Graduates

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DOUGLASS HUNT VICTORIOUS IN SCHOOL ELECTION

'American Way' Scheduled For Presentation Thursday of Paper for '40

Pageant to Depict American Life In Allegorical Form

Bilveu and Estep Chosen Readers; 14 Scenes Planned

Margaret Bilyeu and Grace Estep have been chosen to act as readers for the senior pageant, "The American Way," which will be presented Thursday, June 6, at 8 p.m., in the school auditorium.

The production will show in pantomime the American mode of living. A scene picturing the Statue of Liberty, symbolic of America's freedom, will precede the drama. The pageant itself is divided into seven general topics, each one presenting a phase of American life. These divisions are separated into scenes, which suggest a definite trend related to the topic. Scenes Depict Religion and Democracy

Religion, one of the prime factors in the founding of the Western hemisphere, will be the theme for the first part. Later, an inauguration of a United States President will demonstrate the functions and customs of a democracy. Such notables as the President and Chief Justice, who will deliver brief talks, will be played by Reginald Starr and Bob Banks. Mass education, the next subject, will be presented in the form of a dramatization of a modern American classroom.

To Show Industrial Problems

sions, work and want, will be the scenes depicting agriculture and industry. This latter scene will hold special interest for the audience, since numerous southern raw materials and manuunemployed.

Will Depict American Culture

Culture, the sixth general division, Greensboro high seniors. will give an insight into American literature, art, and music. Highlighting this part will be the appearance of Margaret Mitchell's Scarlett O'Hara, played by Doris Dale Reynolds; Louisa Alcott's "Little Women," portrayed by Sue Hall, Catherine Taylor, Barbara Bentley, and Betty Jean Powell; and Washington Irving's Rip Van Winkle, played by Jack Touchstone. Truly American in all respects will be the final scenes on recreation. Here dancing, travel, and sports will compose the sub-topics which will conclude the

Miss Morrow Passes

Miss Mary Frank Morrow, mathematics teacher of Greensboro Senior high school who has been on leave, passed away Wednesday, May 22, at her home in West Point, Georgia, where she has been living with her brother, Howell Morrow, since retiring from her work here in December, 1938, because of illness.

Miss Morrow was founder and first local and state president of the Classroom Teachers association and was an active member of the Pedagogues Garden club. In her early years as a Greensboro instructor she effected a program for girls' athletics that was adopted by many of the schools in the state.

Will Be Missed

"I think I speak for the entire Senior high school when I say that Miss Morrow, although not an active member of the faculty at the time of her death, will be missed by teachers and students alike," stated Mr. Routh upon learning of the former teacher's death.

As a token of their love and respect to a dear friend and teacher who was noted for her cheerfulness and interest in everyone, the entire student body and faculty stood in their classrooms a few minutes in silent reverence while the funeral rites were being held in West Point,

NEW STUDENT LEADERS



Douglass Hunt, president-elect of the Senior high school student body, and Eleanor Dare Taylor, 1940-41 editor-elect of High Life.

'Train Creative Talents,' **Urges Professor Koch**

Keynoting the following two divi- U.N.C. Dramatic Coach Believes Each Person Possesses Some Talent

"I believe every human being has factured articles will be highlighted. some form of creative talent," Dr. Hand in hand with work is want. This Fredrick Roch, dramatic coach at the is staged in two settings, one reveal- University of N. C. and founder ing the unemployed, while the other of the Carolina Playmakers, told a shows federal aid as an aid to the High Lafe reporter last Wednesday immediately after the series of readings from Shakespeare's Hamlet, which he presented to an audience of 350

> He further expressed his belief that all over the United States there are boys and girls with hidden talents which need to be brought to life and to be trained. Having himself coached such personalities as Paul Green, North Carolina playwright, George Denny, president of Town Hall, Thomas Wolfe. North Carolina novelist, and Jonathan Daniels, editor of the News and Observer and author of A Southerner Salesmanship Class Hears fied to say, "there are a lot of talented Blair; Visits Belk's Discovers the South, Koch felt qualiyoungsters over the country, waiting for fellows like me to give them a chance by training them in their particular field."

Declares Hamlet Normal

Speaking of Shakespeare's character, Hamlet, Professor Koch said that he saw Hamlet as a fine, normal lad, but in a situation in which he must avenge his own father's death by murder, he found it hard to throw down his moral barriers against murder.

McDuffie's Will Occupy **New Building Location**

"I'll meet you at McDuffie's" is a simple statement fast outgrowing the fame of "All Gaul is divided into three give the students of the salesmanship parts," but when taken seriously, it is class an oportunity to hear and see not simple at all. Few Greensborohighers know the importance of this their views on successful methods in landmark, which now, after 25 years of sales work, business in its present location, is preparing to move to the Southeastern French Club Entertains building. Started in 1898, it was the For Contest Winners first drug in Greensboro to have a

Owner Once Jerked Sodas

Roger McDuffie "jerked" sodas in the days of the first fountain, and after the World war became part owner, changing the name to McDuffie-Eubanks. Now the store is moving and is aspect as the players called the numalso discontinuing the fountain. First bers in French. to revolutionize Greensboro drug trade with a fountain, McDuffie-Eubanks will be the first to turn to newer

Attention Miss Wall: Playmaster Material

In rapt enchantment gazed the students. Why, a famous tragedienne stood before their very eyes. She was only reading a story, but such gestures, such true dramatic qualities as she portrayed with her gesticulations. When a main character drew his last breath, the sad reader drew her last breath, too; but the climax came when the villain, Tulpik, came forth with an epileptic fit - and a hilarious French 4 class nearly burst with mirth-for, yes, it was Miss Mitchell, that talented pedagogue, who performed for "ses eleves" and further established her reputation as a versatile artist.

Features of the salesmanship class' activties for the last 10 days were a talk entitled "Importance of the Services of Salespeople to Individuals," by Mr. Kennett Blair, sales promotion manager at Meyer's Department store, and a trip through Belk's Department

In his speech Mr. Blair discussed the community and customer.

Awards Given

Highlight of the Belk's trip was the three dollar and two dollar awards received by Vivienne O'Connor and Margaret Holt for writing the best two stories regarding what they observed in this Greensboro store.

Both of the events were planned to experienced salespeople and to learn

Honoring recent winners in the French contest, the French club entertained at an informal party Thursday night, May 16, at the home of Bob and card games took on a foreign

Later in the evening, the twelve Mitchell, faculty adviser, enjoyed refreshments in the back yard.

Eleanor D. Taylor Elected Editor

Rachael Whiteside Assumes **Business Staff Duties** For Coming Semester

To "hold the reins" in the coming fall semester, members of the High LIFE staff unanimously elected Eleanor Dare Taylor and Rachael Whiteside editor and business manager yesterday. Eleanor, the daughter of Mr. and M.s. E. D. Taylor, for the past school term served as assistant editor, while Rachael, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I' M. Whiteside, was advertising manager. Likewise both girls are Quill and Scroll members, honor roll students, and have shown a great interest in newspaper work since entering that field last year.

Staff Members Comment

"I feel that the management of HIGH LIFE will be in capable hands, for Rachael, aside from being a steadfast worker, realizes the importance of her position and will fulfill it to the satisfaction of everyone," declared Irma Estes, retiring manager, in commenting on the new business staff

Alleene Darby, past editor and graduating senior, stated, when asked about Eleanor's promotion, "Every association I have had with Eleanor, both journalistically and scholastically has proven her to be both capable and diligent; therefore, I am proud to turn over my office to such a competent successor!"

G. H. S. First Place Winner in Contest

Estep, Mason, Fryar, Clegg, Spencer Win Individual Medals

First place was won by Greensboro sages over one wire at the same time. Senior high school in the personal typing division of the State Business contest, which was held at Senior high ond year bookkeeping G. H. S. was second place winner, while third place was achieved by the school in second year shorthand and commercial law.

Individual Winners

Individual local winners include Grace Estep, winner of first place in first year bookkeeping, and Elaine Janice Hooke of Curry high. Spencer, winner of third place in commercial law.

awarded banners. In this connection chestra from High Point." local talent was also put to use, for through the combined efforts of Miss Bradley's home economics class, Mr. ment exercises the same night, a large Hume's shop boys, and Miss Lee's art classes, the banners were made. Students responsible for this piece of work are Robert Oakley, Colvin Staley, Home Ec. Students special services the stores render the Floyd Stigall, Joe Thomas, James Hackney, Clayton Stallings, and Ruby

Junior Marshals to Wear White Gowns, Tuxedos

Comely usherettes wearing white evening gowns and boys sporting tuxedos will serve as junior marshals for the Commencement musical exercises on Sunday afternoon, June 2, again Sunday night, on Thursday evening, June 6, and on Friday night, June 7, according to tentative plans aunounced by Mrs. Estelle LeGwin, junior class adviser, this week.

Class Officers Become Leaders

Though class officers, Peggy Yates, chief marshal, Dianne Page, Peggy Brown, and Billy Brinkley, automatically become principal ushers, six McAllister on Lafayette drive. Bingo girls, Frances Winslow, Pat Fordham, Ella Mae Norman, Sarah Armstrong, Sarah Jeffress, Mary Hampton Scott, and six boys, Joe Koury, Oscar Petree, made and presented to the library, Gene Thornton, Joe Watts, John Ma- where the model is now at its permembers attending, with Miss Estelle ness, and Russell Bird, by virtue of manent anchor on the top shelf in the being outstanding juniors, received ap- center back of the conference room, pointments as marshals last week.

Candidate



senior, who is a contestant for the \$4,000 Westinghouse scholarship to Carnegie institute, Pittsburgh, Penn- recent years, Billy Brinkley, prominent

McAllister Is Eligible For \$4,000 Scholarship

Bob Wins Recognition For School Record, Telegraph Explanation

thousand dollar George Westinghouse which will come to Senior high then, scholarship to the Carnegie Institute may participate in the election of the of Technology, Pittsburgh, Pa., is the reward to Bob McAllister, Senior high chemistry major, for entering a recent to determine the winners of semester contest, along with other local and 7 officers resulted in the election of national high school students, which the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing company sponsored.

for his high school record, but for his explanation of a complicated electrical device, a duplex telegraph system; that is, a means of sending two mes-

Took Examination Saturday

Final elimination for the award April 24 through 26, at which time took place Saturday morning, May 25, tests were given in shorthand, typing, at 9 o'clock, when Bob and the other

Gub Club Plans Dance For Night of June 7

personal typing, Jocelyn Mason and honor of the season's graduates which At the same time, Major Ridge dis-Louise Fryar, second and third place will be held Friday night, June 7, will closed that Roberta E. Favors, of Dudwinners in this subject respectively, include Jane Webb, Theresa McCor- ley high school, was the second prize Bynum Clegg, third place winner in mick, Martha Burns Sharpe, and winner of \$15, and Mary Carroll, Sen-

sale today," announced Jack Thomas, Medals will be received by individual dance chairman. "The music will be winners, and team winners will be furnished by Clarence Leonard's or-

> Since both Greensboro and High Point schools will hold commencecrowd is expected from both places.

Make Trip to Nursery

class last Wednesday was its visit school system, ranged from 150 words to the nursery school at Woman's college. The group observed the children's order that the contest might not be toys and books, as they talked to the adviser, Miss Forbes. She explained that the children's ages ranged from two and a half to five years

For the past several weeks the class Mitchell, Elizabeth High, Gene Thornhas been studying the care and guid- ton, and Carolyn Coker, all of Senior ance of children. Its aim is to dis- high. cover characteristics in children now, and see if they still possess them in Yantiss Selected later years. Each student is studying a different phase of child life, and is making individual reports to the class.

McLean Gives Ship To School Library

Complete with full rigging, flags, and all the qualities of a real vessel, is the clay ship which Guy McLean near the boat book collection.

Halladay Gains Office Of Vice-President By Safe Majority

Page, Norman, Eller Elected in Run-Off Of Semester Seven

Douglass Huut, outstanding member of the debating team, was elected president of the student body at Senior high school in the election held Monday, and will be installed along with other newly elected officers Friday morning, Miss Mary Ellen Blackmon, student council adviser, an-

nounced today. Hunt, an outstanding leader and twice chairman of the Social Standards committee, defeated three other Pictured above is Robert McAllister, presidential candidates, Catherine Carter, first girl to run for the office in student government officer, and Clinton Yantiss, president-elect of Play-

masters, by a large majority. Halladay Wins Vice-Presidency

The office of next importance was won by Billy Halladay, newly elected president of the Debating club and active dramatics student. Other candidates for the vice-presidency were Betty Hayes, Lacy Starr Sellars, Irl Newton, and Janet Cox.

The secretary and treasurer of the student body will be elected next fall Opportunity to compete for the four in order that the rising junior class, school officers.

Run-Off Held A run-off election held Wednesday

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Bob won his recognition not only Senior and Dudley Win WBIG Prizes

Taylor and Favors Rate First, Second; Carroll Gets Third

Eleanor Dare Taylor, of Senior high school, won the essay contest conductbookkeeping, commercial law, salesman- winners took a competitive examina- ed by radio station WBIG in cooperaship, and general business, announced tion. There has, as yet, been no antion with the Greater Greensboro high G. H. Parker, commercial adviser, this nouncement of the actual recipient of school system on the subject, "The week. In second year typing and sec- the four thousand dollar scholarship. American System of Broadcasting-Why It Is Best for Americans," announced Major Edney Ridge, director of the local station, today.

The first prize of \$25 will go to Eleanor, English 6 student of Mrs. Olive Betts, and will be presented Friday Sponsors for the Gub club's dance in evening, May 31, at the WBIG studios. ior high, third prize of \$10. Roberta's "Tickets for the affair will go on work was done under the direction of Miss Nelle Artis of Dudley, Mary Carroll's supervisor was Miss Mozelle Causey of Senior high. Their awards will be presented the same night as that of the first prize winner; the presentation will be broadcast over station WBIG, from 9:15 to 9:30 p.m. All three essays will be sent to the National Association of Broadcasters to compete in the national contest.

Many Entrees in Local Contest There was a large number of contestants locally, and the papers, submitted through Herbert Hucks, radio Highlight of the home economics chairman of the Greater Greensboro up. The judges were not teachers, in considered a part of the regular school

Receiving honorable mention were Catherine Alston, Dudley high; Clyde

Playmasters Head

Clinton Yantiss and Eleanor Dare Taylor were elected president and vicepresident, respectively, of Playmasters, high school senior dramatic club, at the final yearly meeting held last week in room 307.

New officers serving with Yantiss, who replaces Martha Hornaday, and Eleanor, who will take the place of Muriel Fiske, are Eleanor Molen, who will fill Margaret Sawyer's office as secretary, and Elaine Miller, who will replace Francis Winslow as treasurer.