



## Trustee Chairman Dies

Guilford's chairman of the Board of Trustees, Edwin Pierce Brown, died last Friday night in Greensboro.

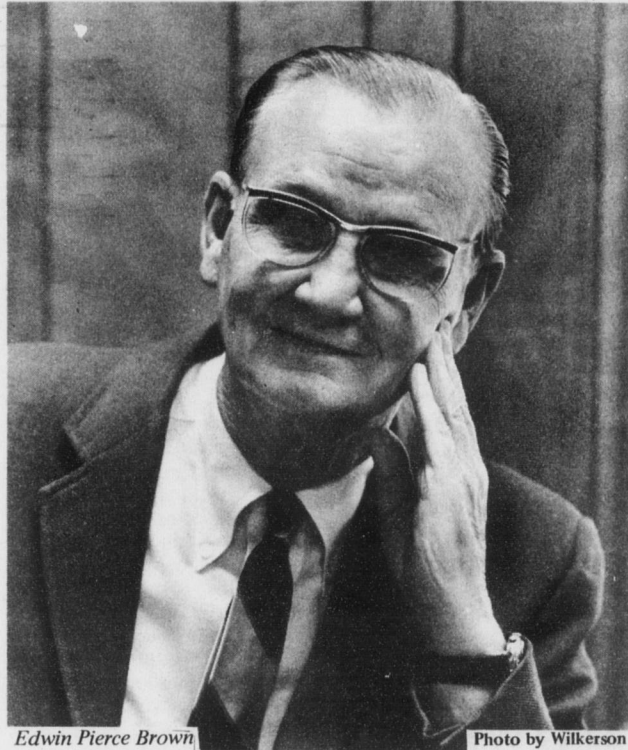
Brown was 69. Funeral services were held in his home town of Murfreesboro, N.C. Monday.

A 1926 graduate of Guilford, he became chairman of the Board two years ago. For many years before that he served as the vice-chairman of the group.

Last summer and fall Brown moved onto the Guilford campus, working from here to facilitate the college's plans for expanded physical facilities. In that time plans were finalized for the restoration of Founder's Hall into a Student Center. Work will begin on that project during this summer.

Jerry Goddard, executive dean of the college gave tribute to Brown, "In the last five days I have heard so many beautiful tributes to Ed Brown, lovely sentiments expressed by people whose lives he has touched. Keen intellect; delightful sense of humor; loving friend and relative; peacemaker; high standards of excellence; 'activist'; commitment to Guilford; sensitive judgment; respect for all men. Ed Brown has meant all of those and much more. Most important to me has been his advice, criticism, and support that has helped me grow. He is part of me."

After Brown graduated from Guilford, he entered the basket manufacture business, operating the Riverside Manufacturing Company in Murfreesboro. In



Edwin Pierce Brown

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1935 Riverside joined two other container firms, combined as the American Package Corporation, forming the largest wood container firm in the U.S.

In 1965 American Package Corporation was sold to the Georgia-Pacific Corporation, and Brown became president of its American Timber Products Division.

In 1969 he retired from Georgia-Pacific, still acting as consultant to that firm until his death.

In addition to his interest in Guilford, Brown held numerous charitable, historical, and civic posts. He served as chairman of the Board of Roanoke-Chowan College in Ahsokie, and was also chairman of the Historic Murfreesboro Commission, and was a member of the Chowan College Endowment Committee.

At the time of his death he was also serving as a director of Carolina Telephone and Telegraph Company, Virginia Electric and Power Company, Wachovia Bank of Raleigh, and Farmer's Bank of Murfreesboro and Woodland.

Before he came to Guilford, Brown attended Westtown School in Westtown, *Cont. on page 8*

## War Opposition Resurrected

The past week has seen renewed anti-war activity at Guilford and in Greensboro, in response to the recent bombing escalation over North Vietnam, particularly the bombings of Hanoi and Haiphong.

A march and rally was held last night, starting at UNC-G, and meeting at Greensboro College to hear speakers Wilbur Hobby, state AFL-CIO president, and democratic gubernatorial candidate, Brian O'Conner of the Vietnam Veterans Against The War, Charlie Webb, state senatorial candidate, and representatives from the American Friends Service Committee and the North Carolina Resistance.

The March proceeded under a glow of candle light from UNC-G to GC.

This afternoon at noon students from across the state are expected to gather at N.C. State University in Raleigh for a march and rally at the State Capitol. Gathering time is noon, behind the Student Union, leaving for the Capitol around one p.m.

N.C. State is one of several hundred schools responding to the National Student Association's call for a national student strike to protest war actions.

Also scheduled are large scale anti-war demonstrations in both Washington and New York tomorrow, April 22.

Co-ordinating the demonstrations here is junior Tim Collins. Offices have been in the Community Senate Office in the Student Union building.

In calling for the student strike, 135 Student Body presidents, college newspaper editors, and presidential candidate support groups issued a letter asking students to help "tell the truth" about the Indochina War.

"The student movement has been a major force responsible for creating majority antiwar sentiments in this country. In 1965 when they told us this was "the first consensus war in American history," it was students who organized teach-ins to question that consensus. In 1966 and 67 it was students who helped shatter that consensus. It was students who organized the first mass marches which have involved other sections of society in active opposition to the war..."

"The only thing that stands between the majority antiwar sentiment and majority antiwar action is a lie — the lie that the war is winding down... In the first three months of 1972 Nixon has sent more bombing raids against North Vietnam than in all of 1971."

The letter notes that if these demonstrations come off, Nixon cannot point to the campuses and tell the people that he has silenced antiwar dissent, and that America is united behind his plans. Pointing out the resources of the Presidency, "free TV time, crack public relations teams, and millions of dollars," the leaders also noted that with this "Nixon has to maintain the most ambitious network of lies the world has ever seen. All we have to do is to tell the truth about Vietnam."

## Earth Week Events Conclude Sunday

For the third consecutive year, a week in April has been designated Earth Week. Every night during the past week, the Biophile Club has been observing Earth Week 1972, through what it terms "a celebration of Life." Instead of parading and protesting against ecological abuse, the club is attempting to make Earth Week one of celebration and joy.

Earth Week activities have included a speaker and a film festival.

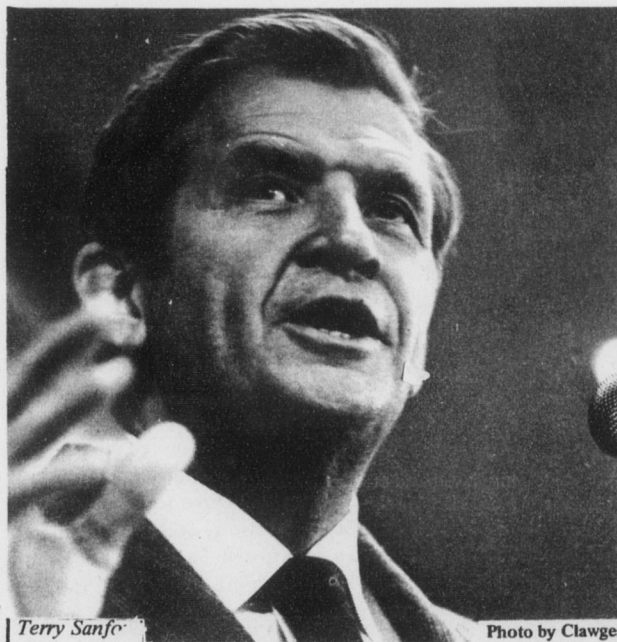
The main emphasis of Earth Week will come on Sunday when the Biophile Club will strike a festive note. The schedule calls for a bike rally to leave for Battleground Park from the circle at 1:00 p.m. A clean-up session will be held at Liberty Oak on the corner of Lawndale and New Garden Road. The live oak dates back to the Revolutionary War when Nathaniel Greene's troops used it as a camp before going into battle. After the clean-up, a pot-luck supper will be held

somewhere in the park. Fellowship, games and music will all be a part of the festivities to celebrate life.

The film festival will conclude on Friday night when the movie "Oil Spills" will be shown in the Union Lounge at 8:00 p.m. This movie centers around all aspects of the petroleum industry that are creating pollution, from gasoline to oil spills.

Through these activities, the Biophile Club hopes to convey the idea that Earth Week need not be one of protest, but one of appreciation for the earth that we live on now. Nevertheless, one should never lose sight of the fact that the earth's resources should not be recklessly employed to meet the demands for what Americans feel to be the necessities that are a part of a high standard of living. If these resources should be totally destroyed, then so shall we be destroyed, for a sterile planet can not support life of any form.

## Sanford for Withdrawal



Terry Sanford

Photo by Clawges

Speaking to several hundred Greensboro college students Wednesday, presidential candidate Terry Sanford stated he would like to see the U.S. withdraw from Vietnam "in a month or so."

"Just by a matter of luck, I suppose, I've been on the side of getting out of the war from the first day we got into it. I felt that it was a mistake to get involved in that kind of military adventure without creating all kinds of additional problems," Sanford stated.

Appearing at UNC-G on a campaign swing through Greensboro, Sanford announced that he would be joining striking Duke University students in anti-war action today. Sanford, former governor of North Carolina, is now president of Duke.

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