

Students Ride In Yule Parade

Students of Albemarle High School were widely represented in the Christmas parade held in Albemarle, November 29.

Leading the parade were the A.H.S. band and majorettes, marching to the tune of "March Religioso."

Following close behind was the Central M.Y.F. float. Those riding on that were: Carolyn Helms, Ann Morgan, Johnny Almond, Conrad Hathcock, Jimmy Kluttz, Reggie Crowell, and Sue Winn.

An unusual float was sponsored by the high school's Junior Red Cross. It was built to signify a "live" Christmas tree. "Parts" of the Christmas tree were: Hazel Lawhon, Jo Ellen Brooks, Virginia Huckabee, Patricia Waller, Carolyn Whitley, Johnnie Russell, Peggy Troutman, Aldena Harrington, and Ann Rogers.

Cread McManus and Max Lowder rode horses in the parade along with other members of the Stanly County Saddle Club.

Girls' State was represented by Joyce Turner, who rode in the American Legion bus.

Freshmen Lead With Grades; Santa Is Sure To Visit Them

The Freshmen of AHS have worked very hard, with thoughts of Santa and Christmas on their way.

Ninth Grade

Highest honor: Jo Parks, Lane Brown, Eddie Crutchfield, Billie Jo Barrier, Gloria Jones, Johnny Almond, Sherrill Lowder, Joyce Smith, Martha Smith, Janice Morris, Ann Smith, Woody Durham.

Honor:

Bobby Canfield, Lewis Lowder, Josh Morton, Mike Prince, Roger Smith, Jerry Whitlock, Nancy Jo Ivester, Douglas Eury, George Harwood, Jimmy Miller, Ruby Morton, Wayne Shoemaker, O. J. Sikes, Barbara Hinson, Brenda Huneycutt, Patricia James, Suzanne Mauldin, Don Montgomery, James Renger, Priscilla Burris, Lana Byrd, Jane Chandler, Aldena Harrington, Millie Hatley, Pat Saunders, Shelby Thomas, Edward Bivens, Jerry Kimrey, Sherrill Williams, Jane Cotton, Linda Curlee, Linda Doby, Anne Morgan, Brenda Tucker, Janice Harris, Linda Efrid, Patricia Little, Judy Redfern, Myra Carpenter, Cynthia Efrid, Bennie Sides, Jimmy Kluttz, Clonnie Smith.

Tenth Grade

Highest honor: Yvonne Chandler, Rebecca Coble, Gay Crowell, Patricia Starnes, Joyce Burris, Libby Hatley, Betsy King, Kitty Almond.

Honor:

Sue Winn, Barbara Smith, Marlene Price, Rita Morris, Molly Holbrook, Marie Bowers, Nancy Swaringen, Diane Watkins, Kathryn Morton, Barbara Hathcock, Sylvia McDuffie, Betty Holt, Kay Swindell, Peggy Lisk, Gail Morris, Garnald Efrid, Cary McSwain, Kaye Almond, Judy Efrid, Carolyn Nicholds, Gale Whitfield, Phyllis Scarboro.

Tommy Murrell, Kay Owens, Richard Peck, Glenda Keever, Enna Morton, Evelyn Underwood, Peggy Smith, Martha Huckabee, Eddie Burleson, Wade McSwain.

Eleventh Grade

Highest honor: David Grigg, Rona Jane Mauldin, George Weaver, Robert L. Smith, Jackie Richardson, Lulabelle Smith, George Weaver, Linda Moose.

Honor:

Wayne Eudy, Bill Harton, Lane Lowder, Burnie Miller, John Stokes, Janis Westerlund, Glenn Talbert, Mary Griffin, Toby Ragsdale, Patsy Blake, Linda Whitley, Robert Mauldin, George McManus, John Renger, G. C. Wilhoit, Linda Duke, Sue Page, Anne Rogers, Jo Ellen Brooks, Ronald Hudson, Gene Langley, Garrieth Pendergraft, Charlie Smith, Clara Bost, Carolyn Glover, Barbara Kimrey, Jimmy Cochran, Winfred Ford, Tommy Shaver, Buddy Stoker, Vicki Cranford, Jeanette Hinson.

Twelfth Grade

Highest honor: Joe Kluttz, Linda Barnes, Barbara Holt, Beaupine Crisco, Iris Hunsucker, Sue Rogers, Sybil Efrid.

Honor: Maurice Clark, Max Lowder, Franchot Palmer, Kay Cauthen, Zalotta Harris, Carolyn Helms, Elizabeth Medlin, Johnnie Russell, Patricia Thompson, Doty Walker, Ted Burleson, Bill Fisher, Susie Culp, Marie Lambert, Hazel Lawhon, Carol Price, Doris Smith, Gerald Johnson, Jerry Almond, Wade Smith, Betty Boone, Peggy Furr, Jo Stallings, Yvonne Hathcock, Shirley Owensby, Norma Jean Arey, Ruby Griffin, Jean Morgan, Sandra Poplin, Joyce Turner, Allen Bennett, Edshay Brunson, Luther Kimrey, Johnny Richardson, Maxine Harwood, Pamela Hinson.

FTA Gets Briefed On Teacher's Life

A very interesting and educational meeting was had by the members of the Future Teachers of America at their December 1 meeting.

Carolyn Helms led the group in a short, but impressive devotional. The topic was "Virtues and Problems." She stated that in high schools the most serious problems are not drinking and dating problems, but cheating, skipping classes, and running around with the wrong crowd.

During the business session it was decided that plans would be made for some of the future teachers to observe in other schools during their free exam periods.

Program chairman, Maxine Harwood, then introduced to the

group Miss Roberts, a senior at Duke University, who is doing practice teaching in Albemarle High School under the direction of Mrs. Frank Westerlund.

Miss Roberts spoke to the group on things to expect when you become a teacher. She began by stating that teaching is an entirely different role from that of student, and that teachers aren't too appreciated.

She stressed, "Try to find your own teaching strength; don't copy your favorite teacher's methods—you will be a failure if you do."

SANDRA POPLIN WHILE talking to Barbara Holt in the auditorium one morning asked, "What are the risers for?"

Barbara replied, "So the Mixed Chorus can see the notes they're singing."

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