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Dr. Stone Speaks To Student Body On Recent Presidential Election

Men Vote for Candidate, Not for Party Support

Dr. Richard Stone spoke to the student body about the significance of the presidential election in assembly Tuesday, November 11. Dr. Stone stated that 60,000,000 voters turned out to the polls, representing the largest number of voters in any past election. General Eisenhower received a popular vote of over 33,000,000 votes. Stevenson, however, received as many votes as the late President Roosevelt did when he swept the country. There is only a difference of six or seven million votes between General Eisenhower and Governor Stevenson.

The southeastern states cast only slightly less than half their total number of popular votes for General Eisenhower. "Ike" carried four southern states, whereas Stevenson carried nine.

Dr. Stone stated that the people voted for the man and not for the party, as indicated by many Republican defeats in Congress. However, the Republicans have a majority of three or four in the House and one in the Senate.

North Carolina gave Stevenson the largest number of electoral votes in the southern states. Yet North Carolina elected its first Republican to Congress; and Virginia, its first three Republicans to Congress. Some southern governors, such as Byrnes of South Carolina and Byrd of Virginia, supported General Eisenhower. A change is taking place in that the southern states are not supporting altogether the Democratic party.

A step down will occur now for some Democrats and a step up for some Republicans. Joe Martin will probably be Speaker of the House. However, no one knows whom "Ike" will appoint for his Cabinet. He must represent all the people and satisfy labor, Negroes, and other groups. In any event, General Eisenhower has four decisive years before him.

Legislative Body Names Bull, Steed As Leaders

Legislative Body elected as its chairman and secretary Donna Bull and Jackie Steed.

Donna, of Greenville, South Carolina, is president of the *Sigas*, a counselor, member of the Altar Guild, YWCA, and the Circle.

Jackie, of Raleigh, is president of the day students, a member of the Glee Club and the Circle and is a

Granddaughters' Club Elects Officers

Members of the Granddaughters' Club met Tuesday, October 28, to elect their officers for the year. They elected Barbara White, Bebe Correll, Jacquelin Nash and Mary Windley Dunn to the offices of president, vice-president, secretary, and treasurer, respectively.

Barbara, of Greenville, is President of the Choir, librarian of the Glee Club, assistant to secretary of the Hall Council, counselor, and a *Mu*.

Bebe, of Laurinburg, is a member of the Canterbury Club, Choir, Altar Guild, *Orchesis*, *Stage Coach*, *BELLES*, a Server and a *Mu*.

Jacqueline, of Tarboro, is a member of the Choir, *Orchesis*, Canterbury Club, a dance marshal, and a *Mu*.

Mary Windley, of New Bern, is a member of the Canterbury Club, *Stage Coach*, and a *Sigma* cheerleader.

Medical Technician Outlines Vocation

Miss Dorothy McGhee, a medical technologist at Rex Hospital, spoke to the student body about medical technology as a profession in assembly Thursday, November 13. The field is not crowded as there are only two hundred registered technologists in North Carolina. Medical technologists are trained personnel who carry out such laboratory procedures as analyzing body fluids and examining diseased tissues. A person must be mentally honest, like laboratory work, and be attentive to details to be a good technologist. The requirements are a college education, including subjects as biology and chemistry, and study at an approved school for medical technologists. Technologists may work in hospital laboratories, clinics, doctors' offices, research laboratories, and biological houses. The work is especially varied in hospital laboratories which include departments for chemistry, bacteriology, hematology, and histology. The hours average about a forty-hour week in this vicinity with salaries beginning at \$200 a month plus three meals a day and laundry service. Medical technology offers a field in which there is opportunity for advancement under the merit system. A medical technologist, however, is liable for call at anytime and must work under pressure.

"Trissy" Holt Wins School Posture Contest In Sigma-Mu Competition



Posture Queen

Judges Choose Holt From Twelve Crown Contenders

"Trissy" Holt was crowned posture queen by Nancy McIver, president of the Letter Club, in assembly Thursday, November 6, climaxing the annual observance of Posture Week at Saint Mary's. The Letter Club sponsored the week of posture emphasis.

In assembly, November 4, the Letter Club presented a program demonstrating the many bad postures commonly seen around the campus. Representing these postures were Donna Bull, Mary Michal, Glenn Lightsey, Timmie Timmons, Nancy McIver, Gray Proctor, Nell Eley, and "Deedee" Davenport. Emilie Adams was narrator.

The preliminary contest competition between a *Sigma* and *Mu* from each hall, was held Thursday afternoon in the auditorium. Participants in the final contest were Ann Robinson, Killian Middleton, Myra Thayer, Kay Baker, Janet Taylor, Emily Urquhart, Sara Fair, "Honey" Coker, Patty Schirm, "Sus-z" Blades, "Trissy" Holt, Charlotte Lilly, and Ann Going. Miss Bason, Miss Cameron, and Miss Blackiston were judges in the final contest. Runners-up were Ann Robinson and Myra Thayer, both *Sigas*. "Trissy" is a *Mu*.

Paula Whitaker is Miss Slump of 1952.

Senior Class Dance Has Holiday Theme

Senior Class chose *White Christmas* as the theme for its annual Christmas dance to be given December 6. The ceiling of the gym will be woven with blue crepe paper, and the walls will be blue and white with gayly decorated Christmas trees standing in the corners. The Duke Cavaliers, who are to furnish the music, will play from a bandstand decorated as a Santa Claus sled.

Presiding over the dance committees are Syb Hamer, decorating; Georgia Moore, invitations; and Becky Gordon, figure.

Orchesis Invites New Girls Into Dance Club

Orchesis, Saint Mary's modern dance group, under the direction of Miss Peggy Cameron, has taken in new members for 1952-1953.

The new members are Lynda Anderson, Harriette Barham, Louise Brand, Cornelia Coleman, Bebe Correll, Betty Daniel, Angela Derby, Sara Fair, Genny Garron, Barbara Harding, Virginia Harris, Susan Hayes, "Trissy" Holt, Beth Kemper, Mary LaFar, Laura Matheson, Nancy McIver, Georgia Moore, "B-2" Nash, Ellen Ozon, Lucy Parish, Frances Perry, Gray Proctor, Searle Rowland, Barbara Seaman, Haffye Sewell, Connie Shaner, Peggy Sugg, Myra Thayer, Sydney Stuart.

Orchesis members who returned this year are Anne Bailey, Kay Baker, Patsy Daniels, Elizabeth Dent, Carolyn Landis, Elizabeth Lynn, Gene Overbeck, Tonie Rowe, Jeanne Summers, Lillian Triplett, and Emily Urquhart.

Students Hear Metropolitan Star

While on a coast-to-coast tour, Victoria de los Angeles, soprano, performed Monday night, November 4, at the Memorial Auditorium for Raleigh's Civic Music Association. Miss de los Angeles, accompanied by Paul Berl, sang to a full house including Saint Mary's student body.

Only twenty-seven, she is a Metropolitan Opera star, has played three times at Carnegie Hall, and holds the first prize for the International Music Contest held in 1947 at Geneva. This civic concert was first in a series of six to be attended by the student body.

Sigma, Mu Teams Select Cheerleaders

Sigma and *Mu* teams have elected cheerleaders for the year. The *Sigma* cheerleaders are Haffye Sewell, chief, Flicka Keane, assistant, "Sister" Heath, Ellen Ozon, Hazel Gray, Mary Windley Dunn, Carolyn Foy, Laura Ann Travis, Mary Jordan, Betty Dry, Eve Hargrave, and Nancy McIver. The *Mu*

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