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Rumanian Students Enroll At GHS For School Year

By Jimmy Ellis

Despite the fact that the life that they lead in Goldsboro High School is vastly different from their younger days in North Bucovina, in Rumania, Jane and Thaddeus Jurkewitch agree that they are not finding it too difficult to adjust themselves to the American way of life.

Jane, a becoming 13 year old, and her 16 year old brother, Ted, are both enrolled in the freshman class and although they don't have too firm a grip on the English language which is popular in the halls and on the campus of GHS, they have broken down this temporary barrier with a friendly smile and a warming personality.

Speaking with a heavy accent of their native language, Jane, the self-appointed spokesman for the two, said that there was not too much difference in the basic elements of their native lands' schools and the Goldsboro school system. Their greatest difficulty thus far has come from not having a thorough knowledge of the English language. Studying it

three years has given them a good beginning, she said, and they are picking up what they don't know very rapidly.

Ted, a rather shy and retiring individual, broke in and said that while English came easy to them, their parents have had a tough time getting even the basic parts of speech as used in this country. To further complicate the matter, in the five months that they have been in the United States, they have lived in Boston, Kinston, Seven Springs, and Goldsboro and have not had the advantage of having been in one section long enough to get to know people who might help them to become better acquainted with our vernacular.

After landing in Boston aboard the "General Muir," the Jurkewitch family moved to North Carolina and finally to Goldsboro where their father is employed in a local plumbing business.

Jane didn't help the pride of the Kinston Chamber of Commerce any when she blurted out (See Students on Page 8)

Raper Elected National D. E. Representative

James Earl Raper has been elected as a delegate to the National D. E. convention to be held in Asheville next April.

He is a senior in Goldsboro High School and a member of the Distributive Education Department. Hilda Sellows from Wilmington was also elected to serve as a North Carolina delegate to this meeting.

These appointments were made at the fourth annual convention of the Eastern District of the Distributive Education which was recently held in Goldsboro.

D. E. officers for the year 1950 were elected. Margaret Moore from Wadesboro was named president; Lena Bryd, Durham, associate president; James Reece, Wilmington, vice president; Thomas Hunt, Durham, Treasurer; Agnes Jackson, Rocky Mount, Secretary and Janie Ellis, Durham, Promotion Editor. Mary Carol Joyner served as chairman of the nominating committee.

A panel discussion entitled "Opportunities in Retailing" was led by six Goldsboro business men: Robert C. Butz, Emil Rosenthal, Sam Hocutt, Archie Hamil, C. Wyman and A. Hendrix. "The Ugliest Man In The World," was presented by the Goldmasquers Radio Shop.

Members of the Eastern District who were represented at this convention are Durham, Burlington, Lawinburg, Wilmington, New Bern, Rocky Mount, Greenville and Wadesboro.

Martha Rose Is CAP Queen

Martha Ann Rose, senior of Goldsboro High School, was chosen queen of the Civil Air Patrol at the C.A.P. airshow on Sunday, November 5.

With a crowd of around 1,000 present, Martha Ann was presented a corsage by E. N. Henderson, commanding officer of the C.A.P.

Martha Ann is a Goldmasquer as well as majorette for the G.H.S. band. She is also a member of the Spanish Club.



N.H.S. Taps Four Members At Recent Ceremony

Ruth Forehand, Sara Hunt, Elizabeth Smith and Jimmy Ellis were tapped into the Charles Brantley Aycock Chapter of the National Honor Society in an impressive ceremony at the first meeting of the year on November 22.

New members were tapped by four of the six members of the society taken in at the last meeting. They were Anne Butler, Peggy Britt, Karl Albert, and Ashton Griffin. Bob Mitchell, a transfer student of the N.H.S. in Frankfort, Kentucky was recognized as a new member of the society.

Edward Mitchell, president of the local chapter, presided and Florence Bowden, Secretary, read the article of the constitution pertaining to the election of new members.

The four qualities stressed by the society, Leadership, represented by Hilda Holer, Scholarship, represented by Martha Kornegay, Service by Joy Creech, and Lillian Haynes representing Character were each given as the girls took their places by a large replica of the National Honor Society emblem. June Handley represented the light of life.

During the ceremony a quartet composed of Jack Borden, Jimmy Shumate, Bobby Frederick and Ronald Percise sang "Stout Hearted Men," "Open Thine Eyes," and "I Would Be True." Mr. Andrew Griffith sang "This Is My Task."

The oath was given to the new members by Mr. C. W. Twiford, principal. Mr. E. L. Roberts gave the benediction.

Hunt Attends UDC Meeting

Sara Dewey Hunt, senior at G.H.S., attended the 56th Annual Convention of the United Daughters of Confederacy as a page for the North Carolina division.

The convention was held November 6 through November 10 in New Orleans, La. Convention headquarters were at the Roosevelt Hotel.

The duties of the pages were to act as messengers, be on duty with their division president and be on duty when assigned.

A page's ball was given in honor of the pages who served during the convention on the third night of the convention.

Westminster Choir Draws Large Crowd

The famed Westminster Choir, under the direction of Dr. John Finely Williamson, gave a performance before a filled auditorium at Goldsboro High School on November 16.

Some of the selections which were enjoyed were: "Echo," "Haste Thee Nymph," "Swing Along" (A Negro cake walk), "The Creation" and "Skip To My Lou."

This was the first time any group of young people has presented the Westminster Choir and a profit of over three hundred dollars was made by the Goldmasquers, the sponsoring organization.

During intermission drinks and candy were sold at the concession stand by the Goldmasquers.

Many Parents Attend GHS Open House

About 500 parents and friends of students of G.H.S. attended open house recently. The parents were welcomed by Mr. K. T. Marshall and were presented a concert by the GHS glee club. After the program they followed a schedule of five periods as the students of GHS do.

The glee club directed by Andrew Griffith sang several numbers. They were, "Beautiful Dreamer," "Sometimes I Feel Like A Motherless Child," "Thanksgiving," and "Cherubina Song."

Following the program the parents went to the different rooms where the systems and subjects were explained. In the homerooms the guests were given a three page booklet stating what the fees were and the explanation of the grading system.

After visiting the classes, guests went into the lunchroom where refreshments were served by the P.T.A.

Family Council Attended By GHS Students

Emma Jean Williams and Joyce Cooper of the Family Relations Class attended the second annual N. C. Family Life Council in Raleigh, November 16, 16. Mrs. Clarinda Britt, teacher of the Family Relations Class, was one of the discussion leaders at the conference.

The conference theme was "The Family in Tradition." Changes in society and how they affect the family were presented by outstanding leaders.

The discussion leaders were: Social—Mrs. Bess N. Rosa, WC, UNC; Physical—Miss Elizabeth Lovel, State Health Department; Educational—Dr. Mason Crum, Prof. of Religion, Duke; Emotional—Mrs. Ethel Nash, lecturer and author from Chapel Hill and Spiritual—Dr. D. D. Holt, pastor at Durham Methodist Church.

After the presentation those attending were divided into discussion groups where recommendations to meet the changes were made.

About 200 people attended, including 19 high school students.

Sophs Lead Honor Roll 64 Students Gain Honor

A total of sixty four G.H.S. students made the coveted honor roll for the first quarter of the present school year. This represents only ten percent of approximately 650.

To qualify for the honor roll one must make not more than two two's, and all other grades must be one's. Department grades must be satisfactory.

The Sophomores led the honor roll for the first quarter with twenty six; Juniors, fifteen; Freshman, fourteen; and Seniors.

Those making the honor roll were: Freshman: Thelma Faust, Janet Stanton, Sherry Noble, Shirley Shrago, Anne Barfield, Martha Ellis, Steve Gooding, Carolynne Harwell, Nancetta Hudson, Bill Porterfield, Bert Howell, Snyder Pate, and Lawrence Gurley.

Sophomores: Nancy Parker, Shirley Rollins, Clinton Worlman, Barbara Pittman, Robert Bedford, Billy Rouse, Pat Marshall, Mela Royall, Sally Edgerlon, Betty Jean Grantham, Faye Daniels, Morris Gurley, Nell Scott, William Ginn, Bobby Mar-

tin, Jimmy Cavanaugh, Carl Kassell, Carol Dawson, Jane Langston, Susan McLamb, Louise Wooten, Colleen Cooper, Mary Ann Green, Glayds Mae Blackman, Shirley Ann Hadden and Dixie Pearce.

Juniors: John Pearman, Joyce Pate, Anna Clara Savage, Anne Acker, Christine Bartlette, Edith Long, Lillian Haynes, Veryl Trueblood, Lucille Williams, Faye Smith, Callie McArthur, K. D. Pyatt, June Handley, Harold Kadis and Samuel Johnson.

Seniors: Barbara Hinstant, Mavis Page, Ruth Forehand, Bob Mitchell, Betty Barbee, Joyce Gurley, Joyce Williams, Karl Albert, Peggy Britt and Anne Lee.

Cancer Drive On

This year's annual Cancer drive started at G. H. S. with a movie on the signs and dangers of cancer.

Mr. Johnny O'Neill introduced Mrs. Ana Marlow who spoke about the facilities of our health department in connection with cancer.