

## MISS F. S. MITCHELL TALKS ON 'OUR GIRLS' AT CLUB FEBRUARY 7

Dean of Girls at G. H. S. Speaks to Members of Woman's Club

### GIVES HEALTH PROGRAM

Appeals to Mothers to Take More Interest in Children's Activities and Work

Miss Fannie Starr Mitchell spoke to the Woman's Club, February 7, on the topic, "Our Girls." Since this speaker has been dean of girls at G. H. S. for several years, she was in a position to discuss her subject sympathetically.

Miss Mitchell appealed to the mothers of high school people to take more interest in their work, their activities and their social affairs. She told the mothers what happens to G. H. S. in one day, and suggested the following program for all day: Sleep eight to nine hours, meals one and half hours, school six to six and one-half hours, recreation one or two hours, help at home one or two hours, home study two hours, music one hour, personal care one-half or one hour. The day's schedule should be planned after taking in consideration special needs of the individuals.

Miss Mitchell is a graduate of N. C. C. W. and has also studied at Columbia University. She is specializing in work as adviser to girls and will take her M.A. in that subject at Columbia.

## C. OF C. DEVISES PLANS AT FEBRUARY MEETING

Ways of Securing New Members and Increasing Attendance Discussed at Business Meeting

### MISS LOUISE DANIELS IS DIRECTOR

The senior division of the Children of the Confederacy, under the supervision of Miss Louise Daniels, held their second meeting Monday night, February 6. During the business discussion, a plan was devised to secure new members and to increase the attendance of the present enrollment.

A Valentine party and a candy sale will be the means by which the girls intend to raise money. Definite plans have not yet been made.

Following the business came a program consisting of musical numbers and the C. of C. catechism. Annie Louise Rogers sang "Swanee River" and other southern selections. Nancee Hay read a paper on "The Confederate White House." The club catechism was then brought before the members. This contains definite information concerning historical facts of the Confederacy.

March 6 will be the date of the next meeting, the place to be announced later.

## JAMES WEBB IS CHOSEN SEMESTER PRESIDENT

Other Officers Are John Foster, Vice-President; Anne Lyon, Treasurer, and Emma Griffin, Secretary

James Webb was elected president of Semester VII at a class meeting held Wednesday, February 8, in room 203. The meeting was presided over by Emma Griffin. The faculty advisers, Miss Laura Sumner and Mary Ellen Blackman, were present.

Before the election, a report from the nominating committee was read by John Foster. After some discussion the officers were elected as follows: President, James Webb, vice-president, John Foster; Anna Lyon, treasurer; secretary, Emma Griffin. The whole class feels confident that they used good judgment in this election.

## GOLD PALMS AWARDED TWO G. H. S. SENIORS

Dick Douglas and Clarence Cone, G. H. S. seniors, were awarded Gold Palms at the Boy Scout Conference of Region Six held here February 3. The Gold Palm, awarded for ten merit badges in addition to those required for an Eagle Scout badge, is the highest award in Scouting. The awards were made by James E. West, who is chief scout executive of the country.

## STUDENTS SPONSOR CHAPEL PROGRAMS

Program Based Upon the Four-Square Life of the High School Student

### BILL BYERS HAS CHARGE

The student body of G. H. S. took charge of the chapel program, Monday and Tuesday, February 6 and 7. Bill Byers, president of the student council, took charge.

The program was based upon the four-square life, taking into consideration the mental, physical, spiritual, and social life of the high school student. The topics mentioned were dealt with by both boys and girls selected by Mr. Phillips and the general program committee.

Chapel was opened by the singing of "America the Beautiful" and "God of Our Fathers," led by Mr. Miller. "The Value of Good Grades" was discussed by both Elizabeth Boyst and Henry Weiland. Elizabeth Boyst discussed the value of good grades in regard to school life, while Henry Weiland explained the value of good grades in the business world and in later life. These two speakers dealt with the mental side of high school life.

The physical side was approached by Ruth Stinnett, who discussed the value of athletics and the benefits derived from participating in any sport. The boys were represented on this subject by Clarence Cone, who explained the value of athletics to boys and the good obtained from sports.

"The Religious Life" was discussed by Clyde Norcom and George McSwain. Clyde explained the value of religion in high school. The subject of her talk was "My Best," in which she challenged the students to do away with the trivial things of life and to cling to those that would be inspirational and beneficial to all.

## BAND CHOOSES BENNETT AS STUDENT DIRECTOR

"Dot" Bennett to Take Mr. Grady Miller's Place When He Is Required to Be Absent

"Dot" Bennett, solo trumpet player, was elected student director of the band at a meeting Thursday, the 9th.

The system of student directors was tried in the glee clubs, and after proving a success there, it was decided to put it in force in the band. The necessity for some one to take charge of the band during Mr. Grady Miller's absence has been felt. This plan will eliminate the waste of time during these periods.

Mr. Miller also states that the people of Graham, N. C., have asked the band and orchestra of our school to give a concert for them. The purpose of this concert is to show the residents of that city what music in the schools can do, as there are plans to have music in those of Graham. Expenses will be paid and the trip is to be an overnight one. The exact date of the concert has not yet been announced.

Eskimo No. 1: How did you like your Christmas tree?

Eskimo No. 2: It was swell; those were the best candles I ever ate!—*The Centralion, Grand Forks, N. D.*

## HI-Y HOLDS MEETING TO ELECT OFFICERS FOR NEW SEMESTER

Otis Phillips Takes Charge. New Officers Are Freshman and Sophomores

### CLUB ORGANIZED IN 1927

Second Membership Drive to Be Put on Soon—Ten New Members to Be Taken In

The Junior Hi-Y held its first business meeting of the semester, Monday evening, February 6, at the Y. M. C. A. The purpose of the meeting was mainly to elect officers for the new semester. Otis Phillips, president of last semester, took charge of the election. The club chose the following for office: President, Henry Betts; vice-president, Roy Champion; secretary-treasurer, Ernest Hunt.

The new officers are members of the freshman and sophomore classes, and have shown quite an interest in club activities since its organization in 1927. Henry Betts and Ernest White are charter members of the club, and Roy Champion was admitted during the first membership drive.

The meeting Monday was also to discuss plans for the second membership drive to be put on soon. Ten new members will be taken into the club.

## DICK DOUGLAS TO HEAD JUNE GRADUATING CLASS

Is Recognized As Leader in Various Phases of Work in High School Activities

### HAS ATTAINED COVETED HONORS

Dick Douglas, new senior president, has always taken an active part in the different activities of high school life. From Junior High, Dick came to G. H. S. in 1924, and since then has been a leader in the various phases of work at G. H. S.

For the past semester Dick acted as manager of the Purple and Gold eleven and while serving in this capacity won his school monogram.

As a scout, the new president has attained coveted honors. On February 3 he was awarded the highest honor in scouting, that of Eagle Scout Palms. This honor is shared with one other Greensboro boy, Clarence Cone.

In dramatics, Dick has played his part. He appeared in the Purple and Gold Revue and took a leading role in "The Pirates of Penzance."

During his junior year he was honored by his classmates by being chosen as junior president. He presided at the spring junior-senior banquet last year.

For the past semester he served in the capacity of vice-president of semester 7.

"In speaking of leadership and executive ability we immediately recognize Dick as a leader of the highest type," declared Miss Lily Walker, math teacher, in a recent interview.

## ISSUE OF "HOMESPUN" IS ENTITLED "DIXIE"

The third issue of *Homespun*, which is entitled "Dixie" or the Romance of the South, will come out in the next few weeks, it is stated by members of the staff. This may be one of the three issues offered at the C. S. P. A. convention in March.

Ed Turner, school artist, has completed the drawings and cover for the magazine, which went to press February 13.

Editors of the magazine state that they are very much pleased with the material for this issue and believe that the subject is well covered.

## TORCHLIGHT SOCIETY HOLDS FIRST MEETING

The Torchlight Society began its meetings last week. The most important thing that came up for discussion was the candidates to be elected into the club this semester. These students will be under discussion for several weeks.

They also have a plan under way to purchase caps. Ever since the society has been organized they have been borrowing the caps from the girls at Greensboro College. The caps cost about \$25 for the 12 that will be needed. The club has already raised \$19 toward this fund.

## TWO G. H. S. SENIORS ACT AS D. A. R. PAGES

Margaret Betts and Louise Harrison Chosen by State Regent of D. A. R.

### AT RALEIGH MARCH 29-31

Margaret Betts and Louise Harrison, seniors at G. H. S., were chosen as pages to the D. A. R. conference to be held in Raleigh, March 29 to 31. Mrs. E. C. Gregory, state regent of the Daughters of the American Revolution, was the judge.

Louise E. Harrison is, on the maternal side, a granddaughter of General Chamberliss, of Virginia, and a descendant of the Turner and Mason families. On the paternal side, Louise is a descendant of Nathaniel Harrison, brother of Benjamin Harrison, signer of the Declaration of Independence.

Margaret Betts is a descendant of Colonel Sharpe Delaney and Colonel Moore, of Pennsylvania. Her mother is a former regent of the Guilford Battle Chapter of the D. A. R. of this city.

## DR. LIVERS MAKES TALK TO PARENTS ON IDEALS

Dr. Elton Trueblood, of Guilford College, and Riley Scott, Kentucky Poet, Take Part in Program

With a varied program the Greensboro Parent-Teacher Association met Tuesday night, February 8. Central High auditorium was the place of meeting with Dr. E. Elton Trueblood, dean of men of Guilford College, giving the principal address.

Dr. W. H. Livers, of the extension department of N. C. C., and Riley Scott, "the wandering poet of Kentucky," also appeared on the program, which was under the direction of C. W. Phillips, high school principal.

Dr. Trueblood, nationally known lecturer, spoke on "The Greatest Business in the World,"—bringing out the best that is latent in the child. He discussed methods of stimulating young people's desires to become educated.

A review of the association, relating the ideals of the founders, was briefly given by Dr. Livers. The speaker declared that the greatest aim of the founders was to study to improve the conditions for the child.

Riley Scott's reading of some of his poems was the closing event of the program.

The next meeting of the association will be Tuesday night, March 6.

## MRS. ROSS WILL TALK AT NEXT OPEN FORUM

Mrs. Nellie Ross, first woman governor in the United States, will speak at the Greensboro Open Forum February 27 on "Woman as a Chief Executive." The former woman governor is one of the greatest leaders in political life of women. She became governor of Wyoming at the death of her husband.

## HUNDRED STUDENTS WILL BE SELECTED FOR MIKADO CAST

Japanese Opera to Be Presented in Late Spring by Gilbert and Sullivan

### CHORUS STARTS PRACTICE

Third Opera to Be Given at Greensboro High School in Last Three Years; Grady Miller to Direct

The music students of Greensboro High School have started chorus practice for "The Mikado," a Japanese opera which will be presented by the music department late in the spring. A cast of over 100 students will take part, this cast being selected by Grady Miller, music supervisor of the high school.

This is the third opera given by the department in the last three years and the directors say they expect it to be the best. "The Mikado" is by the famous light opera writers, Gilbert and Sullivan, and is the second of their operas to be given by students here. Last year "The Pirates of Penzance," by the same authors, was given.

"The Mikado" is being presented to crowded audiences now in New York, under the direction of Winthrop Ames. "It is a very beautiful and tuneful opera," says Mrs. Mary S. Ashford, who has just returned from New York, where she heard this opera.

## TROOP 5 ENTERTAINS MOTHERS AT BANQUET

C. W. Phillips and J. W. Geeslin Principal Speakers—Demonstration of Scout Work Given

Troop five scouts celebrated their 10th anniversary by entertaining their mothers with a banquet on February 9 at the First Baptist Church. There were 87 present at the affair. It has been the custom since 1918, when this troop organized, to do this annually.

Mr. O. E. Lee gave the invocation. Mr. J. D. Wilkins presided as toastmaster. Mr. C. W. Phillips and Scout Executive J. W. Geeslin were the principal speakers on the program.

Mr. Phillips told of the importance of scouting, also that the men in scouting are playing a part in the boys' lives which will show in later years.

Scout Executive Geeslin told of the importance of filling up every day of a boy's life after he has reached the age of twelve.

Scoutmaster F. R. Casper told the mothers of the importance of letting their boys go on hikes and trips. He also stressed that there was very little danger to the hikes.

The events of the program were: a demonstration of first aid, a demonstration of an investiture service, and also phases of the three signaling codes.

## FROSH DEBATERS HOLD THEIR WEEKLY MEETING

Committee Consisting of Randolph Freeman, R. Dees, and C. Holt to Solicit New Members

A committee consisting of Randolph Freeman, Rigdon Dees, and Clary Holt was appointed at the weekly meeting of the Freshman Debating Club, Tuesday, February 7. The duty of these three will be to entice new freshmen into the club.

Due to the business that was brought up during the meeting, the bill for discussion was postponed until a future meeting.

President Guy Hope presided over the meeting. The program for the next meeting will be an open forum meeting. The chief speaker will be Ernest White. The subject of his speech will be "Ships." Clary Holt will also speak on "Stamps."