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EXERCISES FOR MID-YEAR CLASS ARE ARRANGED

Commencement to Begin With
Baccalaureate Sermon
Sunday, Jan. 23.

DR. PEELE IS TO SPEAK

Mr. Routh Will Present Three Cups:
Best-All-Round, Scholarship, and
Civitan Citizenship.

The commencement exercises of the mid-year graduating class of 68 seniors will begin with the baccalaureate sermon at 7:30 o'clock Sunday evening, January 23, at the Asheboro Street Baptist church. Rev. J. Ben Eller, the pastor, will deliver the sermon.

The traditional class day will be observed Monday, January 24, with Cassie Kernodle heading the committee on arrangements. The chapel program will be followed by the class breakfast and a theater party at which Frank Burns, manager of the Carolina theater will be the host.

Dr. W. W. Peele, presiding elder of the Methodist Episcopal church, Greensboro district, will give the commencement address at the final exercises Friday, January 28.

The presentation of three cups by A. P. Routh will be a feature.

The scholarship cup will be awarded to the senior having the highest scholastic average by the American Business club.

The citizenship cup, which goes to the pupil writing the best paper on citizenship, is given by the Civitan club.

The most coveted of all is the Best-All-Round trophy presented by the Parent-Teacher association to the senior voted by his classmates to be the most outstanding in character, scholarship, and service.

SENIOR HIGH GRADUATING CLASS OF JANUARY, 1938



Members are as follows: Clifford Allen, Bill Atchison, James Atkins, Virginia Barnes, Doris Bentley, Edith Bergman, Mary Jo Berry, Kathryn Berry, Eva Gray Boggan, J. B. Boone, Mary Louise Bowles, Charles Breendon, Claude Broome, T. J. Cates, Valeria Coffin, Ruth Collins, Lonnie Crawford, Russell Crevensten, Margaret Crutchfield, Manuel Demetrelis, Bill Donahue, Hoyle Drum, Lavinia Ellett, John Ellington, Mayzelle Fields, Mozelle Fields, Burron Fleming, Bob Fleming, Earline Glenn, Frances Gordon, Genevieve Gray, D. C. Hall, Evelyn Hartsoe, Adelaide Haynes, Beryl Hedrick, Harry Hoffman, Mary Johnson, Elsie Jones, George Kenerly, Cassie Kernodle, Lawrence Lee, Vernon Lewis, Billy Long, Mary Frances Lowrey, Bill Maddox, Rhoda Martin, Dorothy McAdams, Martha Brown Minhinette, Mary Ella Muse, Billy Neale, Viola Peeler, Rebecca Piephoff, Elsie Preston, Thomas Pugh, John Rainey, Edith Reynolds, Frank Roberts, Francis Roberts, Julia Royall, Inez Rumbley, Betsy Russell, Ethel Sharpe, Wallace Sigmon, Laura Spence, Nell Strunks, Pickett Turner, Joe Vick, Ralph Vinson, Henry Watson, and V. R. Ward.

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COCKFIELD HEADS HIGH LIFE STAFF FOR 2ND SEMESTER

Jean Berbert Gets Unanimous
Vote for Leadership of Busi-
ness Staff of Publication.

TWO MAJOR OFFICES

Other Offices Will Be Assigned After
the Pending Semester Gets
in Swing.

Marty Cockfield, a senior member of the advanced journalism class, was elected editor-in-chief of HIGH LIFE, and Jean Berbert, also of the journalism class, was unanimously chosen business manager of the publication at the recent HIGH LIFE staff election of its two major officers for the second semester of this school year.

Marty assumes office well prepared for her duties, having served a two years' apprenticeship. Last year she skillfully managed HIGH LIFE's business staff, and during the first semester of this year she served as associate editor to Miriam Sewell, the retiring editor-in-chief. Marty also edited the 1937-1938 edition of the G. H. S. handbook, which is printed annually. At present she is acting as student chairman of the chapel program committee. She holds a membership in Torchlight and Quill and Scroll.

Jean Berbert, who is succeeding Cassie Kernodle as business manager of the paper, has also proved invaluable as a member of the editorial staff. Since the beginning of the school term, she has served as associate copy editor of HIGH LIFE, and for the past two years she has been secretary of the Quill and Scroll society.

The other staff positions will be filled early in the second semester.

Is There Always Room for One More?

Will classes be held in the halls or will tents be set up on the grounds for accommodation purposes? It is evident that some drastic plan must be resorted to, for with only 68 seniors leaving these already overcrowded premises, there are approximately 150 incoming sophomores who will be knocking at our doors next week. The faculty is desperate; so desperate, in fact, that they are lending ears to any idea, however fantastic it may seem. Someone has suggested that the sophs hang on those stanch tree branches, which are conveniently near the back side of the Main building, and listen in on the classes there. Another person has offered the bright idea that maybe, since every bunch of new sophs is smaller than the preceding one, these new girls and boys will be small enough for us to fit them two in a desk! In all events, do not be surprised if our school buildings soon resemble sardine cans packed doubly tight!

BIRD CONSERVATION CLUB IS FORMED

Wade Fox and Mrs. W. V. Blackburn represented Greensboro High School at the meeting of the Bird Conservation society which the Chamber of Commerce formed recently.

A bird contest being sponsored by the Rose Garden club is open to all school children. Prizes will be given for the best bird houses and posters relating to bird conservation.

HINES TO COMPETE FOR CITIZENSHIP PILGRIMAGE

To Represent G. H. S. in Statewide
Selection for Free Trip to
Washington, D. C.

CONTEST SPONSORED BY D. A. R.

Annis Hines, present vice-president and former secretary of G. H. S., has been announced as the representative of this school in the Good Citizenship Pilgrimage sponsored by the Daughters of the American Revolution. Annis, who was one of five girls in the senior class suggested as candidates in our school, was selected by the faculty on the basis of dependability, service, leadership, and patriotism.

The Good Citizenship Pilgrimage, whose purpose it is to build useful character and to give recognition to it, is conducted all over the state, and the state winner is given a week's trip to Washington, D. C., with all expenses paid.

Last year Senior high's candidate, Joy Camm, won honorable mention and received a medal. Mrs. W. W. Turrettine, chairman of the committee, is hopeful that this year's Greensboro candidate will emerge victorious in the final contest, for it will be an honor for G. H. S. as well as for the candidate.

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SENIORS TO OBSERVE SKIP DAY MONDAY

Members of Graduating Class Will
Breakfast, Bowl, Attend Movie
on Their Holiday.

Skip day, Monday, January 24, will be crammed full of fun and entertainment for the members of the mid-term graduating class.

After class day exercises, to be held from 9 until 10 o'clock, the graduates will go to the senior breakfast at the Jefferson Roof.

At 11:30 they will bowl, by courtesy of the Greensboro Bowling alley. Then on to a movie, given at the Carolina theater.

The entire class will go skating around Lake Daniel at 4 o'clock.

Climaxing the day, Mary Jo Berry will give a dance at the Jefferson Roof from 8:30 on.

WHAT TO DO—WHEN

End-of-Semester Instructions

All books will be collected on Monday, January 24. All students, except semester 7's will report to school at 8:45 o'clock on Tuesday, January 25, for report cards.

Present semester 7's will report at 10 o'clock Tuesday, January 25, for report cards and will register that afternoon. Wednesday, January 26, is general registration day. Semesters 6 and 3 will report at 9 o'clock. Semesters 4 and 5 will report at 10 o'clock. New sophomores will report at 11 o'clock.

Thursday, January 27, will be book fee collection day, and each class will be 30 minutes in length. All work will be completed by 1 o'clock of that day.

Friday, January 28, will be a full school day.

BIOGRAPHY CLASS WILL GIVE RADIO PROGRAM

"Life and Works of Franz Schubert"
Is Title of Original Script
To Be Given.

"The Life and Works of Franz Schubert" is the title of the original script that will be given by Miss Kneec's biography class on the radio program at 7:45, Wednesday evening, January 26 as a climax to a unit of work dealing with the lives of famous composers. Maribelle Guin, Sara Lou Geringer, Thomas Wright, Burron Fleming, Grady Scott, and Betty Parker will take part in the script which was written by Maribelle Guin. Marty Cockfield will play two violin solos, Schubert's "Serenade" and "Ave Maria" and Mrs. LeGwin will sing Schubert's "The Earl King" and "Hark, Hark, the Lark."

Due to request, this program will be extended 15 minutes, thus making a half-hour program.

In commemoration of Robert E. Lee's birthday, the radio program on January 19 was presented by Mrs. Blanche Smith, of the history department. The music for the program consisted of a collection of southern melodies written by Stephen Foster and sung by the Dudley high school double quartet. A paper on the restoration of Stratford, the birthplace of Lee, was given by Rhea Gaynelle Sikes.

TORCHLIGHT SELLS CANDY AT BASKETBALL GAMES

Sale is Being Sponsored in Order to
Raise Money to Rebuild Student
Loan Fund.

ALLEN SUPERVISES COMMITTEE

The Torchlight society now has charge of the sale of candy and other concessions at the basketball games. This work was formerly managed by the Student council, but it has been turned over to Torchlight as a means of helping to raise money for the fifty dollar student aid fund, which project the honor society sponsors.

Each year a loan of \$50 is made to some member of the club who needs assistance in financing his college career. For the past few years, due to a lack of funds, this loan has not been made, but at the beginning of this term it was decided to revive the plan. The sale of candy is one of the methods the members of the society are devising to secure money for the loan.

Christine Allen is chairman of the concession committee. Working with her are Jean Yates, Studie Clark, Howard Moffett, and Charles Lewis.

ENGLISH CLASS GIVES ORIGINAL RADIO PLAY

An original skit was given by Miss Caldwell's English 5 class Thursday morning, January 20, from the G. H. S. auditorium and was broadcast over WBIG.

The skit, resulting from the work done in class on the Idylls of the King, was written by a committee consisting of Cornelia Anderson, Dorothy Hendrix, and Annie Hall Estep. Dorothy Hendrix, Margaret Lewis, Eugenia Wall, W. S. Gallimore, Wallace Lane, and Paul Cobb are expected to take part.

Last week's program was given by Elfried Pennekamp on the early endeavors of Sir Walter Raleigh.

Miss Cohoon Speaks to Charm School
Miss Virginia Cohoon spoke to the Charm school last Tuesday on the subject of "How to Look Your Best."

Miss Kneec, the club adviser, announced that the next meeting would include a discussion of the admittance of new members.

Pilgrims "March On" After Short Stay

Once again the Canterbury Pilgrims, made famous by Geoffrey Chaucer, have been seen. This time they were marching across the exhibit table in our library and instead of being flesh and blood, they were of wood, although they do not in anyway resemble our versatile friend Charlie McCarthy. In fact the Pilgrims were quite beautiful and very well made. The figures were made by students of Germantown high school in Philadelphia and were rented to the G. H. S. library by Curry high school. Every one of the figures of the Pilgrims was beautifully made; however, the Pioneers, the Knight, the Miller, and the Squire were very outstanding. Now after a whole week's pilgrimage at G. H. S. they have returned to their homes at Curry.

COTTON BOLL DESIRED BY MARYLAND GIRLS

"Could you kindly supply us with a cotton boll, to aid us in our study of textiles?" Believe it or not that was the main idea of the recent letter received by the home economics students, from the little town of Helen, Md.

However, since Greensboro is in the Tobacco Belt the "green weed" might be more readily supplied. Therefore, the homemaking students are requesting that any material which might be of use, be turned in to Miss Bradley.