meet twice monthly to discuss any and all issues of student interest. If a student wishes discussion of problem or a question that concerns him, he should contact one of these students.

Louis Poteat, Chairman, Steve Harvel, Volree Richardson, Pansy Lyalls, Ronnie Triplett, Paul Hubbard, Gene Parsons, Janice Pierce, Dennis Bare, Roger Richardson, Anita Shepherd,

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Students Return

At the beginning of winter quarter there are some six hundred students enrolled at Wilkes Community College. In addition to this number, approximately one hundred students are expected to be enrolled in W.C.C. extension classes scattered over the six county area.

According to Tom Whittington, college registrar, there are about forty new students enrolled this quarter. Whittington attributed the drop-off in student registration to the fact that some part-time students traditionally withdraw from school in the winter months.

Following is a compilation of student enrollments according to the home county or state of the student:

Wilkes 222, Watauga 17, Ashe 55, Alleghany 5, Yadkin 17, Caldwell 2, Alexander 27, Wake 1, Iredell 21, Lenoir 1, Forsyth 1, Surry 4, Cabarrus 1, Catawba 4, Davie 1, Tennessee 5, and New York 1.

Support The Cougars

March 1st, Maybe

It was learned from Dr. Thompson in a recent interview that movement of the school to the new campus will be delayed at least a few weeks more.

Dr. Thompson blamed the delay on the inclement weather of the past couple of months. He said that the actual building construction was progressing well, but due to the muddy and frozen condition of the surrounding area there has been very little progress in the building of roads and parking lots. And it would be impractical to move into the new building until adequate parking space can be provided.

Everyone connected with the construction of the campus is doing everything possible to hasten the completion of the building complex. But unfortunately the weather has not been cooperating, and the best that can be done is to work as the weather permits.

As it stands now the plans are to move sometime during this quarter. And when we get moved into the new buildings and start enjoying the modern facilities of the new campus, we feel sure that it will have been worth the long wait.

