

# Anderson's Slang Use Proves To Be Living End

If anyone hears L. W. Anderson, assistant principal at GHS, walking around the campus saying such things as "see ya," "natch," "I clue you," "he's goin to the fleet of the flicks," or if he calls someone "prehistoric," it's not because he's going into his second childhood—he's only trying out a few of the slang words given him by the Creative Writing class for his collection.

Mr. Anderson, who is president of the Greensboro Writers Club, became interested in a Creative Writing course through his own writing, which he does as a hobby. He started the class four years ago and decided that he would collect slang words from the students who took the course so that he would have a contemporary knowledge of teen-age slang. He has collected approximately three or four hundred words; mostly they are ballad or folklore.

"Some people," says Mr. Anderson, "have the idea that everyone who enrolls in the Creative Writing course plans to become a professional writer. That is not, however, the reason students are taking the course. This course is designed primarily to help students express themselves in writing. It aids them in their other classes and in college preparation also."

Many of the students were shocked when informed by Mr. Anderson that the bigger words were not the better. He insists that his students use small concise words rather than bigger over-learned ones. "Make every word count," he pounds into the heads of his students.

Paula Tuttle, senior, says, "I'm interested in finding out what I can and cannot do with the written word. I like to write, but I would like to know a few of the basic steps."

The course, which is a one-semester course, has averaged an enrollment of about 18 or 20 students since it was started.

So far this year the class has studied words and sentences—how to use words to make the sentences pleasing and emphatic. The students found out that close observation and learning not to be wordy are two necessary factors in writing description of persons, places, or things. In all their writing so far, the class has drawn from the five senses—taste, smell, sound, touch and sight. They are now working on paragraphs containing dialogue between two characters and presenting a problem of two people.

When questioned about the course Gayle Apple, senior, replied, "It is excellent training for writing in college and also helps us to get a better understanding of

people around us while making us more observant."

Subjects to be covered later are the short story, the research essay, and the personal essay.

"I think that it will be a big help in my other subjects as well as teaching me to express my emotions on paper. It is a course I believe everyone should take," says Jackie Williams, senior, about Creative Writing.

## Senior High Is Host To Over 70 Colleges

Senior High will be host to approximately 70 colleges and universities on October 19 for the annual College Day to take place in the school gym.

Miss Mary York, head of the home economics department, and her classes will serve lunch to the college representatives.

Planning to attend from North Carolina are the following colleges: Appalachian Teachers College, Brevard College, Campbell College, Catawba College, Davidson College, Duke University, East Carolina College, Elon College, Flora MacDonald College, High Point College, King's Business College, Lees-McRae College, Lenoir-Rhyne College, Louisburg College, Mars Hill College, Meredith College, Mitchell Junior College, Montreat College, North Carolina State College, Oak Ridge Military Institute, Pfeiffer Junior College, Presbyterian Junior College, Queens College, Saint Mary's School and Junior College, Salem Academy and College, School of Nursing, University of North Carolina, Wake Forest College, Woman's College

## PIX BITS

—ADV—

By Elwood Hartman

Hi there! I wonder how many of you took my advice and tried the CAROLINA THEATRE for that date last week-end. If you haven't you should, because the CAROLINA is Greensboro's largest and finest theatre. Here's a preview of the wonderful movies coming your way.

Playing Sunday, Monday, and Tuesday, at the CAROLINA is the MGM CinemaScope production "Moon Fleet." Filmed in color, this drama relates the story of a two-fisted 18-century adventurer and smuggler, played by Stewart Granger. During his escapades he is pursued by three beautiful women, Swedish Viveca Lindfors, English Joan Greenwood, and the Parisienne ballerina Liliane Montevecchi. Granger plays a very similar role to the ones he played in his recent successes, "Beau Brummel" and "Green Fire." Also co-starring in "Moon Fleet" is Hon Whitley, England's most outstanding child actor.

Then beginning Wednesday and continuing through Saturday is "Left Hand of God," a 20th-Century Fox CinemaScope color production starring Humphrey Bogart, Gene Tierney, and Agnes Moorehead. Bogart plays the part of Carmody, an unscrupulous American flier who becomes an adventurer after World War II. He soon finds himself as the leader of a Chinese warlord's nondescript army. To escape his environment he disguises himself as a priest but soon profanes the cloth he is wearing. This role reveals Bogart's versatility by casting him very differently and unexpectedly than ever before.—ADV.

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BY BRENDA GIBSON



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