

Clubs Pick Officers, Make Project Plans

Clubs have been busy themselves the past month with election of officers and planning of projects.

SOS — Officers for first semester are president, **Gwen Currin**; vice president, **Judy Parker**; secretary, **Vickie Taylor**; treasurer **Pat Thurman**. Projects of this club are working at the refreshment stands at football games and the selling of Blackbird license plates.

GOOD SPORTS — Selling ribbons and making favors for the homecoming are always two favorite projects of this club. However, with homecoming postponed, they put aside the completed work for a later date. Also they sold confetti at the game with Garner. Officers are president, **Sonya Hooker**; vice president, **Judy Brown**; secretary, **Nancy Harlow**; and treasurer, **Molly Arnold**.

SERVICE CLUB — **Stanley Vaughan** leads the oldest service club in school as president this year. Other officers are vice president, **David Williams**; recording secretary, **Celia Brake**; corresponding secretary, **Honey McIntyre**; treasurer, **Frank Brake**; and chaplain, **Sam Myer**. This club is in charge of devotions in assembly and PTA meetings. One may also see this active club selling football programs to help the athletic department at each game.

KUDOS — Each year this club sells book covers to protect school books. Also members can be seen around annual time distributing plastic covers, ordered by the students, for the protection of yearbooks. Officers are president, **Mitchell McKinney**; vice president, **Lee Bulluck**; secretary, **Patsy Daughtridge**; and treasurer, **Cecil Marks**.

MONOGRAM — Officers are president, **Haywood Edmundson**; vice president, **Haywood Evans**; secre-

tary, **Paul Eilers**; treasurer, **Alton Oakley**. To become a member of this club one must have received a letter in some field of sports.

BOYS ATHLETIC — President of this organization is **Dorsey Daniels**; vice president, **Sandy Dalton**; and secretary-treasurer, **Henry Waters**.

DRAMATICS — Under the presidency of **Jerry Blankenship**, this club plans a production before the year is over. Other officers are vice president, **Ernestine Hollingsworth**; secretary, **Ann McCarver**; and treasurer, **Dale Stevens**.

MUSSETTS — This organization of Future Teachers of America is undertaking as its project to complete the building directory for the school. President is **Dottie Warren**; vice president, **Frances Colie**; secretary, **Betty White**; and treasurer, **Virginia Meyer**.

Back-to-School Go PTSA Members

Last Thursday night at 8 o'clock the RMSHS Parent-Teacher-Student Association held back-to-school open houses with Mrs. R. L. Parker presiding.

The annual affair began in the auditorium but the parents later went to their child's classroom to meet their teachers. Parents followed their children's schedules. The purpose of this is to get acquainted with the teachers.

Officers for this year's PTA are Mrs. Parker, president; Mrs. B. E. Fountain, vice president; Mrs. Winstead, Secretary; and Mrs. J. R. Batten, treasurer.

Mrs. Grant's homeroom, 204, had the highest membership. Out of her room forty-three parents joined. The total number joining at this time is 522.

Thanks From Korea

Kim Writes Seniors

"The Plan issued me 4,500 Hwam (Korean money) and a pair of rubber shoes and a bar of cheese last month. Thank you very

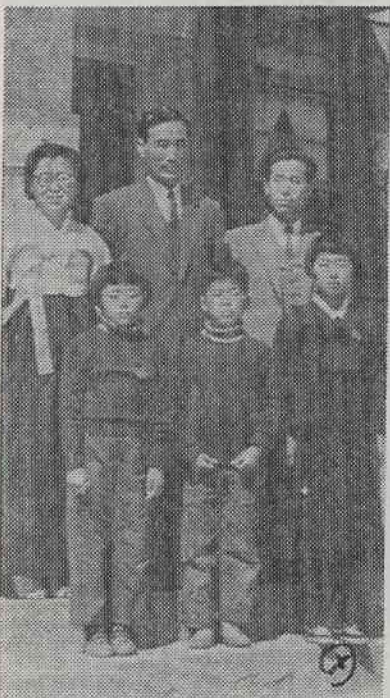
much for all of them," are the heart warming words of the senior class "child", **Kim Chung Ja**.

Kim is a 12-year old Korean War orphan and the third such child adopted by local senior classes. She is in the first grade of Middle School and takes mathematics and English.

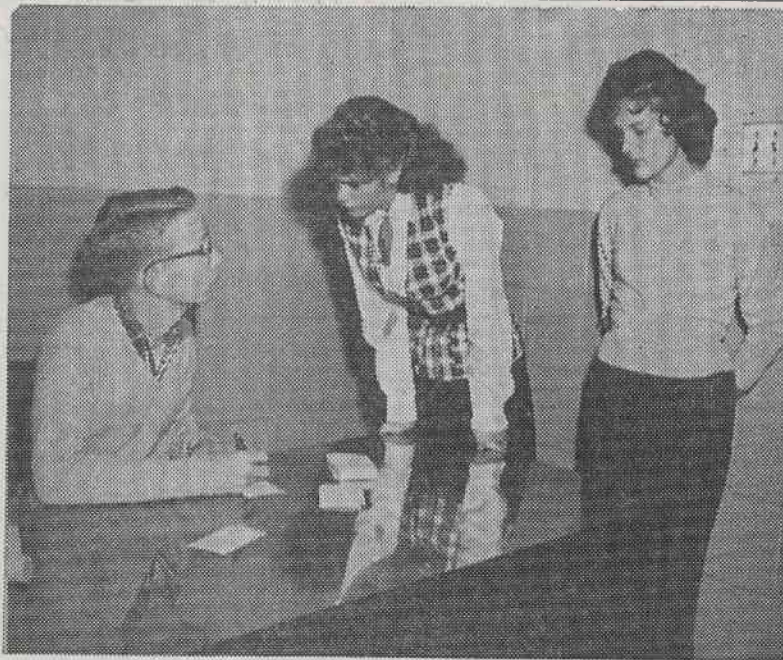
As parents, the senior class will send Kim funds and a Christmas gift. The adoption project requires \$180 from the class treasury. This pays for a few articles of clothing and food.

In the past years the senior classes adopted **Janina Mitzina** and **Bong Dong Sool** as their "children."

"Foster Parents Plan" in New York handle all of **Kim Chung Ja's** letters. They are always written in the Korean alphabet but a translated copy is also sent. **Peggy Lamm**, class secretary, who corresponds with Kim, has already received four letters.



KIM CHUNG JA (far right), senior class "child", stands on the steps of the orphanage in **Kojedo, Korea**, with teachers and friends.



BOOKS OPEN — Senior **Willard Batts**, chairman of elections committee, helps sophomore **Frances Cockrell** and **Nancy Harris** register

Note Exchange Notes Stars, Big League, Trips Thrill Teenagers Hearts

By Carolyn Nickols

Miss **Diana Darrin**, pert, brown-eyed, red-headed movie starlet was welcomed by sighs from the masculine members of **Hickory High** in **Hickory, N. C.**, when she visited the school recently in **conform School Girl**. "How long has it been since Rocky Mount was honored by the visit of a Hollywood celebrity?"

Ray Lane, a senior this year at **Junius H. Rose High School** in **Greenville**, flew to **Los Angeles** and **Hollywood** where she used to live to visit a girl friend. While there **John Wayne's** son, **Pat**, gave a party in her honor at his home. How lucky can a gal get?

Tar-Highers see big game

Albert Mason and **Ed Lewis**, students of **Tarboro High**, attended the game this summer in **St. Louis, Missouri**, between the **Milwaukee Braves** and the **St. Louis Cardinals**. Most of us had to be satisfied with seeing it on TV.

Lib Rogers, **J. H. Rose High, Greenville**, enjoyed an all-expense-paid trip to **New York** by winning three consecutive talent shows at nearby television station **WITN**. Television classes similar to

those here are being conducted at **Granby High** in **Norfolk, Virginia**, and **Hickory High, Hickory, N. C.** **Geometry**, and **English** are the subjects taught by TV at **Granby** and **U. S. History** at **Hickory High**.

Student exhibits art work

Perhaps some of the **Rocky Mount High School** students saw the fourteen oil paintings of **Minnie Lou Creech** (a freshman at neighboring **Tarboro High**) this summer when they were exhibited in the **Outer Banks Gallery** and **Studio** at **Kill Devils Hill, N. C.** Although **Minnie Lou** has no professional training, her paintings received warm recognition.

Greenville Chief wins contest

Congratulations are in order for **Margaret Ann Harrell**, editor-in-chief of **The Green Lights**, the high school paper in **Greenville**. **Margaret** recently placed first in an essay contest sponsored by **The News and Observer** and **The Raleigh Times**.

By winning the local contest **Margaret** was eligible to compete in the nationwide contest in **Dearborn, Michigan**. A full four-year scholarship is the prize for the national winner.

Student's Eyeview

"Wal, Hello, Spitnik"

Wal, hello thar. Ah hev a kwestion of which ah wood lak muchly ter ast year. Whut iz awl dis spitnick talk whut ah heers goin around?

Peeples is alwez sayink sumpin about a satlak whut travels around the world. Whut ah wants ta know iz, why in the hang did tham Russies send sumpin lak dat up fer the fun of it?

Ah keeps reedin' that tham Russies beet us to the draw. Is we havin' a knotest? If thar's a prize anvolved, ah'm gonna see what ah kin do ta git me sum junk and nail a few parts together. Then ah'm gonna see if ah can't send off a spitnick of mah own.

They sez you kin amost see the thang with your naked eye Wal, now ah'd lak to ask yous whut else iz yer eye if it hain't naked? Ah fer one refuses to war no clothes over mah eye.

Ah also heer tells that it kin record thangs. Wal, ah hates to informs them Russies but the thangs going too durn fast to record nuthing but wind and air; and whut ah asks you, is so impertant about wind and air? We gots plenty of thet down here.

Thet spitnick iz fer folks whut hain't got nothin to do but meke extry spechul decorated bowling balls. Ah gots mo' to do then thet, lak a right now ah'm gonna step outside and see if I can't hit thet tin can in one whang with my trusty slangshot.

'Apparel That Appeals'

Carole Dress Shop

Registration Ends 80 On First Day

With 80 names getting on the books the first day, the annual SO registration took place the week of October 20-25.

Registration was not held in separate rooms as previously done but all seniors, juniors, and sophomores who had not registered, did so in **Miss Kate Parks Kit-chin's** office. In the morning before homeroom period, during both lunch periods, and after school there were two people from the nominations and elections committee present to register students.

Registration was mainly for sophomores and transfer students who had not had a chance to register before. One must register if he wants to vote in class and student organization elections.

Members of the nominations committee are chairman, **Willard Batts**; seniors, **Gloria Gold** and **Henry Hinson**; juniors, **Haywood Evans** and **Kay Beach**; sophomores, **Mark Daley**, **Mary Will Woodard** and **Sandra Brown**.

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