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## Guilford-Elon Rivalry Getting Out Of Hand

About two weeks ago, the columns of the gym, the library, Mary Hobbs Hall, and King Hall were maliciously smeared with red paint. This uncalled-for incident occurs repeatedly before athletic contests concerning ourselves and Elon. This editorial is being written with the belief that this childish incident can be and should be avoided in the future.

This annual exchange of paint stems no doubt from the increasing rivalry between ourselves and Elon. Rivalries make any type of contest more interesting, but we are of the opinion that this rivalry is getting out of hand. It has been suggested that we make an agreement with Elon to the effect that the first school to damage property of the other will automatically forfeit the contest in question. This brings up the problem of claims that students are painting their own buildings in order to increase ill feelings. Some evidence seems to point to the fact that some of our own Guilford students may be to blame for the painting we received a couple of weeks ago.

If these displays of juvenile behavior don't come to an abrupt halt, how can we expect to be considered old enough to have a part in the planning of school policies concerning us? All of these things must be taken into consideration, and we hope after considering, you will decide to do all you can to remedy this situation.

## SENIOR SPOTLIGHT

### SUE CHURCH

Brown eyes, black hair, a sweet smile . . . these are features of our senior girl of the week - - Sue Church, the former Sue Genz of Tuckahoe, N. Y.

Sue has made quite a name for herself at Guilford during her three and a half years here. Her freshman year she was elected to the Homecoming Court, and the next year she reigned as Homecoming Queen. Apparently Sue is good at handling money, for she served as treasurer of her freshman and junior classes. Also, she was secretary of the S. C. A. two years ago and has been active in the W. A. A. as modern dance chairman. This year Sue is a member of the F. T. A. and has been further honored by election to *Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities*.

Last year between semesters Sue was married to the first Guilford boy she dated her freshman year—John Church, of Walkertown, N. C.

Sue attended summer school this past summer and hopes to graduate in January. A primary education major, she plans to teach wherever she and John make their home - - - possibly Vermont.

Of the numerous things Sue likes about Guilford she says she likes best the way the students get to know their professors as individuals, not just as teachers.

### ANDY CONNOR

Andy Connor, a student at Guilford for the past four years, has one of the most exciting histories of any Guilford student. In this weeks Senior Spotlight, we are given a chance to bring Andy's colorful personality and activities to the fore.

Although Andy's hometown is Lansdowne, Pennsylvania, he spent the greater part of his life in New Jersey. Before coming to Guilford College, Andy spent four years in the United States Army Signal Corps; two of those years were spent in Japan.

With Physics for a major and Mathematics and Chemistry for his minor, Andy is kept pretty busy with schoolwork. However, he has found time to serve on the Men's Student Government during his sophomore year, be an active member of the Physics Club for the past two years, and serve on the Budget Committee of the Student Affairs Board for this year. The time he has left from his studies and all of these extra-curricular activities, Andy devotes to hunting and flying.

Andy's plans for the future include applying to various graduate schools for assistantships in Physics. He is married to former Guilford student, Ruby Sharp, who graduated in 1953. At present, she is teaching English at Summerfield High School. Good luck to this wonderful Guilford College couple.

## Guilford's "Angel Of Mercy"

BY RICHARD L. BROWN

Several weeks ago I had to utilize the facilities of the college infirmary. I was impressed with the cleanliness and newness of the infirmary, but most of all my gratitude was extended to Ruth Simpson, our new nurse.

Last year, when I was in Vermont, I became acquainted with the Nurses Training Program at the University of Vermont and learned of the rigorous course of study they are confronted with.

The realization of the struggle a student nurse must go through to succeed gave me a deep sense of appreciation for our own nurse, Ruth Simpson.

Guilford College is indeed fortunate to have a nurse such as Ruth Simpson; young enough to understand the physical and psychological problems of the students in relation to her field, and yet mature enough to give confidence to her patients and bring honor upon her profession. During my short period of confinement, I

was impressed with the systematic and efficient manner with which she carried out her duties. Mention should also be made of her charming personality and her attitude of helpfulness towards her patients.

I hope we don't apply "the straw that broke the camel's back" to Miss Simpson, so that she will always continue to serve us in the same manner as she is doing now. We should all appreciate her work and humble contribution to Guilford College.

## RHODES SCHOLARS

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Wednesday personal interviews will be given. Each candidate was asked to submit, in writing, the reasons why he felt he should receive a Rhodes Scholarship. In order to qualify for candidacy, the student must be an unmarried male. He may apply either from his state of residence or from a state in which he acquired at least two years of education.

Guilford College is not presenting a candidate this year. Our last candidate was Richard Staley, who did not receive a scholarship, although he was the recipient of a Fulbright Scholarship in 1952.

## ARNOLD

