



STUDENT COUNCIL GIVES JUKE BOX TRIAL RUN

—PHIL PALISOUL
and RUSTY WARD

The Student Council has recently made an addition to our cafeteria and what is hoped will also boost school spirit. A Rock-Ola juke box, furnished by the Superior Vending Machine Company of Spencer, N. C., has been placed in the L. S. H. S. cafeteria for enjoyment by the students. The juke box is on a "trial run," and it is hoped that interest in it will remain high and that students will continue to play it.

Fifty percent of the money taken in will be given to the Student Council, and the remainder goes to the distributor. Records will be changed every two weeks to assure students of a popular hit tune selection. Any request that a student would like to make may be placed in the suggestion box in the cafeteria. It is hoped that the tunes most requested by the students will be available to be placed in the juke box. Several other schools in North Carolina also enjoy this privilege and L. S. H. S. is proud to have joined the rank as a school with spirit!

PEP CLUB INTRODUCED IN ASSEMBLY

—ANN ROGERS

Thursday morning, January 5 an assembly was held to introduce the newly formed Pep Club to the student body. Belinda Burke presented the devotions, after which Carol McWhorter read the charter of the Pep Club and explained its purpose. Melinda Huffman, Dan Smith, Donnie Leonard, and Coach Callicutt then spoke on school spirit, with Coach Callicutt giving credit to the winter sports participants.

Next, the Student Council members presented two humorous skits. In the first, Johnny Williams presided while the "Do's and the Don'ts" demonstrated proper and improper conduct at basketball games and other school activities. Kenny Swing discovered that Rody Dayvault, although sitting with the "Do's" was definitely a "Don't" and he was quickly transferred. The second skit constituted a dummy court marshal, which showed some of the ridiculous things that students do, or rather things that they forget to do. The honorable Judge Phil Palisoul charged his

JUDY RAYKES VOTED CITIZEN OF THE MONTH

Her many pleasant characteristics have led the House of Representatives to elect Judy Raykes as the "Citizen of the Month" for January of 1961. Judy, a popular member of the senior class, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill C. Raykes of Avondale Drive.

She is a friendly person who always displays a winning smile and a cheerful "hello." Since her transfer to Lexington High her sophomore year, Judy's outgoing personality has won for her a "treasure" many friends.



This citizen has a wide variety of school interests, having been a member of the Future Homemakers of America, Latin Club II, Science Club II, and the Spanish Club. Judy has also been tapped by the Tri-Hi-Y and was chosen this year as Senior Superlative, "Most Talented."

She is very enthusiastic about her music. She has done much solo work and has been quite a favorite in many assembly programs and religious and civic performances. At the Piedmont Festival in Thomasville, in which she represented Lexington High, Judy sang a lovely medley of songs which included each of the seasons of the year. She also enjoys singing in her church choir and in youth fellowship as well as playing the piano in her Sunday School class.

These fine characteristics which make Judy a good citizen certainly merit her the honor of the title, "Citizen of the Month."



PUBLIC SPEAKING PROGRAM UNDER WAY —MARIE MOOREFIELD

The public speaking program of Lexington Senior High was organized last week and is ready to begin activity in the spring semester.

One of the parts is the debating program. Last year one of the debating teams debated the triangular debating program. This team won and was the triangle's representative at the district debate in Greensboro. The other debating team took part in the Speech Festival held at Wake Forest College last spring.

This past summer several of the debaters attended a speech workshop at Wake Forest College.

The second part of the program is the World Peace Speaking Program. In this program students write on a certain subject connected with the students participated in this program. Charlye McDade won the Gold Key award for her speech.

These programs are intended to improve the speaking and logical reasoning abilities of students.

Students who have entered the public speaking program are as follows: Dorothy Shank, Marie Moorefield, Dick Bagby, Phil Palisoul, Rusty Ward, John Leonard, Rody Dayvault, Jane Burrell, Kaye Albright, Tricia Berrier, Jeannette Garner, Martha Hardy, Talmadge Hinkle, Betty Ferris, Tonie Wike, Benny Parker, Winnie Zimmerman, Patricia McCrary, Diane Leonard, Doug Everhart, and Carol Robertson. Mrs. Dugan Aycock is the sponsor of this important activity.



L. S. H. S. WELCOMES TWO NEW TEACHERS

—PAT HANKINS

On November 27, Lexington High School welcomed two new members of the faculty.

Miss Kaye Mayes, a recent graduate of Appalachian State Teachers College, is from Mountain Park, N. C., and now lives at 100 West Third Avenue. Before coming to L. S. H. S. she taught at Reynolds High School in Winston-Salem. Replacing Mrs. Hodges, she teaches biology and math. When asked her opinion of L. S. H. S. she replied, "My first glimpse of L. S. H. S. and of its students gave me the thought of a modern, well administrated high school. This concept still has not been lost."

Mr. David Holcombe, also a recent graduate of Asheville-Biltmore Junior College and Appalachian State Teachers College, comes from Weaverville, N. C. He

now resides with his wife and two young sons at 403 Raeford Ave. He taught at Appalachian High School before coming to Lexington. As an added member of the faculty, Mr. Holcombe teaches Freshman English, Senior English, U. S. History, general math, and is also the coach of the ninth grade boys' basketball team. His reply to a question asking his opinion of L. S. H. S. was, "Your able administration and enthusiastic student body could not fail to thrill any teacher; but asked two questions: where do all of these kids get those huge cars, and why don't we paint the front doors?"

All on the LEXHIPEP staff and the student body wish happiness and success to the two new teachers and hope they will enjoy teaching in L. S. H. S.

AWARDS AND TROPHIES PRESENTED AT FOOTBALL BANQUET

—BARRY WILLIAMS

The varsity football team had their football banquet Monday night, December 12, at the Country Club. The purpose of this annual event is to recognize the football squad members and to award gold footballs and trophies to outstanding lettermen.

Master of ceremonies P. D. Merritt called on Barry Williams to deliver the invocation. Then the banquet meal, consisting of turkey, dressing, cranberry sauce, green beans and corn, and candied yams, was served to the team and attending civic club members and fathers of the players. Mr. Merritt introduced several guests responsible for the banquet, and Mr. Dugan Aycock presented the guest speaker. In the absence of Coach Murray of Duke University, Coach Caldwell, end coach for Duke, spoke on several topics concerning football. Former L. S. H. S. alumnus and a present star at Duke, Dwight Bumgardner, was called on to deliver a short message. Following Mr. Bumgardner, Mr. Johnny Fritts presented Dr. W. L. Bingham, chairman of the school board, with a \$1,000 check to further improve the senior high field house. President of the Yellow Jackets Booster Club Johnny Fritts then presented gifts to the coaching staff, after which the captains, Junior Webster and Dan Smith, presented coaches Price, Bowen, and King with the team's gifts. The coaches were honored by a standing applause.

Awards to outstanding lettermen and gold footballs to all lettermen were presented. Haywood Carter of the Jewel Box presented a gold watch to Junior Webster, most outstanding player of the year. Superintendent L. E. Andrews presented a trophy from Costner's Jewelry Store to Barry Williams, senior letterman with the highest scholastic average. The Best Blocker Award from the Carolina Theater and the Most Improved Award from Parker-Miller were presented to Butch Gibson and Johnny Fritts respectively by "Scoop" McCrary. Gold footballs were given to the twenty-six lettermen by Coach Price. This was the concluding feature of a very successful 1960 Varsity Football Banquet.

guards of put the criminals to death by various methods such as stoning, shooting, and spitting. The unfortunates were Rody Dayvault, Rusty Ward, Kenny Swing, Junior Webster, Vic Freitag, and Don Hedrick.

After repeatedly lecturing the condemned students in the subject of forgetting proper behavior Phil walked off the stage revealing that he had forgotten an important article of clothing!

The program was concluded by the student body's giving the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag and singing The Star Spangled Banner and the school Loyalty song.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

January 18—Semester Ends
January 23—Grades Come Out
January 26—Report Cards
January 27—High Point (here)
January 31—Burlington (here)
February 3—Salisbury (here)
February 7—Greensboro (here)
February 10—Reynolds (there)
February 14—High Point (there)
February 17—Burlington (there)
February 21—Salisbury (here)
February 24—Greensboro (there)
February 28—Reynolds (here)