

Hipp, Halladay, Hunt, Miller Capture Posts On Debating Team

Club Announces Officers,
Speakers for Semester;
Hattaway to Be Alternate

Miss Mozelle Causey, school debating coach, announced today the personnel of this year's debating team, which will include Martha Hipp and Bill Halladay, affirmative; Paul Miller and Douglass Hunt, negative; and Herbert Hattaway, alternate.

Engage in Practices

Having already chalked up a record number of victories in practice contests, the team began preparations today for the state triangular debating contest to be held at Wake Forest in April.

With practice debates planned for next week in Salisbury and Reidsville, the team is working toward securing the annual award given for the greatest number of practice contests held before the state meet. Asheville won the honor last year.

Club Elects Officers

With the announcement of the school team, Miss Causey revealed the newly elected debating club officers, who are as follows: president, Paul Miller; vice-president, Martie McLennan; secretary and treasurer, Herbert Hattaway; and parliamentarian, Hazel Swinson.

Other debating club students who plan to enter a division of the state contest other than that of the debates are Herbert Hattaway, Hazel Swinson, Nell Beard, and Charlot Marks.

Ruth Winterling Accepts Job as Archives Chairman

Announcement was made last week by Douglass Hunt, president of the Student Cooperative association, of the appointment of Ruth Winterling to the position of chairman of the Archive and Publicity committee. She succeeds John Dudley, who recently was forced to resign when he transferred to Maury high school in Norfolk, Virginia.

Ruth's new job will be to complete the 1940-41 file of news items, clipped from the two local daily papers, concerning the school and its activities.

Greensboro High Choir Elects New Officers

For the purpose of maintaining better conduct, the Senior high school choir, conducted by Raymond Brietz, last week elected officers, who will be responsible for the department of the group.

Those chosen are Jack Smith, president; Charley King, vice-president; Rachel Baxter, secretary and treasurer; and Calvin McAdoo, accompanist.

To solve the problems of the organization, the new leaders plan to hold weekly meetings. In addition to those who have been elected, Brietz expects to appoint a student director in the near future.

Hipp, Taylor Serve at Tea Honoring South Americans

Martha Hipp and Eleanor Dare Taylor helped serve at a tea at Woman's college, given by the Business and Professional Women's club and honoring the South American students attending the mid-winter summer school at the University of North Carolina who visited Greensboro on an inspection tour of the Cone mills.

Superintendent Reports Alumni Record High

Reports that Greensboro high school graduates had fallen below the standard of graduates from other high schools in the state in their college work were refuted by Superintendent Ben L. Smith Wednesday afternoon.

According to the figures, at Guilford college, of the students on the honor roll, eight were from Greensboro, and, while 4.3 per cent of the entire student body made the honor roll, 11.4 per cent of all local students enrolled achieved the distinction.

Woman's college records show that 8.8 per cent of the student body averaged the necessary grades, and 15.1 per cent of the Greensburgers enrolled made the same rating.

Torchlight Convention Opens March 21-22

Carpenter, Norman to Go
From Local Organization
To Tap Semester 6 Pupils

With the theme, "Developing Character and Leadership Through Service," Torchlight national honor society will hold its annual convention in Salisbury, North Carolina, March 21-22, Miss Sara Mims, adviser of the local society, announced this week. The two honor society delegates from Greensboro Senior high school will be Tom Carpenter and Ella Mae Norman.

Before the convention, Torchlight plans to have this year's second taping, which will be unusual because it will be the first time that members of semester 6 have been eligible for candidacy in this group. From the group elected will come the society officers for next year.

Torchlight Qualifications

To qualify for Torchlight, national honor society, a student must have a scholastic average of 90. Moreover, they must show the very best traits of a good citizen, and must be selected by fellow schoolmates and teachers.

Because of the mid-year graduation of the society president, Ann Southerland, Tom Carpenter, former vice-president, was elected the new leader at the last Torchlight meeting.

Students in Twin-City Division Prepare for State Music Contest

Leading Lady



The star of the faculty play, "Oh, Promise Me," Miss Martha Kiser is shown as the heroine of the Classroom Teachers association production.

Inter-Club Council Gives Flag to School

Announcement of the presentation of a new North Carolina flag to G. H. S. for use in the auditorium and with the band while marching was made in chapel Tuesday by Principal A. P. Routh.

The flag, comparable in size to the United States flag given the school last year by the Daughters of the American Revolution, was presented by the night civic clubs making up the Greensboro Inter-Club council. Organizations included in the council are the Pilot club, the Rotary club, the Kiwanis club, the Monarch club, the American Business club, the Altrusa club, the Business and Professional Women's club, the Lions club, and the Civitan club.

New Traffic Squad Assumes Patrol Duty

"To give new life to the Traffic squad, we have organized a brand new group," disclosed Traffic Chief Herman Cone, this week, in explaining the new set-up.

At the same time, he announced the following assistants: J. I. Overman, chief of main building; Horace Kornegay, chief of science building; and Tom Carpenter, chief of cafeteria.

Main Building Officers

The traffic officers in the main building are as follows: John Collins, Carl Thompson, Novell Bishop, Bernard Cole, Richard Iddings, Emmett Farlow, Paul Stewart, Floyd Garrard, John Maness, Bill Reynolds, Wallace Overman, Clark Foster, John Person, Garland Gentry, and Everett Saslow.

In Science Building

Those in the science building include Jack Farrell, O. B. Teague, Arnold Marks, Marshall Adams, Bill Stedman, Harold Kirkman, Jerry Schenck, Emory Green, and John Armfield.

Jack Williams, Elzie Gordon, and Joe Hutton will work in the cafeteria building.

Miss Bradley Marries Socrates Abrahamian

G. H. S. lost one of its home economics teachers on February 24, when at her home in Gastonia, Miss Snowe Bradley became Mrs. Socrates Melik Abrahamian. For five years Mrs. Abrahamian had been a member of the Greensboro city schools faculty.

After a ten-day trip through the Great Smokies, Mr. and Mrs. Abrahamian will make their home in Washington.

Mrs. Allen E. Strand, who did substitute work in the economics department last semester, is replacing Mrs. Abrahamian in her capacity as instructor.

Dudley High to Acquire Business Department

Dudley high soon will celebrate the addition of a business department, in line with the improvements rapidly being made throughout the city school system.

Under this new division will appear such courses as general business, typing, business English, spelling, salesmanship, and consumer education. Miss Marie Howard of Dudley high has been selected as director for the business department.

Senior High Soloists Plan Competition In Elimination Test

New Regulation Requires
Choral Entries to Meet
At Winston For Finals

Approximately 200 Greensboro high school students, including soloists to be selected in eliminations next week, will assemble March 21 and 22 at Winston-Salem for the final judging of the twenty-second annual state music contest.

Make Changes

Until this year, all divisions of the contest have been held at Woman's college, but the growing number of entries necessitated dividing the state into nine districts.

Greensboro is included in the Guilford-Forsyth county division; consequently its contestants will enter the Twin-City district contest.

Band to Compete in Festival

Owing to the new regulation, the bands will not receive their final ratings with the choral group in Winston-Salem, but will combine their competition with the Spring Music festival which will take place in Greensboro.

However, before any band or orchestra may engage in the rivalry at the festival, it must have received a first class rating at the district meet.

Greensboro Expects Bands

Although Greensboro will be minus the choral groups in her 1941 music program, she will play to two during the week of the festival to host groups, of 500 students each, made up of bands representing cities throughout North Carolina.

The first group will include all class A bands, and the second is to be made up of B and C class students.

Elimination Scheduled

In the Senior high school eliminations, scheduled for March 15 at the school, both instrumental and vocal soloists will try-out and winners will compete in the Twin-City contest.

In addition to the soloists, the school is to be represented in the district competition by members of the Senior high choir, who will enter the contest for choral groups under the direction of Raymond Brietz.

Roman Club Welcomes Two New Members

Two new members, Peggy Guin and Peggy Kirkman, were received into the Latin club, when the regular bi-weekly meeting was held last Wednesday. Louise Morton, president, was in the chair. Miss Gertrude Farlowe is adviser for the group.

Program Given by Members

On the program were brief talks on mythology and the Roman army given by four of the members. These were Mervine Merritt, who talked of the weapons used on the Roman battlefield; Elizabeth Gabriel, who reported on the life of Apollo; Martha Sholar, who told of Latona, the mother of Apollo; and C. C. McLean, who related the story of Crasana.

35 Assembly Suspends Meetings for Two Months

Because of the heavy spring schedule of most of its members, the "35 Assembly" at its last session voted to suspend meetings for a two-months period.

A committee composed of Virginia Peoples, Jane Morrison, Mell Alexander, Herbert Hattaway, Paul Miller, Bobby Perry, Charles Fogleman, and Virginia Stoffel are making plans for next year's program.

Movin' Day Coming for MARSE HERMIT

"Hark! It's 10 o'clock, eastern standard time. Turn out your lights—turn them out—weird stories—ghost stories—heh, heh, heh,—hounds howl—etc. etc."

Does that sound like a queer verbal "montage"? Probably so. Doubtless the above excerpt does, however, sound vaguely familiar. 'Tis true that when every good pupil should be absorbing the complications of French subjunctives or physics formulas, his eyes are on his book, his ears are glued to the radio, his mind is—well—and his dial is tuned to 1440.

This brings one around to the point. The hermit is going to move his cave. Anyway, according to the Federal Communications commission, WBIG won't reside on 1440 after March 29, when it will do a four-horseman shift and check over to 1470.

Writers to Attend C.S.P.A. Convention in New York

"New York, here we come!" will be the cry of Aurelia Dunstan, Irma Estes, Bill Brinkley, Gene Thornton, Douglass Hunt, and Mrs. Olive Betts, official delegates to the Columbia Scholastic Press association convention, Wednesday, when they leave for a four-day trip to Gotham.

To Attend Theaters

Leaving at 4:30 in the morning of March 12, the journalists will arrive in time to attend the opening convention events Thursday morning. While at the conference, they will not only attend meetings presided over by student leaders from all over the country, but they will hear lectures by famous American journalists. However, as their evenings will be free, they are making plans to see "Fantasia," the Walt Disney opus, "The Corn Is Green," the Ethel Barrymore pedagogical play, attend grand opera, and visit Radio City music hall.

Although the convention has been held for a number of years, this is the first time since the depression that so large a group has gone from Greensboro. Last year's representatives were Janet Cox and Annie Louise Patterson.

Quill Club to Select Eight New Members

Members of the Quill and Scroll society will have an important meeting March 24 to determine the eligibility of eight juniors, who will, if selected, carry on the work of the society next year.

Nominations for the candidates, which will be made by English instructors and present members of the society, must be approved by the club and the national organization to become members.

At the present, only one junior, Paul Miller, can boast of membership in the society, although there are now eight vacancies to be filled by juniors.

"Since the limit of membership is 25, the new members will be very carefully selected," stated Miss Cathleen Pike, adviser of the society.

Lewis Joins College Choir

Daphne Lewis, alumna of 1940, who is taking undergraduate work in music at Woman's college, has been asked to join the college choir of a hundred voices. She participated in the annual Christmas concert.